1. RESTORING THE COVENANT MADE BETWEEN SOCIAL HOUSING AND THEIR INHABITANTS

Social housing was initially developed to provide adequate and affordable housing for marginalized communities. However, over time, these projects have become neglected and their spaces have deteriorated. It is essential to restore the original intentions and re-establish a healthy community. This involves understanding the historical context and the needs of the current inhabitants.

2. IN SEARCH FOR A "NEW SQUARE DEAL"

A new "square deal" could be to develop a framework that incentivizes the development of diverse residential areas. This framework should consider the social and cultural aspects, as well as the economic value of the projects. It is crucial to ensure that the developments are sustainable and inclusive.

3. BRINGING THE "SOUL" OF THE NYCHA PROJECTS BACK TO LIFE

The "soul" of NYCHA projects refers to the spirit and identity of the community. To bring this soul back to life, we need to restructure the public spaces and create a more functional and diverse environment.

4. A REINVIGORATED "SOUL" THROUGH THE TRANSFORMATION OF PUBLIC SPACE

Transforming public spaces can revitalize the community. This involves understanding the needs of the inhabitants and creating spaces that promote social interaction, self-awareness, and diversity. The transformation should be sustainable and should contribute to the overall well-being of the community.

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