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ABOUT THE PROJECT

WHAT IS THIS PROJECT?

This project is intended to prepare a Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Plan for the North Coventry neighborhood.

HOW WILL THIS PLAN BE USED?

This plan will serve as a tool for the City of Cleveland Heights and community partners to coordinate local services, target projects and investments, track progress, and promote equitable access to resources, opportunities, and outcomes that advance the vitality of the neighborhood.

WHY IS THIS PROJECT IMPORTANT?

Neighborhood revitalization will help to preserve local assets, provide for housing stability, and enhance economic mobility that allows for community improvements without the displacement of residents and other gentrification issues.

HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?

There are multiple ways to get involved with this project and have your voice heard to guide neighborhood revitalization:

- *Post comments on the workshop exhibits today*
- *Visit the project website to continue sharing comments*

WHAT CAN I DO TODAY?

- *Review and share comments about each of the **data topic exhibits** that are displayed on easels around the room*
- *Ask questions and offer input to the **project consultant***
- *Visit the **project website** on your phone to post comments right now or after the workshop*

[SEE QR CODE BELOW]

QUALITY OF LIFE INDICATORS

The project will be built upon a ***Framework of Quality of Life Indicators***, which is a series of data relating to a range of topics that impact the North Coventry neighborhood, as listed on the right. The other workshop exhibits represent these various data topics.

As community members, you are invited to help build this data framework through a four-step process, as described in the graphic below.

- Population
- Households
- Income
- Housing
- Fair Housing
- Education
- Transportation

1 STEP 1: Specify the Data Baseline
Research data sources to identify existing conditions to establish a baseline of data.

2 STEP 2: Define the Data Goal Metric
Use community feedback to identify how they would like each data point to change over time, whether it's to increase, maintain, or decrease.

3 STEP 3: Assess Potential Strategies
Evaluate strategies to pursue to help meet the goal metric for each data point.

4 STEP 4: Identify Potential Partners
Determine community organizations, city departments, state and regional agencies, and other partners that can help meet the goal metric for each data point.

FOR EXAMPLE:

STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
22.4%	**12.4%**		
Baseline percent of renters who are extremely cost burdened	Goal percent by reducing baseline at least by 10% by the year 2030	Assess potential strategies to help attain the goal metric of a 10% reduction	Identify potential partners to help the neighborhood achieve the goal metric

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POPULATION

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

The people who comprise the population of North Coventry are the lifeblood of the neighborhood. Your lived experiences and life stories are shaped by the people and spaces around you. Diversity comes in many forms, so it is critical to provide resources, services, and opportunities that optimize the lives of all North Coventry residents.

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

POPULATION

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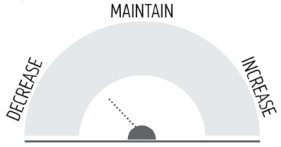
1,079 people

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *Based on the U.S. Census, North Coventry's population decreased from 1,489 in 2000 to 1,079 in 2020, which is a 28% decrease. A higher population has the capacity to attract new businesses, services, and other amenities to the community.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

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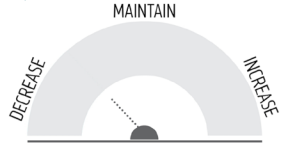
Neighbors with varying abilities

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE [SUPPORT]

Why support? *Since North Coventry has a noticeably higher amount of people with varying disabilities compared to the City as a whole, it makes sense to increase accessibility for people with visual, audio, or physical disabilities.*

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POPULATION BY RACE

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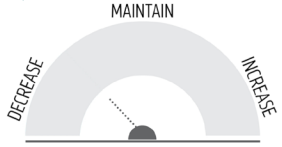
A racially diverse neighborhood

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE [SUPPORT]

Why support? *North Coventry is clearly a racially and ethnically diverse community, which points to the need to provide programs and services that are sensitive to the unique needs and issues facing the neighborhood's race and ethnic groups.*

