Affordable Housing Coming to Jersey Street!



539 Jersey Street

April 4, 2023

Community Visioning Workshop

NYC

Department of
Housing Preservation
& Development
Office of Neighborhood
Strategies

Who is in the room?

Scan the QR code to answer a few questions. We'll get started shortly!



Agenda

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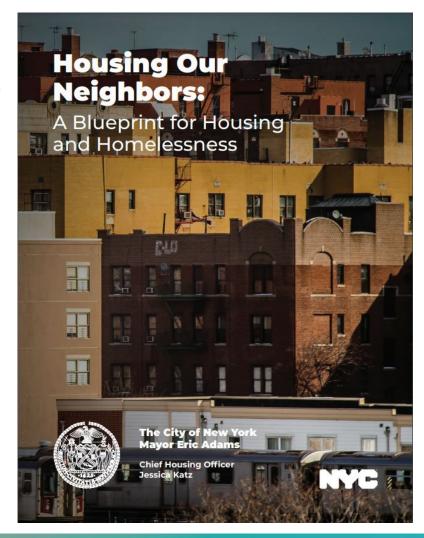
7:55 – Report Back & Next Steps

NYC Housing Preservation and Development Planning for Housing in NYC

Adams Administration Housing Plan:

Housing Our Neighbors: A Blueprint for Housing and Homelessness

- 1. Transform NYCHA
- 2. Address Homelessness & Housing Instability
- 3. Create and Preserve Affordable Housing
- 4. Improve the Health & Safety of New Yorkers
- 5. Reduce Administrative Burden



NYC Housing Preservation and Development Mission

- 1. Ensure housing quality
- 2. Preserve existing affordable housing & create new affordable housing
- 3. Conduct public planning processes to strengthen neighborhoods



NYC Housing Preservation and Development Ensures Housing Quality

Last year HPD's Office of Enforcement and Neighborhood Services:

- Responded to 580,000 housing complaints
- Conducted 738,000 inspections
- Issued 731,000 housing violations
 - 13,000 heat and hot water violations
 - 15,000 lead-based paint violations



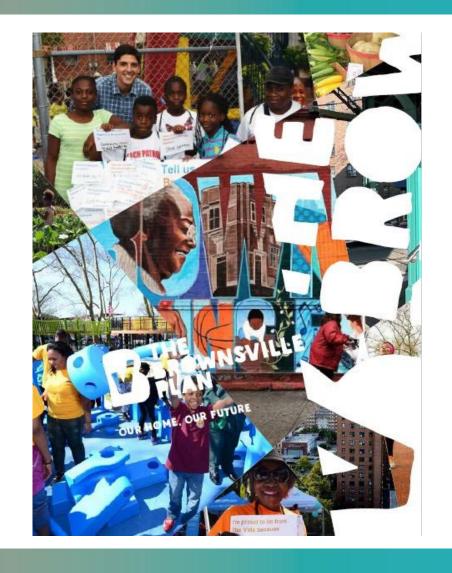
NYC Housing Preservation and Development Preserves and Creates Affordable Housing

- HPD preserves affordability of existing homes in exchange for financial support
- HPD finances the construction of new homes
 - On public sites
 - On private sites, when approached by the property owner



NYC Housing Preservation and Development Conducts Neighborhood Planning Processes

- HPD partners with communities on planning efforts to stabilize and strengthen neighborhoods to ensure they are diverse and livable
- HPD is currently implementing neighborhood plans in:
 - Brownsville
 - Bedford-Stuyvesant
 - Edgemere, Queens



NYC Housing Preservation and Development Resources in the Room

- HPD offers support to tenants and homeowners
 - Eviction prevention, legal assistance, rental assistance
 - Home repair loans, foreclosure prevention
- Find the HPD table & get connected to resources!

