

CITY OF FORT PIERCE

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Conference Agenda Meeting - Monday, May 9, 2022 - 9:00 a.m.

City Hall - Commission Chambers, 100 North U.S. #1, Fort Pierce, Florida

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **New Business**
 - a. Presentation of 2022 Legislative Wrap-Up by Nicole Fogarty, Legislative Affairs Director
 - b. Sunrise Theatre Advisory Board - Strategic Planning Committee Presentation
 - c. Edgartown Historic District update
 - d. Discussion regarding a request to rename Pinewood Park
 - e. Discussion regarding implementing a Hometown Hero Banner Program in the City of Fort Pierce
 - f. Reconstruction of Jaycee Park
5. **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

Any person who wishes to comment on any subject may be heard at this time. Please limit your comments to three (3) minutes or less, as directed by the Mayor, as this section of the Agenda is limited to thirty minutes. The City Commission will not be able to take any official actions under Comments from the Public. Speakers will address the Mayor, Commissioners, and the Public with respect. Inappropriate language will not be tolerated.
6. **City Commission Boards and Committees Updates**

7. **Adjournment**

Immediately following adjournment, please move toward the doors and exit the chambers. This allows for the safe and courteous exit of all persons, and those on the dais. Conversations after the meeting should be held outside of chambers, in the foyer or elsewhere, but not in the commission chambers where lights will be out as soon as the chambers are empty.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in this meeting should contact the City Clerk's Office at (772) 467-3065 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

City Commission Conference Agenda - 9:00 AM

4. a.

Meeting Date: 05/09/2022

Re: 2022 Legislative Wrap-Up

Submitted For: Nick Mimms, City Manager, City
Manager

SUBJECT:

Presentation of 2022 Legislative Wrap-Up by Nicole Fogarty, Legislative Affairs Director

Attachments

Presentation

Memo from City Attorney

Form Review

Inbox	Reviewed By	Date
City Manager	Nick Mimms	04/28/2022 11:51 AM
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2022 Legislative Wrap-Up

City of Fort Pierce Commission Conference
Monday, May 9, 2022
Legislative Affairs Division
Nicole Fogarty, Legislative Affairs Director



2022 Summary

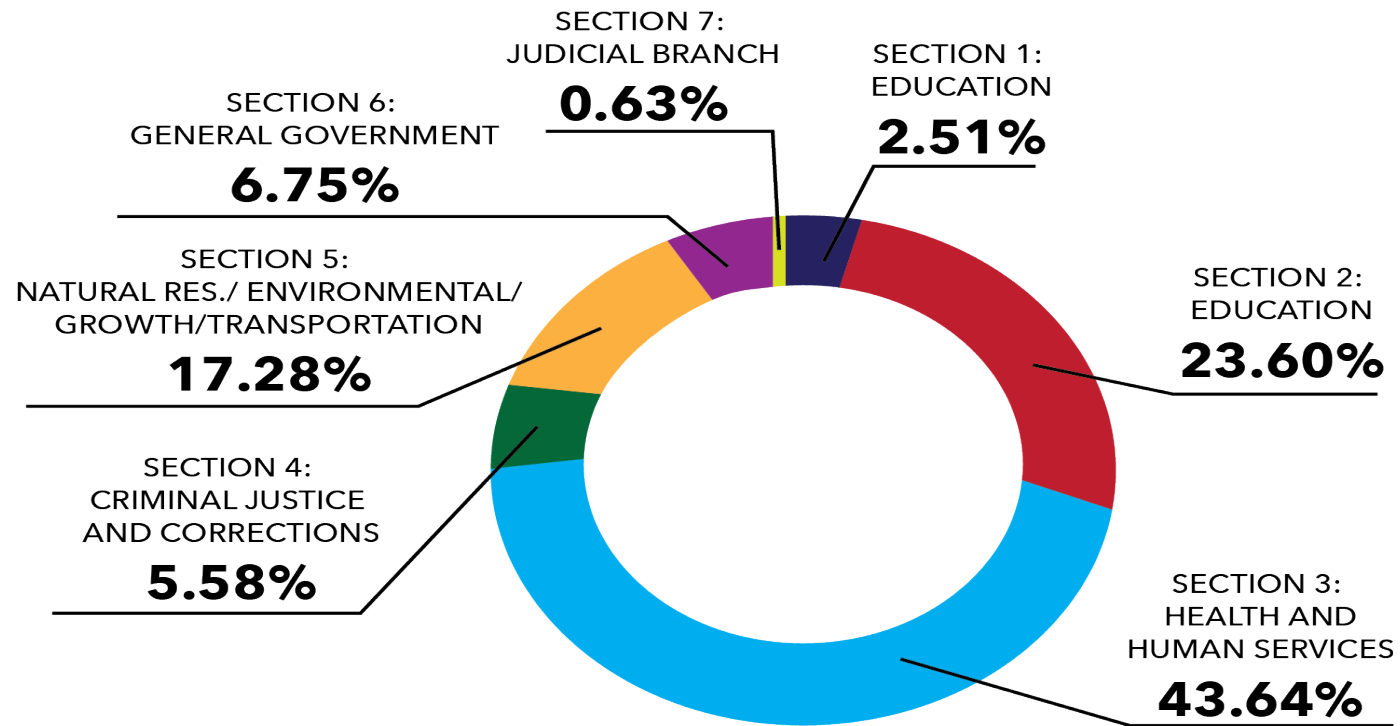
- Regular session January 11th – March 21st*
- Bills
 - 3,543 bills filed
 - 1,729 of those were filed appropriation projects
 - 306 passed
 - About 240 tracked for possible impact on local governments

*Session extended to vote on the budget

BUDGET



SFY 2023 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT: % OF TOTAL BUDGET





Health & Human Services

- New Horizons of the Treasure Coast \$1,393,482
- Shared County/State Juvenile Detention \$62,601,560
 - This is an increase of \$833,213
- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Local Grants \$9,000,000
- Community Substance & Mental Health \$1.108 billion
- Homeless Programs Challenge Grants \$3.2 million



Health & Human Services

- Second Chance Program – 19th Judicial Circuit \$346,735
- Growing Teachers From Within \$984,000
- Cultural & Museum Grants
 - Arts & Cultural Alliance of St. Lucie \$40,000
 - Atlantic Classical Orchestra \$90,000
 - City of Fort Pierce \$150,000
 - FPUA Manatee Observation \$69,400
 - Heathcote Botanical Gardens \$41,070
- Project LIFT \$450,000



Economic Development

- Florida Seaport Infrastructure \$100 million
- Harbour Pointe District Design \$1 million
- Florida Seaport Transportation & Economic Development (FSTED)
 - Port of Fort Pierce: \$2,500,000 \$25 million
- Florida DOT Work Plan to SLC \$21 million
- Visit Florida \$50 million
- Florida Job Growth Grant \$50 million
- Broadband Opportunity Program \$400 million



Economic Development

- State Apartment Incentive Loan Program (SAIL) \$53 million
- Hometown Hero Housing Program \$100 million
- State Housing Initiative Partnership (SHIP) \$209 million
- Economic Development Tools \$33.5 million



Agriculture & Natural Resources

- Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan \$202 million
- Beach Restoration & Inlet Management \$50 million
- Northern Everglades & Estuary Protection \$73 million
- Alternative Water Supply \$50 million
- Wastewater Grant Program \$125 million
- Septic Upgrade Incentive Program \$10 million



Agriculture & Natural Resources

- Water Quality Improvements \$350 million
- TMDL Innovation Projects \$50 million
- Resilient Florida Grants \$504 million
- ORCA Kilroys \$1,000,000
- Indian River Lagoon National Estuary Program \$250,000
- UF/IFAS Invasive Plant Research \$540,000



Agriculture & Natural Resources

- \$368 million for Statewide Water Projects
 - \$900,000: FPUA Septic to Sewer Phase 2
 - \$1,400,000: IRL Seagrass Restoration Project
 - \$1,100,000: Bluefield Dispersed Water Project
 - \$1,774,150: PSL-Southern Groves Water Main
 - \$416,875: PSL-St. Lucie River C-23



Back of the Bill

- **Local Support Grants \$205 million**
 - To provide local support grants to assist local governments, education entities or privately operated programs to support local initiatives.
 - To provide \$1,000 one time recognition payments to first responders, shall not exceed \$125 million.
- **African-American Cultural and Historical Grants**
 - City of Fort Pierce: FL Highwaymen & African-American Project: \$483,662
 - Zora Neal Hurston Florida Education Foundation: \$500,000

**Legislation to be
presented or approved
by the Governor**



HJR 1 – Additional Homestead Exemption

- If passed, will grant an additional homestead property tax exemption on \$50,000 of the assessed property value of homestead property owned by the following “critical” members of the public sector workforce:
 - Classroom Teachers
 - Law Enforcement Officers
 - Correctional Officers
 - Firefighters
 - Emergency Medical Technicians
 - Paramedics
 - Child Welfare Services Professionals
 - Active-Duty Military
 - Members of the Florida National Guard



HB 3 – Law Enforcement

- Creates the Florida Law Enforcement Recruitment Bonus Program to provide one-time bonus payments of up to \$5,000 to newly employed law enforcement officers
- Creates the Florida Law Enforcement Academy Scholarship Program to cover tuition, fees, and up to \$1,000 of eligible education expenses for trainees enrolled in a law enforcement officer basic recruit training program
- Creates a reimbursement program to pay for up to \$1,000 of equivalency training costs for certified law enforcement officers who relocate to Florida



HB 3 – Law Enforcement

- Provides law enforcement officers who adopt a child from within the state child welfare system with a \$25,000 benefit for adopting a child with special needs or a \$10,000 benefit for adopting a child without special needs;
- Dependent children of law enforcement officers eligible to receive a Family Empowerment Scholarship to attend a private school;
- Increases the base salary for each county sheriff by \$5,000;
- Allows the sheriff may transfer funds between categories after his or her budget has been approved by the board of county commissioners



HB 3 – Law Enforcement

- Exempts veterans and applicants with an associate degree or higher from taking the basic skills test as a prerequisite to entering a law enforcement officer basic recruit training program;
- Allows law enforcement officers or former law enforcement officers to receive postsecondary credit at Florida public postsecondary educational institutions for training and experience acquired while serving;
- Encourages each district school board to establish public safety telecommunication training programs and law enforcement explorer programs in public schools;
- Designates May 1 of each year as “Law Enforcement Appreciation Day.”



