



**ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD  
APPROVED MINUTES OF MEETING  
Greenbelt Community Center  
August 28, 2013**

Approved Minutes Prepared by Jaime Fearer

- I. The meeting was called to order at 8:10 pm after the board attended the 7:30 pm City Council Work Session on the South Core development

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Brian Gibbons, Matt Johnson, Jeff Lemieux, Isabelle Gournay, and Maria Silvia Miller

COUNCIL LIAISON PRESENT: N/A

CITY STAFF PRESENT: Jaime Fearer

OTHER ATTENDEES: Bill Orleans

- II. Agenda was approved

- III. The June 24, 2013 minutes were approved

- IV. Board Updates

- Mr. Gibbons shared an overview of the recent City Council work session with the State Highway Administration (SHA), including proposed projects at MD 193 and Cipriano Road, MD 193 and Rhode Island Avenue; SHA open house at SHA's District 3 Office (in Greenbelt, off Kenilworth Avenue) scheduled for September 5
- Mr. Johnson shared WMATA's upcoming round of proposed service changes, including three potential changes that could affect Greenbelt bus riders on the C2/C4, R3, and B30 routes; a public hearing is scheduled for September 18 in Hyattsville and WMATA is accepting written testimony
- Ms. Silvia Miller and Mr. Lemieux expressed concerns about speeding on Ridge Road between Gardenway and Southway and between Plateau Place and Lastner Lane; staff will add these locations to the Speed Sentry deployment schedule

- V. Referral to APB for review and recommendations: Police Department Signage – complete APB report

- The board adopted the report to Council, with minor edits, by a vote of 5-0 (one member absent)

- VI. Review City Election Questionnaire

- The board proposed the following updates and additions to the City Election Questionnaire:
  - Under Public Works, Question 1, add and rearrange the following:
    - Separate Streets and Sidewalks into separate services
    - Move the Crosswalks selection to be closer to the Streets and Sidewalks selections
    - Add: Bus Stops, Bike Lanes (as separate services)
  - Add the following open-ended question: What is your opinion of the condition or utility of any of the following in Greenbelt: sidewalks, crosswalks, bike lanes, bus stops, and/or other pedestrian and bicyclist safety infrastructure?

- VII. The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 pm when Ms. Silvia Miller and Mr. Lemieux left; non-voting business continued until 9:05 pm.