COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND FACILITIES

ROBERT C. WHITE, JR., CHAIR

NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

on the

Proposed Candidate for Executive Director of the Office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions

Wednesday, December 15th, 2021, 5:00 PM Live via Zoom Video Conference Broadcast https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPJZbHhKFbnyGeQclJxQk0g/live

On Wednesday, December 15th, 2021, Councilmember Robert C. White Jr., Chair of the Committee on Government Operations and Facilities, will hold a Public Roundtable on the Proposed Candidate for Executive Director of the Office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions. The public roundtable will take place via the Zoom web conferencing platform at 5:00 PM. Members of the public will be able to view the public roundtable at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPJZbHhKFbnyGeQclJxQk0g/live.

The purpose of this public roundtable is to hear from Advisory Neighborhood Commissioners and members of the public about the proposed candidate to be the next Executive Director of the Office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions. While this candidate has not been identified at the time of filing of this notice, the Council intends to select a candidate expeditiously based on feedback received from Commissioners and members of the public at an earlier roundtable. This roundtable will allow the Council to receive further testimony on the proposed candidate once one is selected and before a Council vote.

Earlier this fall, the former Executive Director of the Office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions left the position after many years of service. While the office is currently benefiting from the leadership of an interim Executive Director, the Council has begun the search for the next permanent leader of the office. This roundtable will be one of a series of engagements with the community during this search process.

The Committee invites the public to testify remotely or to submit written testimony. Anyone wishing to testify must sign up at https://forms.gle/UrkjAKXjGWaPaQuD8 or by phone at (202) 741-8593, and provide their name, phone number or e-mail, organizational affiliation, and title (if any) by the close of business on Monday, December 13th, 2021. Witnesses are encouraged, but not required, to submit their testimony in writing electronically in advance to facilities@dccouncil.us. Witnesses will participate remotely via Zoom. The Committee will follow-up with witnesses with additional instructions on how to provide testimony in advance of the proceeding.

All public witnesses will be allowed a maximum of four minutes to testify, while Advisory Neighborhood Commissioners will be permitted five minutes to testify. At the discretion of the Chair, the length of time provided for oral testimony may be reduced.

Witnesses who anticipate needing language interpretation, or require sign language interpretation, are requested to inform the Committee of the need as soon as possible but no later than five (5) business days before the proceeding. We will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, however requests received in less than five (5) business days may not be fulfilled and alternatives may be offered.

The Committee also encourages the public to submit written testimony to be included for the public record. Copies of written testimony should be submitted by e-mail to facilities@dccouncil.us. The record for this public roundtable will close at the close of business on Wednesday, December 29th, 2021.