SB 620 - Business Claims

- Authorizes private, for-profit businesses to claim business damages from a county or municipality of the county or municipality that enacts or amends certain ordinances or charter provisions.
- A business conducting business in the jurisdiction for at least 3 years may claim business damages if a county or municipality enacts or amends an ordinance or a charter that causes a reduction of at least 15% of the business' profit.



SB 620 - Business Claims

- Exempted ordinances from business damages include:
 - Required to comply with state or federal law;
 - Emergency ordinances, declarations, or orders under State Emergency Management Act;
 - A temporary emergency ordinance in place no more than 90 days;
 - Part II of Ch. 163 relating to growth policy, planning, and land development regulations, including zoning, development orders, and development permits;
 - Florida Building Code (s.553.73);
 - Florida Fire Prevention Code (s.633.202);
 - Required to implement a contract or agreement, including federal, state, local grant;
 - Relating to issuance or refinancing of debt;
 - Relating to adoption of a budget or budget amendment, including revenue sources necessary to fund the budget;
 - Relating to procurement;
 - Intended to promote, enable, or facilitate economic competition.



HB 7049 – Legal Notices

- Allows a local governmental agency the option to publish legal notices on a publicly accessible website owned or designated by the county instead of in a print newspaper.
 - All posted information must be searchable and contain the date of advertisement first published on the website.
- Requires each government agency to maintain a registry of the property owners or residents that requested in writing to receive required advertisement or public notices by first-class mail or email.



HB 423 – Building Regulations

- Relating to “demolition” building permits for single family buildings
 - Local government may not prohibit or restrict a private property owner from obtaining a demolition permit located in coastal high hazard area and flood zone
 - Limits the review process for the permit
 - Prohibits local government from imposing additional regulations that are different from any other similarly situated vacant parcel
 - Certain historical buildings are exempt.



HB 423 – Building Regulations

- Relating to the building permit application process:
 - May not request additional information more than three times
 - 1st Request: If the applicant provides the information within 30 days, the local government must act within 15 days.
 - 2nd Request: If the applicant provides the information within 30 days, the local government must act within 10 days.
 - 3rd Request: Before making this request, the local government must meet with the applicant to resolve any outstanding issues.
 - If the third request is made and the applicant provides the information within 30 days, the local government must act within 10 days.



HB 921 – Campaign Financing

- The bill prohibits local governments from spending taxpayer funds to send any communication concerning an issue, referendum, or amendment that is subject to voter approval, including communications limited to “factual information.”
- The bill allows local governments to:
 - Report official actions in an accurate, fair, and impartial manner;
 - Post factual information on a government website or in printed materials;
 - Host and provide information at a public forum,
 - Provide factual information in response to an inquiry, or
 - Provide information as authorized or required by law.



SB 518 – Tree Trimming & Removal

- Local government may not require a notice, application, approval, permit, fee or mitigation for tree trimming or removal on a residential property if:
 - Documentation from a certified arborist or license landscape architect stating the tree poses an unacceptable risk.



SB 254 – Religious Services

- An emergency order may not expressly prohibit religious services or activities
 - However, the emergency order may prohibit religious services or activities if it applies uniformly to all entities within the jurisdiction.



HB 837 – Hurricane Loss Mitigation

- The Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program (HLMP) was set to expire June 30, 2022
- This bill extends the program to June 30, 2032
- The HLMP funds are used to improve wind resistance on residences and mobile homes, as well as public hurricane shelters.



SB 962 – Affordable Housing

- The bill authorizes a county or municipality, regardless of zoning ordinances or the locality's comprehensive plan, to approve mixed-use residential development projects on any parcel zoned for residential, commercial, or industrial use if 10% of the project is for affordable housing.
- Approval of such projects is self-executing and does not require the board of county commissioners to adopt an ordinance or a regulation before using the approval process.
- The developer must agree not to apply for or receive funding from the State Apartment Incentive Loan (SAIL) Program.



HB 965 – Water Quality

- Creates Water Quality Enhancement Areas (WQEAs), defined as natural systems constructed, operated, managed, and maintained for the purpose of providing offsite regional treatment.
- WQEAs may choose to accumulate credits towards the BMAP and shall only be sold to local governments.



HB 7071 – Tax Package

- Motor Fuel Tax Holiday - Creates the Florida Motor Fuel Tax Relief Act of 2022
 - Provides for the reduction of total fuel taxes by 25.3 cents per gallon from October 1, 2022, to October 31, 2022.
 - Suspends implementation of the following levies:
 - 1 cent County Fuel Tax
 - 1 cent Municipal Fuel Tax
 - 15 cent State Fuel Sales Tax
 - 8.3 cent State Comprehensive Enhanced Transportation System Levy
 - Also provides for \$200 million in General Revenue, contingent upon the Department of Financial Services receiving the second distribution of the state's allocation from the federal Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund
 - Including \$7.9 million to be transferred to offset the impact to the County Fuel Tax



HB 7071 – Tax Package

- Nine sales tax holidays:
 - Back to School Holiday July 25 to August 7
 - Disaster Preparedness Holiday May 28 to June 10
 - Energy Star Appliances Holiday September 1 to February 28
 - Freedom Week Holiday July 1 to July 7
 - Tools Used by Skilled Trade Workers Holiday September 3 to September 9
 - Diaper Holiday July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023
 - Baby and Toddler Clothing Holiday – July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023
 - Children’s Books Holiday May 14 to August 14
 - Impact resistant Windows and Doors Holiday July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2024



SB 434 – VISIT Florida

- Extends the statutory provision of Visit Florida to October 1, 2028.



HB 631 – Airport Funding

- Permits FDOT funding for up to 80% of eligible projects for airports classified as commercial or general aviation with fewer than 100,000 annual passenger boardings.



SB 788 – Hometown Hero Housing Program

- New down payment assistance program under Florida Housing Finance Corporation (FHFC)
- Under the program, eligible homebuyers will have access to loans which reduce down payments and closing costs.
- This program will supplement and function alongside existing down payment assistance programs currently administered by the FHFC.



SB 788 – Hometown Hero Housing Program

- Eligible first time homebuyers:
 - Sworn law enforcement officer;
 - Correctional officer or correctional probation officer;
 - 911 public safety telecommunicator;
 - Firefighter;
 - Educator;
 - Paramedic or emergency medical technician;
 - Licensed health care practitioner;
 - Physician assistant or medical assistant; or
 - Home health aide.

Questions?



THE SUNRISE CITY

FORT PIERCE
CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE *Florida*

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSIONERS

FROM: Tanya Earley, City Attorney *TME*

RE: 2022 Florida Legislative Session

DATE: April 22, 2022

As you know, the 2022 regular legislative session concluded last month. The City's legislative affairs coordinator is scheduled to make a presentation to the City Commission at the May 9, 2022 conference agenda. In the meantime, I have highlighted some items that may be of interest. At your request, I am happy to provide a more in-depth analysis and/or discuss other bills not referenced below.

Update on Tri-County Effort to Establish a No-Discharge Zone: Last year, the Florida legislature passed SB 1086. The new law allows for state waters within aquatic preserves to be designated no-discharge zones. In such zones, boaters would be prohibited from discharging treated or untreated sewage from their vessels. The state law must be approved by the United States Environmental Protection Agency before it can take effect. In December of 2021, St. Lucie, Martin, and Indian River Counties sent a letter to the federal government indicating their support for the state law and urging the designation of no-discharge zones along Florida's Indian River Lagoon. State and county officials await a response from the federal government.

The following bills have passed. Unless otherwise noted, they are awaiting signature by Governor DeSantis as of April 22, 2022.

Business Damages (SB 620):

Effective upon signature by the Governor, the bill allows a business that has been operating legally for at least three years to claim business damages from the municipality if it enacts or amends an ordinance or charter provision that will cause a reduction of at least 15% profit (not revenue). A municipality can avoid paying damages by timely repealing the complained of legislation or granting a waiver. The bill applies prospectively and carves out numerous exemptions. They include:

- Ordinances enacted pursuant to the Emergency Management Act
- Temporary emergency declarations/orders/ordinances (effective less than 90 days)
- Ordinances enacted to implement the Florida Building Code
- Ordinances enacted to implement the Florida Fire Code
- Ordinances related to zoning and development, as addressed in Chapter 163, Part II
- Ordinances related to debt issuance or refinancing
- Ordinances related to procurement
- Ordinances related to budgets/budget amendments

- Other ordinances enacted to comply with state or federal laws

Cybersecurity (HB 7055):

The bill requires local governments to report cyberattacks and prohibits them from paying or acceding to ransom demands. It also requires local governments to take affirmative steps to ensure cybersecurity. The steps include employee training and the adoption of cybersecurity standards and safeguards that are consistent with national standards. Municipalities with a population of more than 25,000 people have until January 1, 2024 to put these safeguards in place.

Cybersecurity – Public Records and Meetings (HB 7057):

Effective July 1, 2022, the bill creates exemptions for the following types of records:

- Coverage limits and deductible/self-insurance amounts related to the protection of a local government’s information technology systems, operational technology systems and data.
- Records related to critical infrastructure.
- Records related to network schematics, hardware and software configurations, or encryption information or details that identify detection, investigation, or response practices or confirmed cybersecurity incidents.

It also creates a public meeting exemption for any portion of a meeting that would reveal the confidential and exempt information described above. Such meetings would still need to be recorded and transcribed. The exemptions will expire in 2027 unless extended by the legislature.

