



Aileen Fuchs President & Executive Director National Building Museum



Sharon Carney Chief of Staff DMPED





VIDEO: Business (1:24s) Ninety Ten Bakery & Café



April Richardson Owner Ninety Ten Bakery & Café (DC Sweet Potato Cakes)



Sybongile Cook Director Business Development & Strategy, DMPED



SMB Fund and Nourish DC Grantees



Small Medium Business Growth Fund

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ANXO Logistics ✤ 2446 Ru LLC Corporate Systems * New Creation Hair * C Alan Systems **Resources Inc** Salon Danny Boy LLC ✤NJ3Q Technology Roses Restaurant ◆ Paradise Inc. Group LLC * Brandire Elaines One LLC ◆ Park Place Inc ✤Andean Consulting ♣Pekoe Solutions Acupuncture And International Wellness

Procurated Kirk's Cookies LLC ✤ Health It 2 **Business Solutions** * Rasa

Peruvian Brothers

ACHIEVEMENTS



\$5.1M in total SMB Growth **Funds Awarded**



63 businesses received SMB **Growth Funds**

Locally Made 4

37 Retail

11 Small Business Investments

11 Technology Advancements

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MPH Solutions Group

- Rooster & Owl
- Mess Hall
- Rhea Space Activity
- Rise Gluten Free Bakery LLC
- DC Sushi LLC
- Salon Group LLC
- Shop Made In DC LLC
- Small Planes Coffee
- Soup Up LLC

🛠 The Dabney

- Studio Elan
- Factum Global LLC
- Colemans Kitchen
- Fishscale
- 🛠 Georgetown Piano Bar
- Jacobs Coffee House
- Tonic At Quigleys LLC
- Tsunami Hair Studio LLC
- Angelique Iconiq
- V-tech Solutions Inc
- ✤ Imperial Valet Service Inc

- Ipade LLC
- ✤ Jessica Stuart Media Inc
- Jonathon Wye LLC
- Yoga District LLC
- Marcella Kriebel Art + Illustration
- ✤ Ali Sweets Incorporated
- Aurora Market
- President Valet II
- District Floor Depot Inc
- Electric Cool-aid
- BBWOOF Inc

- ✤ Good Day Scents LLC
- Buzz LLC
- Jake's Tavern
- Zeke's Coffee
- Moveius Contemporary Ballet Inc

- Global Gov And Industry Partners
- Festival Center, Inc
- New Era Ventures
- Ross Professional Services LLC
- Jeffrey P Haggquist DO PLLC
- Workchew

Nourish DC Round 2 Grantees

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KFresh





Elmira Market

Tae-Gu Kimchi

The Fresh Food Factory 5





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- Inspire DMV Hospitality LLC
- Marty's Food and Catering
- **Oh-Mazing** 10 Food SouthEats LLC
 - Aurora Market
 - **Constituent Services Worldwide Public Benefit Corporation**



Keeping it Cool Grants **Open From Now Until March** 31st



\$900,000 in Grants given to date, including \$500,000 for Round 2

Achievements:



200+ Food Businesses **Received Technical Assistance** and \$15 Million in Loans







LaToya Foster Director

DC Office of Cable Television, Film, Music & Entertainment (OCTFME)



OCTFME: The Mission

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About OCTFME

PRODUCTION & CONTENT CREATION

Produce and broadcast programming for the District of Columbia's public, educational, and government access (PEG) cable television channels, digital radio station, and 24 Hour on-demand entertainment streaming network.



REGULATORY GOVERNANCE Regulate the District of Columbia's cable television service providers



CUSTOMER SERVICE Provide customer service for cable subscribers



ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT Support a sustainable film, music, and entertainment creative economy and labor market in the District of



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OCTFME is the recipient of multiple Emmy Awards for DCE programming



OCTFME: Pop-Ups & Partnerships

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Entertainment Opportunities To Amplify DC, Connect Our Creative Community & Build Additional Downtown Revenue



RCH DC Rebate Fund

DC Rebate Fund: Media Production Incentive

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PROGRAM MISSION

- (1) Advance economic development & recovery in the District
- (2) Support creative economy infrastructure development
- (3) Incentivize the creation of creative economy jobs for District residents
- (4) Encourage the use of the District as a media production hub
- (5) Create a sustainable environment for Districtbased minority-owned production companies

PROGRAM IMPACT: FY16-FY22

\$161M Total direct and induced economic impact

> \$53.7M Total direct economic impact

64 Total DC Rebate Fund program production company awardees

1,704

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District resident crew/cast jobs created

\$6.5M

Total District Resident compensation

45%

29 of the 64 projects supported by the program were DC-based production companies (several minority-owned)



DC Rebate Fund: Upcoming Projects

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Washington, DC Is A MAJOR HUB For Film, Television & Entertainment Productions





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Connecting Established + Emerging Creatives. Advancing Local Communities. Fueling The Downtown DC Economy.





