## 2-Stage Micro-Community Siting Community and Political Readiness Assessment

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#### STAGE 1: Rapid Readiness Internal Check: Political and Community Factors

#### STAGE 2: Deeper Readiness Internal Review: Political and Community Factors

# PUBLICLY SHARED 1 PAGE NARRATIVE SITE ASSESSMENT SUMMARY BASED ON POLITICAL AND COMMUNITY FACTORS

Insights from this summary should inform both internal decisionmaking and external engagement. Key findings from the assessments could be linked with real time sentiment data from the city's civic engagement platform (once available) to identify patterns and proactively address public concerns. Takeaways should also shape messaging in the communications plan, equipping officials, site partners, and community leaders with grounded narratives tailored to each neighborhood.

#### Site Name/Address:

#### **Summary Assessment**

This site received a total score of [X/45], indicating a [low/medium/high] level of caution. Below is a breakdown of the site's political and community conditions based on deeper review.

#### **Community Climate**

Public sentiment in council records is generally [supportive/mixed/oppositional]. Local media coverage has been [positive/neutral/critical], and social media chatter reflects [little activity/cautious support/active resistance]. Voting patterns on similar issues related to homelessness in the area suggest a [supportive/mixed/ skeptical] stance on homelessness-related initiatives.

**Takeaway:** The community is likely to [welcome/tolerate/resist] a shelter here unless further engagement occurs.





#### **Political Landscape**

The district's councilor, X, has [publicly supported/remained silent on/opposed] similar projects in the past. Their voting history indicates a [supportive/transactional/resistant] stance on homelessness services, and they [do/do not] serve on relevant city committees.

**Takeaway:** Political conditions are [favorable/mixed/likely to require navigation].

#### Strategic and Symbolic Fit

The site is [well/moderately/poorly] positioned symbolically: it is [highly visible/tucked away] and [is likely to/would not likely] serve as a model for equity or future housing/community development. There are [trusted partners/potential allies/relevant organizations] nearby that may support implementation.

**Takeaway:** This site's narrative potential is [high/moderate/limited].

#### **Overall Assessment**

[Insert key insights, red flags, or potential leverage points here. For example, "This site is politically risky but has strong community partners who could anchor a communications strategy."]





### **OPERATIONAL PLAN**

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