Ward 8 Advisory Team for Short-term Family Housing

The District of Columbia has a plan to end homelessness. As part of that plan, we will close DC General - a former hospital that has served as the District's largest family shelter for seven years. We will replace DC General by developing several short-term family housing facilities across the city. Advisory Teams from each community where these new facilities are located will serve to advise government agencies throughout the development process.

Co-Chairs

- Rahman Branch, Director, Mayor's Office of African American Affairs
- Olivia Henderson, Chair ANC 8D

Community, ANC and Council Representatives

- **Advisory Neighborhood Commission:** the ANC Chair (who will serve as Co-Chair of the Advisory Team), ANC Single Member District Commissioner or other ANC commissioner as selected by the ANC, and community members of the ANC's choosing. Community members can include immediate neighbors, faith community representatives, and members of the business community, nearby condo association president, or other community stakeholders.
    - Absalom Jordan (Commissioner, ANC 8D03)
    - Monique Diop (Commissioner, ANC 8D04)
    - Theresa Jones (Commissioner, ANC 8D07)
    - Patricia Carmon (Commissioner, ANC 8D01)
    - Wanda Joynes (Community representative)
    - Derek Davis (Community representative)
    - Frances Rollins (President, Southeast Children's Fund, Inc.)
- **School representative:** A parent or school community leader from the feeder elementary school associated with the site (e.g. LSAT Chair, PTA lead, or other school community representative)
    - Ronya Hunt (Hendley Elementary School PTA)
    - Sundai Riggins (Principal, Hendley Elementary School)
- **Ward Councilmember:** Ward Councilmember or designee and two community representative selected by the Ward Councilmember.
    - Councilmember White or designee
    - Jackie Ward (Community representative)

Homeless Services Stakeholders

- **Homeless services providers (selected by the DC Interagency Council on Homelessness):** Christopher Earley (Board Member, Community of Hope)

DC Executive Government Representatives

- **Department of General Services** (Marcus Brummer)
- **Department of Human Services** (Allison Tucker)

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