

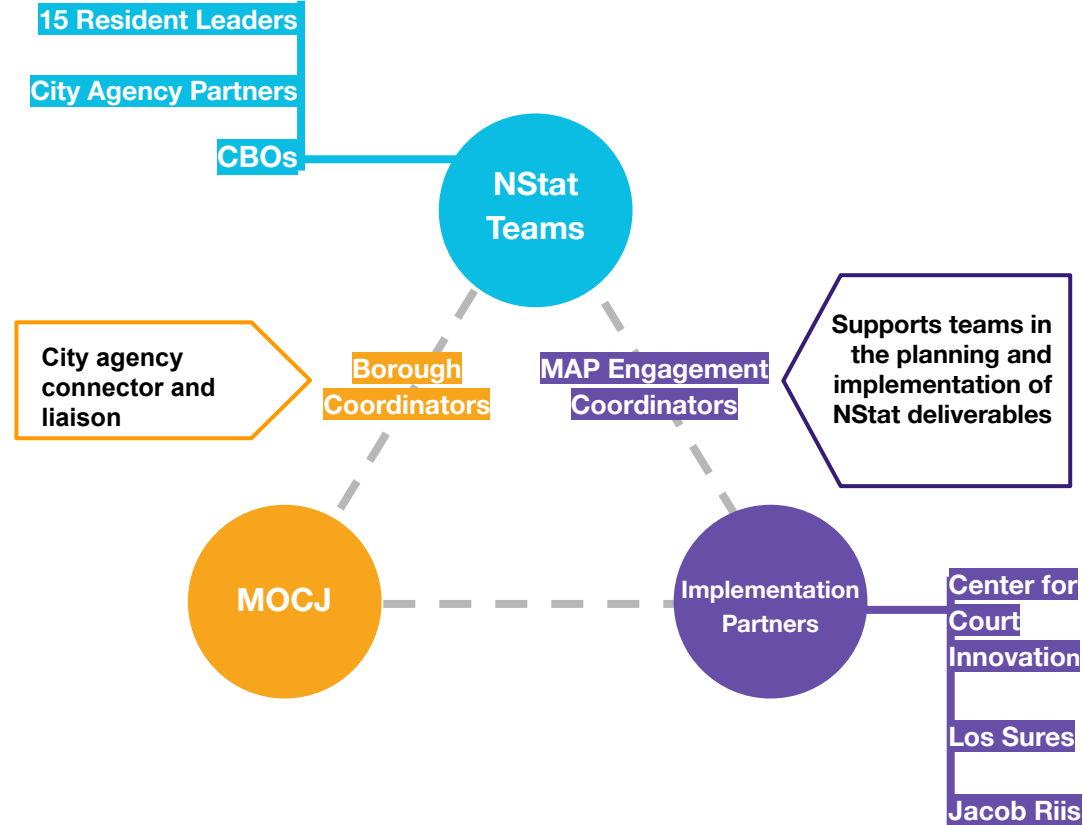
# Central NeighborhoodStat Working Group #1

Physical Space Conversation

February 22, 2021



- Led by **MOCJ**, the **Mayor's Action Plan (MAP)**, launched in 2014
- A component of **MAP**, **NeighborhoodStat (NSTAT)** is a process started in 2017 that works to mobilize residents and City agencies to reframe the concept of public safety.
- **CCI's Neighborhood Safety Initiatives** department is a lead implementation partner of the **NSTAT** community engagement strategy, as a subcontractor of **MOCJ** for the **MAP** initiative.





## Reminders

- Today's conversation will be recorded
- We encourage you to turn on your camera and be fully engaged
- Please mute yourself unless speaking
- Zoom features

# Icebreaker Activity

**In the chatbox, share with us:**

- **Name**
- **MAP Development or organization**
- **What project are you proudest of?**





To reiterate, here are  
our Community  
Agreements.

**Do you agree? Do you  
not agree?**

- Respect everyone's opinions
- 1, 2, 3 then me
- One microphone
- Be present and remain engaged
- Be mindful of the time

## **Agenda: 4-6pm**

- 15 min**      **Welcome + Introduction**
- 15 min**      **Where We've Been**
- 50 min**      **Where We Are**
- 30 min**      **Where We're Going**
- 10 min**      **Next Steps**

# Where We've Been



Building **TRUST** between neighbors, elected officials and government agencies





# Where We've Been



Creating **OPPORTUNITIES** for work & play through Youth Development, Health & Well-being, Economic Stability





