



Advisory Neighborhood Commission 8A

Anacostia, Fairlawn, Hillside, Sheridan

Special Meeting

November 13, 2025, | 8:00pm

Virtual Meeting (access found at website oanc.dc.gov)

1. Call to Order

8:04 PM - Meeting was called to order by Chairman Jamila White

2. Roll Call / Quorum Determination

The roll was called.

Commissioners Present:

- Jamila White (8A05, Chair)
- Anthony Foreman (8A02)
- Andrea Davis (8A03)
- Freya Moore (8A04)
- Tom Donohoe (8A01) Joined After Roll Call
- Tomora Redman (8A07)

Commissioners Absent:

- Robin McKinney (8A06)

A quorum was established.

3. Approval of Agenda

The agenda was reviewed. The Chair noted that the meeting was convened primarily to conduct votes, with additional discussion to occur at a later executive and legislative meeting.

4. Public Comment

No members of the public were present.

The Chair confirmed that the meeting was properly noticed via the Office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (OANC) website and ANC 8A social media platforms.

5. Treasurer's / Financial Report

The Treasurer presented the **FY2025 Q4 Financial Report**, including a summary of receipts, expenditures, grant disbursements previously approved by the Commission, and the ending balance for the quarter. Commissioners asked clarifying questions regarding expenditure categories, reimbursements, and debit card usage.

6. Administrative and Operational Business

A. Administrative Assistant / Operations Consultant

Commissioner Moore presented a proposal to hire an independent contractor to provide administrative and operational support. The proposal included compensation, hours, recruitment strategy, application review, and selection procedures. Amendments were discussed regarding hours, interview requirements, and timeline.

B. Office Printer

Commissioner Redman presented information regarding a proposed office printer purchase. The item was held pending verification of Wi-Fi connectivity and security considerations.

C. Law Enforcement Resolution

Commissioner Donohoe introduced a draft resolution regarding recent law-enforcement activity in the community. After discussion, the Commission agreed that the resolution required further revision and legal review. No vote was taken, and the item was referred to a future executive or legislative meeting.

D. Community Event – Thanksgiving Turkey Giveaway

Commissioner Moore presented a proposal for ANC 8A to sponsor and partner in a Thanksgiving turkey giveaway at the DC Market “Patch” Green Space. The proposal included collaboration with local organizations and use of ANC branding.

7. Motions and Votes

Motion 1: Approval of Administrative Assistant / Operations Consultant Hiring Package

- **Motion:** To approve the ANC 8A Administrative Assistant (Independent Consultant) Hiring Package with amendments.
- **Amendments:**
 - Hours set at **15–20 hours per month**
 - Application dates adjusted to December
 - Interviews required for the top three candidates
- **Moved by:** Commissioner Moore
- **Seconded by:** Commissioner Davis
- **Vote:** Unanimous
- **Result:** Adopted

Motion 2: Application for OANC Technical Assistance Fund (ABCA Attorney)

- **Motion:** To apply to the OANC Technical Assistance Fund for an ABCA attorney in the amount of **\$5,500**.
- **Moved by:** Commissioner Donohoe
- **Seconded by:** Commissioner Moore
- **Vote:** Unanimous
- **Result:** Adopted

Motion 3: Approval of FY2025 Q4 Financial Report

- **Motion:** To approve the FY2025 Fourth Quarter Financial Report.
- **Moved by:** Commissioner Davis
- **Seconded by:** Commissioner Redman
- **Vote:** Unanimous
- **Result:** Adopted

Motion 4: Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

- **Motion:** To approve the August, September, and October 2025 meeting minutes **with changes**, including correction of the spelling of Commissioner Donohoe's name.
- **Moved by:** Commissioner Davis
- **Seconded by:** Commissioner Moore
- **Vote:** Unanimous
- **Result:** Adopted with changes

Motion 5: Sponsorship of Thanksgiving Turkey Giveaway

- **Motion:** For ANC 8A to sponsor and partner in a Thanksgiving turkey giveaway at the DC Market "Patch" Green Space, with flyer materials updated to include the ANC logo and optional commissioner logos or photos.
- **Moved by:** Commissioner Moore
- **Seconded by:** Commissioner Davis
- **Vote:** Unanimous
- **Result:** Adopted

8. Items Tabled / Deferred

- Office printer purchase (pending technical verification)
- Law-enforcement resolution (pending revision and legal review)

9. Announcements

The Chair noted upcoming executive and legislative meetings later in the month and encouraged commissioners to assist with outreach and posting of ANC materials.

10. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at **9:08**.

/s/:

Prepared by: [Andrea Davis]

Approved on: [February 3, 2026]

Attested by: /s/ [Andrea Davis]