

# City of Newburgh Press Release

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## Community Educational Meetings on Proposed Zoning Ordinance Revisions May 29

Councilwomen Genie Abrams (Ward 2) and Karen Mejia (Ward 1) will host two community educational meetings to discuss the City's proposed Zoning Ordinance revisions. The sessions will take place on Thursday, May 29, 2014 from 10 a.m. to noon and from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Board of Education Auditorium, Newburgh Free Library, at 124 Grand Street.

City Planner Ian MacDougall and other speakers will be on hand to answer questions and explain the proposed revisions and how they align with the City's Future Land Use Plan, adopted in 2011.

"It's important to continue to engage the community around the proposed zoning ordinance, especially since City Council has continued the public hearing for this legislation," said Councilwoman Karen Mejia, Ward 1.

Abrams added, "The new zoning will affect what you can do with your property for years to come. Everyone in our two wards should attend these meetings to ask questions and have input into the proposed revisions."