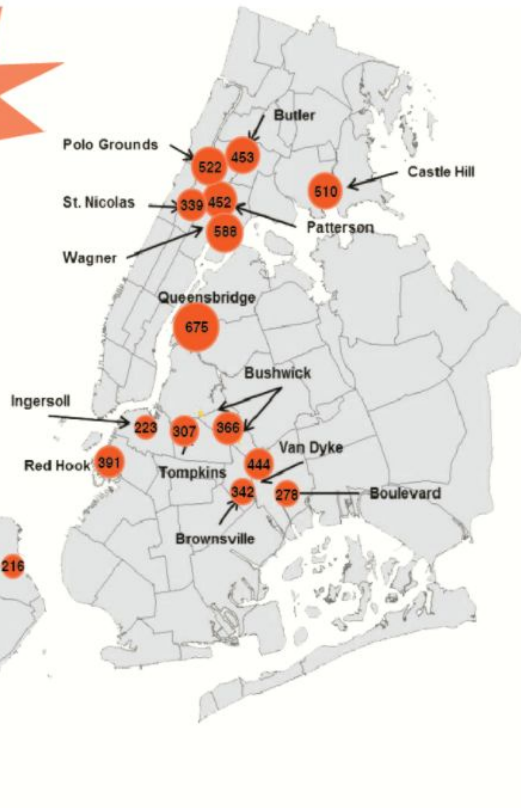
# Where We've Been



Promoting activated, well-maintained, vibrant physical spaces through **DESIGN**



**6,100  
IDEAS  
COLLECTED**



The Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice (MOCJ) partners with Center for Court Innovation, Los Sures, Jacob Riis to implement the Mayor's Action Plan for Neighborhood Safety (MAP) in **15 NYCHA developments** across all **5 boroughs**.

**365 NYCHA** residents joined NSI stakeholder teams called NeighborhoodStat Teams or **NSTAT Teams**.

NSTAT Teams are groups of residents, CBO and City Agencies that **come together regularly to co-produce safety** by setting priorities and executing action plans.

Since 2017, NStat Teams have engaged over **31,100 NYCHA residents** with **20% youth participation** via street outreach, public events, meetings and participatory design sessions for placemaking projects and public safety action plans.

For example in 2018, 6 weeks NStat teams engaged **1,600 NYCHA residents citywide** in participatory design events and collected over **6,100 ideas citywide** on how to improve public safety and wellbeing at NYCHA.

# Working Group Timeline

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WEEK OF 3/15

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**WORKING GROUP #3**  
WEEK OF 4/5

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- Develop recs

**WORKING GROUP #4**  
WEEK OF 4/26

**SUCCESS INDICATORS**

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**WORKING GROUP #5**  
WEEK OF 5/17

**WRAP UP + NEXT STEPS**

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# Summit Takeaways

## Resident Focus

- Residents take pride in their community and their MAP work.
- Take control of the narrative being told in your community.
- Residents are NYCHA's and the City of New York's best resource for driving change.
- By residents, for residents is a model for change and embodies community ownership and empowerment.



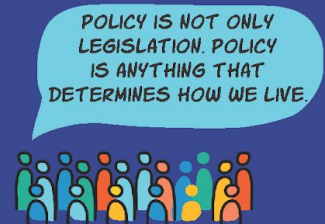
## Policy & Impact

- Increase the cultural competency of the police and other city agencies.
- Ensuring community buy-in is critical to a project's success and can be an elongated process.
- Change happens every day in a community. You just have to chart/write it out to see for yourself that each event is working to change policy.



## City Relationships & Partnerships

- Put forth bold steps to create change and use financial resources to incentivize new approaches.
- Partnerships are about building relationships. Invest in residents.
- Assistance from the city is more than funding; it is keeping one's word and not breaking trust.

