



City of Winston-Salem City Council
Council Agenda Item Summary

Title	Update on Neighborhood Services Homeless Initiatives
City Council Committee	General Government Committee
Meeting Date	January 12, 2026
Staff Lead (Presenter)	Shereka Floyd, Housing Programs Manager
Department Head	Shantell McClam, Neighborhood Services Director
City Manager/ACM	Dr. Angel Wright-Lanier, ACM

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Recommended Council Action	No Action Needed
Suggested Action/ Motion Options	N/A
Strategic Focus Area	Livable Community
Strategic Plan Objective	EP1: Addressing Housing Affordability and Homelessness
Anticipated Fiscal Impact	No Material Fiscal Impact

Summary of Information

Homelessness remains a pressing issue in our community, with increasing demand for shelter, affordable housing, and supportive services. This report provides City Council with an update on the initiatives currently being undertaken by department staff to address homelessness and an overview of the most recent data on the state of homelessness locally including possible changes in federal funding resources.

Attachments: Presentation

- Presentation- FY2026 Homelessness Update