

# District 2 SPOTLIGHT ON BLIGHT

## Community Meetings Scheduled

**Baton Rouge, LA** – Residents of District 2 are invited to attend the District 2 SPOTLIGHT ON BLIGHT Community Meetings. The meetings are being planned specifically for residents living, playing, working, and worshipping in the unincorporated areas of Baker in East Baton Rouge Parish. To be located in an unincorporated part of the parish means the areas are not incorporated within the City of Baker, therefore services are provided by the parish.

For more information contact Kirsten at [ktwright@brla.gov](mailto:ktwright@brla.gov).

### **Two meetings are planned in sessions:**

#### **SESSION I**

Pastor Charles Thomas, Jr.

Date: Thursday, October 27, 2022

Time: 5:30pm-7:30 pm

Location: Restoration Christian Center  
2018 Main Street Baker, LA 70714

#### **SESSION II**

Dr. Kenneth Chandler, Pastor

Date: Tuesday, November 8, 2022

Time: 5:30pm-7:30 pm

Location: Shady Grove 1<sup>st</sup> Missionary Baptist Church  
16443 Plank Road Baker, LA 70714

We want to take a different approach to eliminate and prevent blight in our communities. Everything that is deemed blight was at some point useful. Therefore, we're inviting the EBRP Sheriff's Office to discuss tax sales and sheriff sales. When houses, automobiles, and other tangible items are not sold, mostly homes and vacant properties, they become adjudicated.

The EBR Parish Attorney's Office will also share information on pathways to owning adjudicated properties. Programs such as "In My Father's House" and

“Mow to Own” have increased in demand, but thousands of adjudicated properties remain on the roll. Much of the blighted properties in our community is adjudicated and place a tremendous financial strain on taxpayers due to the cost of maintenance.

Lastly, the City-Parish Department of Development is invited to engage and present those hot topic constituency concerns, 311 Calls, Blight Court, Blight Vendor opportunities, and other City-Parish neighborhood revitalization initiatives.

**Unincorporated Baker Streets:**

Al Sanford Road	Kennon Drive	Starhill Avenue
Bains Ct.	Kent Drive	Stone Drive
Bentley Drive	King Charles Drive	Stoneview Avenue
Bluff Creek Drive	Laurel Hill Avenue	Sunshine Park Ct.
Caravel Ct.	Lazy Oaks Drive	Sunshine Road
Chamberlain Avenue	Lebrent Avenue	Toledo Street
Charlton Road	Louisville Avenue	Truth Drive
Cline Drive	Maleda Drive	Valiant Drive
Colfax Drive	Manchester Drive	Villere Drive
Comite Acres Avenue	McHugh Road	W. Holden Ct.
Comite Drive	Melpomene Drive	Walker Drive
Creole Drive	Millican Lane	Water’s Edge Avenue
Deryshire Avenue	Misty Oaks Avenue	Whispering Oaks Drive
Dormer Drive	Oaknolia Drive	Wingfield Avenue
Dyer Road	Old Baker Road	Wisdom Drive
E. Holden Ct.	Omega Ct.	Wynell Drive
Evanston Street	Pettit Road	
Exeter Avenue	Plank Road	
Faith Avenue	Richmond Street	
Garland Avenue	Rolling Acres Drive	
Griffin Ct.	Roman Drive	
Groom Road	Ruston Drive	
Hall Drive	S. Holden Ct.	
Heck Young Road	S. Spur Lane	
Juno Drive	Saxon Drive	
Jupiter Drive	Sleepy Oak Avenue	