

**Members Present: Ron Haddox, Sarah McKinley, Marian Gooderham, Josh Folb  
Mike Hemminger, Juliet Hiznay, Erin Wasiak, Reggie Nixon  
Guest: ACPD Officer Mark Francis**

**CHCA Membership Meeting, Monday, Jan 11th, 2021, 7 pm – 9 pm  
Location: ONLINE**

7:00 PM President's Update and the goals for tonight – (Ron Haddox)

7:05 PM Approval of the Meetings tonight agenda and the Dec 7th meeting minutes. (Marian and Ron):  
Approved

7:10 PM **Form-Based Code – Update (Juliet):** Bump

7:15 PM [Update on MOU/MOA between BM Smith, Pike Park \(Reggie\)](#): Bump

7:20 PM Updates

- **Newsletter (Marian):** TBD
- **11th Street & Edgewood – STOP sign discussion – Letter/Plan (Marian):** Marian summarized areas of traffic concern; she sent a draft letter in reply to the County's replies to the CHCA inner working group on the issues for review; final draft will be circulated to the group for review before being sent.
- **NC Plan Update (NCAC next project proposal & 12/10 deadline, discussion.) -**  
Bump– [Z285 Proposed Design](#)
- **Affordable housing/Drew impact – (Erin & Marian) -**Marian, Erin, and Juliet finalizing draft letter in support of GV opposition to proposed affordable housing Fort Henry Gardens redevelopment due to negative impact on Drew-our shared neighborhood elementary school; final draft will be circulated to the group for review before being sent.
- **Green Valley/Columbia Heights – Boundary Vote at CivFed.:** Bump
- **3rd District Officer Introduction – Questions/Comments:**
  - Officer Mark Francis: on Community Outreach Team, former school teacher
  - [kfrancis@arlingtonva.us](mailto:kfrancis@arlingtonva.us) (Officer's email)
    - Reggie: bird's eye view of crime/happenings near our area of Columbia Pike?
    - Officer shares stats of crime from Q4 2019 compared to Q4 2020
    - Juliet: Mental health crisis issues/police response?
    - Officer shares insight that mental health professions request police assistance when responding to interactions. Crisis intervention training for all officers.
    - Gave good advice on locking car doors, not keeping valuables in the car, etc.
    - Gave good advice on avoiding scam calls/fraud
    - A crime must be committed in Arlington for ACPD jurisdictional authority
    - Gave comparisons of crime stats in CH to other adjacent neighborhoods (Arlington View, Penrose, Douglas Park, Green Valley).
    - LexisNexis Community Crime Map is a good resource to see where particular crimes are occurring. <https://communitycrimemap.com>
    - Purple Lounge: no current business activity, lost liquor license, space up for lease. Juliet requested more vetting in business operators bc they could just form a new LLC.
    - There will be a broader outreach by ACPD to homeless people in the community.  
Mike: discussed potential issue with officers being in uniform vs not uniform, to avoid intimidation among those with mental health issues.  
Mark: indicated the outreach is intended to be more of a headcount vs an assessment of or in-depth interaction with individuals.
    - Reggie: status of any civilian review board? Mark: ongoing discussions, need for understanding of the laws and policies.
    - Mark: will try to personally conduct traffic review of S Edgewood this week for violators, stop sign/speed.

- **Fenced enclosure on S. Glebe Rd. / S Walter Reed Dr:** Per Ron, Douglas Park President will try to discuss with property owner re vision issues for drivers, bikers.

**Other:** Ron proposes potential new meeting date for our monthly meetings due to high volume of back-to-back committee meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> week of each month. Discussion on 1<sup>st</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month may be better for the group, he will send out a survey.

**9:15pm:** Meeting adjourned