

Neighborhood Revitalization Zone Steering Committee
Regular Meeting
4-5 p.m. Thursday, May 24, 2012
ACCESS Agency 1315 Main St, Willimantic CT

Note: The NRZ Steering Committee may take action on any of these agenda items.

1. **Call to order** – 4 p.m. (Please sign in)
2. **Opportunity for public to speak**
3. **New Business:**
 - a. Discussion (limited to 20 minutes) -- about whether NRZ should support/not support proposal for rental housing in the Mill Complex. (A representative from the developers may be present to address us.)
 - b. Opportunity to nominate new members of NRZ Steering Committee, and possible vote on nominations.
4. **Old Business:**
 - a. Report on Third Thursday table shared with WALA
 - b. Acceptance of April 26, 2012 minutes.
 - c. Update on community garden (Andrew Seeling): involvement by St. Paul's Church – May 20, 2012 event.
5. **Report of the NRZ Chair** (Brenda Sullivan) – Creating a fundraising subcommittee; and (tabled at previous meeting) Discussion re: **Updating Strategic Plan** – choosing two points of focus for 2012 (i.e. affordable food, affordable housing) and working with existing groups (i.e. CliCK community kitchen, the Willimantic Farmers Market, the town committee on urban agriculture), setting benchmarks for projects, streamlining updated plan – **setting a deadline for completing and submitting to the state.**
6. **Treasurer's Report** (Roger Morin)
7. Opportunity to bring up new business or agenda items **for next meeting, June 22, 2012;** second opportunity for **public comments.**
8. **Adjourn** – 5 p.m.

Submitted May 22, 2012 by NRZ Steering Committee Chair Brenda Sullivan

The Natchaug-Willimantic Neighborhood Revitalization Zone (NRZ) is a wonderful patchwork quilt of historic buildings and facades, and neighborhoods with an ethnic, social and financial diversity second to no other city in Connecticut. It includes a significant area stretching from the Windham Mills to the Town Hall and the adjacent neighborhood of Milk and Union Streets. For more info, find (and “like”) us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/120042431383856> or contact NRZ Chair Brenda Sullivan at 860-942-8367.