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Garrett Park - Glen Echo
North Bethesda - Pike District
Potomac – Rockville - Twinbrook

Minutes

Western Montgomery County Citizens Advisory Board (WMCCAB)

June 20, 2023 - 7:00 pm

1. Welcome – Kristen Nelson, Chair - 7:00pm
2. Attendance
 - a. CAB Members Present: Nancy Abeles, Michael Chiswick- Patterson, Gary Fahle, Elizabeth Kellar, Stacey Kohl, Troy Murtha, Kristen Nelson, Brian Robinson, Jennifer Rostami, Janet Shatz, George Wolfand, Vashti Van Wyke
CAB Members Not Present: Matt Herman, Timur Edib, Katya Marin, Mark Rittenberg, Brendan McKay
Regional Services: Pete Fosselman, TJ Dant
Speaker: Atara Margolies, Montgomery County Planning, Melek Demir, Renters Alliance
Other Guests: Joy Champaloux, Paul Ellis, Laurie Edberg, Cindy Gibson, Cecily Thorne, Elza Hisel-McCoy, Kiran Kochar – McCabe, Larissa Klevan, Tyler Milam, David Mullins
3. Guest Speaker:
 - a. Larissa Klevan and Team from Montgomery County Planning Department -
UPDATE: [Friendship Heights Select Site Zoning Study](#)
 - i. Study will go before the Planning Board in July.
 - b. Melek Demir, Outreach Coordinator for the [Renters Alliance](#) – General Discussion
 - i. Gave general overview of the association.
4. Discussion – 8:00pm
 - a. Budget Homeruns for FY24 – Pete and TJ
 - Income increases for BUP employees.
 - b. 2023 WMCCAB Strategic Retreat – Pete
 - A CAB Member only retreat will be held on July 17th to set goals.

5. Reports – 8:10pm
 - a. Bethesda Urban Partnership – Katya Marin
 - b. North Bethesda Bus Rapid Transit – Tim Edib
 - c. Pike District – Matt Herrmann
 - d. RSO Director, Pete Fosselman
 - e. Community Projects Manager, TJ Dant

6. Approval of the April 2023 Minutes
 - a. Board Members unanimously approved of April 2023 minutes.

7. New Business

8. From the Public – 8:25pm
 - a. Updates from the offices of Councilmember Friedson and Councilmember Glass

9. Adjourn – 8:30