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Kristi Whitfield Director Department of Small & Local Business Development (DSLBD)

Department of Small and Local Business Development Where Small Business Meets Local Opportunities

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CERTIFIED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE



Businesses that become Certified Business Enterprises (CBEs) will receive preference in

procurement opportunities offered by the **District of Columbia. The CBE program** helps position small businesses within the District to better compete in DC government contracting opportunities.





Art All Night is a chance for the city to celebrate the performing and visual arts. This event highlights the intersection of art and business throughout our commercial corridors, placing artists on the

ART ALL NIGHT

center stage.



DISTRICT CONNECT

District Connect focuses on increasing access to capital and contracting opportunities for local businesses and is part of Mayor Bowser's overall initiative of spending over a record-breaking \$1.16 billion with SBEs in FY23.



Kiva offers DC businesses and resident entrepreneurs no-barrier, favorable term crowdfunding loans to help them open, operate, pivot and grow their business in the District of Columbia.

ROBUST RETAIL GRANTS



The 2023 Robust Retail **Citywide grant(s) support** existing DC-based retail businesses in maintaining operations. DSLBD intends to award up to \$5,000 per business to approximately 100 businesses.

April 10, 2023, at 2 PM EST





FOR MORE SMALL BUSINESS RESOURCES, VISIT WWW.DSLBD.DC.GOV





Zoe Roberts Membership Director Destination DC



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Zoe Roberts

Membership Associate DEI Business Fellowship Program Manager zoe@washington.org



VISITATION & IMPACT

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-		2019	2020	2021	2022
Z	total visitation (million people)	24.6	13.3	19.1	
(visitor spending (\$ billion)	\$8.2	\$3.7	\$5.4	
%	local taxes (\$ million)	\$896	\$368	\$536	
	jobs supported by visitors	78,266	41,079	57,993	
000	wages (\$ billion)	\$3.4	\$2.1	\$3.1	

314 visitors SUPPORT A NEW JOB IN DC

\$2,920 NEEDED PER DC HOUSEHOLD WITHOUT TOURISM



DESTINATION DC MEMBERSHIP

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CONNECTIONS

- Exclusive Member Events
- Member Directory

VISIBILITY

• Listings on washington.org

• Listings in Print Publications

RESOURCES

- 2-Year Convention Calendar
- Market Intelligence
- Member Extranet

WAYS TO ENGAGE

- Marketing Campaigns
- Co-Ops
- FAM Tours



DEI BUSINESS FELLOWSHIP

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BENEFITS TO FELLOWS

- Complimentary membership for calendar year (value: \$1,050).
- Full suite of member benefits (except print publication listings).
- Content inclusion on washington.org and the DEI District.
- Exclusive educational webinars with departments from DDC.
- Two tickets to the Marketing Outlook Meeting (value: \$95 each).
- Annual return on investment report.



"As a new solo entrepreneur in DC, it's an invaluable resource to access the hotels I once worked in. I'm grateful for the education and support of Destination DC and I'm honored to represent the inaugural DEI cohort."

> Tyra Marshall The Sales Liaison





VIDEO: Workforce (1:27s) Kitchen Savages





Dr. Unique Morris- Hughes Director Department of Employment Services (DOES)



DOES Supports Returning Citizens

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Entrepreneurship Showcase Highlighting Returning Citizens Business Owners

What: To support returning citizens, DOES Division of State Initiatives is convening a resource fair and entrepreneur showcase to highlight businesses owned and operated by returning citizens, further collaborate, and facilitate support.

