

# City of Charlotte

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center  
600 East 4th Street  
Charlotte, NC 28202



## Meeting Agenda

Monday, April 1, 2024

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center, Room  
CH-14

### **Housing, Safety and Community Council Committee**

*Chairperson Victoria Watlington*

*Vice Chair LaWana Mayfield*

*Council Member Dimple Ajmera*

*Council Member Tiawana Brown*

*Council Member Reneé Johnson*

## 4:00 p.m. Housing, Safety and Community City Council Committee Meeting

*The public and the media can view the meeting on the Government Channel or on the city's YouTube Channel.*

### 1. Community Safety Framework Referral

**Staff Resource(s):**

Rebecca Hefner, Housing & Neighborhood Services  
Raquishela Stewart, Housing & Neighborhood Services

**Guests:**

Dr. Apryl Alexander, UNC Charlotte Violence Prevention Center

**Explanation**

- On February 1, 2024, the Mayor referred the review of the Community Safety Framework related to juvenile crime to the Housing, Safety and Community Committee. The referral was briefly introduced to the Committee at the February 5, 2024 meeting. At the March 4 meeting, the Committee discussed the scope of the referral, provided feedback on a proposed approach to youth and stakeholder engagement, and received an overview of relevant data and statistics as well as a presentation on the Mecklenburg County Community Violence Strategic Plan. The Committee will receive updates on benchmarks and best practice research, existing programs and policies, and the youth engagement process.

Action: Information and Discussion.

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## 2. A Home for All Update

**Staff Resource(s):**

Shawn Heath, City Manager's Office

**Guests:**

Kathryn Firmin-Sellers, United Way of Greater Charlotte

O'Shauna Hunter, United Way of Greater Charlotte

**Explanation**

The A Home for All initiative was initiated in 2021 to address homelessness and the need for affordable housing in Charlotte-Mecklenburg. The Implementation Plan ("Plan") was released in May 2023, with the United Way under contract with Mecklenburg County to lead the enduring structure supporting the development and execution of the Plan. The committee will receive an update on implementation of the Plan.

*Action:* Informational.

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## Adjournment