## **Woodley Park News**

**Reminder** -- **2735 Connecticut Ave**. The developer of this property has <u>revised his plans</u> since he discussed them with us last September. Revised pages are indicated by the date "10/05/20" in the lower right corner. He will discuss them with us at <u>a Zoom meeting</u> tonight (Tuesday February 16) at 7:30.

**Connecticut Avenue Study**. DDoT will update WPCA on the progress of its study of the Connecticut Ave corridor at 7 pm on Thursday February 25 via Zoom.

DDoT has considered a variety of options, but is now focusing on two alternatives, in addition to the existing reversible-lane arrangement. Safety is one of its goals, and DDoT reports that the crash rate on Connecticut is lower than on some comparable corridors (Georgia, RI), but higher than on others (Wisconsin, Massachusetts).

The two leading proposals for change are:

Concept B -- No reversible lanes; no bike lanes; three travel lanes in each direction during rush hour; two travel lanes in each direction and parking on both sides during other hours. DDoT estimates that 3160 vehicles per day would be diverted from Connecticut to other roads.

Concept C -- No reversible lanes; one-way bike lanes on each side; two travel lanes in each direction with limited business district parking on one side (approximately 80% of the parking in the corridor would be lost). DDoT estimates that 7020 vehicles per day would be diverted from Connecticut to other roads.

The latest construction report from the **Swiss Embassy** is on the website.

**Tuesday Talk**. Two Woodley Park residents discuss *Enraptured by Raptors*, the new book chronicling the story of a family of red-shouldered hawks whose nest is visible from the Klingle Valley Bridge. Tuesday February 23 at 7 pm on YouTube. Details here.

## Calendar

Tuesday March 2, 7:30. **WPCA Executive Committee Meeting**. The agenda should be <u>on the website</u> a few days before the meeting. All are welcome via Zoom, just click <u>here</u>.

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