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POPULATION BY AGE

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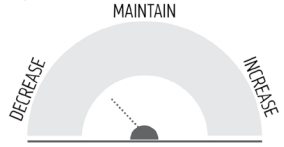
A neighborhood of young people

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE [SUPPORT]

Why support? *With a median age of 26 (compared to 37 for the whole City), North Coventry is heavily comprised of youth (under age 18) with young adults and families (age 25-44), which opens opportunities for age-sensitive programs and services.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

POTENTIAL STRATEGIES *to alter the future trajectory of the metrics shown on this exhibit:*

- *Improve access to programs and services catering to city residents*
- *Improve access to programs and resources that support independent living for seniors and people with disabilities*

POTENTIAL PARTNERS *with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *City resident resources*
- *City Parks & Recreation*
- *Cuyahoga County social service programs*
- *Cuyahoga County Division of Senior and Adult Services*
- *Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities*
- *Local schools, religious institutions, and other program providers*

IDEAS: SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

Do you have other ideas regarding *potential strategies* and *partners* in support of the *POPULATION* in the North Coventry neighborhood?

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HOUSEHOLDS

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

North Coventry residents live in households, which ranges from single individuals and couples to families and other groups of people. The profile of households and family structures in North Coventry is quite different to profiles at the broader city level, accentuating the unique needs and character of the neighborhood.

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

HOUSEHOLDS

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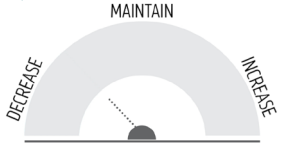
1.99 people per household

FUTURE GOAL

MAINTAIN

Why maintain? *North Coventry's average household size (1.99) is significantly lower than the City (2.26), with 1- and 2-person households making up 79.1% of all households. Catering to a young neighborhood will generally keep household sizes small.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



FAMILIES

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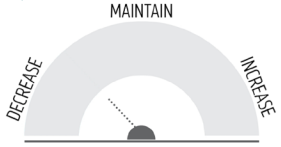
64.9% families with children

FUTURE GOAL

MAINTAIN

Why maintain? *The split between families with children (64.9%) and without children (35.1%) in North Coventry is the reverse of the split for the City as a whole (36.7% with children, 63.3% without). As a neighborhood that has trended towards catering to young adults and young families, the amount of families with and without children will likely remain steady, particularly if local programs, services, and amenities cater to a neighborhood with a young community profile.*

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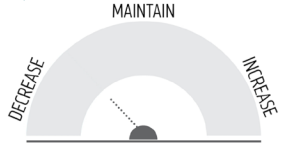
BASELINE

35.1% families with children

FUTURE GOAL

MAINTAIN

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COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

POTENTIAL STRATEGIES *to alter the future trajectory of the metrics shown on this exhibit:*

- *Improve access to programs and services catering to young families*
- *Improve access to programs and services catering to young adults (single, coupled, and empty nesters)*

POTENTIAL PARTNERS *with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *City resident resources*
- *City Parks & Recreation*
- *Cuyahoga County social service programs*
- *Local businesses*
- *Local schools, religious institutions, and other program providers*

IDEAS: SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

Do you have other ideas regarding *potential strategies* and *partners* in support of *HOUSEHOLDS* in the North Coventry neighborhood?

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INCOME

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

Income enables people to pay their rent or mortgage, purchase everyday needs, and keep up with all that goes on in their lives. With different types of households in North Coventry, there are varying levels of challenges to stretch this income to cover everything without feeling cost burdened.

