

Report of the Sarasota Bayfront 20:20 Stakeholders Meeting

November 4, 4:00 P.M.

Art Center Sarasota

Attendees: Michael Klauber, Art Levin, Dan Deleo, Virginia Hoffman, Steve Queior, Cathy Wilson, Joe McKenna, Ramsey Frangie, Fredd, Richard Russell, Kristina Skepton, Dan Denton, Mary Bensel, Monica Van Buskirk, Barbara Brosius, John Simon, Jennifer Ahearn-Koch, Joel Schleicher, Kathy Kelley Ohlrich, Carol Ann Malinski, Andrew Rudnick, Patricia Vandenberg, Andy Papineau, Bob Pirollo, Lew Lawrence, Lou Costa, Patrick Gannon, Sean Duade, Kate Atkin, Drayton Saunders, Lora Kosten, Mark Huey, Jon Thaxton, and Shantel Norman

Guests: Candace Damon, Alex Stokes, Marlon Brown, David Smith, Daniel Jittu, Alin Lozada, Rusty Hein, James McCourtney, Frank Folsom Smith, Erika Ginsberg, Marianne Lauria, Ira Singer, Terry Kees, Terry Defibaugh, Mark Kowalski, Ryan Chapdelain, Rick Harcorw, Stafford Starcher, and Danny Bryer.

Michael Klauber opened the meeting by welcoming everyone and by introducing our 43rd newest Stakeholder, the Central Coconut Neighborhood Association. Klauber then asked all Stakeholders to introduce themselves.

Klauber started by congratulating everyone on what has been accomplished thus far and this being the second anniversary of Bayfront 20:20.

Klauber then introduced David Smith and Ryan Chapdelain from the city to answer a couple of questions from the Stakeholders. Mr. Smith and Mr. Chapdelain clarified the view corridor and building massing along with the impact of the FEMA flood maps.

Michael reintroduced Candace Damon and Alex Stokes of HR&A and thanked everyone who was able to participate in the Stakeholder focus groups that was held two weeks ago with HR&A to explore how to get to the next phase.

Mr. Klauber thrown out a major challenge that will help focus on next steps and that by December 2017, Bayfront 20:20's goal is to have a shovel in the ground to begin redevelopment.

Candace Damon and Alex stokes presented a presentation that showed how to get to those next steps.

Mr. Klauber informed Stakeholders that he will be meeting with both the Orchestra and Van Wezel Foundation's facility task force and their consultants in the next couple of weeks. With both facilities nearing completion of their assessments, Bayfront 20:20 can start to prepare for a collaborative presentation to the City Commission with their findings and the next phase of the work we will do towards the future of our Bayfront.

Michael thanked CCNA for their contribution to Bayfront 20:20 and reminded the Stakeholders that funding for our work has all come from the community. He informed the Stakeholder that it was questioned in the focus groups whether these funds were used for the learning trip to Kansas City. The Sarasota Community Foundation helped to support the travel expenses for the arts groups who went on the trip and the other participants paid their own way. \$300 of Bayfront 20:20 monies was used for a bus in Kansas City along with the expenses of our consultants HR&A.

Klauber updated the Stakeholders that there will be another Stakeholders meeting in January along with time on the City Commission agenda this winter.

he meeting was adjourned at 5:33 P.M.