A Roadmap for the Future

Vision Russell

- ♦ A comprehensive, inclusive planning effort for the Russell neighborhood, including Beecher Terrace.
- ♦ Will result in a Russell Transformation Plan due to HUD in January 2017.

Beecher Terrace Transformation

- ♦ All 758 units at Beecher Terrace will be replaced:
 - On the former Beecher Terrace site;
 - ♦ Elsewhere in the Russell neighborhood; or
 - In other "non-impacted" neighborhoods throughout the city

Survey Question

If Beecher Terrace is redeveloped, are you interested in living in one of the redeveloped units?

Survey Results

- ♦ Of those who expressed interest in returning to a new Beecher Terrace unit
 - ♦ 43% were households with children
 - ♦ 61% were households were seniors or had a family member with a disability

Survey Results

- ♦ 4% Hearing accessibility

- ♦ 68% Do not need any special accommodations
- ♦ 2% Don't Know

Survey Results

- ♦ 9% Neither interested nor uninterested
- ♦ 13% Not particularly interested

Make Sure You Are Eligible for Relocation Benefits

- ♦ Continue to comply with the terms of your lease.

Relocation Differences between HOPE VI and Choice

- ♦ HOPE VI units at Sheppard, Liberty Green and Park DuValle have some additional occupancy criteria for residents such as income, employment or student status requirements.
- - Be lease compliant at the time of relocation; and
 - ♦ Remain lease compliant while in your relocation unit.

Resident Right to Return

- ♦ Residents relocated from Beecher Terrace will be offered admission to the 758 Beecher replacement housing units before anyone else.
- Residents relocated from Beecher Terrace will have an admissions preference for all 758 replacement units for life.

Resident Benefits – Moving Costs

- ▲ LMHA will provide security deposits, if required.
- ▲ LMHA staff will also help with establishing utilities in your name, if required.

Other Resident Relocation Services

- Relocation meetings
- Personal mobility counseling
- ♦ Transportation assistance to view properties
- Special tours of housing options
- Financial management/budget seminars
- ♦ Enhanced supportive services

Section 3 Employment Opportunities

To help reach these goals, new jobs
will be available during the
transformation of Beecher Terrace and
the Russell neighborhood through the
Section 3 program.

Who receives priority under Section 3?

- Priority for Section 3 training and employment will go to:
 - Beecher Terrace residents
 - Other persons living Russell
 - YouthBuild program participants
 - Persons who are homeless

June 6th Meeting

- Monday, June 6th, 6:00 p.m. at the Baxter Community Center
- Presentation on Beecher Terrace Conceptual Designs and the draft Choice Transformation Plan

