

## CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS MAYOR'S OFFICE OF STRATEGIC PLANNING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT JOSEPH A. CURTATONE MAYOR

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## Welcoming and Inclusive Neighborhoods Somerville (WINS) Public Meeting Notice

Mayor Joseph A. Curtatone and the Office of Strategic Planning and Community Development Housing Division invite you to a public meeting to receive citizen input on the City's Assessment of Fair Housing. The Assessment of Fair Housing, which the City is referring to as the Welcoming and Inclusive Neighborhoods Somerville (WINS) initiative, is a Department of Housing and Urban Development requirement that, the City has developed to identify and address fair housing issues and factors that contribute to inequities in Somerville. Throughout the summer the City has solicited views and recommendations from community members and interested parties through surveys, tabling at public events and holding meetings and focus groups to gather information on fair housing issues. The input received has been incorporated into the Assessment of Fair Housing draft and the community is now invited to read and make further comments online or in person during a public meeting. The draft will be released for public comment on Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 and will be available online at www.somervillema.gov/wins.

## WINS Public Meeting Information:

Thursday, August 24, 2017 – 6:00-7:30pm; East Somerville Community School cafeteria, 50 Cross St. Somerville, MA 02145

For more information contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Community Development Housing Division at (617) 625-6600 x. 2586.

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