

CONSUMER ALERT

Thursday, July 12, 2018, DC COUNCIL HEARING ON THE DC WATER CONSUMER PROTECTION AMENDMENT ACT OF 2018

On Thursday, July 12, 2018, Councilmember Mary M. Cheh, Chairperson of the Committee on Transportation and the Environment, will hold a public hearing on B22-662, the DC Water Consumer Protection Amendment Act of 2018. The hearing will begin at 10:00 AM in Room 120 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

B22-662 would require DC Water to provide the Council and the Mayor with an annual report detailing customer inquiries and complaints and the outcome of those matters. The bill would also give the Office of the People's Counsel the authority to represent residents at hearings and legal proceedings regarding DC Water matters.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify should contact Ms. Aukima Benjamin, Staff Assistant to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment, at (202) 724-8062 or via e-mail at abenjamin@dccouncil.us. Persons representing organizations will have five minutes to present their testimony. Individuals will have three minutes to present their testimony. Witnesses should bring eight copies of their written testimony and should submit a copy of their testimony electronically to abenjamin@dccouncil.us.

If you are unable to testify in person, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Benjamin at the following address: Committee on Transportation and the Environment, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 108, Washington, D.C. 20004. Statements may also be e-mailed to abenjamin@dccouncil.us or faxed to (202) 724-8118. The record will close at the end of the business day on Thursday, July 26, 2018.