When: April 26, 2023

Where: DOES HQ (4058 Minnesota Ave., NE) How to RSVP: E-mail <u>Katrina.Matthews@dc.gov</u>





Celebrating Workforce Readiness

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The DC Infrastructure Academy 5 Year Anniversary

What: This month the DOES DC Infrastructure Academy (DCIA) is celebrating its five-year anniversary. DCIA is a key initiative of Mayor Muriel Bowser's administration, led by the Department of Employment Services which opened in 2018. Since its inception, DCIA has trained and supported over 4,000 District residents on career pathways to the middle-class. From May 15, 2023, through May 19, 2023, DCIA will celebrate five years of operations during its yearly Infrastructure Week. During Infrastructure Week, DCIA will highlight the groundbreaking work that they have done, provide announcements on upcoming programs, hold an open house, host a hiring event, and more.

Where: DC Infrastructure Academy (2330 Pomeroy Road SE, Washington, DC 20020)

For more information on DCIA programs email DCIA@dc.gov or visit Does.dc.gov







HOUSING IN DOWNTOWN PANEL

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Ben Mindes Deputy Chief of Staff, DMPED *Moderator*



Stephanie Jennings Research Director, CBRE Mid-Atlantic

Michael Abrams Managing Director, Foulger Pratt



Gerren Price President and CEO, Downtown DC BID


1425 K Street, NW – Before and After







Muriel Bowser Mayor of Washington, DC





Kenyan McDuffie At-Large Councilmember





VITALITY FUND PANEL

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Sybongile Cook Director of Business Development & Strategy, DMPED *Moderator*



Conley Henderson McIntyre Vice President of People, Virtru



Benjamin Kasdah, Design Principal, KTGY Group



Billy Mann Managing Partner, Quadrant Strategies



VITALITY FUND

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The Vitality Fund is a multi-year, performance-based incentive that supports companies in target industries that are actively planning to relocate, expand, and retain their office location and create new jobs in Washington, DC.

Three Vitality Fund participants are eligible for awards estimated at \$1.4M over three years, incentivizing one corporate relocation and two expansions of existing companies.

BY THE NUMBERS



Be on the lookout for Business Spotlights featuring Vitality Fund Awardees and more on obviouslydc.com!

VITALITY FUND

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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- Require employees, in the aggregate, to be on-site for at least 50% of work hours
- Commit to implementing a workforce development program OR spending at least 5% of total annual contracting with local businesses

AWARDS

- Awards disbursed annually after company demonstrates it has its annual new jobs and investment targets
- Award amounts based on number of new jobs, average wages, capital investment, fiscal impact, lease terms, location, and alignment with the District's economic strategy

HOW TO APPLY

Companies **should apply during their location decision-making process** and before a final location decision has been made. To begin the process, complete the Vitality Fund Intake Form available on ObviouslyDC.com. DMPED will provide full application once project and company eligibility have been verified.

RESOURCES

For more details, see the Vitality Fund Program Guide at ObviouslyDC.com.

ELIGIBILITY

- A company relocating to DC, or an existing company considering expanding in or staying in DC
- Lease or own a physical business location of at least 7,000 square feet in the District of Columbia
- Remain in the space for at least 5 years
- Have 25 or more full time employees
- Be in high-growth targeted sectors such as:
 - Marketing & Communications
 - Life Sciences
 - Professional Services
 - Research
 - Technology and Innovation





VIDEO: Real Estate (1:47s) Anacostia





Sarosh Olpadwala Director of Real Estate DMPED



RFP Release: 1617 U

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Location: 1617 U Street NW Ward: 1 Land Area: 81,981 SF

Zoning: MU-4 (Proposed MU-10)

Facilities: Fire Station, Police Station & Fuel Station

RFP Release: May 2023



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RFP Release: Engine 3

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Location: 427-439 New Jersey Ave NW

Ward: 6

Land Area: 13,816 SF

Zoning: D-3

Facilities: Fire Station & Museum

RFP Release: April 2023



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Our RFP: Chevy Chase Civic Site

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Location: 5601 & 5625 Connecticut Avenue NW Ward: 3 Land Area: 73,390 sf Zoning: MU-3A / R-1-B (Proposed NC-19) Facilities: Community Center and Library Our RFP Commencement: Spring 2023





RFP Award: Engine 12

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Location: 513 Rhode Island Ave NE Ward: 5 Land Area: 30,574 SF Zoning: MU-10 Award: Rift Valley Partners Proposed: Mixed income residential over new fire station