Local Tree Ordinances (SB 518):

As originally drafted, section 163.045, Florida Statutes, prohibited local governments from requiring a notice, application, permit, fee, or mitigation for pruning, trimming, or removing a tree on a residential property if the owner obtained documentation from an arborist or licensed landscape architect that the tree was a danger to persons or property. The law did not define what type of documentation was required. SB 518 defines “documentation” as an onsite assessment performed in accordance with tree risk assessment procedures outlined in Best Management Practices – Tree Risk Assessment, Second Edition (2017) by an arborist certified by the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) or a Florida licensed landscape architect and signed by the arborist or landscape architect. It also moves the standard away from “danger” to persons/property and replaces it with “unacceptable risk,” which the statute further defines. In sum, the new law requires property owners to produce a scientifically sound report stating that tree removal is the only practical means of assuring safety. The bill’s effective date is July 1, 2022.

Expenditure of Public Funds to Communicate with Electors (HB 921) – Signed by the Governor:

Effective July 1, 2022, local governments are prohibited from expending public funds for any communication that is sent to electors concerning an issue that is subject to a vote. Even communications that are limited to the presentation of facts or data are prohibited. Under the new law, local governments can still report on official actions of the governing body in an accurate and impartial manner; post facts on a government website or in printed materials; host and provide information at a public forum; provide facts in response to an inquiry; and provide information as otherwise authorized or required by law.

Smoking Restrictions (HB 105):

Effective July 1, 2022, the bill permits local governments to restrict smoking within the boundaries of their public beaches and parks. Further, municipalities can restrict smoking in county-owned beaches/parks that are within their boundaries, so long as there is no conflict with a county ordinance. There is an exemption for unfiltered cigars.

Law Enforcement Pay and Benefits (HB 3) – Signed by the Governor:

Effective July 1, 2022, the law creates an incentive program for new law enforcement recruits. The program, which will be administered by the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, includes a one-time bonus of up to \$5000 for newly employed officers and it is subject to the appropriation of sufficient funds. For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, the Legislature appropriated \$20 million for the bonus program. It also provides for financial assistance with basic recruit training and educational expenses; amends section 145.071(1), Florida Statutes, to raise the base salary of elected Sheriffs by \$5000; and designates May 1 of each year as Law Enforcement Appreciation Day.

Local Tax Referenda (HB 777):

Effective October 1, 2022, the bill requires certain tax-related referenda to be held at a general election. They include referenda related to:

- tourist development and impact taxes
- increases in municipal and county ad valorem tax millages that exceed the limits set forth in section 200.081, Florida Statutes.
- certain fuel taxes
- certain school millages.

Publication of Legal Notices – Publication via Website (HB 7049):

Effective January 1, 2023, the bill creates section 50.0311, Florida Statutes, allowing governmental agencies (including municipalities) to publish legal notices via a publicly accessible website if the cost of electronic publication is less than the cost of publishing in a newspaper. All advertisements and public notices published on a website must be in searchable form and indicate the date on which the advertisement or public notice was first published on the website. A governmental agency that chooses to publish legal advertisements via website must create and maintain a registry for property owners and residents who choose to receive notice by first-class mail or e-mail. The registry must be advertised annually in a newspaper of general circulation or via another publication that is mailed or delivered to all property owners and residents. Additionally, the bill provides that a public bid advertisement placed on a website must include a method of accepting electronic bids.

The following bills failed, but are notable:

Physical Quorum during Emergencies (SB 674) (FAILED):

The bill would have suspended the physical quorum requirement for local governmental bodies during a declared state of emergency. During the declared emergency, remote attendance via phone or videoconferencing would have been permitted for up to six months.

Business Impact Estimates (SB 280) (FAILED):

The bill would have required municipalities to prepare and post for inspection a business impact estimate before adopting a new ordinance. It would also have provided for automatic stays of enforcement of a new ordinance once it is challenged in court, thus obviating the need for a plaintiff to seek injunctive relief. Finally, the bill would have allowed courts to award attorney's fees to parties who succeeded in having an ordinance declared "arbitrary" or "unreasonable."

Increased Sovereign Immunity Caps for Torts (SB 974/HB 985) (FAILED):

The bill would have increased the statutory limits on liability for tort claims as follows: per person, from \$200,000 to \$400,000; per incident, from \$300,000 to \$600,000.

Sliding Scale for Sovereign Immunity Caps for Torts (SB 974) (FAILED):

The bill would have established liability caps based on a sliding scale. Local governments with a population of 50,000 or less would keep the existing statutory limits. Larger jurisdictions would have seen increases, up to \$400,000 per person and \$600,000 per occurrence.

Vacation Rentals (SB 512 and CB 325) (FAILED):

Among other requirements, the bills would have limited or eliminated fees for local registration programs, required specific processing times for applications, and prohibited fining violators who come into compliance within a specified timeframe (within 30 days of receiving notice).

**2022 Bill Actions
as of April 22, 2022**

CS	HB/SB	Number	Title	Sponsor	Date Presented	Governor's Due Date	Action Date	Disposition
CS	SB	96	Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund	Burgess	2/10/2022	2/17/2022	2/17/2022	Signed
	SB	98	Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund	Burgess	2/10/2022	2/17/2022	2/17/2022	Signed
	SB	846	Florida Statutes	Passidomo	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	848	Florida Statutes	Passidomo	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	850	Florida Statutes	Passidomo	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	852	Florida Statutes	Passidomo	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	854	Florida Statutes	Passidomo	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	7000	A Review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act	Committee Bill	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	7004	A Review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act	Committee Bill	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	7014	COVID-19-Related claims against Health Care Providers	Committee Bill	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
	SB	7018	A Review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act	Committee Bill	2/17/2022	2/24/2022	2/24/2022	Signed
CS	SB	282	Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders	Rouson	3/3/2022	3/10/2022	3/10/2022	Signed
CS	SB	1006	State Symbols	Burgess	3/4/2022	3/11/2022	3/7/2022	Signed
CS	SB	1658	Executive Appointments	Bean	3/10/2022	3/17/2022	3/10/2022	Signed
CS	SB	520	Public Records and Public Meetings	Brandes	3/14/2022	3/29/2022	3/15/2022	Signed
CS	SB	1048	Student Assessments	Diaz	3/14/2022	3/29/2022	3/15/2022	Signed
	SB	418	The Assistive Technology Advisory Council	Pizzo	3/21/2022	4/5/2022	3/25/2022	Signed
	SB	1054	Financial Literacy Instruction in Public Schools	Hutson	3/21/2022	4/5/2022	3/22/2022	Signed
CS	HB	173	Care of Students with Epilepsy or Seizure Disorders	Duran	3/22/2022	4/6/2022	3/25/2022	Signed
	HB	235	Restraint of Students with Disabilities in Public Schools	Plasencia	3/22/2022	4/6/2022	3/25/2022	Signed
CS	HB	1467	K-12 Education	Garrison	3/22/2022	4/6/2022	3/25/2022	Signed
	HB	459	Step-Therapy Protocols	Willhite	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	HB	593	Telecommunicator Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	McClure	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	HB	631	Airport Funding	Grall	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	HB	855	Managed Care Plan Performance	Bartleman	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	HB	925	Benchmark Replacements for London Interbank Offered Rate	Stevenson	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	HB	1099	Living Organ Donors in Insurance Policies	Barnaby	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS	HB	1557	Parental Rights in Education	Harding	3/28/2022	4/12/2022	3/28/2022	Signed
	SB	236	Children with Developmental Delays	Jones	3/29/2022	4/13/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	SB	1552	Direct-Support Organization for the Florida Prepaid College Board	Gruters	3/29/2022	4/13/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	SB	934	Public Records	Gruters	3/29/2022	4/13/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	SB	102	Establishing the Congressional Districts of the State	Rodriguez (R)	3/29/2022	4/13/2022	3/29/2022	Vetoed
CS	HB	3	Law Enforcement	Brannan	3/31/2022	4/15/2022	4/1/2022	Signed
CS/CS	SB	988	In-Person Visitation	Garcia	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	SB	1360	Governor's Medal of Freedom	Wright	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/7/2022	Signed
CS	HB	255	Private Instructional Personnel Providing applied Behavior Analysis Services	Plasencia	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	HB	469	Patient Care in Health Care Facilities	Trabulsy	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS	HB	1239	Nursing Homes	Melo	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	HB	539	Nursing Home Financial Reporting	Trumbull	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS/CS	HB	543	Uterine Fibroid Research & Education	Omphroy	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	HB	817	Emergency Medical Care & Treatment to Minors without Parental Consent	Massullo	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS	HB	893	Child Welfare Placements	Melo & Williams	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS	HB	963	Funding for Sheriffs	Hunschofsky	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	HB	1209	Administration of Vaccines	Tuck	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	HB	1249	Treatment of Defendants Adjudicated Incompetent to Stand Trial	Persons-Mulicka	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS	HB	1521	Professional Counselors Licensure Compact	Koster	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	HB	1523	Public Records and Meetings	Koster	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS	HB	1577	Homeless Youth	Woodson	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
CS/CS	HB	921	Campaign Financing	Drake	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed
	SB	312	Telehealth	Diaz	4/5/2022	4/20/2022	4/6/2022	Signed

City Commission Conference Agenda - 9:00 AM

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Meeting Date: 05/09/2022

Re: Sunrise Theatre Advisory Board - Strategic Planning Committee Presentation

Submitted For: Sharon Engle, Executive Director,
Sunrise Theatre

SUBJECT:

Sunrise Theatre Advisory Board - Strategic Planning Committee Presentation

Attachments

Presentation

Form Review

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Sunrise Theatre

5-Year Strategic Plan

2022 - 2027

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▶ Vision Statement

The Sunrise Theatre's Vision is to be the Treasure Coast's #1 Live Event Destination while fostering an inclusive and welcoming environment for all.

▶ Mission Statement

Our Mission is to preserve the heritage of the Sunrise Theatre by providing a wide variety of quality performing arts and educational experiences in an exceptional venue. The theatre serves to enrich the quality of life of our community by enhancing its involvement in the arts and stimulate economic prosperity while showcasing downtown Fort Pierce.

