

Sunday May 13

Woodley Park News

If you missed the opening reception of the [Artists of Woodley Park](#) exhibit, you can still see the work of the 32 neighborhood professional and amateur artists at the Stanford Art Gallery. Works include paintings, sculpture, prints, drawings, photography, ceramics, glasswork, woodwork and jewelry. The Gallery is open 9 am to 7 pm weekdays and from noon to 5 pm Saturdays and Sundays.

The District Department of Transportation and Department of Public Works periodically host online "chats" with their officials to answer questions about what the agencies are doing. Archives of these chats are on the agencies' websites, DDoT [here](#) and DPW [here](#).

The District Department of the Environment has launched an online tool called [GreenUp DC](#) as part of the city's effort to engage citizens in its sustainability initiatives. It allows you to find existing green projects and to plan your own projects. Its mapping features allow you to see existing green energy, stormwater reduction and energy conservation projects and to calculate the potential benefits of such projects. The map shows, for example, that six rowhouses in Woodley Park west of Connecticut Avenue now have solar panels on the roof and that another house has a rainwater barrel installed. The site also includes a page of [resources and information](#) about green projects for your home.

The letter from WPCA to the DC Office of Planning urging it recommend relaxing the rules it is proposing for "**accessory dwelling units**" (e.g., basement apartments) in rowhouse neighborhoods is [on the website](#).

Want a new street tree on your block? Then let the DC Urban Forestry Administration know by June 15th so it can be considered for the 2012-13 planting season. You can do it by making an [online service request](#), by calling 311 or calling UFA staff at (202) 671-5133.

Calendar

The next meeting of the **WPCA Executive Committee** is Wednesday June 6th at Stanford starting at 7:30. The agenda will be [on the website](#) a few days before the meeting.

Woodley Park neighborhood picnic. Saturday June 16, 4 to 8 pm, in the park next to the Woodley playground. RSVP and volunteer to help [here](#).

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