

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN PHIL MENDELSON
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**

on

**PR 23-1007, “Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority Board of Directors Thorn
Pozen Confirmation Resolution of 2020”**

PR 23-1034, “Board of Zoning Adjustment Fred Hill Confirmation Resolution of 2020”

on

Monday, December 7, 2020 at 10:30 a.m.

**Live via Zoom Video Conference Broadcast
Council Channel 13 (Cable Television Providers)
DC Council Website (www.dccouncil.us)**

Council Chairman Phil Mendelson announces a public roundtable before the Committee of the Whole on PR 23-1007, the “Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority Board of Directors Thorn Pozen Confirmation Resolution of 2020” and PR 23-100X, the “Board of Zoning Adjustment Fred Hill Confirmation Resolution of 2020.” The roundtable will be held **Monday, December 7, 2020, 10:30 a.m.** via Zoom video conference. The purpose of this roundtable is to receive testimony from the public as to the fitness of these nominees for the respective Boards.

The stated purpose of **PR 23-1007** is to confirm the reappointment of Mr. Thorn Pozen as a board member of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority Board of Directors for a term to end on January 5, 2027. Mr. Pozen’s current term ends January 5, 2021. The Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (“MWAA”) is an independent body created through an interstate compact between the Commonwealth of Virginia, the State of Maryland, and the District of Columbia that promotes, develops, and operates Washington Dulles International Airport and Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport. The MWAA Board of Directors governs the activities of MWAA and is composed of members appointed by the Governors of Virginia and Maryland, the Mayor of Washington, D.C., and the President of the United States.

The stated purpose of **PR 23-1034** is to confirm the reappointment of Mr. Fred Hill to the Board of Zoning Adjustment for a term to end on September 30, 2023. Mr. Hill’s term ended on September 30, 2020 and he is currently serving in a holdover capacity. The Board of Zoning Adjustment (“Board”) is an independent, quasi-judicial body with the ability to grant relief from the strict application of the District’s zoning regulations in the form of variances, to grant special exceptions where authorized under the Zoning Regulations, and to hear appeals from actions taken by the Zoning Administrator of the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs.

Those who wish to testify must email the Committee of the Whole at cow@dccouncil.us, or call Evan Cash, Committee and Legislative Director, at (202) 724-7002, and to provide your name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title (if any) by the close of business **Thursday, December 3, 2020**. Witnesses testimony is limited to three minutes. Witnesses who anticipate needing spoken language interpretation, or require sign language interpretation, are

requested to inform the Committee office of the need as soon as possible but no later than five business days before the proceeding. We will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, although alternatives may be offered. Requests received in less than five business days may not be fulfilled.

Due to the COVID-19 public health emergency declaration, the roundtable will be conducted virtually on the Internet utilizing Zoom video conferencing technology. Because of this, written or transcribed testimony from the public is **highly encouraged** and will be taken by email or voice mail. Testimony may be submitted in writing to cow@dccouncil.us or may be left by voice mail (up to 3 minutes) – **which will be transcribed** – by calling (202) 430-6948. Testimony received by close of business on December 4, 2020 on will be posted publicly to <http://www.chairmanmendelson.com/circulation> prior to the roundtable. If you are unable to testify at the roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Written statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, Suite 410 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at 5:00 p.m. on December 14, 2020.