▶ Executive Summary

Our 5-Year Strategic Plan is based on a foundation focusing on the following:

- Enhancing Operational Excellence
- Programming
- Expand donation, Sponsorships and membership programs
- Building A Strong Foundation

A great organization is always looking forward... to increase the enthusiasm and commitment of its patrons, supporters, and staff, to foster new ideas, to improve organizational performance, and to reach full potential.

▶ Economic Impact of Arts & Culture

People intuitively know that arts and culture make their communities more desirable places to live and work. The arts provide inspiration and joy, they beautify public spaces and they bring us together. The connection between the arts and economic development is less obvious, but no less important. Arts organizations are businesses that provide employment and purchase goods and services from local businesses. Arts and culture also attract visitors who spend money at local restaurants, retail stores, and hotels.

“Arts & Economic Prosperity” is a study conducted regularly by Americans for the Arts, to assess the non-profit arts industry’s impact on the economy. Using a calculator tool derived from their findings, we are able to estimate the Sunrise Theatre’s contributions to our local economy. This fiscal year, the calculator estimates that local economic activity generated by the Sunrise Theatre during the pandemic, will total \$9 million. This impressive level of economic activity creates a significant number of local jobs and drives additional local government revenue that might go to other municipalities, making it easy to understand how arts and culture in Fort Pierce are directly connected to our City’s economic vitality.

▶ Operational Excellence

Goal: All aspects of the theatre operations will reflect industry best practices and operate above industry standards.

- Staff Size & Structure - Increase staff size and structure to industry standards for theater of comparable size.
- Capital Improvements - Create a comprehensive Capital Replacement Plan and Restructure Capital Expenditures. Capital Replacement plan to include immediate needs such as; water heater replacement, carpeting, plumbing fixtures
- Insurance - Research outside insurance possibilities for more affordable premium or adjust current premium to a more realistic level. (Based on similar size Florida venues research indicates annual premium should be \$85-95K)
- Accounting Practices- Revise budget and accounting practices to industry best practices by separating overhead revenues/expenses from event revenues/expenses so that both may be more closely monitored and managed.

▶ Operational Excellence

Event Management Software – Continue use of Event Management Software to keep all information stored in one place for ease of use and access for staff.

Website/Ticketing System - Implement a redesigned website and new ticketing system keeping up with technology and providing a smooth, easy process for the customer, updated marketing tools, etc.

Marketing – Recognize and use new approaches in digital marketing and other strategies to promote events, increase our reach and effectively communicate and engage our target audiences.

► Programming

Goal: To be the Treasure Coast's #1 live entertainment destination featuring Rising Stars, Concert Legends, Rock 'n Roll Hall of Fame Members, Grammy Winners, Comedy Superstars and an array of Special Events.

- Develop artist residency and outreach programs.
- Expand programming to represent and celebrate diverse cultures & talent.
- Continue to cultivate collaborations and partnerships with community stakeholders.
- Expand artist reach utilizing our relationship with PFM (Example - Daniel Tosh sold out in one day!) as well as co-promotes with National Promoters i.e., AEG, Live Nation, etc.
- Continue to fill the schedule with outside promoters increasing rental activity and decreasing risk.

▶ Contributed Revenues

Goal: Deliver high quality products that will attract and secure new donations, sponsorships and membership opportunities

- Offer ticket packages and special features to corporate sponsors that enhance the attractiveness of a sponsorship arrangement. Update current sponsor package to enhance sponsorship opportunities.
- Hire dedicated staff member to focus on grants, donations, sponsorships and membership.
- Revise and enhance membership benefits to make it more attractive.
- Partner with local merchants to offer discounts, dinner and show opportunities, special offers.
- Create a Young Professionals Members “Club” to increase participation in theatre events and fundraising activities.
- Create series packages and/or subscriptions to encourage early ticket sales for members and multi-show purchases.

► Sunrise Theatre Foundation

- Board development to create a foundation equipped to raise significant funds for the Sunrise Theatre.
- Continue to contribute financial support to Children's Theatre Programs each year.
- Increase funds raised through 3 – 4 annual events each year with a goal of \$10K each event.
- Identify potential grant sources and apply for grants, increasing the number written each year to improve ratio of grants approved.
- Research organizational support and set up a permanent Endowment Fund.
- Begin to develop and implement a corporate and individual Underwriting Program.
- Continue corporate and individual Underwriting Program.
- Develop and implement a Planned Giving Program

► Sunrise Theatre Foundation Contribution to Sunrise Theatre 5-Year Strategic Plan

	Current 21/211	Year 1 22/23	Year 2 23/24	Year 3 24/25	Year 4 25/26	Year 5 26/27
Fundraising	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$30,000	\$40,000	\$60,000	\$75,000
Grants	\$8,000	\$15,000	\$30,000	\$40,000	\$50,000	\$50,000
Camp	\$3,000	\$9,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$15,000
Children's Services Council	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$20,000
EST TOTAL	\$26,000	\$49,000	\$80,000	\$105,000	\$140,000	\$160,000

Appendix 5-Year Revenue Projections

	22/23 Projected	23/24 Projected	24/25 Projected	25/26 Projected	26/27 Projected	Total
Revenues						
Net Show Income *	\$ 191,002	\$ 198,642	\$ 206,588	\$ 216,917	\$ 227,763	\$ 1,040,913
Donations, Sponsorship & Membership	150,000	156,000	162,240	168,730	173,791	810,761
Net Concessions *	80,142	83,347	86,681	91,015	95,566	436,752
Net Rental Events *	128,925	134,082	139,446	146,418	153,739	702,611
Facility Fees	93,499	97,239	101,128	106,185	111,494	509,544
Service Charges	179,222	186,391	193,846	203,539	213,716	976,713
Operating Subsidy	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	2,250,000
Total Net Revenue	1,272,790	1,305,701	1,339,929	1,382,804	1,426,069	6,727,294
Overhead Expenses						
Administrative	464,156	478,277	492,809	507,765	523,358	2,466,365
Operational	480,300	494,849	509,828	525,251	541,131	2,551,360
Box Office	121,850	125,506	129,271	133,149	137,143	646,918
Facility Fee Designated to Capital Projects	93,499	97,239	101,128	106,185	111,494	509,544
Total Overhead Expenses	1,159,805	1,195,870	1,233,036	1,272,350	1,313,126	6,174,187
Net Income Projection before Depreciation	112,985	\$ 109,832	\$ 106,893	\$ 110,454	\$ 112,943	\$ 553,107

*These revenue projections are being reported on a net basis

Five Year Expense Projections

	Fiscal 2023 Projected	Fiscal 2024 Projected	Fiscal 2025 Projected	Fiscal 2026 Projected	Fiscal 2027 Projected	Total
Administration						
Personnel	\$ 286,800	\$ 295,404	\$ 304,266	\$ 313,394	\$ 322,796	\$ 1,522,660
Payroll Taxes	28,680	29,540	30,427	31,339	32,280	152,266
Pension	28,680	29,540	30,427	31,339	32,280	152,266
Health Care	32,400	33,372	34,373	35,404	36,466	172,016
Office Supplies	5,000	5,150	5,305	5,464	5,628	26,546
Other Contractual	35,196	36,252	37,339	38,460	39,613	186,860
Legal & Accounting	4,800	5,000	5,200	5,400	5,800	26,200
Marketing	20,000	20,600	21,218	21,855	22,510	106,183
Postage	5,000	5,150	5,305	5,464	5,628	26,546
Telephone	8,100	8,343	8,593	8,851	9,117	43,004
Training & Travel	7,500	7,725	7,957	8,195	8,441	39,819
Miscellaneous	2,000	2,200	2,400	2,600	2,800	12,000
Total Administration	464,156	478,277	492,809	507,765	523,358	2,466,365
Operational						
Personnel-Full-time	116,000	119,480	123,064	126,756	130,559	615,860
Personnel-Part-time	40,000	41,200	42,436	43,709	45,020	212,365
Facility Cleaning	25,000	25,750	26,523	27,318	28,138	132,728
Payroll Taxes	18,100	18,643	19,202	19,778	20,372	96,095
Pension	11,600	11,948	12,306	12,676	13,056	61,586
Health Care	21,600	22,248	22,915	23,603	24,311	114,677
Utilities	125,000	128,750	132,613	136,591	140,689	663,642
Supplies	6,000	6,180	6,365	6,556	6,753	31,855
Insurance *	85,000	87,550	90,177	92,882	95,668	451,277
Repairs & Maintenance **	30,000	30,900				
Facility Miscellaneous	2,000	2,200				
Total Operations	480,300	494,849	509,828	525,251	541,131	2,551,360
Box Office						
Personnel	94,500	97,335	100,255	103,263	106,361	501,713
Taxes	9,450	9,734	10,026	10,326	10,636	50,171
Pension	4,600	4,738	4,880	5,027	5,177	24,422
Health Care	10,800	11,124	11,458	11,801	12,155	57,339
Supplies	2,500	2,575	2,652	2,732	2,814	13,273
Total Box Office	121,850	125,506	129,271	133,149	137,143	646,918
Total Expenses	\$ 1,066,306	\$ 1,098,631	\$ 1,131,908	\$ 1,166,165	\$ 1,201,632	\$ 5,664,643

*General Liability/Excess Liability Property/Worker's Comp Insurance based on industry standards for a facility this size and amount of activity

**City to fund 100% of Capital Projects and fund any annual repairs over \$30,000

▶ Guest Experience Survey

Specific show-by-show survey reports have been evaluated and scored with an A-F letter grade for each part of the measured guest experience.

To - date, over 1,200 Sunrise guests have shared feedback on their experience at events.

Overall, for all events evaluated to-date, here are the overall scores:

Sunrise Theatre Guest Experience Survey

Likelihood to Recommend Sunrise Theatre.....	A-
Quality of Show.....	B+
Event Staff.....	A-
The Venue.....	B+
Snacks & Beverages.....	B

▶ Guest Survey Comments

Respondents can offer open-ended responses that add additional insight. The feedback below is from the recent Ten Tenors concert.

