



REPORT

CITY OF HARTSVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNCIL COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE
THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 2018 - 4:00PM
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – CITY HALL – 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE

PURSUANT TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT SC CODE 30-4-80: WRITTEN NOTICE WAS DELIVERED TO THE PRESS BY EMAIL ON MONDAY, APRIL 23, 2018 AND DULY POSTED AT CITY HALL LOCATED AT 100 EAST CAROLINA AVENUE.

Committee Members Present: Tre' Gammage, Chair; Johnny Andrews, Teresa Mack
Staff Absent: Mary Catherine Farrell

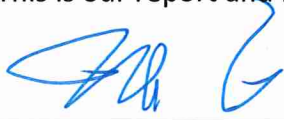
Chair, Tre' Gammage called the meeting to order at 4:02 pm.

The Chair led discussion on the following:

1. Review Asset Map and 3 Questions for Effective strategy development
 - Matching resources to organizations and individuals. Butler heritage Community Assets have been mapped in accordance with the CPAT study. This is to clarify actions that have been taken, resources available and how to connect the dots
2. Next steps implementing ABCD
 - May/June invite specific organizations to CE meetings to collaborate on potential summer and future projects that create community opportunity.
 - Clarify objectives and focus for joint meetings (project created collaboratively with existing resources)
 - Potential opportunities Expanding City museum, Juneteenth 2019, Community Garden, Cultural Art, Intergenerational projects
3. Discuss collaborative meeting for May
 - The most prominent topic of discussion was an Artistic project that includes highlighting the culture of The Historic Butler District
 - Known areas Hoptown, Red town, Cross the tracks, Hill town
 - Contact Thornwell school of arts interest in having students collaborate on community project.
 - Projects May include, Visiting with elders to capture history, working with black creek arts to develop artistic skills, identify students interested in working on projects.
 - Engage Thornwell, Black Creek arts, Senior Citizen centers
4. Update State of Butler
 - Still up in the air, likely won't be during butler week.

5. Next meeting: May 31, 2018 at 4pm in the Council Chambers at City Hall.
6. Chair Gammage adjourned the meeting at 4:50pm.

This is our report and recommendations to the full Council.



Tre' Gammage, Committee Chair