



Municipal workers are required to live in the city. Too bad they can't afford to.

As the city rewrites a zoning code that's almost half a century old, it must take into account one of the most pressing issues affecting Chicago today: the lack of safe, decent, affordable housing. Other cities have used the zoning code to create thousands of new homes for residents. Chicago can too.

The city doesn't hesitate when it comes to reforming public schools, attracting new business, or expanding O'Hare. But when it comes to working families in Chicago, the city's missing a major opportunity: the chance to make Chicago's neighborhoods affordable through inclusionary zoning.

Children, workers, and seniors all need safe, decent homes they can afford. Join us at upcoming neighborhood zoning meetings to let the Zoning Commission know: Affordable housing is a zoning issue.

Near Northwest Side

Tuesday, August 6, 6:30-8:00 pm
Humboldt Park Field House
1400 North Sacramento

Near Southwest Side

Wednesday, August 14, 6:30-8:00 pm
Comiskey Park Conference and Learning
Center, 333 West 35th Street

Far North Side

Tuesday, August 20, 6:30-8:00 pm
Loyola University, Crown Center Auditorium
1001 West Loyola Ave.

If not now, when? If not us, who? Access Living, ACORN Housing Corp., Agency Metropolitan Services, Albany Park Neighborhood Council, Ambassadors for Christ, Antioch Foundation, Balanced Development Coalition, Bethel New Life, Bickerdike Redevelopment Corp., Business and Professional People for the Public Interest, Center for Neighborhood Technology, Central City Housing Ventures, Century Place Development Corporation, Chicago Better Housing Association, Chicago Coalition for the Homeless, Chicago Mutual Housing Network, Chicago Rehab Network, Chicago Roseland Coalition for Community Control, Circle Christian Development Corporation, Claretian Associates, Coalition for Fair Community Development, Community Renewal Society, Covenant Development Corporation, Deborah's Place, Eighteenth Street Development Corporation, Fulfilling Our Responsibility Unto Mankind, Genesis Housing Development Corp., Greater Washington Park Community Development Corporation, Hispanic Housing, Housing Resource Center, Interfaith Open Communities, Interfaith Organizing Project, Jewish Council on Urban Affairs, Kenwood Oakland Community Organization, Lakefront SRO Corporation, Lakeview Action Coalition, Latinos United, Latin United Community Housing Association, Lawndale Christian Development Corporation, Lawyers' Committee for Better Housing, Leadership Council for Metropolitan Open Communities, League of Women Voters for Chicago, Logan Square Neighborhood Association, Metropolitan Housing Development Corporation, Metropolitan Tenants Organization, Neighborhood Capital Budget Group, North River Commission, Northwest Austin Council, OK Share, Organization of the NorthEast, Peoples Reinvestment and Development Effort, Protestants for the Common Good, The Renaissance Collaborative, The Resurrection Project, Roseland Christian Homes, Voice of the People, Woodlawn East Community and Neighbors.

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