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

INCOME

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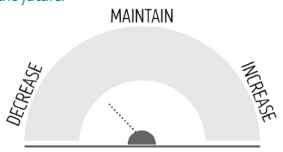
$19,725 per capita income
$32,409 median household income

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *Income levels in North Coventry are considerably lower compared to the City, County, and State levels. Steps should be taken to either increase the earning power of neighborhood residents or lower their housing expenses.*

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LOCATION AFFORDABILITY

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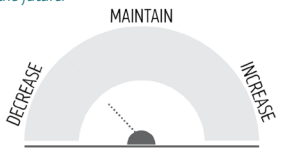
High % of income spent on housing and transportation

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *The Location Affordability Index, which accounts for the percent of income spent on housing and transportation costs, is high for certain household types. Lowering these costs would help make North Coventry affordable for all.*

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HOUSING COST BURDEN

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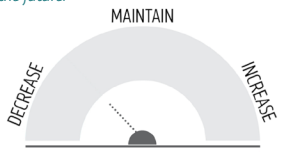
Cost burdened residents

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *North Coventry residents, especially renters, are cost burdened spending more than 30% of their income on housing costs. Lowering housing costs would decrease the amount of cost burdened households in the neighborhood.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

POTENTIAL STRATEGIES *to alter the future trajectory of the metrics shown on this exhibit:*

- *Improve access to economic self-sufficiency services*
- *Improve access to jobs training programs*
- *Improve access to small business resources*
- *Support strategies that improve commuting options for workers (see Transportation exhibit)*
- *Create a housing and transportation costs audit that identifies ways residents can reduce cost burden (e.g., options for utilities providers, access to transit and bike paths, cost saving measures at home, etc.)*

POTENTIAL PARTNERS *with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *Cleveland-Cuyahoga County Workforce Development Board*
- *Cuyahoga Job and Family Services (EITC Coalition)*
- *Grow Cuyahoga County Fund*
- *City Housing Preservation Office (HPO)*
- *Cuyahoga County housing rehab and finance programs*
- *Cuyahoga County Health and Human Services*
- *Housing +Transportation (H+T®) Affordability Index*
- *HUD Energy Efficiency Resources*

IDEAS: SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

Do you have other ideas regarding *potential strategies* and *partners* in support of *INCOME* in the North Coventry neighborhood?

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HOUSING

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

With close to half of the housing structures in North Coventry built before 1940, the local housing stock has evolved over time, particularly in response to changes in the population. The housing needs and issues in North Coventry are diverse, particularly relating to a large renter population, residents in subsidized units, and an aging housing stock.

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

HOUSING UNIT TYPES

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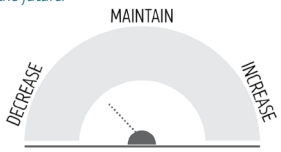
58.1% multifamily housing

FUTURE GOAL

MAINTAIN

Why maintain? *North Coventry has a solid mix of housing unit types, with multifamily making up the majority (58.1%). Duplexes and single family homes make up the rest. Even if the percentages fluctuate somewhat, maintaining a diverse housing stock helps to meet varying incomes, life stages, and needs.*

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HOMEOWNERS/RENTERS

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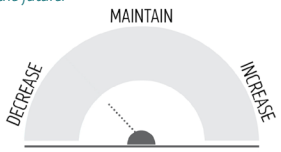
93.0% renter households

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *A vast majority (93.0%) of households in North Coventry are renter occupied, which is more than double the level for the entire City (42.7%) and Cuyahoga County (41.8%). While a predominantly renter community is not uncommon, efforts to introduce more owner occupied housing units can help bring stability to the neighborhood.*

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RENT

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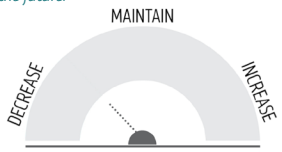
$917 median rent

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *Median rent in North Coventry increased by almost 25% from $734 in 2016 to $917 in 2021. The fact that a significant portion of renters are characterized as cost burdened (more than 30% of income spent on housing costs) is a sign that the rise in rent is not sustainable. While lower rents would be helpful, other solutions can advance affordable housing in the community.*

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HOUSEHOLD TURNOVER

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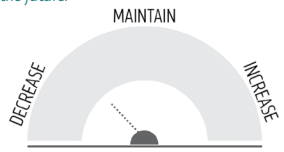
89.9% moved in 2010 to present

