

In addition, this is to me a healthy dose of Democracy:

Some will suggest this is not politics. maybe not in the traditional context. However, anything involving individual ideas on the Road to Policy is *Politics*

BPAT

I Realize all of us CANNOT for various reasons attempt a lot of this list, however those who do have the Bandwidth should feel free to operate as they feel it best empowers their hood.

I consider each of us advocates to one of the wards. in this mindset I would like for us to dive within our hoods seeing as we dont have time to cover the entire city.

Connect with city officials to make sure we understand the mission of these boards and how it affects our district.

Connect with other Board that directly effect what we do, more specifically the members who also rep our district. Also build relationships with State Delegates School board members and work with the Principals of schools in our districts, PTA mtgs, Student Associations ECT.

Build a Relationship with the institutions of Higher Ed. Odu - NSU - TCC

Work with them on issues directly affecting them and how we can support them as advocates.

One way we can do this Personally connect with the citizens of our districts

We also connect with the council person elected to each district

Attend Civic League Mtgs as well spend time with Pops, or Solo, walking the hood Connecting with those who may not or cannot attend

The Goal: Become familiar with the vision of the Representative, and know together the two can advance the community:

Express our personal extensions for this board. For instance: if your passions are to advocate for orgs such as ERT, i Bike NFK, that's fine. But for integrity purposes we should state this. Example: I would like to believe we were all appointed by council because of our work in the hood. However the fact Cori does not even know his Council person would make one like me wonder each others interest. It doesnt matter the interests just about building trust in our institutions

We are the body tasked with being a conduit between the decision makers and those who are least heard, but most impacted....



With either the military or other business ventures. Nfk citizen @ some 3-5k a month are away from home, therefore unable to civilyly engage.

On back place our mission statement and contact. One would be surprised how much Polle shake...

This also gives us an identity when we enter the Building at City Hall.

Every Dec Mtg is spent making the calendar of the upcoming year, we send to support.

Bring back Report for the Board to comply and decide what we should advocate as a body;

One of us attend, or connect with orgs such as HRT, and other entities affecting what we advocate for.

Request the city allow us to Stream: this will open our meetings to those who could watch if what we do could be delivered to them whenever, wherever they are.

Also use our influence socially to connect with citizens again to do what we can to connect with people where they are.

Work with local Networks such as Radio, TV, Newspaper cause moment of Awareness

DO AN ANNUAL Mtg on the trail this will serve as a day of awareness as well Community Engagement

I also call for the next seat to come open should be someone from Ward 1,4,5

- 1. Dawn L - Ward 3
- 2. Melvin T - Ward 3
- 3. Elaine D - Ward 3
- 4. EDB - Ward 4
- 5. Nash B - Ward 2
- 6. Anne C - Ward 2
- 7. Cori A - Ward 2
- 8. Willis - Ward 2
- 9. L P - Ward 2

This is a Westside dominated board, most short

these are ideas/ideals I believe we can do both as a body, but if disagree can certainly be initiated solo.