

*Developing Complete Communities for all Austinites:
Household Affordability Code Prescription*

Community input

Update: June 20, 2016

Timeline of events

- May 2: Prescription paper, contextual information, presented at CAG meeting
- May 14: Community Walk—Zilker neighborhood
- May 23: Public discussion of issues at the Carver Museum
 - *First round*: discussion organized by districts, How did you choose where you live? What were the most important factors?
 - *Second round*: Who can't live where you live? How do the prescriptions relate to the issues raised in both rounds?
- June 20: Today—discussion of themes with mayor , council, and consultants.
- July 11: CAG discussion of issues raised.
- Ongoing: *Speak Up Austin* online comments, CAG and staff continue outreach; CAG members record comments in google doc.
- *Future*: Summary of comments across events compiled by working group, shared with the public, staff and consultants.

Themes raised thus far:

Fair Housing:

Q: How might we affirmatively further fair housing goals through our development patterns? Ensure broad housing choice in all types of neighborhoods?

Increased entitlements and unintended consequences:

Q: How can we balance development pressure and neighborhood context?

Density and affordability:

Q: How might we increase affordability in concert with increased density?

Greenfield and Infill development:

Q: How might we calibrate growth and density in both greenfield and infill areas?

Density and infrastructure:

Q: How can we ensure our infrastructure supports increased density?

Next steps:

- Post comments from May 23rd event on Bloomfire site?
- Continue to monitor Speak UP discussions.
- Continue outreach to district events, other groups.
- Enter comments from these events on google doc (soon!)
- Working group develops summary and key questions (Terry Mitchell, Mandy DeMayo, Liz Mueller, Nuria Zaragosa)