



# DISTRICT 9 BRIEFING

*with Councilor Latonya Tate*



**YOUR D9 RECAP**

## ARPA PROJECTS

As part of the American Rescue Plan Act, my office received \$3 million to put back into communities across District 9. Here's how **some** of that money has been put to work so far:



*Standing on the people's business...*

I extend a warm greeting to each esteemed constituent of District 9. Our community stands as a beacon of intellect, creativity, and progressive thought, where diverse perspectives intersect to shape the fabric of our collective identity.

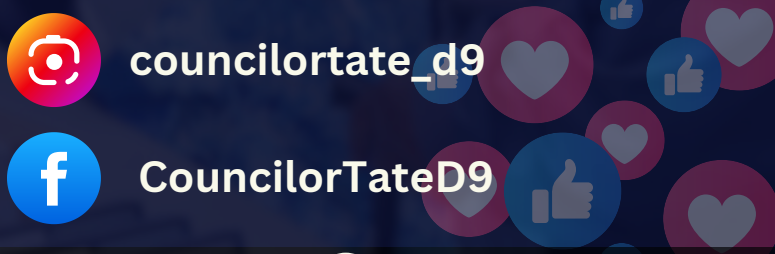
District 9 is experiencing tremendous growth and positive momentum, and our Council office is committed to fostering an environment where voices are heard and where ideas are transformed into action for the betterment of our neighborhoods.

That means continuing to improve public safety, investing in our parks and green spaces, supporting quality education, and attracting good jobs with fair wages.

Let's continue to explore, debate, and imagine together as we continue to elevate the discourse and shape the future of District 9!

- ✔ **PUBLIC SAFETY INITIATIVES: \$380,000**
- ✔ **CRITICAL REPAIR/FACADE IMPROVEMENTS: \$1.12 MILLION**  
HEALTHY HOUSING INITIATIVE, NHSB (\$300K), HOMEOWNER FACADE IMPROVEMENTS, METRO CHANGERS (\$200K), PROTECTING GOOD (\$200K), HOUSEPROUD (\$420K)
- ✔ **WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT: \$70,000**  
BIRMINGHAM URBAN LEAGUE (\$20K), SALVATION ARMY (\$50K)
- ✔ **TRAILS AND PARKS: \$290,000**  
ENSLEY RECREATION CENTER (\$30K), MCALPINE PARK (\$30K), NORTH BIRMINGHAM PARK (\$40K), WYLAM PARK (\$60K), ONE PRATT PARK LANDSCAPE (\$100K), DOLOMITE REC CENTER IMPROVEMENTS (\$30K)
- ✔ **PENNY FOUNDATION: \$27,500**  
FUTURE FORWARD GRANTS AWARDED TO D9 MINORITY-OWNED BUSINESSES
- ✔ **BIRMINGHAM TOOL BANK: \$50,000**  
SERVING COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS BY PROVIDING TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT AS RENTALS
- ✔ **BLACK WOMEN'S MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTE: \$100,000**

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# A GLIMPSE AT OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS



NOV 1, 2021

Appointed as Chair of the Public Safety Committee, the first black woman to serve in this position in Birmingham.



OCT 2022

Councilor Tate hosts the first in a series of violence reduction events geared towards helping Birmingham youth.



NOV 2022

Spearheaded the Council's approval to partner with Growth by NCRC to build 52 new, affordable homes in Pratt City's ShadowBrook neighborhood.



FEB 2023

Appointed to the Aspen Institute's Criminal Justice Reform Advisory Board where Councilor Tate promotes policies and practices to transform the justice ecosystem.



JAN 2024

Appointed to the National League of Cities (NLC) 2024 Public Safety & Crime Prevention Federal Advocacy Committee.



JUNE 2024

Councilor Tate celebrates the groundbreaking of 25 new homes in the Fountain Heights neighborhood with the Birmingham Landbank Authority AHOP Program.



SEPT 2024

In April of 2024, Councilor Tate was accepted into the University of Chicago's Community Violence Intervention Leadership Academy and she graduated in September 2024!



## SUPPORTING SCHOOLS

In May, Councilor Tate visited all of the schools in District 9 to spread some love and provide them with extra funds to help our children continue to prosper!

- Jackson Olin High School:** \$4,500
- Wilkinson Middle School:** \$1,000
- South Hampton K-8:** \$1,000
- Tuggle Elementary:** \$1,000
- Wylam Elementary:** \$1,000
- Carver High School:** \$12,000



## SUPPORTING SENIORS

Councilor Tate also presented a \$5,000 check to nonprofit 1 Step 2 Fitness to help expand their senior health program, **Get Fit While You Sit** at the the Hooper City Recreation Center!



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- OCTOBER 11TH: **205 AND PARK** AT BOUTWELL AUDITORIUM
- OCTOBER 26TH: **THE MAGIC CITY CLASSIC** AT LEGION FIELD
- NOVEMBER/DECEMBER: **D9 HOLIDAY EVENTS** – STAY TUNED