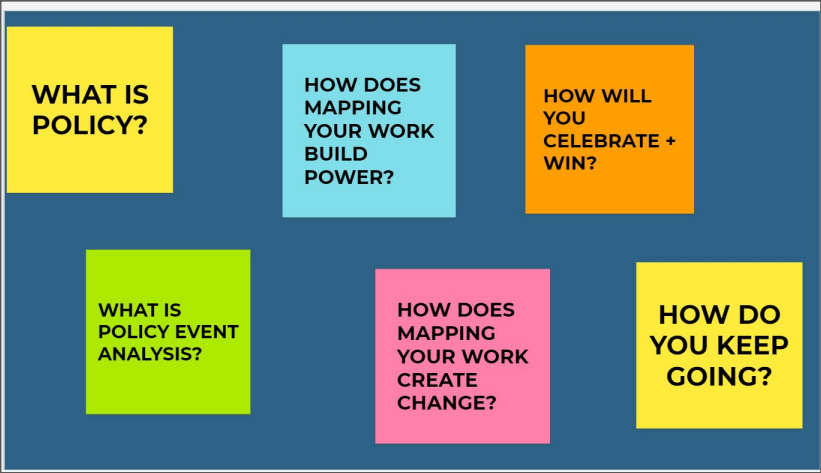




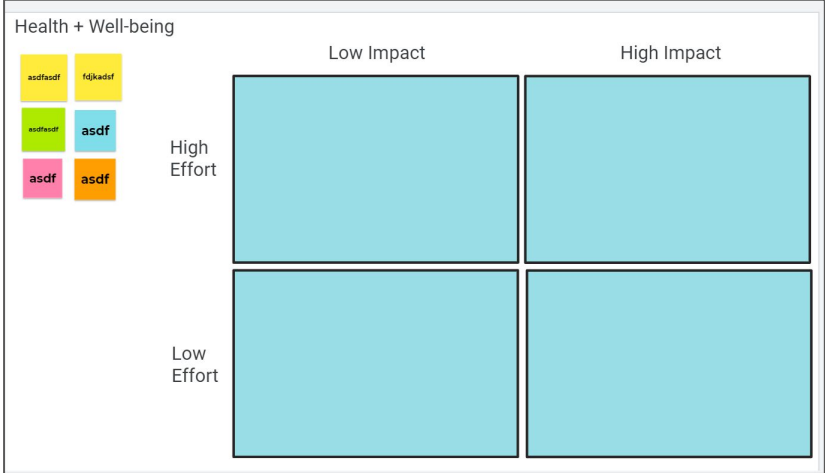
# MAP Development Video



# Where We Are Now

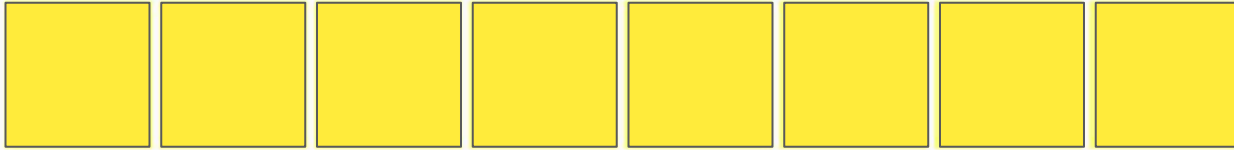


Policy Event Analysis

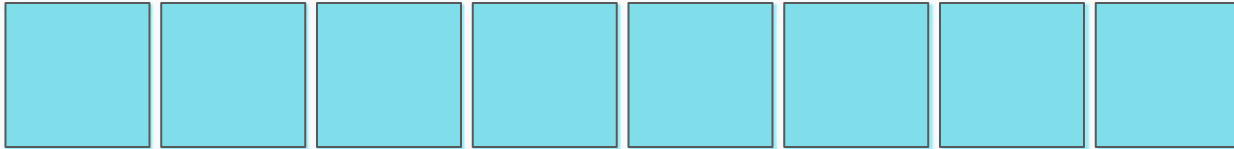


Effort / Impact Analysis

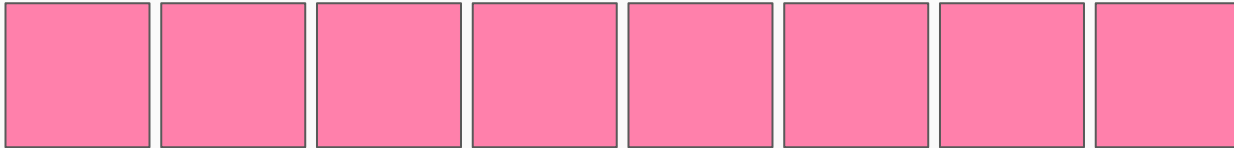
We envision a future where public space is....



....that is for.....



This is important because:



# Physical Space: Current Strategies

- Safety & Health
- Recreation & Play
- Circulation & Wayfinding
- Greening & Respite
- Culture & Cohesion



# PHYSICAL SPACE

Our strategies for improvement:



