



City of Winston-Salem City Council  
**Council Agenda Item Summary**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Update on Neighborhood Services Homeless Initiatives</b>
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

### **Agenda Item Summary**

Recommended Council Action	No Action Needed
Suggested Action/ Motion	N/A
Options	
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