



Lincoln Corridor Plan (LCP) – Neighborhood Project Implementation Neighborhood Advisory Committee (NAC) Meeting #3 Summary April 13, 2016

NAC Members:

Buckingham

Betty Aragon-Mitotes

Penny Bielawski (moved from the area)

Julie Horton (absent)

Nathan Jensrud (absent)

Serena Rusden

Mike Salza

Travis Slisher (absent)

Elizabeth Terry

Andersonville/San Cristo/Via Lopez

Donna Dees (absent)

David Devlin (absent)

Alastair Johnson (absent)

John Lee (absent)

LeeAnna Vargas (absent)

Alta Vista

Nicole DiPierre (absent)

Matt Haltzman

City Staff:

Matt Day (Park Planning and Development)

- . Laurie Kadrich (PDT Administration)
- . Amy Lewin (FC Moves)
- . Ellen Martin (Lincoln Center/Art in Public Places)
- . Josh Weinburg (Neighborhood Services)

Meeting Agenda:

- Welcome/Introductions
- Project Updates
 - Neighborhood Projects
 - Other Construction Projects
- Streets Facility Park Improvements
- Neighborhood Artwork
- Brewery Wayfinding
- Next Steps

Note: Committee members received a workbook binder at the first meeting, and a new workbook of materials was provided at this meeting (to be posted at fcgov.com/Lincoln).

Welcome

The group welcomed two new members: Mike Salza (Buckingham) and Matt Haltzman (Alta Vista).

Project Updates—Neighborhood Projects

Staff provided an update on the status of the ten Neighborhood Projects (see Attachment 1). Six projects are complete, four have been initiated, and one will be constructed with an approved development. Committee members also provided observations on progress to-date.

- A question was asked about why a HAWK push-button pedestrian signal on Lemay was installed (versus other formats) and how it works (City staff to follow up)
- A question was asked about the plans for the tree lawn on 3rd Street next to the new sidewalk (e.g., what will be planted) (City staff to follow up)
- A question was asked about the disconnect between the 3rd Street sidewalk at Lincoln (City staff to follow up)

Project Updates—Other Construction Projects

Staff provided an update on other related construction projects the City is undertaking in the area, including utility infrastructure improvements, street repaving and sidewalk repair. Committee members also provided observations on progress to-date. Staff will continue to update the NAC during future meetings as projects progress and more information is available.

 A question was asked about the detour signage and what can be done to reduce cut-through traffic to the neighborhoods (City staff to follow up)

Streets Facility Park Improvements

A presentation for the Park Improvement Project at the Streets Facility was provided by Matt Day, Senior Landscape Architect, with the City's Park Planning & Development department. The group then discussed what they would like to see in the park, additional outreach approaches, and a grant opportunity for additional funding. The group discussion is summarized below:

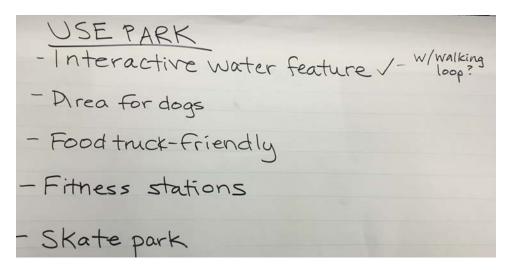
<u>Presentation</u>

The NAC used keypad polling to answer key questions and then discussed their answers, with Staff taking additional notes on a flip chart.

Discussion

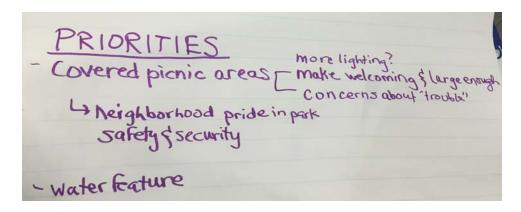
1. How do you plan to use the park? (select all that apply)

How do you plan to use the park?	Responses	
(select all that apply)	Percent	Count
Gathering space for family and neighborhood events	21%	3
Playground/play environment for kids	21%	3
Active or passive recreation	14%	2
Walking loop	36%	5
Other	7%	1
Totals	100%	14



2. What are your priorities for the park? (select all that apply)

What are your priorities for the park?	Resp	Responses	
(select all that apply)	Percent	Count	
Playground	23%	3	
Safe access from the neighborhoods	15%	2	
Multi-use green space	15%	2	
Covered picnic areas	8%	1	
Trees and shade	31%	4	
Other	8%	1	
Totals	100%	13	



3. What are your concerns?

What are your concerns?	Resp	Responses	
(select all that apply)	Percent	Count	
Traffic, parking, and safe access	33%	3	
Safety at playground and park	33%	3	
Lights	22%	2	
Dog waste and trash	11%	1	
Phasing of park elements	0%	0	
Stormwater/water quality pond	0%	0	
Other	0%	0	
Totals	100%	9	

(See also screenshot under #2 above)

Additional Outreach

The group discussed additional outreach possibilities, given that the NAC had previously expressed a desire to get additional input from the neighbors throughout the process.

