

Building the Engine of Community Development in Detroit

5TH ANNUAL SUMMIT, DECEMBER 2 & 3, 2020

A Virtual Gathering of Detroit's Voices of ALL Ages

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Building the Engine of Community Development in Detroit (BECDD) is a citywide collaborative process that will strengthen all of Detroit's neighborhoods by creating a well-coordinated, effective and equitable system for community development work in our city.

GOALS FOR THE 2020 SUMMIT:

- Envision what needs to happen in the neighborhoods, given that the impossible is now possible
- Bring many young voices into the discussion
- Lift up the many examples of the work that young leaders are doing in the city
- Discuss how we can all work together

THE SUMMIT AGENDA: DAY ONE, 4-6:30 PM

4:00 Opening Remarks: Your Hosts

4:30-6:15 Facilitated Conversation with Hosts Alandra, Orlando, and Yusef
With Young Leaders as Panelists:

Izzi Figueiredo, Michigan Roundtable

Mohammed Muntakim, DPSCDoff4EID Campaign

Gabriela Santiago-Romero, We The People Michigan

Landis Spencer, Detroit Socialists of America

Nyasia Valdez, Inside Southwest Detroit +

Equitable Internet Initiative

Nakia Wallace, Detroit Will Breathe

6:15-6:30 Closing Remarks: Your Hosts

- What Are The Big Themes We Heard Today?
- Did You Choose Your Breakout Groups For Day Two?

6:30 Adjourn

DAY ONE: THE QUESTION ON THE TABLE

2020 saw a global pandemic, a national racial reckoning, a crumbling economy, a US election. And a Detroit mayoral election is coming up.

The Impossible is now Possible. Another Us is Now Necessary.

Given all that, what needs to happen in Detroit's neighborhoods? And who will step up?

BECDD FRAMEWORK FOR EQUITABLE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT IN DETROIT (2018)

Vision Statement for Detroit Neighborhoods

All people in every neighborhood live, work, and engage in healthy, thriving, sustainable and inclusive communities.

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Equitable Development in Detroit: Definition and Practices

Equitable development in Detroit is an intentional, facilitated approach that results in...healthy, thriving, sustainable, safe and blight-free communities of opportunity, for all people in every neighborhood.

It is driven by a bottom-up analysis and meaningful connection among policies, practices, and investments in neighborhoods to reduce racial and economic disparities among people, regardless of race or income, in every neighborhood.

BECDD FRAMEWORK FOR EQUITABLE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT IN DETROIT (2018)

An equitable development process...

- Engages low-income residents, people of color, and locally-owned businesses in a facilitated, meaningful process of full participation; to result in an empowered community that guides, and benefits from, decisions they make that shape their neighborhoods...
- Advances strategies that ...create economic opportunity while... preventing displacement; and... preserve affordability (based on local economics) of food, water and shelter.

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THE SUMMIT AGENDA: DAY TWO, 4-7 PM

- 4:00-4:15 Opening Remarks: Your Hosts
- 4:15-5:15 Simultaneous Breakout Sessions w/ Various Breakout Leaders
- 5:15-5:30 Take a Break!
- 5:30-6:30 Reports Out. Facilitated Conversation: Your Hosts
- 6:30-7:00 Closing Remarks: Everyone!
- 7:00 Adjourn

SIMULTANEOUS BREAKOUT GROUPS

#1 - Mental Health in a Time of Virtual Learning: The 482Forward Youth Organizing Collective

#2 - Policy and Politics in the Neighborhoods:
Bridging Communities, Inc. and Villages CDC; Detroit Action; Offices of Council Members Raquel Castenada Lopez and Mary Sheffield

#3 - Development in the Neighborhoods:
The Equitable Development Table (U of M, Deep Dive Detroit LLC, Building Community Value, Doing Development Differently in Detroit)

#4 - Justice and Police Behavior in the Neighborhoods:

Detroit Justice Center; Coalition for Police Transparency and Accountability; Detroit Will Breathe; ALPAC

#5 - Equity and Property in the Neighborhoods:

Detroit Future City; Center for Equity, Engagement and Research

#6 - Revolutionary Love Between the Generations

THE SUMMIT AGENDA: DAY TWO, THE CLOSING DISCUSSION

- What are the main issues and takeaways from each discussion?
- How do these issues connect to yesterday's conversation?
- What are the highest priorities, from all the discussions? Take the snap poll!

THE SUMMIT AGENDA: DAY TWO, THE CLOSING DISCUSSION

- From these discussions what can we say about how we connect place-based community development work with citywide social justice, arts, and civic engagement work?
- What kinds of new “partnerships” can you envision?
- What are the implications for the 2021 Mayoral election?
- What are the next best steps?
- Should Building the Engine play a role, and if so what role?

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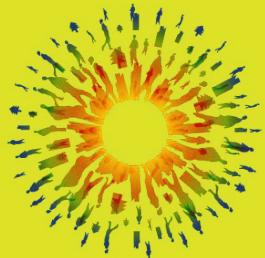
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