



Neighborhood Council Review

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BACKGROUND



- TMC 1.45 mandates a program review every five (5) years
- CED started review in 2018
- The program transitioned to NCS in 2019
- February 2019-October 2019, continued revision and outreach

2019 Outreach and Engagement



- Feedback gathered through two (2) community meetings, three (3) individual meetings with neighborhoods, and an online survey
- 106 residents engaged through all methods
- Feedback focused on TMC changes, and Standards and Guidelines document changes
- Utilized feedback to revise TMC and Standards and Guidelines

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Proposed Changes



1. Clarify Neighborhood Council's role
2. Create a process to establish new Neighborhood Councils
3. Redefine who can participate in Neighborhood Councils
4. Incorporate equity framework into TMC 1.45
5. Redesign of the Standards and Guidelines

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