



Neighborhood Task Force

February 19, 2026 @ 5pm at HANH

Attendees:

18 participants

Went over deadlines:

March 4 – condense the application

March 25 - draft of application due – form and format for comments on our website

Transformation Plan was approved by HUD

Zoning approved today and MOUs – no impediments

Presentation Began

Went over the map and neighborhood; what the strategy is and the neighborhood improvements that everyone is doing

Malachai talked about what the City is doing – discussion happened on parks and the clean up effort that is being done

This led to a discussion on Safety and Mobility and lighting (balance those saying it's too bright at night with those who want the light)

Malachai will get 4 volunteers on the 25th – low cost, high impact clean up

Support letters were spoken about from:

1. The 4 wards/Alders: 3,4,5 and 6
2. Management Team
3. CMT
4. State Legislators:
 - a. Candelaria – this is what I wrote?
 - b. Winfield – this is what I wrote?
Martin Looney – this is what is on the website for New Haven
Roland Lemar – this is what is on the website for New Haven
5. Other influential people:
 - a. KDW
 - b. Walker
 - c. Winthrop