

Community Advisory Team (CAT) Updates

The CAT is made up of resident volunteers committed to engaging with the community about redevelopment in Lambertville. To help foster ongoing communication, we'll provide regular updates of what we've been up to and what you can expect in the upcoming weeks. We'll provide these updates regularly and will also post them on the [CAT page](#) on the Lambertville site.

- The CAT participated in a session with Emily Goldman, our city planner, and her team to review concept plans for the mixed-income housing development. Emily and her team then presented multiple options based on the feedback the community provided in our first survey and office hours, which were conducted July through August.
- Based on the outcome of that session, the CAT conducted a survey and hosted a public design-vetting meeting to gather community input on the design features of the mixed-income housing at the current police site. We had about ninety responses to the survey and thirty attendees at the meeting. We want to thank all participants for their valuable and thoughtful feedback! You'll find a summary of the results [here](#).
- To address environmental concerns and questions raised by some residents, the CAT held a Q&A with environmental engineer Vince Mazzei – [watch this video](#) to learn more. The CAT also voted in favor (10 – 6) of recommending a phase one environmental study to the city council for approval, which was shared at the council's October 6 public meeting. There are pros and cons to having the city conduct this study. The mayor and council will consider these and make a decision.
- **What's next:** We're beginning to turn our attention to Phase 2, which will include gathering information about city buildings, current and future needs assessment, what repairs are needed, understanding the various local stakeholders so we can make sure we gather feedback and input from as many residents as possible, and planning our community outreach efforts in the months ahead.