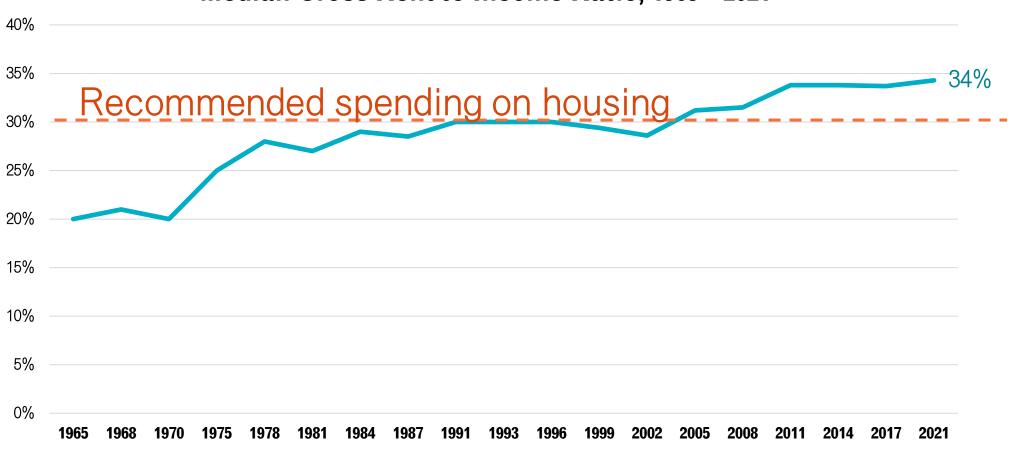




Why do we Build Affordable Housing? Housing costs are too high



Median Gross Rent to Income Ratio, 1965 – 2021



Why do we Build Affordable Housing? Housing costs are too high on Staten Island



+50% of renters on Staten Island's
North Shore are rent
burdened

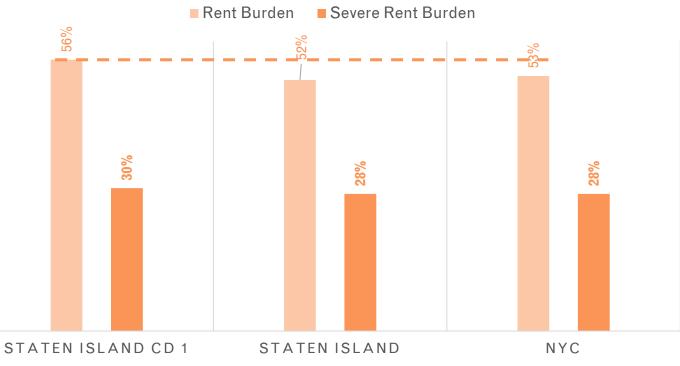
~30%

of renters on Staten Island's North Shore are paying 50% or more of their income on rent



Staten Island's North Shore has higher rates of rent burden and severe rent burden than Staten Island

RENT BURDEN & SEVERE RENT BURDEN: COMMUNITY DISTRICT, BOROUGH, CITY



Source: NYC Equitable Development Data Explore

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A 3-person family seeks housing:

Salary



An office worker with 2 children making \$50,000 a year*

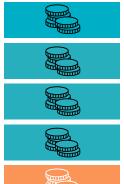
*Based on Median household income of NYC renters

