



## City of Poughkeepsie Common Council Special Meeting on Gun Violence, Homelessness and Crime in the City of Poughkeepsie

Wednesday, August 25, 2021, 6 pm // Changepoint Theatre, 260 Mill Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

### AGENDA:

- I. Welcome
- II. Indigenous Land Acknowledgment
- III. Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Roll Call
- V. Introduction of Presenters
  1. **SNUG**- Debra Long, Director
  2. **City of Poughkeepsie Police Department**- Chief Tom Pape
  3. **Dutchess County Department of Behavioral and Community Health**- Jean-Marie Niebuhr, LCSW-R, Deputy Commissioner, Director of Community Services
  4. **Hudson River Housing**- Christa Hines, Executive Director
  1. **Mental Health America of Dutchess County**- Andrew O'Grady, LCSW-R, CEO
- VI. Presentations
- VII. Public Participation
- VIII. Adjournment

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**Public Participation**- During this segment, we will call on folks who indicated on our sign-up sheet that they would like to make a comment or ask a question and/or accept hand raises from the audience. If you are making a comment, we ask that you limit your time to 3 min and be prepared to state your name, your pronouns, the address at which you reside, and if you are speaking on behalf of an organization, the name of the organization.

We are accepting written comments/questions if you cannot make it and would like to submit a comment for the record or have a question asked during public participation, please email your comment/question to Chair Sarah Salem ([ssalem@cityofpoughkeepsie.com](mailto:ssalem@cityofpoughkeepsie.com)) or City Chamberlain Jasmin Davis ([jdavis@cityofpoughkeepsie.com](mailto:jdavis@cityofpoughkeepsie.com)).