Create **well-lit areas** that are **safe & actively used**

Create **clean and sanitary** grounds free from pests and rodents

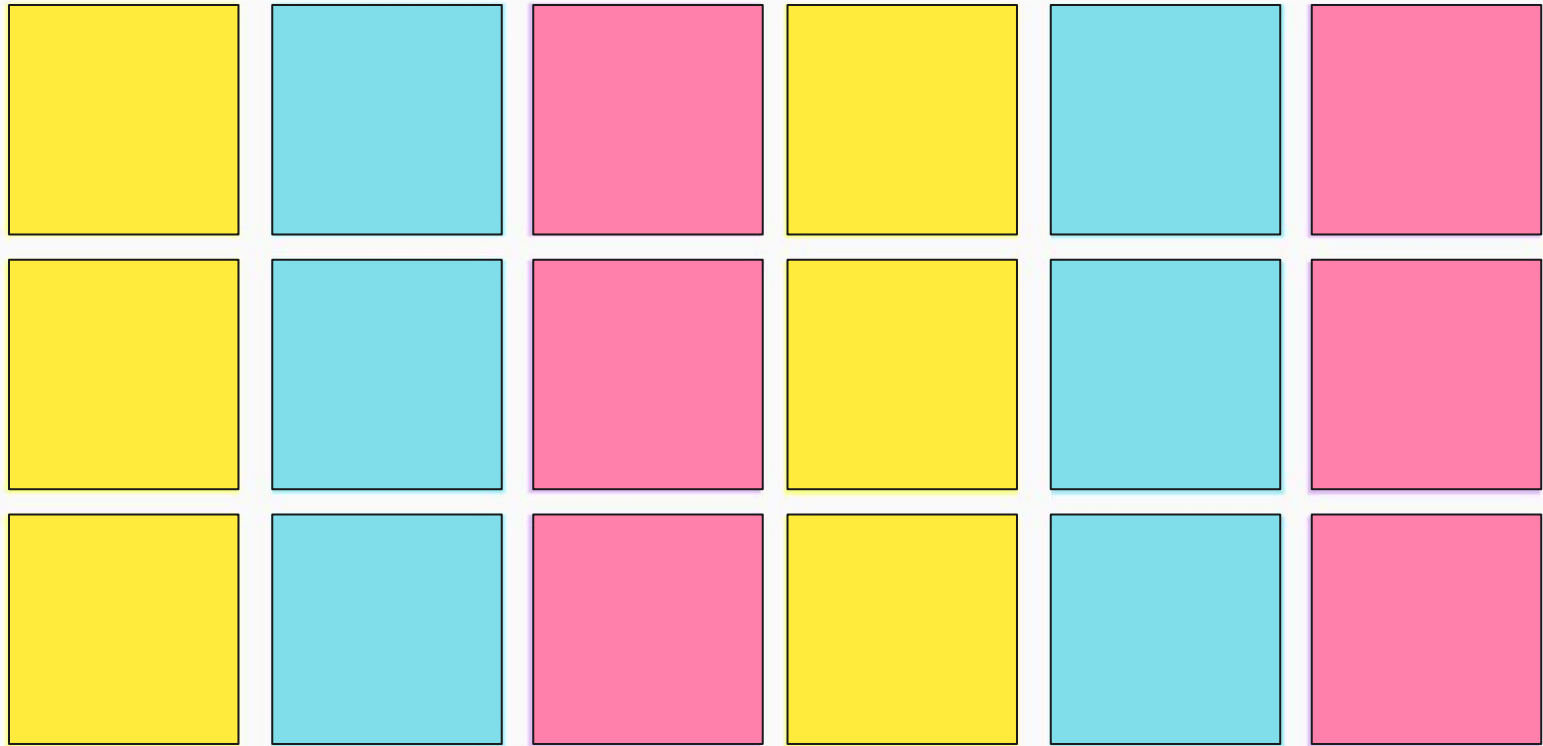
Increase **speed of repairs** in individual units and buildings

Create **public spaces** that cultivate a **sense of belonging** with programming, social events and recreational opportunities

Improve **space & programming** for different ages at and around community centers

Improve campus and building **circulation and wayfinding**

Are there new strategies we should consider?



# Creating an Action Agenda

# Components of an Effective Action Agenda

1. Achievable **GOALS** to help realize a clear **VISION**
2. Clear **STRATEGIES** to address goals
3. **ACTIONS** that need to be taken to meet goals
4. People who will be in charge of **LEADING** each action
5. **TIMEFRAME** of when actions will be completed
6. **RESOURCES** needed to complete each action
7. **MILESTONES** to evaluate progress



## VISION: High-functioning Police & Community Relationships

### SAMPLE ACTION PLAN

### GOAL 1

Build mutual trust and respect between the community and police

### STRATEGY A

Increase opportunities for communication & promote transparency in policing practices and procedures

ACTIONS	TIMEFRAME	LEAD	RESOURCES	MILESTONES
Establish regular NYPD + Resident meetings to discuss police/comm relations, safety measures, local projects and conditions.	Short - Mid	NYPD MOCJ MEC	Time	FY21 Meeting Schedule, shared agenda
Create process for NYPD to communicate to residents immediately after any controversial event.	Mid-term	NYPD	NYPD Personnel, Residents	Phone tree infrastructure set up; shared
Set up accountability + disciplinary process for officers who abuse power/people in the community	Mid -Long	NYPD		
Establish NYPD required police officer training on implicit bias, de-escalation of force + cultural competency.	Long	NYPD		

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**Next Working Group:  
Monday, March 15, 4-6 PM**

- Materials from today will be posted at:  
<https://map.cityofnewyork.us/>
- Materials will also be share via email. Review with your partners and during resident meetings. Prepare to share feedback with us during the next Working Group.
- Questions?