- Nice theater.
- Ten Tenors were fabulous.
- It is beautiful and the volunteers were extremely friendly. Not to mention the show of the Ten Tenors. It was amazing.
- Always a great experience.
- We only visit Florida 3 months a year. We have been lucky to be here when Sunrise has outstanding shows.
- Sunrise also has good value for the cost of attending. Keep up the good work.
- Lovely theatre, wonderful staff, easy parking.
- Outstanding shows.
- Good entertainment, good sound system, comfortable seats.
- Comfortable theatre. Nice and helpful ushers.
- Quality entertainment.
- Small venue and great shows!
- The venues are great, easy parking in the area, it has a nice hometown feel. Prices OK.
- Very engaging show.
- Ambiance of theater.
- Always great entertainers and a very friendly and professional staff.
- Convenient - great shows - like supporting the venue.
- Ushers are very nice but most of all the show was absolutely amazing.
- Your range of shows is good. Comfort excellent. Organization good.
- Great shows.
- I brought a family member and friends to this show. It was top 5 in my book! Everyone raved about this show.
- Very convenient to Jensen Beach Local restaurants nearby. Sound was very good. Ten Tenors were amazing!!
- Great seating & acoustics.

Thank You!
QUESTIONS?

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Re: Edgartown Historic District

Submitted For: Nick Mimms, City Manager, City
Manager

SUBJECT:

Edgartown Historic District update

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Edgartown Historic District





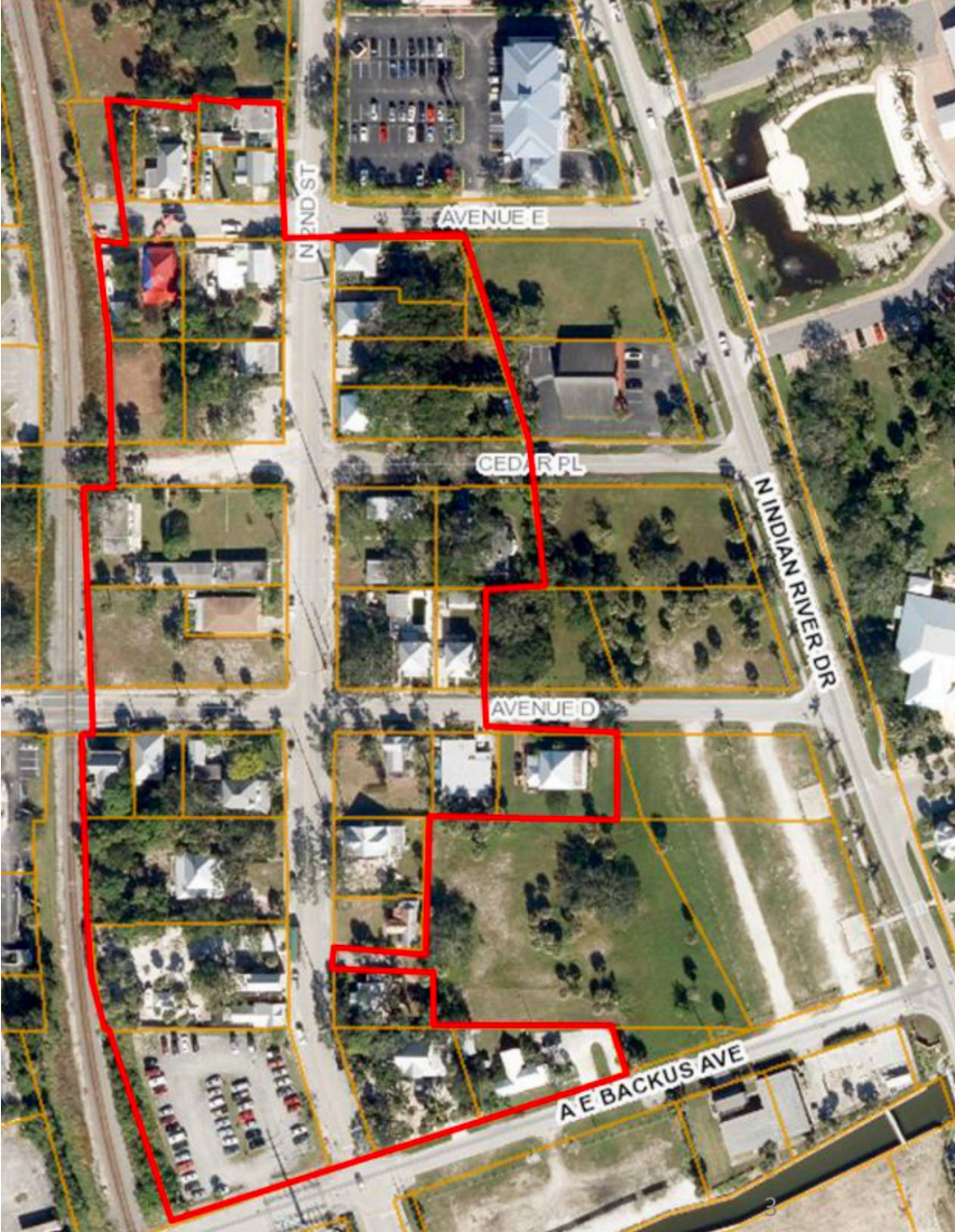
EDGARTOWN HISTORIC DISTRICT UPDATE

- Overview of Community Survey & Proposed Text Amendment-Planning
- Street Renaming – Public Works
- Traffic & Drainage – Engineering
- Noise Concerns – City Attorney
- Next Steps – City Manager



Edgartown Settlement (ES) Zoning District Survey Results

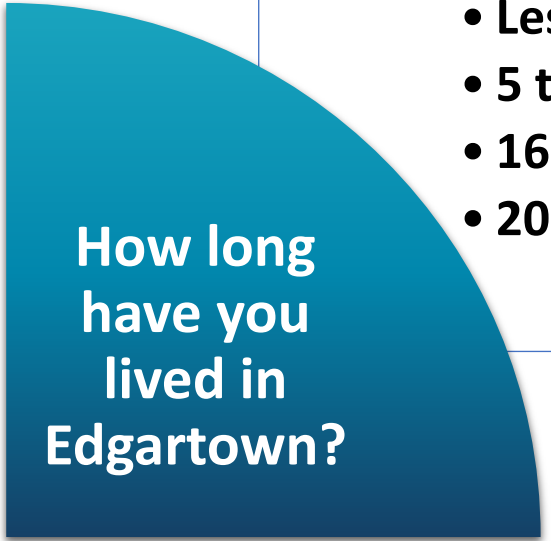
- The need for a survey was concluded by the residents at the May 12, 2021, Edgartown community meeting.
- The Edgartown Survey began on September 29, 2021 and ended on October 29, 2021.
- It was emailed to all residents on the Edgartown community contact list, posted on the city website and distributed during the Edgartown community meeting.





Survey Results

- Yes - 66.7%
- No - 33.3%



- Less than 1 year to 4 years – 58.3%
- 5 to 15 years – 25%
- 16 to 20 years - 8.4%
- 20+ years – 8.3%

- Yes - 46.2%
- No - 58.3%



- Own – 100%



Proposed Community Logo Themes

- Oyster Shell – 18.2%
- River Boat – 27.3%
- Front of House/Porch – 45.5%
- Old Train – 9.1%



Would you like to have one uniform tree-type planted or trees that correspond to the street that they are located on?

- One Tree-type for all streets – 57.1%
- Different Tree-types per street – 42.9%



If one type of tree was to be selected, what type would you prefer?

- Shade Trees – 28.6%
- Palms – 21.4%
- Flowering Trees – 42.9%
- Flowering Shade Trees – 7.1%



Survey Results

Would you support street name changes?

- Yes – 78.6%
- No – 21.4%

If yes, what would be your preference?

- Flower Names – 8.3%
- Tree Names – 58.3%
- Fish Names – 33.3%

What type of Murals would you like to see in the area?

- Historic Fort Pierce Scene – 46.7%
- Florida Coastal Scene – 6.7%
- Local Cultural Scene – 33.3%
- All types of Art – 6.5%
- Coastal Edgartown when it was waterfront – 6.8%

What type of sidewalk designs are most appealing to you?

- Brick Pavers – 40%
- Sidewalk Art – 13.3%
- Pavers – 26.7%
- Concrete – 13.3%
- Existing Sidewalk Design with curb – 6.7%



Are you in favor of having all new/replacement fences adhere to the same guidelines (ex. picket fences, no new chain fences)?

- Yes – 73.3%
- No – 26.7%

Would you like to see any entry signs or entrance designs that separate the Edgartown neighborhood from the surrounding area?

- Yes – 92.9%
- No – 7.1%

What overnight parking solution would you prefer?

