# **Engagement Plan**

Neighborhood

Heritage Park

Time frame

Year(s) 2023-2024

### Plan detail

Demographic group	Renters	East African	Adults 18-40
Numbers or percentage	62%	~20%	35%
Initiative, activity, project or program	<ul><li>Board engagement</li><li>Event attendance</li></ul>	<ul><li>Board engagement</li><li>Event attendance</li><li>Garden Involvement</li></ul>	Board engagement
Barriers to engagement	<ul> <li>High turnover</li> <li>Mistrust of MCB/Wrong association of HPNA and MCB</li> <li>USI has primary connection</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Language barriers</li><li>Lack of knowledge of board</li></ul>	<ul><li>Busy with other things</li><li>Working hours</li></ul>
Outreach and engagement strategies	<ul> <li>Work with MCB and USI to introduce HPNA when someone new moves in</li> <li>Continued door knocking</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Develop translated documents</li> <li>Add in celebrations around cultural holidays</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Emphasize flexibility of board membership</li> <li>Offer childcare if barrier to participating</li> </ul>
Resources needed	<ul><li>Video and brochure</li><li>Flyers</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Translated brochures/flyers</li> <li>Trusted community kitchens to provide meals familiar to EA community</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Flyers</li><li>Childcare</li></ul>
Partners in the work	USI	Translators	TBD
Person(s) responsible	<ul><li>Board</li><li>Organizer</li><li>USI</li><li>MCB</li></ul>	Board     Organizer	<ul><li>Board</li><li>Organizer</li></ul>

## **EXHIBIT C**

Demographic group	Renters	East African	Adults 18-40
Timeline	Winter/Spring	Winter/Spring	Winter/Spring
	Develop welcome packet/videos	Create plan for developing translated documents	Revamp board recruitment materials
	Summer	Summer	Summer
	Establish process with MCB to identify new renters	Plan/host cultural celebration	Push for attendance of annual meeting and new board members
	Fall	Fall	Fall
	Begin delivering welcome packets	Support East African thanksgiving event	Second push of recruitment
Quantitative goals	Give out new neighborhood welcome packets to at least 75% of new renters (pending notification of new renters from McCormick Baron)	Plan at least 1 event around a cultural holiday (such as EID)	Get new board members
Qualitative goals	Create unique bond with renters so we are not working through other orgs to gain access to this community	Make better connections within the community so that we can have interpreters within our neighborhood who can help bridge any language gaps	Learn why people may have not joined the board sooner and things we can change to make it easier for people to participate
Outcome of engagement	Renters will access additional resources through HPNA and feel knowledgeable about events and ability to participate on the board	More engagement from our East African neighbors at events and potentially board meetings	More representation of younger ages on the board
Next steps	More outreach to collect emails and phone numbers	Participate in thanksgiving giveaway  Work with translators to make connections	Create board recruitment materials  Do doorknocking for recruitment

#### 2025 Amendment

Shingle Creek

#### **TIMELINE**

First quarter - Work on merger paperwork and legalities

Second quarter - Invite neighbors to participate in activities related to the merger i.e. joining the new combined board, joining a committee, informing us of what they would like to see within the new board structure

Third Quarter - Tour de Camden bike ride - expanding to encompass other northside neighborhoods

Fourth Quarter - Holiday on 44th Event. 2024 will be the first year our new group has revived the preCOVID event.

#### **GOALS**

- 1. Notify Neighborhood of merger with Victory by February 2025
- 2. Encourage board participation in new Organizational Structure
- 3. Host Tour de Camden with neighboring associations to continue joining the northside associations. Webber Camden joined in for the 2024 ride, need to engage Lind Bohannon Summer 2025