New RFP: Chinatown/Engine 2

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Location: 500 F St NW

Ward: 2 Land Area: 19,889 SF Zoning: D-2 Facilities: Fire Station RFP Release: Fall 2023



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New RFP: Rita Bright

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Location: 2500 14th Street NW Ward: 1 Land Area: 28,000 SF Zoning: MU-5A Facilities: Recreation Center RFP Release: Fall 2023



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New RFP: St. Elizabeths East – Parcel 6

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Location: 13th St, SE is to the west of MLK Jr. Ave., north of Cypress St, east of Pecan St and south of Suitland Parkway Ward: 8 Land Area: 256,609 SF Zoning: StE-6 RFP Release: March 2023



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New RFP: St. Elizabeths East – Parcel 1

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Location: Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue SE Ward: 8 Land Area: 292,800 Zoning: StE-1 RFP Release: Summer 2023





Barry Farm – POAH Local Inclusion RFP

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Preservation of Affordable Housing (POAH) is seeking to include a local development partner to support the development of approximately fifty (50) homeownership units within Phase I of the Barry Farm redevelopment.

The Barry Farm redevelopment site is in Ward 8.

The homeownership units will be built on parcels located between Sumner and Eaton Roads.

The solicitation will be led and managed by POAH.







Keith Anderson Director Department of General Services (DGS)



J.O. WILSON ES MODERNIZATION

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Project Name: J.O. Wilson Elementary School Modernization **Construction Program Cluster:** DC Public Schools **Address:** 660 K Street NE, Ward 6

Project Description: Design-Build services for a complete modernization of the J.O. Wilson elementary school facility and site. The project is anticipated to be a combination of new construction and renovation to meet DC Public Schools' Educational Specifications.

RFP Release: Spring 2023

Substantial Completion: Summer 2026







MADISON SHELTER UPGRADE

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- Project Name: Madison Shelter Upgrades ProjectConstruction Program Cluster: Health & Human ServicesAddress: 651 10th Street, NE, Ward 6
- **Project Description:** Interior renovation to the shelter include bathrooms, lighting, HVAC, windows replacement, site improvements and reconfigurations of storage space.

RFP Release: Spring 2023

Substantial Completion: Winter 2024







WARD 8 SENIOR WELLNESS CENTER

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Project Name: Ward 8 Senior Wellness Center Modernization **Construction Program Cluster:** Government/Municipal **Address:** 1700 Q Street SE, Ward 8

Project Description: New construction of the Ward 8 Senior Wellness Center will be within the grounds of the existing Kramer Middle School Parking lot with support spaces that promote senior wellness activities such as a gym, meeting rooms, and educational space, and to enhance the Department of Aging and Community Living (DACL) programmatic operations and services.

RFP Release: Spring 2023 **Substantial Completion:** Winter 2024







ONSE HQ RENOVATION PROJECT

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Project Name: Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement Renovation Project **Construction Program Cluster:** Public Safety and Justice

Address: 100 42nd Street NE, Ward 7

Project Description: This project is a design- phased renovation to include basement level to include MEP and life safety system upgrades, structural deficiency remediation, and classroom/office renovations throughout the facility.

RFP Release: Spring 2023

Substantial Completion: Winter 2024







ROSEDALE POOL REPLACEMENT PROJECT

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Address: 1701 Gales Street NE, Ward 7

Project Description: To re-design and expand the existing pool and install large shade shelters and renovate the pool deck at Rosedale.

RFP Release: Spring 2023 **Substantial Completion:** Summer 2024









Delano Hunter Director Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR)



HILLCREST AQUATIC CENTER

- 3100 Denver Street, SE
- Ward 7
- Lot Size: 18 Acres
- Project Budget: \$15 million
- Project Background: The Hillcrest Aquatic Center will be constructed adjacent to the existing Hillcrest Recreation Center.
- The new indoor swim complex will include a pool with swimming lanes, splash features, locker rooms, lifeguard offices, and support spaces.
- DPR anticipates an RFP for a Design Team to be released this spring.