Rent



Average
2-bedroom
apartment
available in
NYC

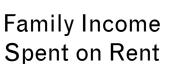
Remaining income: \$1,715

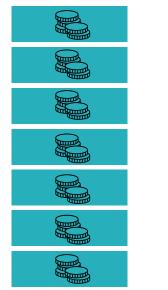






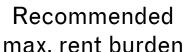












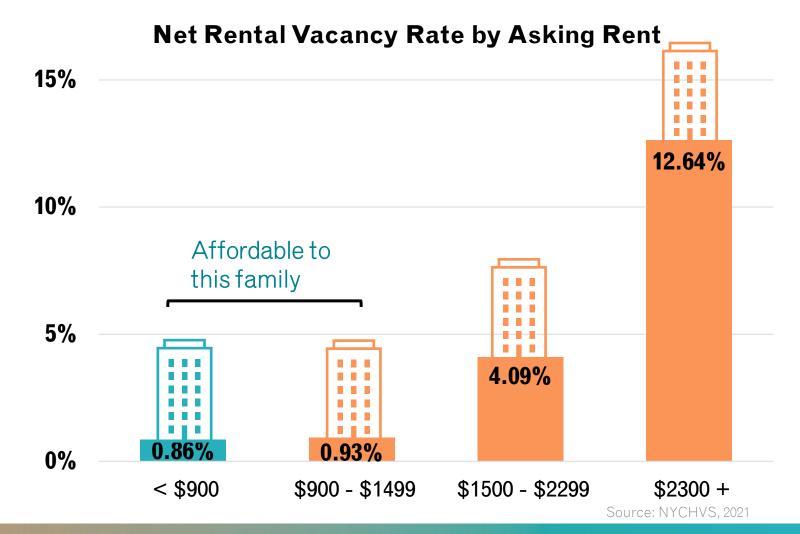
Source: 2021 New York City Housing and Vacancy Survey HUD 2023 Fair Market Rent

Why do we Build Affordable Housing? There Are Not Enough Available Homes





An office worker with two children



Why do we Build Affordable Housing? There Are Not Enough Available Homes

Growth on Staten Island's North Shore, 2010-2020

+3%
Housing Units
Increase



+8%
Population
Increase



% Change in Housing vs Population, 2010-2020

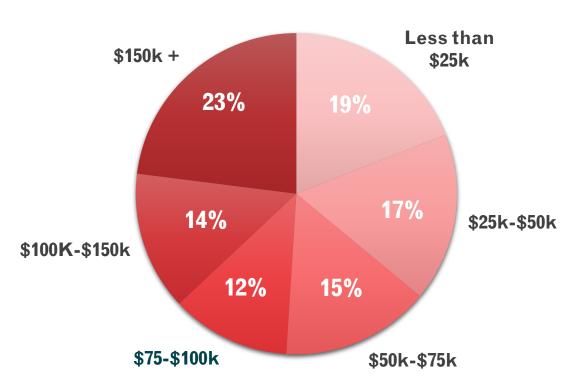


Source: NYC Department of City Planning Housing Database 2020 Q4 and Census 2010, 2020; Community Profile Tables 4.01 and 1.01

Incomes in the Community District

 Staten Island's North Shore has a wide range of household incomes

Annual Incomes in Staten Island CD 1



Source: "S1901: Income in the past 12 months (in 2021 Inflation-adjusted dollars)." 2021 American Community Survey Five Year Estimates.

U.S. Census Bureau



New Affordable Housing at Jersey Street Site Description

- City-owned property currently under Department of Sanitation (DSNY) jurisdiction.
- Between St. George, Tompkinsville, and New Brighton.
- DSNY will relocate facility to Fresh Kills.
- Redevelopment Opportunity:
 - Income restricted housing
 - New ground floor retail and/or community facility



New Affordable Housing at Jersey Street Site History

1900s - Trolley Depot

1920s - Bus Depot

1950s - **DSNY Garage**





New Affordable Housing at Jersey Street Previous Planning Efforts

- City Council approval for this site as part of 2019 Bay Street Rezoning
- Bay Street Points of Agreement:
 - Approx. 223 units affordable housing
 - 90+ senior units
 - >25% of units reserved for Very Low and Extremely Low-income households
 - Community-serving ground floor uses
- CB1 and BP Oddo approved/ recommended with conditions



New Affordable Housing at Jersey Street 2019 Bay Street Corridor Presentation



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New Affordable Housing at Jersey Street Request For Proposals Process



New Affordable Housing at Jersey Street Next Steps

In-Person Workshop	Virtual Workshop	Questionnaire and Commenting Period Close	Community Visioning Report Release	CB1 Report Back Meeting	RFP Release!
April 4, 2023	April 25, 2023	May 1, 2023	May 2023	May-June 2023	Summer 2023
	On Zoom, same topics as tonight's workshop.	Questionnaire and Public Comments Map can be accessed through the project website or in	Summary of community engagement.	Walk through the report and discuss next steps.	
Tabling: St. George NYPL St. George Greenmarket		Engagement Packets at Councilmember Hanks' office.			

Car-Free Earth Day

www.nyc.gov/jersey-street-rfp

Any Questions?

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