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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The League of Women Voters Charlotte Mecklenburg welcomes Charlotte City Planner Taiwo Jaiyeoba to its **Lunch with the League** on February 12, 2020. Mr. Jaiyeoba will discuss the City of Charlotte's 2040 Comprehensive Plan.

The City Planning Department is currently in Phase 3 of developing the 2040 Master/Comprehensive Plan. Phase 3 of the plan involves drafting the plan and bringing all of the city plans that are currently in place up to date and into one document. Mr. Jaiyeoba will discuss what has happened so far in development of the plan and where the city goes from here.

Taiwo Jaiyeoba came to the US from Nigeria in 1996 and to Charlotte in 2015. He earned a BS in Geography and a master's in urban planning in Nigeria. As a youngster he caught the "planning bug" by watching Sesame Street with it's "neighborhood' themes. In the US, Taiwo has worked on various urban planning projects (especially in transportation) in several states.

The public is welcome to attend this free event on Wednesday, February 12, 2020 from 11:30 am until 1:00 pm at the League's office in the Midwood International and Cultural Center, 1817 Central Ave., Room 210, Charlotte, 28205. For more information and to RSVP, go to: <a href="http://www.goleaguego.org/Lunch.html">http://www.goleaguego.org/Lunch.html</a>