

## **One High Point Commission**

### Board Details

The One High Point Commission was created by High Point City Council at the Feb. 7, 2022, regular meeting when Council adopted the Resolution for the One High Point Commission to Explore Community Reparations for the African American Citizens of High Point, North Carolina. Per the resolution, the One High Point Commission will be comprised of two members of City Council, nine High Point residents and two NAACP representatives. In addition, two High Point City residents shall be appointed as non-voting alternates.

The Commission shall submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the High Point City Council no later than 12 months from the date of the Commission's first meeting. The Commission shall automatically dissolve 90 days after the date upon which the Commission submits its report to City Council. Individuals will be selected to serve on the Commission by virtue of their education, training, activism or experience, particularly in the field of African American studies and reparatory justice.

### Overview

#### Application Expectations:

- Resume Required
- Finalists will be asked to appear for a brief interview before the One High Point Selection Committee

Commission Size: 13 Seats

Commission Term Length: One year

### Additional

**Enacting Legislation Website**

**Enacting Legislation**

# One High Point Commission

## Duties

The One High Point Commission was created by High Point City Council at the Feb. 7, 2022, regular meeting when Council adopted the Resolution for the One High Point Commission to Explore Community Reparations for the African American Citizens of High Point, North Carolina. Per the resolution, the One High Point Commission will be comprised of two members of City Council, nine High Point residents and two NAACP representatives. In addition, two High Point City residents shall be appointed as non-voting alternates.

The Commission shall submit a written report of its findings and recommendations to the High Point City Council no later than 12 months from the date of the Commission's first meeting. The Commission shall automatically dissolve 90 days after the date upon which the Commission submits its report to City Council. Individuals will be selected to serve on the Commission by virtue of their education, training, activism or experience, particularly in the field of African American studies and reparatory justice.

Member Size: 15 (13 voting members, two non-voting alternates)

Term Length: One year

## One High Point Commission Members

The following nine (9) High Point residents were duly appointed by the High Point City Council during an Official Session held on Monday, May 2, 2022.

- Joseph Alston
- Dawn Alston-Paige
- Lovelle McMichael
- Megan Oglesby
- Dories Patrick
- Janet Riley-Wright
- Robert Sims
- Bridgett Tolliver
- Robert Williamson

Additionally, the NAACP's High Point Branch is recommending the following two names be appointed to the One High Point Commission as their representatives:

- Courtney Alston Wilson
- Charles Hinsley

The Committee is recommending the following two (2) High Point residents be appointed as non-voting alternates to the One High Point Commission:

- Willie Davis
- Constance Reynolds

Lastly, there are two Councilmembers selected to serve on the One High Point Commission:

- Michael Holmes, Ward 6
- Tyrone Johnson, Member At Large