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *A significant majority of people who live in North Coventry moved into the neighborhood in 2010 or later. High turnover is fairly common in neighborhoods that is predominantly occupied by renters. However, steps like further diversification of the housing stock and improvement of local amenities can help bring stability.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

POTENTIAL STRATEGIES *to alter the future trajectory of the metrics shown on this exhibit:*

- *Improve access to loans and programs that enable residents to pursue homeownership*
- *Improve access to services and programs that protect the rights and address the needs of renters*
- *Identify properties that may hold potential to rehab or redevelop for new housing opportunities*

POTENTIAL PARTNERS *with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *City Housing Preservation Office (HPO)*
- *Cuyahoga County housing rehab and finance programs*
- *Community development financial institutions (CDFIs) serving Northeast Ohio*
- *Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)*
- *Property owners*

IDEAS: SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

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FAIR HOUSING

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

Fair housing is critical to a neighborhood's quality of life, as it ensures that all people have access to safe, quality housing without discrimination. Unfortunately, the region has a long history of significant fair housing problems that have impacted the predominantly Black population in North Coventry. Change can occur at all levels, from the neighborhood on up to the Ohio Statehouse.

*Strategies recommended in the **2023 State of Fair Housing in Northeast Ohio** report prepared by the **Fair Housing Center for Rights & Research***

- *Strengthen fair housing laws*
- *Increase renter rights*
- *Conform local ordinances with Ohio fair housing laws*
- *Identify and eliminate remnants of redlining and predatory lending*
- *Repeal local criminal activity nuisance ordinances*
- *Expand protections for victims of domestic violence, stalking, and sexual assault from housing discrimination*
- *Remove restrictive language from zoning ordinance*
- *Ensure responsible investment activity by following the policy recommendations outlined in the Vacant and Abandoned Property Action Council's 2022 report*
- *Fund comprehensive local fair housing programs*

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

SUBSIDIZED HOUSING

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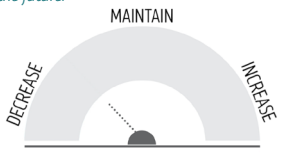
11.6% living in subsidized housing

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *North Coventry has steadily experienced a decline in the number of people living in subsidized housing, decreasing from 21.0% in 2017 to 11.6% in 2021. Efforts to continue this decrease should be made. Black residents and female householders with children would gain the most benefit from having access to affordable housing without the need for subsidies.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be **decreased, maintained, or increased** in the future.*



SUB-QUALITY HOUSING

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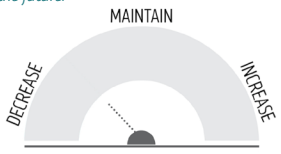
70.0% owners in such housing
55.8% renters in such housing

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *Sub-quality housing includes aspects like lack of plumbing, lack of kitchen, lack of ability to use fuel to heat home, exposure to lead, multiple occupants per bedroom, and more than 30% of owner/renter income on housing costs. The goal should always be to remove or reduce these aspects that lead to sub-quality housing conditions.*

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FAIR HOUSING

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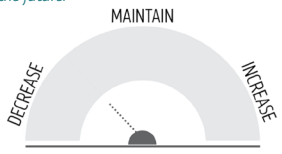
$30,000 disparity in median home loans to Black and White borrowers
33.9% level of denials to Black applicants for home loans

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *There has historically been significant disparities in access to housing between Black and White homebuyers, particularly regarding approval and amount of home loans. This issue is a regional issue according to a 2018 Cuyahoga County Mortgage Lending Patterns Study and a 2023 State of Fair Housing in Northeast Ohio. These reports outlined potential strategies to address these fair housing issues, which are summarized in the sidebar on the right.*

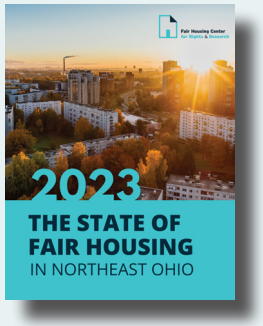
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COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