Discussion

- 1. Would you like to do additional outreach?
- 2. What methods work best?
 - The group supported doing additional outreach, including walking door-to-door with a paper survey, as well as offering an online survey.
 - Betty volunteered to handle Buckingham and to reach out to contacts in Andersonville/San Cristo/Via Lopez, and Matt volunteered to handle Alta Vista.
 - The group thought that promoting the survey through Nextdoor was also a good approach.

Action Items

- City to draft survey (paper and online) to provide to volunteers for distribution
- City to compile all results and present at next meeting

Grant Opportunity

The Green Urban Parks Campaign has a grant opportunity that could help fund some of the additional elements in the long-term vision for the Streets Facility Park.

Discussion

- 1. Would you like to provide a letter of support?
 - The group was supportive of pursuing the grant, and Elizabeth volunteered to draft a letter of support.

Action Items

- City to work with Elizabeth on letter of support
- City to submit grant by April 29

Neighborhood Artwork

Mario Miguel Echevarria has been selected as the artist to work on the neighborhood artwork project. He was unable to attend this meeting, so Ellen Martin, Director of the Art in Public Places Program, led the discussion, which is summarized below:

Overall

- The group is really looking forward to ideas from the artist and would like to see a variety of options to choose from.
- 1. Is the team looking for monument/entryway markers or visual art/sculptural pieces, or a combination of both?

2. What are the goals and restrictions for each neighborhood artwork?

3. Do you have suggestions for specific locations?

Action Items

• City to provide this input to Mario

Brewery Wayfinding

The intent of this project is to reduce the impacts of brewery traffic and patron activity on the nearby neighborhoods. The first discussion was focused on identifying issues and desired outcomes, as well as starting to brainstorm potential solutions.

Discussion

1. What are the key issues you face related to brewery traffic and patrons?

2. What types of outcomes are desired?

3. What do you think could help achieve those outcomes?

Action Items

 City to conduct conversations with breweries to understand existing conditions, issues, and ideas to help minimize neighborhood impacts.

Action Items (All):

- Provide more background on the HAWK push-button pedestrian signal on Lemay (City)
- 2. Provide more information about the plans for the tree lawn on 3rd Street next to the new sidewalk (City)
- 3. Provide more information about the plans for the connection of the 3rd Street sidewalk at Lincoln (City)
- 4. Check on Lincoln detour signage (City)
- 5. Draft survey (paper and online) to provide to volunteers for distribution (City)
- 6. Distribute surveys (Betty, Matt)
- 7. Compile park input results and present at next meeting (City)
- 8. Submit park grant letter of support (Elizabeth, City)
- 9. Submit grant by April 29 (City)
- 10. Provide artwork input to Mario (City)
- 11. Reach out to breweries (City)





Attachment 1 Lincoln Corridor Plan (LCP) – Neighborhood Project Implementation Neighborhood Advisory Committee (NAC) – Summary Table Last Updated: April 13, 2016

Project		Timing of	
ID	Description	Implementation	Status
А	Brewery Wayfinding Signs in Buckingham	Summer 2016	Initiated
В	Transfort Bus Stop Improvement at Vine/Alta Vista	Fall 2015	Complete
С	Lemay Push-Button Pedestrian Signal at Streets	Fall 2015	Complete
D	Lemay New Sidewalk at Walmart	Fall 2015	Complete
E	Lemay Interim Sidewalk between Lincoln Avenue and Buckingham Street	*	*
F	Gateway/Interpretive Signage (Entry Monuments) in All Neighborhoods	Summer 2016	Initiated
G	Park Improvements at Streets	Fall 2016	Initiated
Н	Signage Addressing Cut-Through Impacts in Buckingham	Winter 2015	Complete
I	1 st Street New Sidewalk between Lincoln Avenue and Buckingham Street	Fall 2015	Complete
I	3 rd Street New Sidewalk between Lincoln Avenue and Buckingham Street	Fall 2015	Complete
J	Alley Improvements in Buckingham	Summer 2016	Initiated

^{*}The Capstone Cottage approved development (near the NW quadrant of Lincoln Avenue and Lemay Avenue) is anticipated to install the full version of sidewalk in late 2016 or early 2017.

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