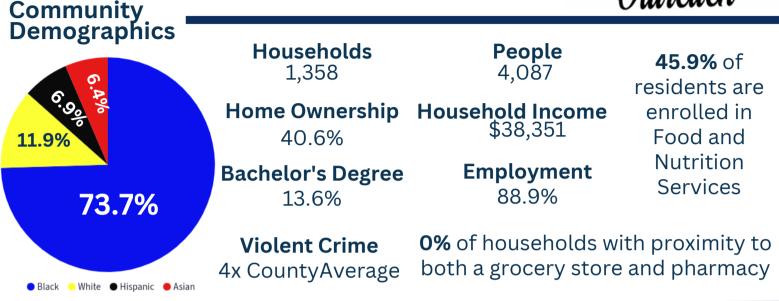
WHY A PLACE-BASED APPROACH IN THE HISTORIC HOSKINS COMMUNITY?





Historic Hoskins is zoned for Thomasboro Academy (K-8)

At Thomasboro Academy:

67% of students are economically disadvantaged

25.8% proficiency in math

23.7% proficiency in literacy

The school suspension rate is 3X higher than the county average

Mission

WE DRIVE POSITIVE SOCIAL CHANGE THROUGH PLACE-BASED INITIATIVES, ADVOCACY, YOUTH DEVELOPMENT, PARENTAL SUPPORT, AND THE CULTIVATION OF SAFE SPACES IN THE HISTORIC HOSKINS COMMUNITY.

Mentoring for children beginning at age 8 through age 18 through our Break Every Chain Program Parental support via financial literacy, access to community partners, and collaboration with Thomasboro Academy

Outreach events, youth programming, and community partnerships are focused on the Historic Hoskins neighborhood Affordable housing, community policing, availability of resources, art and beautification efforts, and access to fresh food

Creation of dedicated youth and community space for gathering and access to resources

Data sources - CMS Schools, QOL Charlotte, Statistical Atlas