- Special designation of parking spaces – 14.3%
- Special guest stickers for businesses & residents – 71.4%
- Overnight parking not for sleeping in car, only for someone who couldn't drive – 7.2%
- I believe it is fine as is – 7.1%

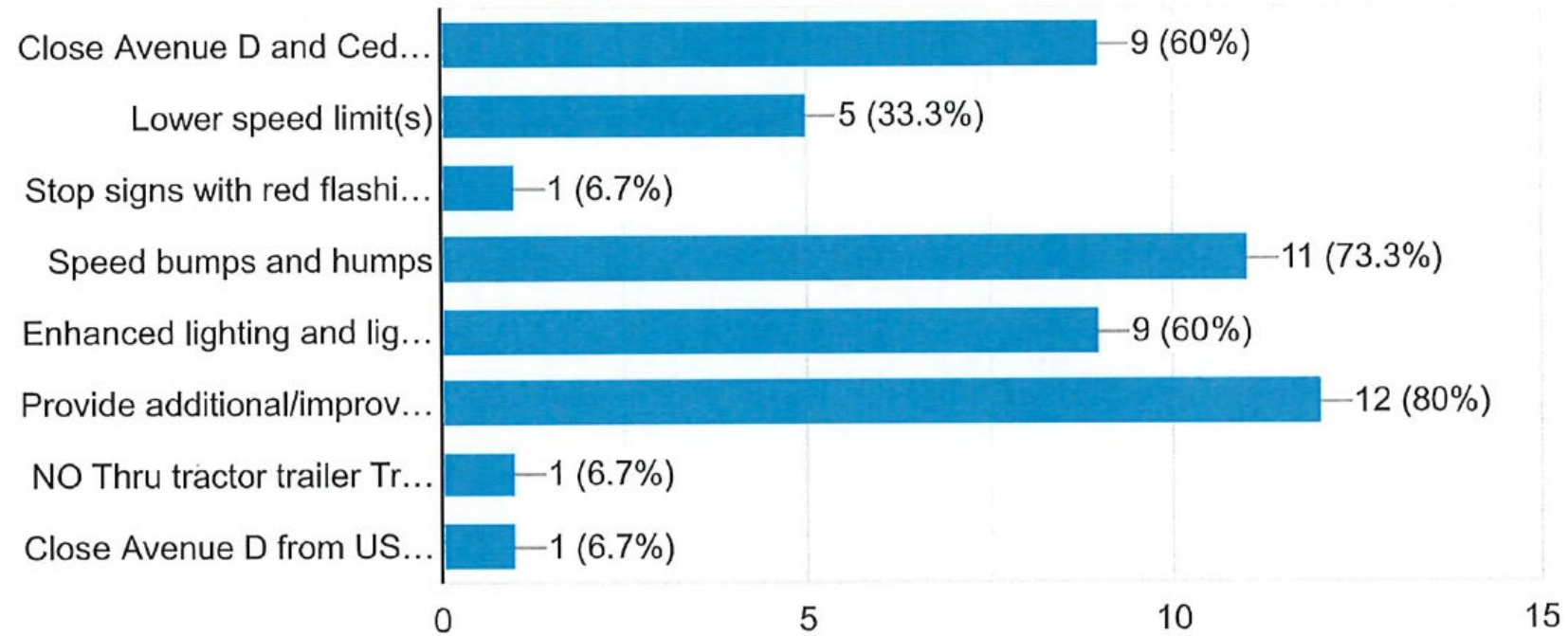
What would be your preference in control of exterior music?

- Regulations of the sound using a decibel – 26.7%
- Regulations based on the time of day – 53.3%
- Both but decibel levels seem logical – 10%
- I have no issue with music and support more entertainment – 10%
- I believe that the time of day should mirror the City – 10%



What would you support as possible solution(s) to the traffic safety concerns. (check all that apply)

15 responses





What would you deem the most important issue in the area that should be handled first?

Drainage

The established QUIET ZONE from the train and a sound barrier installed. Stop entry on Ave D

Safety

Music

Chronic litter issue on Ave D/Need speed bumps

Sidewalks

Sidewalks should be along Backus Ave, Ave D, and Cedar and Ave E

Roads and parking

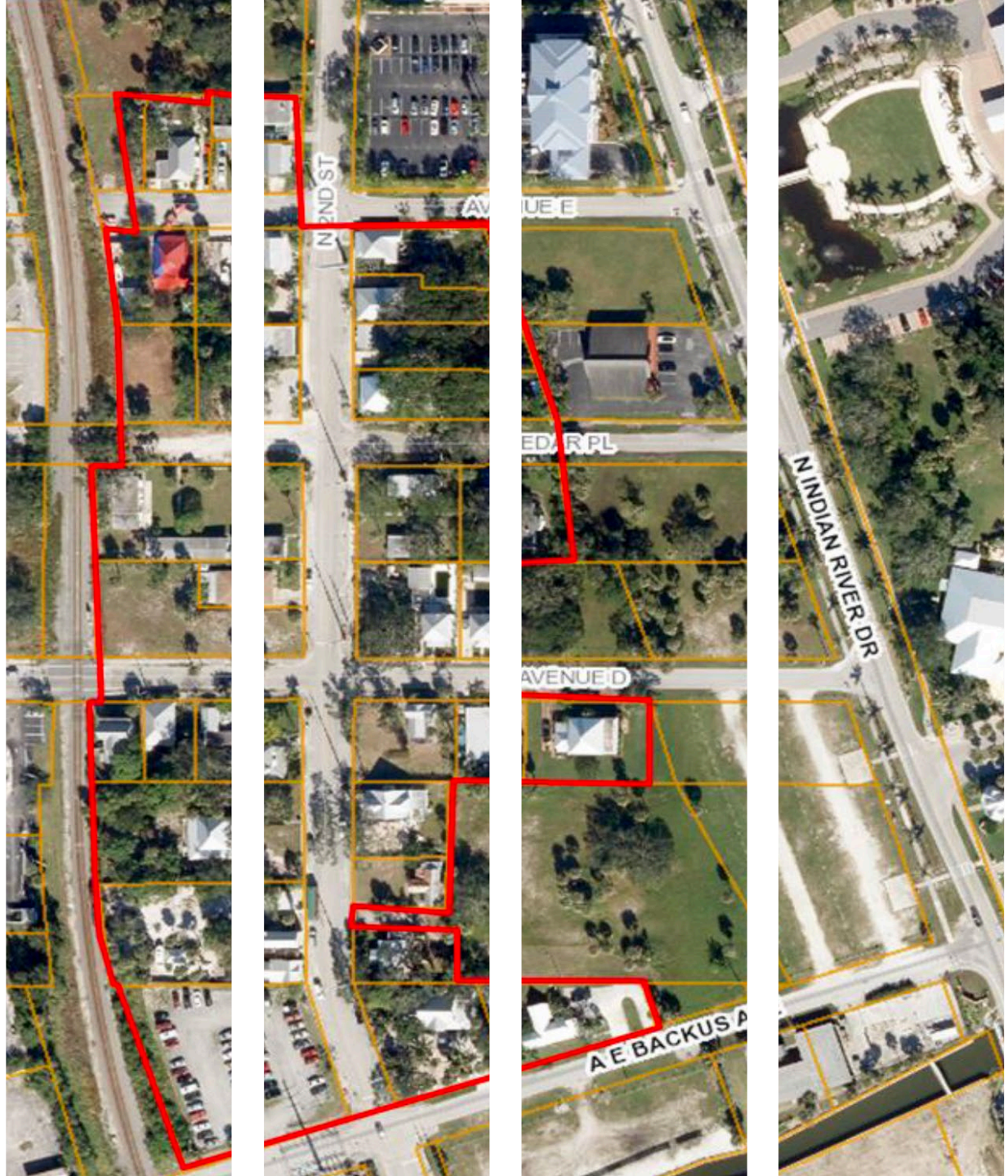
Traffic. Closing Ave D.



Survey Results

Any additional comments, suggestions, or questions?

- Maximizing Edgartown’s place as the quaint, historic neighborhood of Fort Pierce (using Key West or St. Augustine as template) is an easy way to support the downtown revitalization efforts.
- Homeless are intimidating
- We need to get moving on the “quiet zone” from the train
- Absolutely need to address speeding issue on Ave D. Also the nightly trash dumped on Ave D should be mitigated
- The noise issue at Pierced Cider is a major problem for me
- Parking will be an issue when King’s Landing is developed.
- Really well done survey
- Edgartown has so many possibilities!





Edgartown Historic District



Text Amendment to Section 125-197 Edgartown Settlement (ES) Zoning District

The Edgartown Historic District is significant for its association with Edgartown, the small settlement established in the 1870s that preceded Fort Pierce's founding in 1882. It contains contributing historic resources from the late nineteenth century through the mid-twentieth century and includes examples of Colonial Revival, Frame Vernacular, Masonry Vernacular and Commercial Vernacular architecture. The Edgartown District was designated in 2001.



01

Changes to dimensional standards

- Removal of required rear alley access for new construction
- Reduction of maximum number of contiguous lots in a rowhouse group
- Reduction of rear & side setback requirement
- Elimination of lot area per dwelling requirement
- Modification of building height definition

02

Changes to definitions, classifications and standards

- Streamline site design requirements
- Modification of architectural compatibility requirement



Text Amendment

03

Changes to childcare facility requirements

- Elimination of specific play yard standards

04

Changes to overnight accommodation use standards

05

Changes to ancillary definitions

- Removal of unused terms
- Revision to detached garage definition
- Addition of acoustic music* definition.

**Acoustic music* means a music that solely or primarily uses instruments that produce sound through acoustic means, as opposed to electric or electronic means.



Edgartown Historic District

STREET RENAMING GUIDELINES





All Roads Lead to Fort Pierce

Street Renaming

The practice of the City of Fort Pierce is to name streets through an adopted process utilizing the objectives below, emphasizing community values and character, local and national history, geography, the environment, and civic service to the City of Fort Pierce.

The **purpose** of these guidelines is to establish a systematic and consistent approach for the official renaming of Streets in the City of Fort Pierce.



Street Renaming

The **objectives** of these guidelines is to...

- Ensure streets are easily identified and located.
- Ensure that given names to streets are consistent with the values and character of the area or neighborhood served.
- Encourage public participation in the naming, renaming, and dedication of streets.
- Advance the reputation of the City as well as increase the understanding and public support for its programs.





Street Renaming

Therefore, the following criteria shall be used in determining the appropriateness of the naming designation:

- Neighborhood, geographic, or common usage identification.
- A historical figure, place, event, or other instance of historical or cultural significance.
- National, state, and local leaders or heroes, both past and present.
- Natural or geographical features, such as plant materials, streams, rivers, lakes, and creeks.
- An individual, living or deceased, who has contributed outstanding civic service to the City.
- An individual, living or deceased [a] who has made a significant land and/or monetary contribution or [b] who has had the contribution made "In Memoriam" and when the name has been stipulated as a condition of the donation.



The **steps** to name a City street include but are not limited to:

Street Renaming

1. An open call for submissions by the City of Fort Pierce including a deadline for submission.
2. A completed "City of Fort Pierce Nomination Form" submitted to the City Clerk for each nomination by any citizen, group, or organization.
3. Submissions vetted by the Parks Committee, including all facts and backgrounds listed on the nomination form plus any other research deemed appropriate.
4. All vetted submissions presented to the Commissioners for review with notes from the research.
5. Commissioners discuss these submissions during a Conference Agenda Meeting. The Commission may accept or reject the Committee submissions. In the latter event, the Commission shall refer the call for submissions back to the Committee.
6. Commissioners select the name by vote at a Commission Meeting.





