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AGENDA
Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)
Tuesday September 10, 2013
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Denver Design Center
595 South Broadway
Denver, CO 80209

1. Call to Order
2. Public Comment
3. August 13, 2013 Meeting Summary
(Attachment A)

ACTION ITEMS

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

4. Citizens Advisory Committee Network Outreach Training (90 minutes)
(Attachment B)
Nicole Klepadlo/Ashley Kaade

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

5. Announcements
6. Other Matters by Members
7. Adjournment – Next Meeting-Tuesday, December 10, 2013

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ATTACHMENT A

MEETING SUMMARY Metro Vision Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Tuesday, August 13, 2013

Members Present

Suzanne Arkle
Tom Cryer
Alexa Davis
Andrea Duran-Carpenter
Michael Hult
Will Kerns
Lisa Schott
Chris Waggett
Korey White
Bob Wilson

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m.

Public Comment

No public comment was heard.

June 11, 2013 Meeting Summary

Noted change that Suzanne Arkle attended the June 11, 2013 meeting.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Metro Vision 2040 Update

Staff provided the CAC with an overview of efforts completed to date on the Metro Vision 2040 planning process. Staff included that two RFP's had been released for housing and economic development exploration.

Housing to include:

1. Fair Housing and Equity Assessment (FHEA)
2. Engagement efforts including regional forums on the FHEA findings
3. Housing Needs Assessment
4. Making the link between housing and regional priorities (transportation, health, economic development etc.)
5. Opportunity Mapping / Access to Opportunity
6. Regional Housing Strategy

Economic Development to include:

1. The Regional Economic Strategy will identify things which strengthen the economic competitiveness of the Denver region and create opportunities for regional economic growth and prosperity across all income levels.
2. Suggest potential policies and strategies to support regional economic and workforce development.
3. Consultant will determine an appropriate role for DRCOG within the existing economic development organizational structure.

4. The Strategy will focus on DRCOG's core functions which include transportation planning and investment, regional land use policy, community development, coalition building, and facilitating regional collaboration.

Staff shared that an RFP was also released for general planning services to support the Metro Vision update and three consultants have been chosen to assist. Staff shared that both the Metro Vision Planning Advisory Committee (MVPAC) and the Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) had been established and had been meeting regularly. MVPAC identified key topics to explore as part of the update and these were shared with the CAC. Topics included:

1. Housing
2. Economic development/Jobs
3. Health
4. Urban Centers
5. Aviation
6. Infill Development
7. Multimodal Transportation
8. Fiscal Impacts
9. Parks/Open Space
10. Transit Oriented Development (TOD)

Stakeholder Engagement Overview and Discussion

Staff outlined the following as items they were seeking input on from the CAC:

- Keypad polling on baseline questions to support stakeholder engagement evaluation
- Highlights of Citizens' Academy experiences and how you plan to promote it
- Experiences with local community use of MindMixer
- Potential questions for MindMixer, surveys, interviews, etc.

Staff reviewed the role of PlaceMatters and took the group through a keypad polling exercise to obtain baseline data on engagement efforts. Staff then covered what is next for stakeholder engagement including branding, CAC network outreach, the Metro Vision Citizens' Academy and the October 10 SCI Consortium meeting. The group received an overview of what to expect over the next three months in meetings and outreach as well as information about MindMixer, an online interactive platform with the primary purpose of idea generation and stakeholder-to-stakeholder interaction.

The CAC participated in an activity to brainstorm potential questions for either MindMixer, surveys, focus groups, etc. on the topics of transportation, housing, health and parks and open space. After writing initial questions on white paper the group was given green stickers to indicate priority questions, as well as one red sticker per category to veto a question.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m. Next meeting is scheduled for September 10, 2013.

Citizen's Advisory Committee Feedback

Transportation

- A. Questions to ask (green dots)
 - How do you commute to work and why do you use that option?
 - What are the best transit options for elderly people, people with children, and people with dogs?
 - Do you have access to a vehicle?
 - Are you familiar with FasTracks?
 - How are the streets in your neighborhood?
 - Passes (EcoPasses)?
 - Marketing, informing the entire community?
- B. Questions NOT to ask (red dots)
 - Would you like to only own one car instead of two or three?

Parks & Open Space

- A. Questions to ask (green dots)
 - Do you view parks as a place of beauty or as a place to have fun and be active?
 - Why do you visit parks and open space?
 - Visually (design), what makes you feel safe and unsafe at a park or open space?
 - How close is your nearest park and how do you get to it?
 - Is it easy and safe for you to get to a park without having to drive?
 - Is your local park ADA accessible, kid friendly, and dog friendly?
 - Are parks and open space accessible to you in your neighborhood?
- B. Questions NOT to ask (red dots)
 - Why a corporation instead of a park?
 - Consider crime and reducing domestic violence?

Health

- A. Questions to ask (green dots)
 - What is supportive of health in your community and the region?
 - What is unsupportive of health in your community and the region?
 - If you could change one thing to improve the health of your community, what would it be?
 - How can community building (relationships) improve a community's health?
 - How does your local built environment affect your health?
 - Do you live in a healthy neighborhood, city, or region?
 - What resources or options could be in your neighborhood to help you live a healthier life?
 - Does transit reduce DUI's?

B. Questions NOT to ask (red dots)

- Consider moving all transit (green) forward?

Housing

A. Questions to ask (green dots)

- Do you feel that housing in your neighborhood is affordable? What can be done to make it affordable?
- Are homes in your neighborhood available to all?
- Can you age in place in your community?
- Are people investing in their place?
- Is your housing accessible to public transit?
- Do you think the housing & transit is suitable to your community?
- Do you feel your local community provides enough affordable housing?

B. Questions NOT to ask (red dots)

- Do you use public transit?

ATTACHMENT B

To: Members of the Citizens Advisory Committee

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Meeting Date	Agenda Category	Agenda Item #
September 10, 2013	Informational	4

SUBJECT

Staff will provide the Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) members with training on network outreach methods.

PROPOSED ACTION/RECOMMENDATIONS

There is no action requested at this time.

ACTION BY OTHERS

N/A

SUMMARY

Staff will describe network outreach methods and approaches CAC members will use in the fall of 2013.

Staff will build on previous CAC identification of potential organizations and groups to target.

PREVIOUS DISCUSSIONS/ACTIONS

N/A

PROPOSED MOTION

No action necessary, this item is provided for information.

ATTACHMENT

N/A

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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