## PLEASANT PLAINS ANC UPDATE 1E06

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# Hi, I'm Josh,

And I am thankful to represent our portion of Lower Georgia Avenue. The community elected me to serve a two year term for 1E06 representing ~2,000 people. Our district is bounded by Georgia and Sherman from east to west and Fairmont to Barry from north to south, including the Howard Plaza Towers.

#### What are ANCs?

ANCs are your voice in DC government for matters that affect our neighborhood, such as housing/zoning, transportation, business licenses, and public amenities.

DC voters elect 345 unpaid commissioners to 2-year terms, with Georgia Ave's 1E Commission consisting of 7 single-member districts. ANC 1E is brand new as of Jan 2023.

# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS YOU CAN USE

- Middle School Survey!
   The new school on Euclid is asking for community feedback, and I need your help!
   Reply to the survey at anc1e06.com/survey to make your voice heard!
- Neighbors continue to see an uptick of rats in the area. DOH treated many yards for rats, but we didn't have all neighbors signed on for treatment. DOH will come out again, but we need more neighbors signed on. Text/email me if you'd like to sign onto the petition.
- Banneker Dog Park
   In March, we passed a resolution in favor of a dog park in the SE corner of Banneker Park.
   We have been working with DPR who is in favor of the park location. Next step is working with Council on funding.
- Better Bus Initiative
   WMATA is implementing
   new bus routes across
   the city starting June 29.
   This will generally help
   rebalance service and
   reduce transit times. The
   70/79 routes will become
   the D40/D4X routes.
- Fixed Parking Sign
   I worked with DDOT to remove an erroneous no parking sign, bringing 5 spaces back to Sherman

#### **ANC 1E Meeting Calendar**

<del>January 22</del>	June 25
February 26	July 23
March 26	Sept 24
April 23	Oct 22
May 28	Dec 3

Additional info: anc1e.org/calendar

#### **Community Cleanups**

Saturday, 6/14: 10 - 11 am AND

Saturday. 7/12: 10 - 11 am
Launch from 2605 Sherman
Join Josh and other community
members in a cleanup! Fresh
scones will be provided.
Text/email Josh to RSVP or
check out the Eventbrite on the
website linked via
anc1e06.com/events

#### **Know Your Rights**

 I am scared for our neighbors given recent ICE incursions around the District.
 Immigrants make our city great, and I'm sad that so many are living in fear. It's important that we all know our rights and can help educate others on theirs. anc1e06.com/rights will redirect to resources to help everyone understand how they can help.

#### Conoce tus derechos

Tengo miedo por nuestros vecinos dadas las recientes incursiones de ICE en el Distrito. Los inmigrantes hacen que nuestra ciudad sea grandiosa, y me entristece que tantos estén viviendo con miedo. Es importante que todos conozcamos nuestros derechos y podamos ayudar a educar a otros sobre los suyos. anc1e06.com/derechos redirigirá a recursos para ayudar a todos a entender cómo pueden ayudar.

#### **Other Notes**

- Alley cleanup: I cleaned up the alley and removed old bins on a portion of Sherman with neighbors recently.
- Submitting 311 Requests
   Did you know that you can request a variety of services from the District government using 311? Check out 311.dc.gov for requests to fix sidewalks, pickup illegally dumped trash, and more. Feel free to reach out to me if you need help escalating any of your requests!
- World Pride
   World Pride is in DC this year! The
   Pride Parade will take place on
   Saturday, June 7th starting at 14th and T NW and ending at Penn and
   9th NW. The parade starts at 2 pm.
- Recycling Issues and Tips

DPW has not had a consistent pickup day for many of the weeks in May. I've been submitting missed recycling requests and have reached out to DPW to understand when we can expect to have a more consistent schedule. Feel free submit a 311 request and to email/text me if you notice that your recycling (or trash) was missed.

and I hope to see some of you there!

#### Which topics interest you?

Want to share what you're interested in collaborating on? Fill out the below survey, take a picture, and either text it to me at (202) 780-6297 or email 1e06@anc.dc.gov.

Traffic safety improvements
Transit service
Bike infrastructure
Zoning and Development
Crime/Violence Prevention
Education/school facility issues
Neighborhood retail
Trash management
Community Cleanups
Amenities (parks, playgrounds)
Outreach/community organizing

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