

AHAC MEMBER SURVEY  
Results as of September 28, 2022

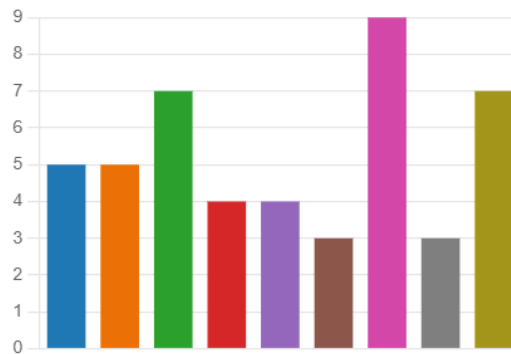
# Affordable Housing Advisory Council

17 Responses	06:35 Average time to complete	Active Status
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2. Please select up to three areas from AHAC's Charter/Work Plan that you are most interested in participating or contributing your expertise/time.

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New Development	5
Preservation	5
Homelessness/Continuum of Care	7
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Community Outreach/Messaging	7



**New Development** – Michelle K. – Tara R.- Jerry P – Joe M. – Shelley M.- Nicole W.

**Preservation** – Nancy S. – Joe M. – Shelley M. – David L. – Nicole W. – Mary P.

**Homelessness** – Tara R. – Cookie B. – Jerry P – Alice F. – Keary K. – John B. – Eleanor V. – Nicole W.

**Fair Housing** - Cookie B – Molly B-L – Marlene B. – Mary P.

**Rent Burden/Tenant Protections** – Kerrie W. – Nancy S. – Alice F. – David L. – Nicole W. -

**Budget Finance** – Tara R. - Joe M.- John B. – Nicole W.

**Legislation/Policy** – Kerrie W. – Michelle K – Cookie B.- Jerry P – Marlene B – Alice F.- Shelley M. – Eleanor V. – Mary P.

**Local Process Improvement** – John B. – David L. – Eleanor V

**Communication/Outreach/Messaging** - Kerrie W. – Michelle K. - Molly B-L – Jerry P – Nancy S. – Marlene B. – Keary K. – Nicole W.

### **3. Topics of Interest/Future Learning**

Fair Housing – Land Use and Zoning (needed policy reforms) - FCPS & Park Authority Linkage

Faith Community Linkage – Northern Virginia Community College Linkage – Scope of AHAC issues

Connection to federal transportation resources and infrastructure legislation - Housing waiting lists (how and when advertised) - DR. Woolf's sharing his intersectionality expertise – Density Policy – Service support for residents – Fair Housing- New Development and Zoning Policies – More Conversation on the need to preserve and foster communities, including mobile home communities, where people get services and social networks - support community formation

### **4. Knowledge Sharing /Mentoring – Positive Responses-**

Overall positive responses - Greater structure needed to onboard new members – Annual member survey to assess individual and collective output and commitment towards achieving our vision – Pairing and Sharing

### **5. Comments/Ideas for Improvement**

Educate Community about economic importance of housing our hourly-wage earners within our community

Monthly communications to the BOS – Post AHAC official communications online - ensure external experts are welcomed to participate in workgroups -Linkage to Economic Self-Sufficiency – Ensure Connections to AHAC Work Plan – Leverage our connection to immigrant communities and allied groups – AHAC focus areas: 1) Funding needed to grow the housing pipeline and 2) Regulatory changes to reduce cost and shorten timeframe for production – Importance of a Strategic Communications Plan – organize members by district, then add more supporters to advocate for affordable housing. Need to counter NIMBY's messages with positive messages about future growth and diversity.