

**Advisory Committee on Street Harassment (ACSH) Agenda  
September 11th, 2019, 2pm  
Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave NW; Room 104**

**Present:**

Mónica Palacio, Director of DC Office of Human Rights (*OHR*)  
 Michelle Garcia, Director of DC Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants (*OVSJG*)  
 Dee Curry, DC Anti-Violence Project (*Gender Equity*)  
 Naomi Klein, Program Analyst for Community Engagement for District Dept of Transportation (*DDOT*)  
 Michelle Loggins, Deputy Committee Director for Councilmember Nadeau (*City Council*)  
 Thomas Yabroff, Community Outreach Specialist in the Mayor’s Office of LGBTQ Affairs (*MOLGBTQA*)  
 Sarah Fashbaugh, Community Resource Officer at Alcohol Beverage Regulation Administration (*ABRA*)  
 Amy Nelson, Director of Legal Services for Whitman Walker Health (*Immigrant Rights*)  
 Ana Flores, Senior Manager of Inclusion, Education & Engagement at HRC (*Racial Equity*)  
 Vendette Parker, Inspector in Metropolitan Police Department (*MPD*)  
 Stephanie Franklin, Director of Communications & Community Engagement in OHR  
 Maya Vizvary, Street Harassment Prevention Program Analyst in OHR  
 Helen McClure, Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety & Justice

2:10 – 2:20pm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Welcome from OHR Director Palacio</li> <li>2. Introductions (Name, Pronouns, Organization/Community)</li> </ol>
2:20 – 2:35pm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. ACSH Update           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MOTA swore in Ana Flores as the newest ACSH member, representing the racial equity community.</li> <li>• Committee is still lacking representation from the homeless and street harassment community; no updates on individuals that have applied for these slots.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>
2:35 – 3:15pm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Survey Updates:           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Launch with Qualtrics               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Qualtrics initiated a soft launch and sent 30 responses to OHR/David for review; we are pleased with the final product so we are moving forward with it.</li> <li>• The timeline will need to be adjusted to initiate the surveys this week and get the final results/report back from Qualtrics by Friday, September 27.</li> <li>• We are able to get 100 responses from the immigrant community in DC (this will replace the 100 responses from folk with mental health issues)</li> <li>• Task for survey committee post results/report from Qualtrics will be what else we want to know from the data.</li> <li>• Any analysis needs should be sent to Maya by Thursday, September 19 to get to Qualtrics.</li> </ul> </li> </ol> </li> </ol>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>b. Focus Groups – eight done! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conversations sparked around observations made in focus groups. Much surprise around the pepper spray comments, Chinatown comments and how to report street harassment. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please don't share these preliminary observations or notes; wait until all focus groups are done and we have the data analyzed and reported</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Michelle L. to reach out to Howard University ANC member for recruitment and help with a space for the women experiencing homelessness session. Thomas Y. to help with Howard University. Dee C. and Ana Flores will help with recruitment for the women experiencing homelessness session and coordination with HIPS.</li> <li>• MCC or the Festival Center are recommended as a location for religious minorities. Naomi K. will help with alternative locations for the religious minority session and women experiencing homelessness.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
3:15 – 3:45pm	<p>5. Public Awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Ads are currently in bus shelter ads and inside bus ads</li> <li>b. Website is up and running! (nostreetharassment.dc.gov) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Call to Action: sharing their stories <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please note the link for folks to share their street harassment story with us. (click on the graphic on the upper right hand side and towards bottom of the text)</li> <li>• This is a good opportunity for folx who didn't receive the survey but want to tell us about street harassment they've experienced.</li> <li>• Please note that the survey says at the end:  <i>"Thank you for sharing your experiences with us. We know sharing these types of experiences can be upsetting and challenging.  <b>We will not be able to respond or investigate any incidents of street harassment you shared.</b>  If you need assistance, support, or advice, please consider the resources found on our webpage: <a href="http://nostreetharassment.dc.gov">nostreetharassment.dc.gov</a>."</i> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>c. Asks of committee members; ideas for getting campaign out: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dan Silverman of Prince of Petworth, email Sara for a connection to get coverage.</li> <li>• Charlotte Clymer to help promote.</li> <li>• Thomas Y. to help coordinate with Rainbow Conference and MOCRs to help with outreach.</li> <li>• Washington Blade pitch with Thomas</li> <li>• Dee Curry and Michelle L. has contact at Street Sense</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Open Street talk more with Naomi about this (10am-2pm – October 5)</li> <li>• WPFW free advertisement – Dee Curry has a contact</li> <li>• Anti-violence Project – Dee has a contact</li> <li>• Samantha Schmidt at the Washington Post – Thomas Yabroff</li> <li>• Paper version of the Share Your Story survey at tabling events</li> <li>• WeWork – Amy Nelson</li> <li>• Printing</li> <li>• Transgender visibility march – September 28</li> <li>• Newsletters – send language to committee esp Sarah</li> </ul>
3:45 – 3:55pm	<p>6. Report to Mayor &amp; City Council</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussions will happen offline on getting an extension for the report (due date in the bill is Sept 30, 2019).</li> </ul>
3:55 – 4:00pm	<p>7. Next Steps &amp; Next Meeting</p>