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The Power of Partnerships
Renamed and rebranded ourselves to Columbia Pike Partnership
#9

Hired and Retained Two Bi-Lingual Staff Members & Gained Retirement Benefits For Full-Time Staff

Andrea Avendano
Marketing & Communications Specialist

Alejandra Underwood
Business Engagement Specialist
Recruited, Welcomed & Onboarded Four New Board Members

Nikki Macdonald
Financial Advisor at Northwestern Mutual

Esayas Gebrehiwot
Acting Managing Director of ECDC (EDG)

Paula Fynboh
Executive Director at Aspire!

Marty Weitzel
Director of Business Lending at Arlington Community Federal Credit Unit (ACFCU)
Commenced the First Annual State of the Pike & Columbia Pike Wellness Festival
Enhanced Our Advocacy
Digital Equity, Childcare, Columbia Pike Forward, Affordable Housing, PUDOss, TOSAs, Ground Floor Retail - FBC Amendment
Played a Leadership Role in Food Security
Member of The Arlington Food Security Task Force, Raised Over $200K For Feed Our Families, Meals For PathForward & Buy A Nurse Lunch
#4

Enhanced Marketing

Brought the LOVEwork to The Pike 3 Times, Increased our Newsletter Subscribers and Social Media Followers, Received Approval for $10K Monthly Google Ads Grant, and Restarted Boletín in English and Spanish

9,742 Subscribers

3,770 Followers +21.3%

1,842 Followers
Business Engagement

Engaged with Over 150 Businesses Through Business Outreach in Partnership with AED BizLaunch, Arlington Chamber of Commerce, LEDC, Asian Chamber of Commerce, ECDC, ACPD Biz Outreach Unit, NAACP, and Others.
Brought back *in-person events* and commemorated the 25th Anniversary of Our Blues Festival and the 12th Anniversary of The Columbia Pike Movie Nights
We Found a New Home in Partnership with The Black Heritage Museum of Arlington and Hosted a Successful Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
Get Ready For Our 2023 Events!*

**February 9** - State of the Pike  
**March TBD** - Connect & Collaborate - In-Person Home Business Mixer  
**April 20** - Columbia Pike Progress Luncheon at Sheraton Pentagon City  
**May TBD** - Connect & Collaborate  
**June 17** - Columbia Pike Blues Festival  
**July 7, 8 - August 25, 26** - Columbia Pike Movie Nights  
**August TBD** - Connect & Collaborate  
**September 9** - Columbia Pike Wellness Festival  
**September 30** - Paws on the Pike  
**October 7** - Annual Meeting

*Dates Subject to Changes*