

Anita Coy Repurposing Meeting- 2/16/2022

Question 1: What are some of the challenges you see facing the residents of your neighborhood?

- Lack of affordable housing, root of a lot of problems for parents and teachers
 - Multiple folks shared this feedback
 - Everything is not affordable, particularly for families. Tiny spaces.
- District is not sharing enough history
- The east side lacks fields for the community to congregate, have youth space, etc...
 - Multiple people shared this
- Kids in the area have more access to transportation at charter schools
- Misrepresentation of the community
 - How are the community members being involved
- How much does the surroundings, like businesses/restaurants, influence what will be put in the space?

Question 4: How can we put this all together to envision a final solution to address the needs?

- How can we bring programming that is on the west side of town to students on the east side?
 - Equitable and accessible programming
- A new recreation center that community benefits from
 - Still has use of soccer fields, renovating building
 - Keeping programs that are there, there
 - Ask community what age range/grades need the most support
- Housing for educators
- Working with city to house community members that are without homes
 - Housing that fosters a sense of community and provides safety
 - Bus lanes, bike lanes, sidewalks, lighting, etc...
- Single family homes don't seem feasible. Apartment style, family sized homes.
 - Is the district opening to being a landlord?