

## **COMMUNITY PACT**

## Our Mission

To be a collective voice of the residents, dedicated to the quality of life issues unique to Downtown Norfolk.

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Every community functions on a set of norms defined by the past, refined in the present with the hope of shaping a better future. In our downtown community, we are committed to a culture of inclusiveness. Everyone's voice matters within this community. We value your ideas, opinions, and differences.

Together, the future of Downtown Norfolk is bright!

As members of our community, we enjoy the following rights and embrace the following responsibilities:

## Rights

Freedom to express yourself
Freedom to worship as you wish
Right to run for elected office
Freedom to pursue "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness"
Freedom to assemble and protest peaceably
Freedom from harassment and discrimination

## Responsibilities

Stay informed of the issues affecting downtown
Participate in the democratic process
Respect and obey federal, state, and local laws
Respect the rights, beliefs, and opinions of others
Participate in our local community
Support local businesses
Support local residents in both individual and collective endeavors
Respect law enforcement, civil servants, and emergency providers
Report unsafe conditions to the city
Report criminal, suspicious, and disruptive behavior
Render assistance to those in need
Obey all posted ordinances to include removal of pet waste
Be kind and respect your community

The Downtown Norfolk Civic League (DNCL) is your forum!

3rd Monday of each month @ 6:00 p.m.

TCC Student Center, 310 Granby Street (5th Floor)