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- *Monitor and support the strategies recommended by the Fair Housing Center for Rights & Research*



- *Improve access to loans and funds supporting home and property owners to rehab or modernize their properties*
- *Apply for Lead Safe Cuyahoga Program grants to make homes more lead safe*

***POTENTIAL PARTNERS** with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *Fair Housing Center for Rights & Research*
- *City Housing Preservation Office (HPO)*
- *Cuyahoga County's Fair Housing Initiatives*
- *Community development financial institutions (CDFIs) serving Northeast Ohio*
- *Home Weatherization Assistance Program*
- *Heritage Home Loan Program*
- *Housing Enhancement Loan Program (HELP)*
- *Property owners*
- *Lead Safe Cleveland Coalition*
- *Lead Safe Cuyahoga Program*
- *City, County, and State elected officials*

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EDUCATION

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

Access to quality education enables youth and adults to learn about the world, build skills and knowledge, and provide safe spaces to engage in a positive learning environment. Lifelong learning opens doors to jobs, entrepreneurship, personal expression, and a wealth of other opportunities.

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

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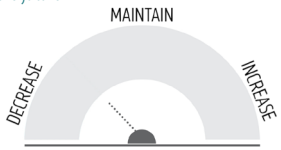
58.5% public school enrollment

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *Public school enrollment in North Coventry was historically steady at or close to 100% up until about 2016. At that point public school enrollment declined to 58.5%, which points to more students attending private schools. While the type of school is a personal decision for each student and their family, supporting public schools tends to have a positive impact on the vibrancy and well being of a neighborhood.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

BASELINE

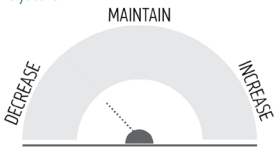
4.5% undergraduate college
6.7% graduate college

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *North Coventry rates fairly highly for both college enrollment both at the undergrad level (4.5% compared to 5.0% for Cuyahoga County) and graduate level (6.7% compared to 1.6% for the County). Boosting college enrollment is just one way to support people who wish to seek careers in a variety of fields. Higher college enrollments may also impact North Coventry's housing market since many students live here.*

Agree or disagree? *Place a dot sticker in the barometer graphic below to indicate whether the baseline metric should be* ***decreased, maintained, or increased*** *in the future.*



ENGAGED YOUTH

BASELINE

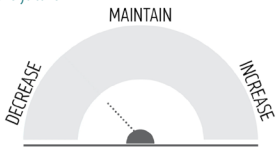
21.1% people age 16-19 not enrolled in school or working

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *About 1 out of 5 youth (age 16-19), or about 21.1%, in North Coventry are not enrolled in school or in the workforce. This is over 4 times as high as the 4.8% level for the entire city. Boosting school enrollment, offering support to working parents, and providing jobs catering to youth are two potential ways to reduce North Coventry's level of disengaged youth.*

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EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

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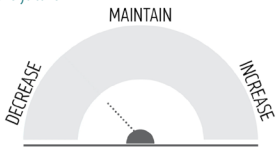
85.5% high school diploma (min)
37.4% bachelor's degree (min)

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *As evidenced by the college enrollment data, educational attainment in North Coventry rates fairly highly for students with at least a high school diploma (85.5% compared to 91.4% for Cuyahoga County) and at least a bachelor's degree (37.4% compared to 32.7% for the County). Strategies intended to boost college enrollment will have a positive impact on educational attainment.*

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COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

POTENTIAL STRATEGIES *to alter the future trajectory of the metrics shown on this exhibit:*

- *Monitor enrollments at public and private schools*
- *Start a Support Neighborhood Schools campaign*
- *Provide housing and transportation options that meet college student needs and budgets*
- *Take inventory of educational, employment, and extra-curricular activities catering to youth (age 19 and under)*

POTENTIAL PARTNERS *with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *Local public schools*
- *Local private schools*
- *Local colleges and universities*
- *Local Head Start Centers*
- *CHUH City School District*
- *Cuyahoga County Educational Assistance Program (CCEAP)*
- *MyCom Youth Development*
- *Youth Advocacy and Leadership Coalition*
- *Cleveland Heights Community Center*

IDEAS: SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

Do you have other ideas regarding *potential strategies* and *partners* in support of *EDUCATION* in the North Coventry neighborhood?

