



CITY OF OAKLAND

Youth Commission

Meeting Agenda

Friday, March 4, 2022

5:00 PM

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If you have any questions, please email Carina Lieu, Youth Leadership Development Coordinator at clieu@oaklandca.gov - Children and Youth Services Division

General Meeting

Meeting officially begins at 5:00 P.M.

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call Commissioners / Check-In Question

COMMISSIONERS - Benjamin Salop (D1), Aisha Elbgal (D1), Sarah Ouda, Darby Hatfield, Julia Basch (D2), Aniyah Story (D2), Aa'Jahlee-Soleil Long (D3), Kai Medina-Safir, (D2) Francesca Berlow (D4), Harper Valentine (D5), Hayden Thompson (D3), Athena Muhammad (D6), Gyssell Perez (D7), Estefany Velasquez (D7), Giselle Venegas (D7), Olivia Sally (D4)

- III. Welcome from Staff and Co-Chairs

- A. Agenda Review & Modifications

- IV. Item 1: Presentation from David Harris, Executive Director at Urban Strategies Council
Commissioners received a presentation on improving youth engagement for the Oakland General Plan from David Harris who serves as the Executive Director at Urban Strategies Council. Harris asked questions to gain youth feedback on the process.

- V. Item 2: OYAC Swearing-In and Social Activity
Commissioners discussed dates and availability for the youth homelessness hearing, the swearing in ceremony, and the potential boating social activity.

- VI. Public Comments/Open Forum
- VII. Announcements
- VIII. Check-Out Question
- IX. Closing
- X. Meeting Adjourned

AGENDA MEETING INSTRUCTIONS

Where to Obtain Agenda Related Materials: Copies of the agenda package are available by contacting the commission at (510) 238-3245, youthcommission@oaklandnet.com, or 150 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Suite 4211, Oakland, CA 94612. You may also find copies online at <http://www.oaklandhumanservices.org/departments/commissions/oaklandyouth.htm>.

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Estimated Time: Please note that the estimated time is just that, an estimate. The Youth Advisory Commission does not guarantee that the timeline will be strictly followed. If you wish to comment on a specific item, it is important to always come as early as possible or attend the full meeting to guarantee time to speak.

Open Forum: This agenda item is an opportunity for community members to comment on an item of interest that is relevant to Oakland's Youth Advisory Commission. If there are no community members interested in speaking, Oakland Youth Advisory Commissioners will choose a youth issue to discuss.

OAKLAND GENERAL PLAN UPDATE

Youth Engagement Discussion

David Harris
Urban Strategies Council
March 2022

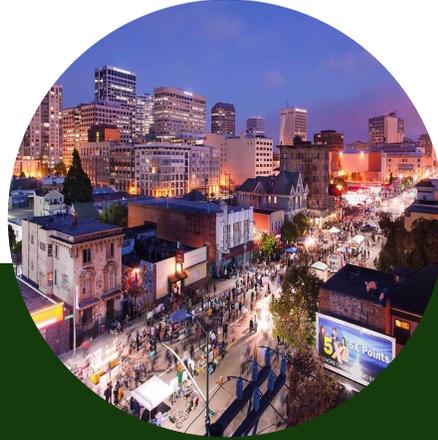


What is a General Plan?



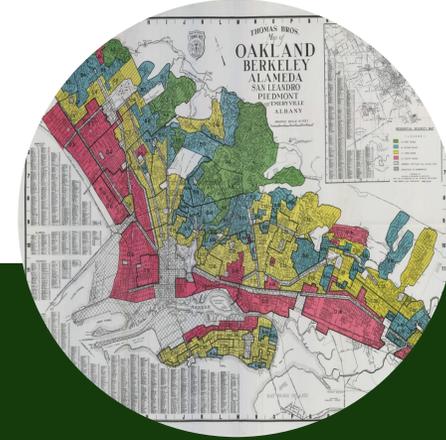
"Constitution" for development and conservation.

Establishes citywide vision and supporting goals, policies, and implementation measures.



Opportunity to look back to identify past challenges and accomplishments.

Provides consistent direction for future development.



Opportunity to Reduce Racial Inequities & Promote Inclusive Engagement

Engage our community in the planning and decision-making process.

TO BE UPDATED BY **EARLY 2023**



HOUSING

Adopted 2014

Required by State Law



SAFETY

Adopted 2004

(Last amended 2021)

Required by State Law



ENVIRONMENTAL

JUSTICE

****New Requirement****

May be stand-alone or
integrated
Required by State Law



INDUSTRIAL LANDS

POLICY

****New****

NOT required by State
Law

OTHER REQUIRED ELEMENTS



OPEN SPACE,
CONSERVATION &
RECREATION (OSCAR)

Adopted 1996



NOISE
Adopted 2005



LAND USE
& TRANSPORTATION

Adopted 1998

Includes Estuary Policy
Plan for areas below
Interstate 880
(Adopted 1999)

OPTIONAL ELEMENTS



INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES ELEMENT

****New Element****

Overarching goals and policies for city infrastructure over the long term.

Reflects capital improvements identified in the LUTE, OSCAR, Safety, and other General Plan elements.



HISTORIC PRESERVATION ELEMENT

Adopted 1994

Amended 1998



SCENIC HIGHWAYS ELEMENT

Adopted 1974

OGP UPDATE COMMUNITY OUTREACH & ENGAGEMENT

Deeply Rooted Partnership

- EastSide Arts Alliance | Administrative Partner
- Just Cities | Administrative Partner
- Urban Strategies Council | Administrative Partner

- The Black Cultural Zone Community Development Corporation | Partner | **East Oakland and Black community**
- CURYJ | Partner | **Fruitvale, Formerly incarcerated, Black and Latinx**
- House/Full of Black Women/ Deep Waters Dance Theater | Partner | **West Oakland**
- Lao Family Community Development, Inc | Partner | **South East Asian American community**
- Malonga Arts Residents Association (MARA) | Partner | **Downtown**
- Oakland Asian Cultural Center (OACC)/ API Cultural Center | Partner | **Chinatown and Asian American community**
- Unity Council | Hub Partner | **Fruitvale and Latinx community**
- The Village in Oakland | Partner | **Unhoused communities**
- West Oakland Environmental Indicators Project | Partner | **West Oakland**
- Black Arts Movement Business District, CDC (BAMBD, CDC) | Partner | **Downtown, Black community**

DEEPLY ROOTED CURRENT UPDATE

Engagement (November 2021-February 2022)

Race/Ethnicity	Count	Percent
Black	150	16%
Carribbean Islander	0	0%
Asian	127	14%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	0.1%
Latinx	168	18%
White	26	3%
Middle Eastern	2	0.2%
Native American/Indigenous or Alaska Native	0	0%
Multiracial	18	2%
Other	2	0.2%
Decline to Comment	417	46%
Total	911	

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

DEEPLY ROOTED YOUTH FELLOWS

- Community-based events/pop-ups
- Mini-grants
- Community/School Presentations
- Social media outreach

DEEPLY ROOTED YOUTH FELLOWS

- 10-15 Fellows
- Startup – April 2022
- 2-3 year commitment
- Approx. 5 hrs. month (1st month 10 hrs.)
- Monthly stipend
- Planning/design training
- Coordination with YAC

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Would the Fellowship program be something you would be interested in?
- What is the best way to recruit participants?
- What incentives/activities do you think would keep Fellows participating/engaged?
- How can we get Oakland's youth to own the General Plan Update?
- What support/training is needed to ensure Fellows are full participants in the training process?
- Your questions?