



Sharswood/Blumberg Choice Neighborhoods
Housing Task Force
Work Session #2
Tuesday, July 22, 2014
6:00pm - 7:30pm

Location: Haven Peniel United Methodist, 2301 W. Oxford Street Philadelphia, PA 19121

The **goal of the Housing Task Force Working Group** is to identify needs, priorities, vision, strategies, partners and resources for implementation. Through the work sessions, the working group will:

- Build from previous planning efforts – Go beyond primary goals identified in the Lower North District Plan to a greater level of detail and implementation with additional community input
- Connect physical planning and redevelopment activities to supportive services and programming – health and wellness, jobs, economic development, education
- Bring the right partners and stakeholders onboard for implementation

I. Welcome & Introductions – (6:00-6:15pm)

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II. Brief Recap of Session #1 – (6:15-6:20pm)

Garlen Capita, Planning Coordinator, WRT

III. Planning Update – (6:20pm-6:30pm)

Planning Analysis – Market Study – Real Estate Strategies
Senior Building Rehab and Phase I – PHA

IV. Work Session (6:30pm-7:15pm)

1. Draft neighborhood housing vision statement
2. Identify housing goals
3. Identify housing priorities
4. Identify short-term actions
5. Review needs assessment questions (to be used in neighborhood-wide survey)

V. Next Steps & Assignments – (7:15-7:30pm)

Finalize questions, train Community Leaders and administer survey

Upcoming Meetings and Events

- Tuesday, July 29th **Health and Wellness Task Force Work Session #2**, at Blumberg Community Room
- Wednesday, July 30th 6:00pm **Survey Training Sessions-** (for Community Leaders)
- Sat., Aug.9th (10am -2pm) Unity Day - Neighborhood Family Day & Resource Fair – Athletic Recreation Center
- Thursday, August 14th **Neighborhood Economic Development Strategic Planning Charette/Work Session** Girard College - Upper School Library

Handouts:

- Agenda; Sign-in Sheet/Task Force Contact List; Partner Leverage commitment forms