

City of Charlotte

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



Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, September 5, 2023

**Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center, Room
CH-14**

Housing, Safety and Community Council Committee

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*Chairperson Victoria Watlington
Vice Chair LaWana Mayfield
Council Member Tariq Scott Bokhari
Council Member Reneé Johnson
Council Member Marjorie Molina*

4:00 pm 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. Neighborhood Equity & Stabilization (NEST) Commission Initial Recommendations

Staff Resource(s):

Shawn Heath, Housing & Neighborhood Services
Rebecca Hefner, Housing & Neighborhood Services

Guests(s):

Kim Graham, NEST Commission Co-Chair
Justin Harlow, NEST Commission Co-Chair

Explanation

- At the June 5, 2023 meeting, the Committee received an overview of the draft Anti-Displacement Strategy as part of a two-step process, and was advised that specific programmatic recommendations would be brought forward in August as the second part of the process. The Strategy includes four primary goals to address mitigating displacement in the city: 1. supporting residents, 2. strengthening communities, 3. fostering inclusivity, and 4. empowering businesses (strategies for the fourth goal will be developed through future planning efforts). NEST Commission Co-Chairs will present the NEST Commission's initial programmatic and funding recommendations supporting goals 1-3 of the Strategy as the second part of the two-part process begun at the June meeting.
- *Action:* Action if Committee desires.

[Presentation NEST Recommendations 09.05.23](#)

2. Community Relations Committee Follow-up

Staff Resource(s):

Willie Ratchford, Community Relations

Explanation

- At the April 3, 2023 meeting, the Committee received an overview of the Community Relations Committee (CRC) and its respective sub-committees, and asked for follow-up information. The Committee will receive the requested CRC follow-up information.
- *Action:* Informational.

[Presentation Community Relations Committee Follow Up 09.05.23](#)

3. Three Sisters Market

Staff Resource(s):

Shawn Heath, Housing & Neighborhood Services

Explanation

- The Committee will receive an update on Three Sisters Market, an initiative of the West Boulevard Neighborhood Coalition, and discuss American Rescue Plan Act support for the market.
- *Action:* Action if Committee desires.

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Adjournment

The next meeting of the Committee will occur on October 2, 2023 at 4 p.m.