TRAFFIC & DRAINAGE





Evaluation of 4-Way Stop 2nd Street and Avenue E

Information from 7-Day Traffic Counts

Average Daily Traffic (ADT) → 2,674

66% of traffic is south-bound

	SPEED
Mean	→ 22 MPH
# over 55 MPH	→ 0
# 36-40 MPH	→ 9

Traffic Crashes (10-Year History)

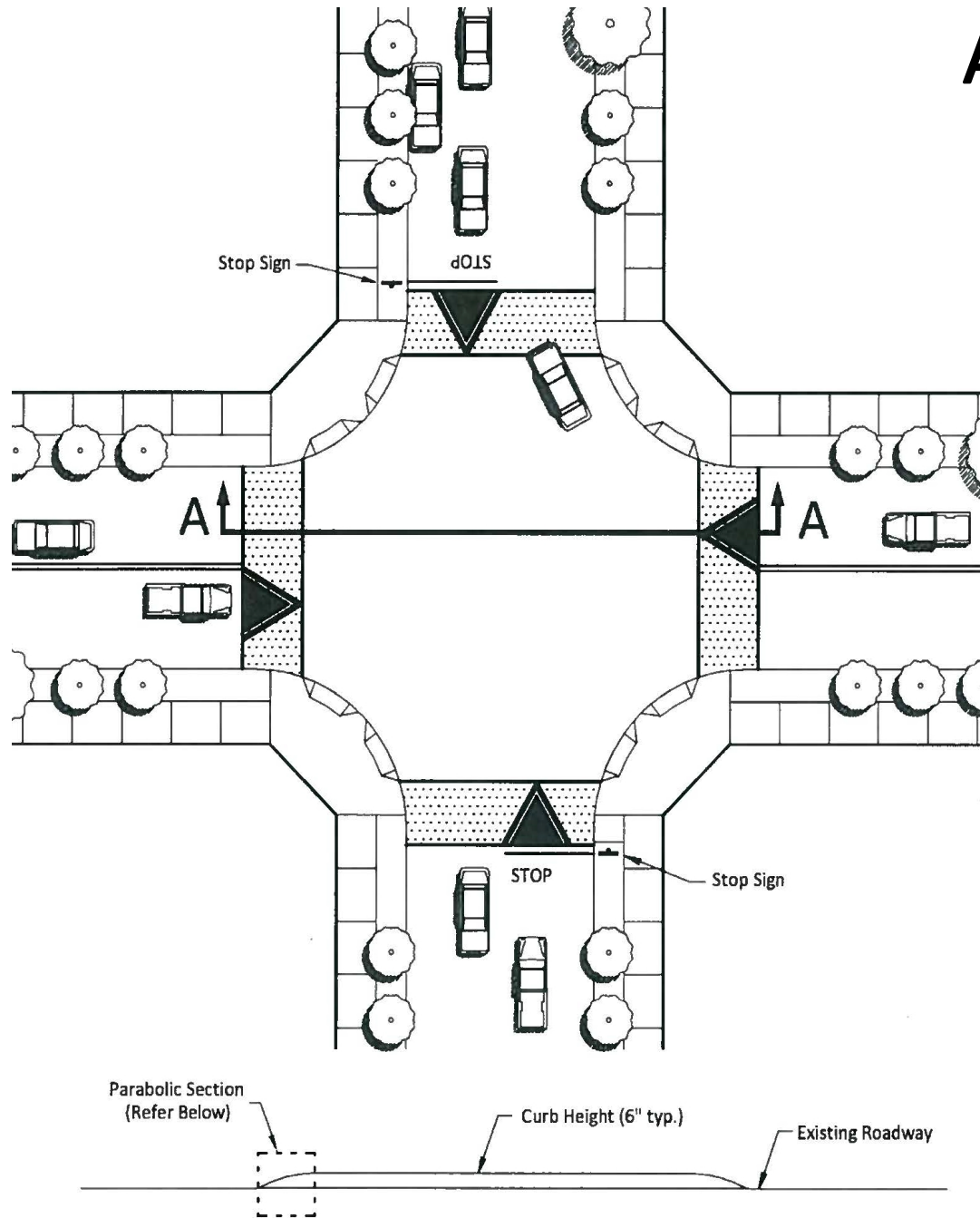
2016 Failure to stop at sign

2022 Sideswipe from rear





Avenue D – Street Design



Project currently under design (30%)



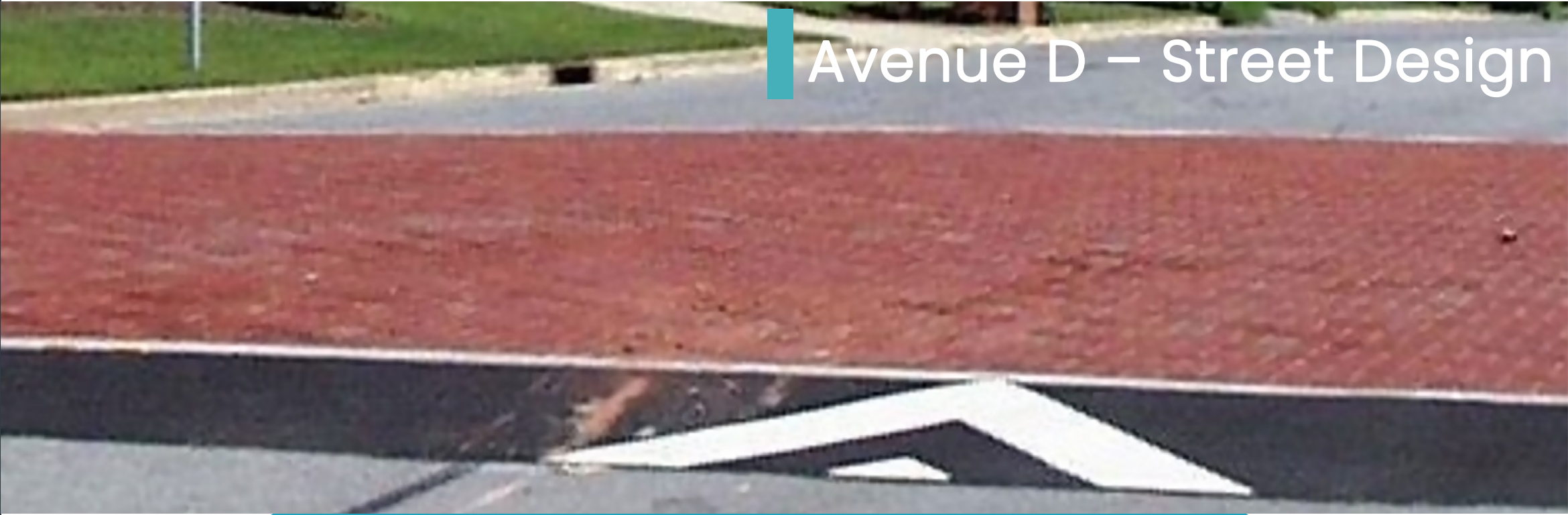
Avenue D – Street Design



Residents have complained about speeding and drivers disregarding the existing Stop Sign



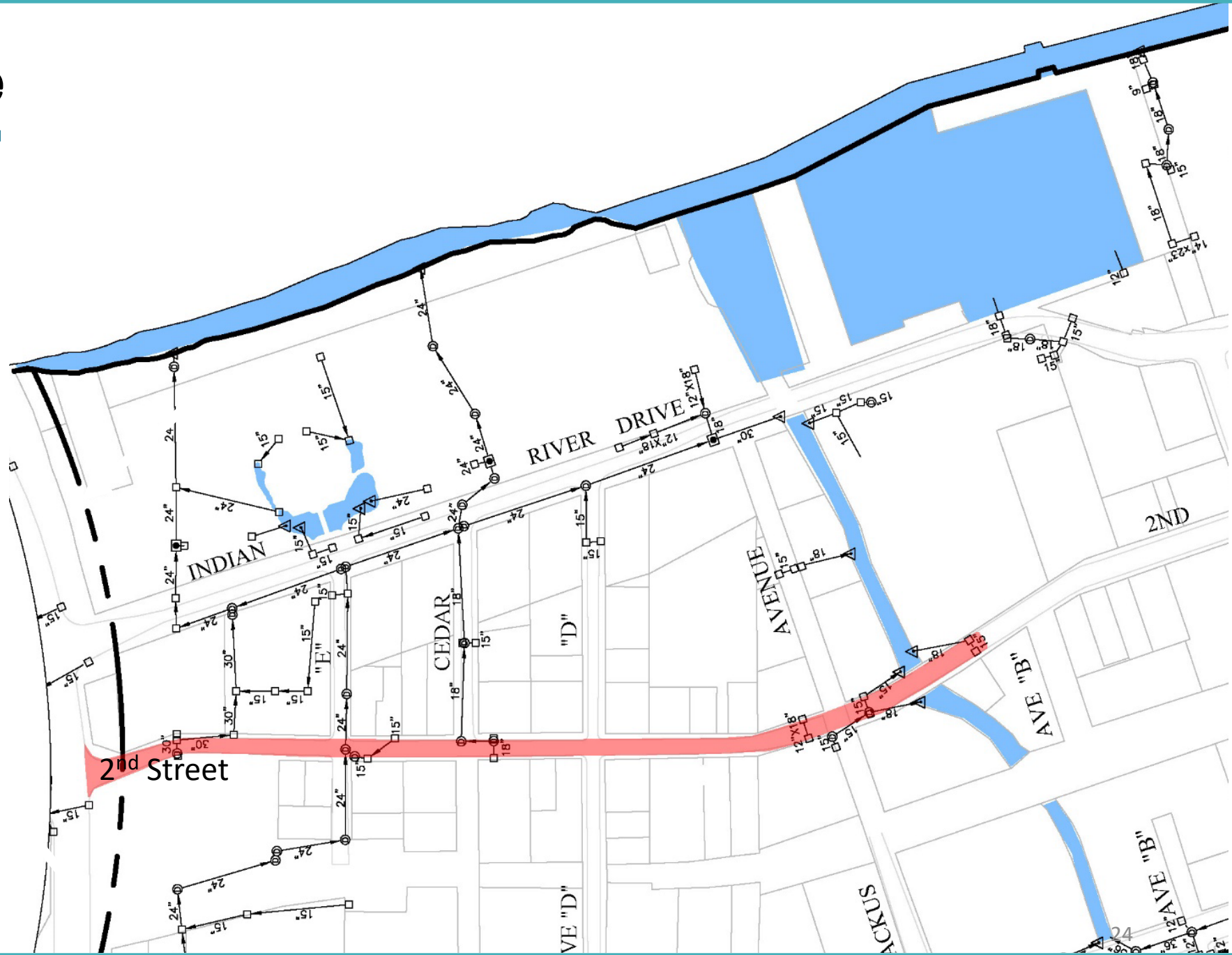
Avenue D – Street Design



Design is currently evaluating the use of a raised intersection to provide traffic calming



