



NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING

Co-Chairs: Penrose Hollins, Fourth District
Jea P. Street, Tenth District

May 27, 2025
3:00 PM

VIRTUAL ZOOM WEBINAR MEETING** &
LOUIS L. REDDING CITY/COUNTY BUILDING
1ST FLOOR COUNCIL CHAMBERS
800 N. FRENCH STREET, WILMINGTON, DE 19801

AGENDA

A. Meeting Call to Order/Roll Call

B. Approval of Minutes Community Services Committee Meeting 04-22-2025

C. Review/Discussion of Resolution(s)

D. Review/Discussion of Ordinance(s)

°25-055: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE \$13,853.99 IN ACTUAL PROGRAM INCOME TO THE REMEDIATING VACANCIES, MAKING PROGRESS (ReVaMP) GRANT WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

°25-056: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: REALIGN \$317,256.47 IN THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FY2024, WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

°25-057: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: REALIGN \$139,000.00 IN THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FY2025, WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING

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°25-058: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE FUNDING ANTICIPATED TO BE RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, WITH FUNDS PROVIDED BY THE DELAWARE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD TO THE 2025/2026 STATE YEAR ROUND YOUTH-EMPLOYMENT GRANT, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY RESOURCES

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°25-059: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE FUNDING ANTICIPATED TO BE RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, WITH FUNDS PROVIDED BY THE DELAWARE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD TO THE 2025 STATE SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT GRANT TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

°25-060: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FEDERAL FUNDS OF \$450,000 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT PASSED THROUGH FROM THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FEDERAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT TO THE LEAD BASED PAINT HAZARD REDUCTION - CITY OF WILMINGTON GRANT, WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

°25-061: (TO BE CONSIDERED 5/27/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: REALIGN \$141,310.49 IN THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FY2022, WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

°25-065: (TO BE CONSIDERED 6/10/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: REALIGN \$750,000 IN FEDERAL FUNDS FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (HOME) AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) GRANT, WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

°25-068: (TO BE CONSIDERED 6/10/25) AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE FUNDING FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL FY2025 APPROVED OPERATING BUDGET TO THE SENIOR HOME REPAIR PROGRAM GRANT, WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street, Mr. Tackett

°25-070: (TO BE CONSIDERED 6/10/25) AMEND THE FY2025 APPROVED OPERATING BUDGET: REDUCE THE GRANTS AND FIXED CHARGES BUDGET LINE ITEM OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY GRANTS

Prime Sponsor(s): Mr. Hollins, Mr. Street

E. Presentations

- Youth Workforce Development Program presentation: Carly Thompson, Acting Division Manager of Community Resources

- FY2026 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Federal Budget

F. Other

G. Public Comment

H. Adjournment

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