ANACOSTIA POOL REPLACEMENT

- 1800 Anacostia Drive, SE
- Ward 8
- Lot Size: 11 Acres
- Project Budget: \$7 million
- Project Background: Full replacement of outdoor pool to include a new 50-meter outdoor pool.
- With this funding, DPR seeks to completely rebuild the Anacostia Pool, creating a new outdoor pool in Ward 8 that conforms with swim meet standards and expanded health and wellness opportunities for residents.
- DPR anticipates an RFP for a Design Team to be released this summer.





RANDALL RECREATION CENTER

- 65 I Street, SW
- Ward 6
- Lot Size: 9 Acres
- Project Budget: \$18.5 million
- Project Background: Campus improvements, including modernization of historic carriage house, demo / rebuild of pool house, outdoor pool expansion, and upgrades to athletic fields and recreational amenities.
- DPR seeks to reimagine the campus to maximize recreational potential, including expansion of the outdoor pool to 50-meters to allow for increased aquatic opportunities.
- DPR anticipates an RFP for a Design Team to be released this summer.







Jean Nelson-Houpert Interim-CEO & Chief Financial Officer DC Green Bank


What is DC Green Bank?

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- Established under the leadership of Mayor Bowser and the City Council as an independent District agency to <u>deploy public dollars and crowd-in private capital</u> to meet ambitious city goals
- <u>Green banks are mission-driven financial institutions</u> that make loans to deploy clean energy systems, increase energy efficiency, save money for businesses and residents, and accelerate progress toward meeting climate, environment, energy, resilience, workforce development, and public health goals
- <u>Core audiences</u> for DC Green Bank loans:
 - •Developers
 - •Commercial and residential building owners and operators
 - Contractors
 - •Small businesses
 - Community-serving organizations





Investment Growth at DC Green Bank









Unlocking Financing For Every Stage of Your Project

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- Investment focus areas:
 - Solar Energy and Battery Storage
 - Green and Energy Efficient Buildings Including to Meet BEPS!
 - Electric Vehicles and Charging Infrastructure
 - Stormwater Management and Green Infrastructure
- <u>Affordable capital</u> can be hard to locate for projects that include sustainability or efficiency elements that increase cash flow and pay for themselves over time:
 - **Pre-development loans** for design and planning work
 - Equipment and property acquisition loans
 - **Construction capital** that is flexible to meet your needs
 - Permanent loans to stretch out your payback period
 - Established partnerships with local private capital providers to meet capital demands



Administrator

of the DC PACE

Program



Getting Started with DC Green Bank

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LinkedIn
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VIDEO: Housing (57s) Brittney Freeman Story





Colleen Green Acting Director Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD)



58th & Dix Street NE

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 $_{\rm O}\,Ward$ 7

- Size: 32,319 square feet
- o Zoning: MU-4
- o Neighborhood: Deanwood





1444-1454 Alabama Ave SE

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1444-1454 Alabama Ave SE

 $_{\circ}$ Ward 8

Size: 12,981 square feet

o Zoning: RA-1

Neighborhood: Congress Heights





Benning Road & G Street, SE

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Benning Road and G Street, SE

- \circ Ward 7
- Size: 68,294 square feet
- Zoning: RA-1
- Neighborhood: Fort Dupont





Equity RFP Reissue

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202 36th St SE

<u>1325 Montello Ave NE</u> <u>2206</u>

2206 16th St SE







Brenda Donald Director District of Columbia Housing Authority (DCHA)



DC Housing Authority (DCHA)

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Sursum Corda Turnkey 45 K Street, NW, Ward 6

New Solicitation for Co-Development Partners

- RFP: Summer 2023
- Currently zoned as RA-4 (8 stories). Approximately 130 Units.



Plans for the expansion of the L Street NW right of way adjacent to the site, which will reduce land available for development.



Redevelopment Site Boundaries-A- Sursum Corda Turnkey (28 units)



DC Housing Authority (DCHA)

Capper/Carrollsburg - Square 767, Ward 8

New Solicitation for Co-Development Partners

- RFP: Fall 2023
- The square is approved under a Stage 1 PUD for a 6-story (65ft.) mixed-use building
- Containing 147 dwelling units 6,000 SF of retail with FAR 2.35
- Minimum of 55 of project-based replacement units for requested for project.







