

NEXT STEPS



SEPTEMBER – OCTOBER 2018

- The Commission heard 19 hours of public testimony from New Yorkers.
- Each hearing was about three hours long, except for the Manhattan hearing which ran over seven hours.
- 150 New Yorkers testified.
- The Commission received about 300 proposals.
- Staff engaged in extensive communication and outreach efforts, preparing and widely distributing education materials about the Commission at 15 community events.
- Engaged with 600 New Yorkers about the Charter.
- Created and maintained a robust social and traditional media presence, including web, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, video and press stories.

NOVEMBER 2018

- Public submits proposed focus areas.

DECEMBER 2018

- The Commission votes on focus areas.

JANUARY – MARCH 2019

- The Commission will hold public meetings and hearings on each bucket to (a) solicit more specific proposals and (b) receive feedback on the proposals received so far. At these meetings and hearings, the Commission will receive testimony from experts and commissioners will have the opportunity to question those experts. For the hearings, the format will be similar to our September 2018 hearings.

APRIL 2019

- Staff will develop a draft slate of proposals based on feedback.
- The Commission will vote to adopt the draft slate with whatever changes it deems appropriate.

MAY – JUNE 2019

- The Commission will hold public hearings in each borough on the draft slate.

JULY – AUGUST 2019

- Staff will develop a final slate of proposals based on feedback.
- The Commission will vote to adopt the final slate with whatever changes it deems appropriate.
- Staff will then prepare a final report and submission packet reflecting that final slate, which the Commission will also adopt by vote.

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- Staff submits the final report and submission packet by September 6th.
- Staff and the Commission engage in voter outreach and education.

NOVEMBER 2019

- Public votes on the proposals.