

American University Neighborhood Partnership Facilities Planning Working Group Summary

February 21st,2024

Key Discussion Points:

- Welcome, Review Agenda and Introduction
- Project Update: Jacobs Field Sound Barrier
- Meltzer Center Project Updates
- Reeves Field Maintenance Project
- Summer 2024 Residence Hall Renovation Project
- Closing Comments and Adjourn

Summary: The February Facilities Planning working group meeting began with a round of introductions and a welcome from Jonathan McCann before Josh Babb reviewed the agenda. Next, Jonathan gave an update on construction progress for the Jacobs field sound barrier, which was followed by some discussion on how American University can best monitor the walls impact on mitigating noise. Jonathan also briefed the group on updates surrounding the Meltzer center project and AU's relocation of the community garden. The group also learned for the first time about AU's plans to replace the Reeves field, and Jonathan took questions on how the fields closure will be communicated to the local community. The meeting closed out with a brief updates on the University's planned renovation project's for this Summer.