DC Housing Authority (DCHA)

Capper/Carrollsburg - Square 768, Ward 8

New Solicitation for Co-Development Partners

- RFP: Winter 2023
- Currently zoned as MU-10 (formerly CR). Highest and best use: Residential with ground-floor retail. Up to 352 residential units
- Minimum 73 of project-based replacement units requested for the project.
- This square is included in Canal Park's stormwater collection footprint.









DC Housing Authority (DCHA)

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Kelly Miller - Build First Development W Street NW, Ward 1

New Solicitation for Co-Development Partner

- RFP: Fall 2023
- Build First development for Kelly Miller public Housing Project
- 0.65 Acres; Potential to rezone property to RA-3
- Proposed all affordable development with 45 project-based vouchers (PBV)













DC Office of Planning

- Downtown Public Realm Plan
- Design Support for Commemorative Works
- Zoning for Housing Equity









Ernest Chrappah Acting Director Department of Buildings (DOB)

DOB Public Dashboard

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- The new DOB Public Dashboard provides access to a wider variety of information and increases transparency by making data more accessible to customers and stakeholders in a handy updated design.
- The Dashboard's new features include:
 - **Economic Insights**: DOB Index provides insight into the economic health of the District through a lens of construction activity.
 - Vacant Properties: search features allow users to filter search results easily
 - Violations and Abatement: search multiple owners and by address with auto-complete features to amplify search capabilities.
 - **Permit Operations**: the Building Permits Issued view allows filtered views by fiscal year, quarter, month, and type/sub-type.
 - **Inspections**: this updated section now shows inspections by type, quarter, and ward.





Building The Workforce Of The Future

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- DOB's commitment to investing in innovation, technology, and people has challenged the agency to think creatively about how to build its workforce amidst unique circumstances in today's evolving world. This has led to the piloting of two key programs: the DOB Training Academy and the DOB Career Pathways Program.
- The **DOB Training Academy** is an online platform available to our staff that provides thorough training on the work of our agency and empowers them to grow in their public service delivery. Participants in the academy can learn at their own pace to gain valuable knowledge to help elevate our service.
- **DOB's Career Pathways Program** represents the agency's determination to invest in the next generation of public servants who will help guide DOB's future. The eight-week program presents a partnership with area universities to provide alternative educational and professional experience to students, postgraduates, and recent graduates. Participants have the potential to join the agency as full-time staff at the conclusion of the program.



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Vacant-To-Visual Program

- We began an initiative called the Vacant-to-Visual Program. The goal of the program has been to improve the health and safety of residents in neighborhoods that have vacant properties while also providing opportunity to local artists to showcase their work to the community. Aligning the goals of bringing vacant properties back to use and democratizing art was a key reason that DOB began this program.
- We are expanding the program to add eight (8) additional buildings, allowing new regional artists of color to beautify these properties and attract investment in these neighborhoods. Also, we are launching a collection of Non-Fungible Tokens (NFTs) available for purchase to support local artists in the program, culminating in an art show in Southwest DC later this month.



AI-Powered Building Plan Review

- DOB's commitment to fostering innovation to improve our service delivery has led our team to further explore how technological advancements in artificial intelligence (AI) can expedite permitting and enhance building safety.
- We have completed a proof of concept. One area we are testing is taking a computer-aided design (CAD) drawing or a building information modeling (BIM) file and having the AI engine check for building code compliance. Through these advancements, DOB anticipates these tools might help accelerate our building plan review processes to reduce wait times. While these tools will not replace human labor, they may be able to help free up our staff to handle more complex issues.





Certificate Of Occupancy Streamlining

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- DOB is responsible for issuing Certificates of Occupancy (C of O), which certify that a building complies with building codes and zoning regulations. C of Os are required for new building construction or changes in ownership, use, or occupancy load.
- Currently, the agency operates with a 1-business day Service Level Agreement (SLA) for change of ownership applications and a 7-business day SLA for all other applications.
- The agency is currently in the process of enhancing the current C of O process by developing and introducing a userfriendly digital application tool to simplify the intake and review of applications, eliminating the paper trail that comes with an email submission-based system and leading to quicker service delivery.
- Using our existing Tertius application as the platform for these developments, our development team has been diligently working to launch this new application process later in FY2023. DOB is continuing to perpetually improve and progress forward in providing excellent customer service to the residents, businesses, and visitors of the District.





Sharon Carney Chief of Staff DMPED Closing Remarks



A Taste of Food Access

