

Friday September 15

Woodley Park News

ANC3C has on its Monday agenda a "Letter in Support of Reinstallation of **Trash Enclosure**" on the public sidewalk behind McDonald's on 24th St. It apparently would be used by a grocer that is considering renting the old Ace Hardware space. You might remember the unsightly, rat-magnet trash enclosure that used to be in that location; the DC government ordered that it be removed in 2018 as part of the renovation of the restaurant. A grocery would be great, but we don't want to replicate the old condition. You can [tell the commissioners](#) what you think and [register to attend](#) the online meeting.

St Thomas will be hosting a mobile facility offering **free blood pressure and vision tests** on Sunday September 17 from 11 am to 2 pm. All are welcome.

WPCA's next **Meet-Your-Neighbors Happy Hour** will be Monday September 18, 6 to 8 pm, at Duke's Counter, 3000 Connecticut. RSVP [here](#).

Woodley Park Card Night. There will be two tables for bridge (beginner and more experienced), as well as tables for hearts and spades. Tables will be organized at the beginning of the night, and extra players will be rotated in so all can get a chance to play. Feel free to bring a board game if that's your preference. Thursday September 28 from 6:30 to 8:30 (late arrivals welcome) at St Thomas Church (entrance on 27th St). Send questions and RSVPs indicating choice of game [here](#).

The Friends of the Cleveland Park Library is having a **used book sale** on Saturday Sept. 30 from 10 am to 2 pm at the Library.

OP has released the "final" version of its proposed [development guidelines for Connecticut Ave](#). It is not substantively different from the April draft. Page 23 shows what it contemplates for additions to the three buildings just south of the Metro entrance (top) and the Leb Tav etc building across the street (bottom). The bottom of page 30 shows part of what it would like to see on the CVS building. OP will present this version to HPRB in September and ask HPRB to adopt it. Even if HPRB does so, any proposal for additions in the historic district would have to go to HPRB for approval under the statutory standards.

Cleveland & Woodley Park Village has put together a comprehensive [Resource and Information Directory](#) for older adults. This directory was developed primarily for use by those in NW DC and includes such things as transportation options and grocery/meal sites. There are also several national organizations included in case you are seeking support for an older friend or family member who lives elsewhere.

DDoT has released [three options](#) for deploying suicide-prevention barriers on the **Taft Bridge**.

Tuesday Talk. The first talk of the new season features two of the Founding Mothers of NPR, Susan Stamberg and Linda Wertheimer, in discussion with Linda Winslow, former Executive Producer of the PBS NewsHour, talking about their experiences in the early days at NPR – they

both joined at its inception in 1971 — and how radio news has changed since then. Tuesday September 19 at the CP Library. Seating is limited, so [register](#) early.

Parking in CP. DDoT has issued its notice of intention to change the parking rules near the CP business district. The existing two-hour metered parking zones on the 3300-3400 blocks of Connecticut Avenue and adjacent streets (35 spaces) will become 30-minute metered parking zones. Nearby residential and unregulated parking zones will also become 30-minute metered areas. Shorter periods will increase turnover, giving more people access. However, 30 minutes isn't enough time for a meal or multiple errands. You can learn more and [tell DDoT what you think](#) by October 20.

Calendar

Tuesday October 10, 7:30. **WPCA Executive Committee Meeting.** The agenda should be [on the website](#) a few days before the meeting. All are welcome via Zoom, just click [here](#).

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