



City of Oakland

Housing Element 2015-2023

FOCUS GROUP MEETING

MEETING DETAILS

Date: June 11, 2014, 3 to 6pm

Location: 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, 6th Floor, Byrd Conference Room

WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

- Brief overview of the Housing Element process: community input to-date, accomplishments, adoption schedule.
- Seek feedback on the content of the draft Housing Element; Opportunity for people to comment on the document who are not comfortable testifying at a public hearing or who are not able to provide written comments.
- Forum for asking questions about the adoption process or about specifics in the document itself.
- Discuss constraints to affordable housing development.
- Review proposed housing policies identified in Chapter 7 (<http://www2.oaklandnet.com/oakca1/groups/ceda/documents/report/oak046882.pdf>).
- Identify additional housing policies that are not already in the Housing Element.

PLEASE NOTE: This meeting is not intended to come to a consensus or make commitments about various City housing policies.

AGENDA

- Arrive, sign-in, and get seated (5 minutes)
- Welcome from City of Oakland Staff and Agenda Review (5 minutes)
- Power Point Presentation:
 - Community outreach process to date
 - Why Update the Housing Element? and PDA Planning
 - Adoption Timeline
 - 2007-14 Housing Element Accomplishments
 - Regional Housing Needs Allocation and City's Plan to Meet Need
 - Affordable Housing Development: Resources and Constraints
 - Focused Policy Discussion
- Focus Group Discussion: Input on existing proposed policies (60 minutes)
 - What are issues with housing in Oakland that have not been identified or addressed in the current draft of the Housing Element? (20 min)
 - How can these issues be resolved? What policies/programs should the City consider for addressing these issues and attaining the City's goals and policies? (40 min)