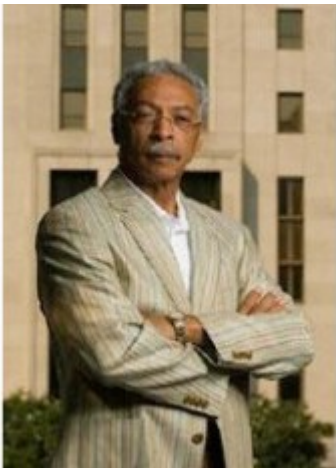


There are actually two stories that are taking place at the same time. First of all is the fact that [The City of Birmingham's Office of Public Information is on Facebook](#). The group is the latest move by the city to reach out to residents online.



Now onto the reason for the post - Mayor [Larry Langford](#) is hosting a series of town hall meetings throughout the city. The first one, called "Why Birmingham Can't Wait," will take place on Thursday evening at [Boutwell Auditorium](#) beginning at 6 p.m. Additional ones will be held at area churches in the coming weeks, providing residents with the opportunity to ask the mayor and other representatives about current initiatives and learn about projects such as the planned repaving of neighborhood streets. You get to submit your questions for the mayor to ask as well in advance - via email to opi@birminghamal.gov. If you can't make it to Boutwell, [Fox 6](#) is scheduled to stream the event on its website.

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