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## Spring Community Engagement Efforts

Council President Emily Berge and City Manager Stephanie Hirsch are happy to announce the launch of a new engagement effort, which they plan to undertake each spring and fall.

**District Discussions:** Emily and Stephanie will be hosting four “District” meetings in the coming weeks and will be joined by District and At-Large Council Members and Neighborhood Associations. Here’s what they will do at each District Discussion:

- Share citywide and neighborhood-specific updates on topics such as zoning, development, street repair, public safety, parks, and more.
- Ask for your opinion through a resident survey.
- Try to answer any question you can think of...see if you can stump them!
- Share how residents can join an existing neighborhood association or form a new one if their block isn’t part of one already.

The meetings are scheduled as follows:

District	Neighborhoods	Save the Date	Location
Central	Eastside Hill, Randall Park, North River Fronts, Third Ward, Downtown	March 18 6 - 8 p.m.	LE Phillips Senior Center - 1616 Bellinger St.
South	Putnam Heights, London Road, Oakwood Hills, Memorial, Randy's, Fairfax/South	March 20 6 - 8 p.m.	South Middle School Cafeteria - 2115 Mitscher Ave.
West	Buffington, Shawtown, Upper Westside, West Ridge, Silvermine, Sherman Creek, Lamplighter/Crestview	April 1 6 - 8 p.m.	Delong Middle School Cafeteria - 2000 Vine St.
North	Airport, Dells Park, North Side Hill, Princeton Valley, Sundet Park, Wells/Riverview, Pinehurst, Abby/Zephyr Hills	April 18 6 - 8 p.m.	North High School Commons - 1801 Piedmont. Rd.

**City Circuit:** Emily and Stephanie invite organizations to schedule a time for them to visit your civic group, church, book club, coffee klatch, social organization, classroom, happy hour group, or any other group interested in discussing life in Eau Claire. They will share an abbreviated version of the City update, ask your group members to complete the resident survey, and discuss any topic you are interested in. Pick out an available time here

<https://calendly.com/springcitycircuit/spring-city-circuit-discussion>, or contact Stephanie to arrange a visit: [stephanie.hirsch@eauclairewi.gov](mailto:stephanie.hirsch@eauclairewi.gov).