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CITY OF CLEVELAND HEIGHTS

TRANSPORTATION

BIG PICTURE: IMPACT ON QUALITY OF LIFE

A well connected transportation network connects workers to jobs, students to schools, and residents to a range of businesses, services, and opportunities. North Coventry is characterized as a walkable neighborhood with nearby bike and transit facilities upon which improvements can build to enhance the community's quality of life.

COMMUNITY METRICS: NORTH COVENTRY IN THE FUTURE

TRAVEL TIME TO WORK

BASELINE

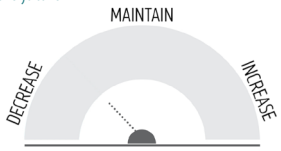
23 minutes

FUTURE GOAL

DECREASE

Why decrease? *Anyone who commutes to work will tell you they would like to reduce their travel time. Every minute not spent commuting is an extra minute they can spend on other things in their lives. A reduction in travel time can occur in different ways: improving transit access, addressing traffic issues, building up the biking network, providing jobs closer to the neighborhood, etc.*

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TRANSPORT TO WORK

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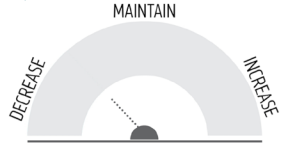
66.7% drive
0% bike
9.2% walk
13.4% transit

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *The percentage of people who bike, walk, or take transit to work should increase to reduce the dependence on cars, boost transit ridership, and promote walking and biking. While these modes should increase, driving to work should reduce in turn.*

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VEHICLES PER HOUSEHOLD

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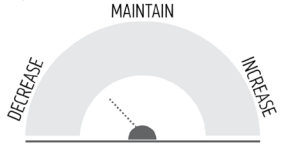
1.00 vehicles per household

FUTURE GOAL

MAINTAIN

Why maintain? *Even though lower car dependence is a broader societal goal, North Coventry generally maintains a healthy balance between taking various modes of transport. Whether the one vehicle per household level goes up or down over time is not as critical as the availability of parking in the neighborhood and the financial capacity to pay for parking, insurance, car payments, etc.*

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WALK SCORES

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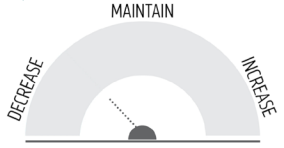
70 walk score
46 bike score
62 transit score

FUTURE GOAL

INCREASE

Why increase? *Addressing the other metrics on this exhibit will help to boost the walk, bike, and transit scores (100 is the highest score). Boosting these scores is highly dependent on improving the physical infrastructure of the neighborhood, such as sidewalks, bike paths, access to transit, roadway safety, etc., which is addressed by the potential strategies outlined in the sidebar on the right.*

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COLLABORATION: STRATEGIES & PARTNERS

POTENTIAL STRATEGIES *to alter the future trajectory of the metrics shown on this exhibit:*

- *Encourage transit ridership*
- *Improve transit service*
- *Offer more local jobs*
- *Attract more local employers*
- *Maintain sidewalks and paths*
- *Improve safe travel spaces shared by cars, pedestrian, bicyclists, and transit riders*
- *Expand bike infrastructure (e.g., bike paths, bike racks, etc.)*

POTENTIAL PARTNERS *with whom to collaborate to achieve these potential strategies:*

- *Regional Transit Authority*
- *City Street Division*
- *City Public Works*
- *City Planning & Development*
- *City Parks & Recreation*
- *Heights Bicycle Coalition*
- *Bike Cleveland*
- *Ohio City Bicycle Co-op*
- *Women Out Walking*
- *Local businesses*
- *Property owners*

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