Drainage





Edgartown Historic District



NOISE CONCERNS

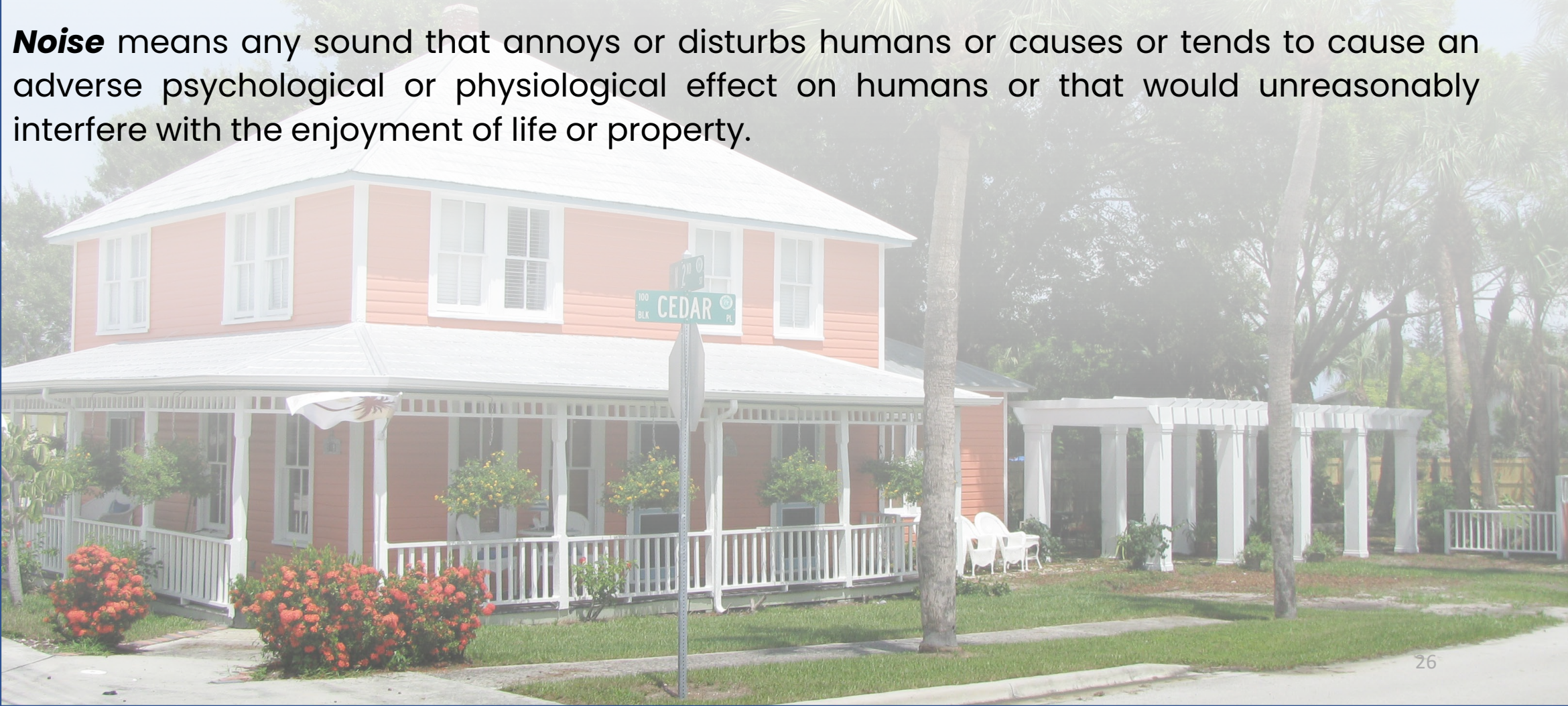


Citywide Noise Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 26, Article II, Section 26-38(a), Definitions

Noise means any sound that annoys or disturbs humans or causes or tends to cause an adverse psychological or physiological effect on humans or that would unreasonably interfere with the enjoyment of life or property.





Citywide Noise Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 26, Article II, Section 26-40, Sound Level Limitations

Receiving Property Category	Time	Sound Level Limit (dBA)
Residential	Monday through Saturday, 7:00 a.m.—11:00 p.m.	60
Residential	Sunday, 7:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.	See Subsection 26-40(1)
Residential	Sunday through Saturday, 11:00 p.m.—7:00 a.m.	See Subsection 26-40(1)
Commercial	At all times	65
Industrial	At all times	70

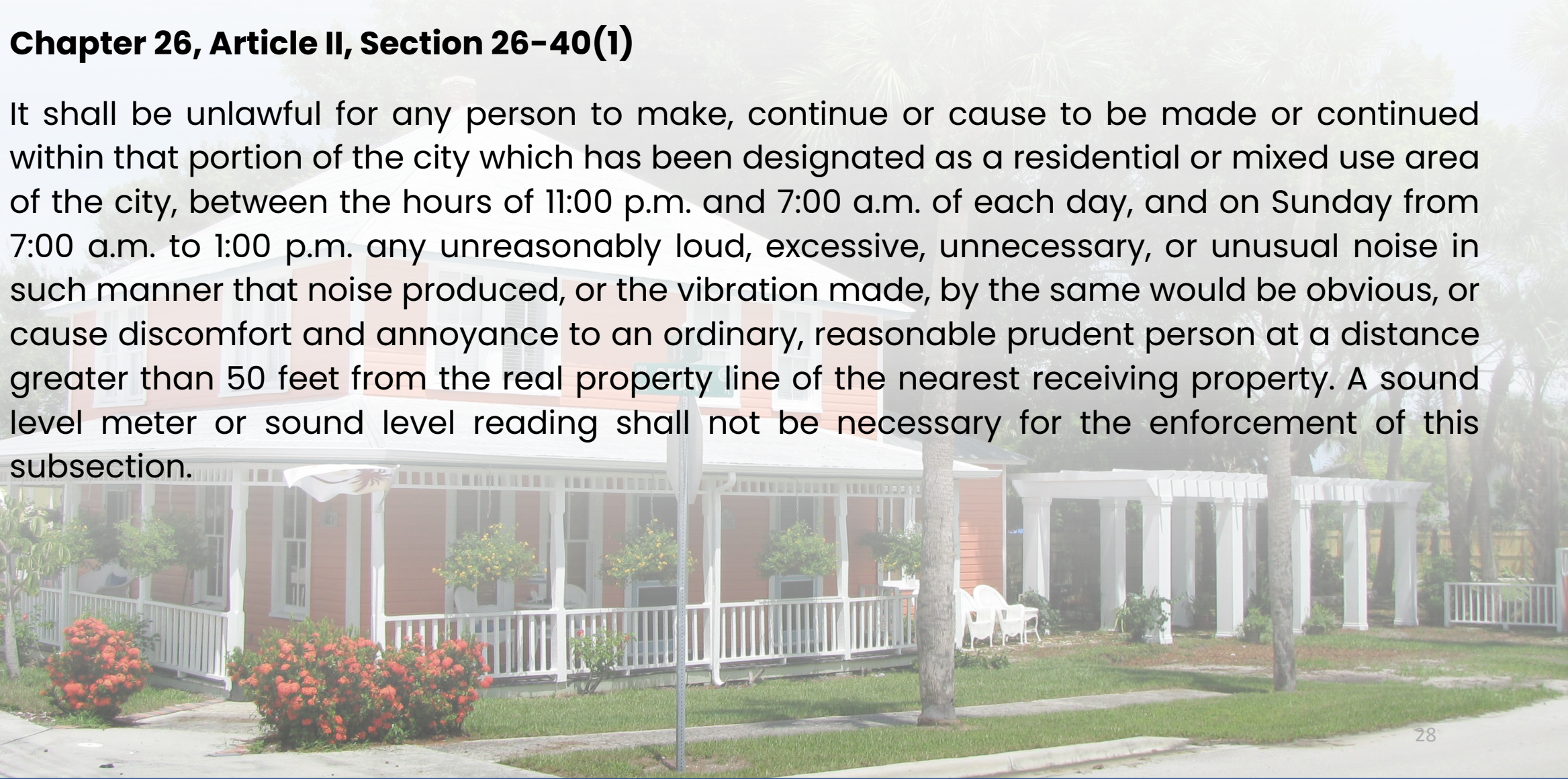


Citywide Noise Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 26, Article II, Section 26-40(1)

It shall be unlawful for any person to make, continue or cause to be made or continued within that portion of the city which has been designated as a residential or mixed use area of the city, between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. of each day, and on Sunday from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. any unreasonably loud, excessive, unnecessary, or unusual noise in such manner that noise produced, or the vibration made, by the same would be obvious, or cause discomfort and annoyance to an ordinary, reasonable prudent person at a distance greater than 50 feet from the real property line of the nearest receiving property. A sound level meter or sound level reading shall not be necessary for the enforcement of this subsection.



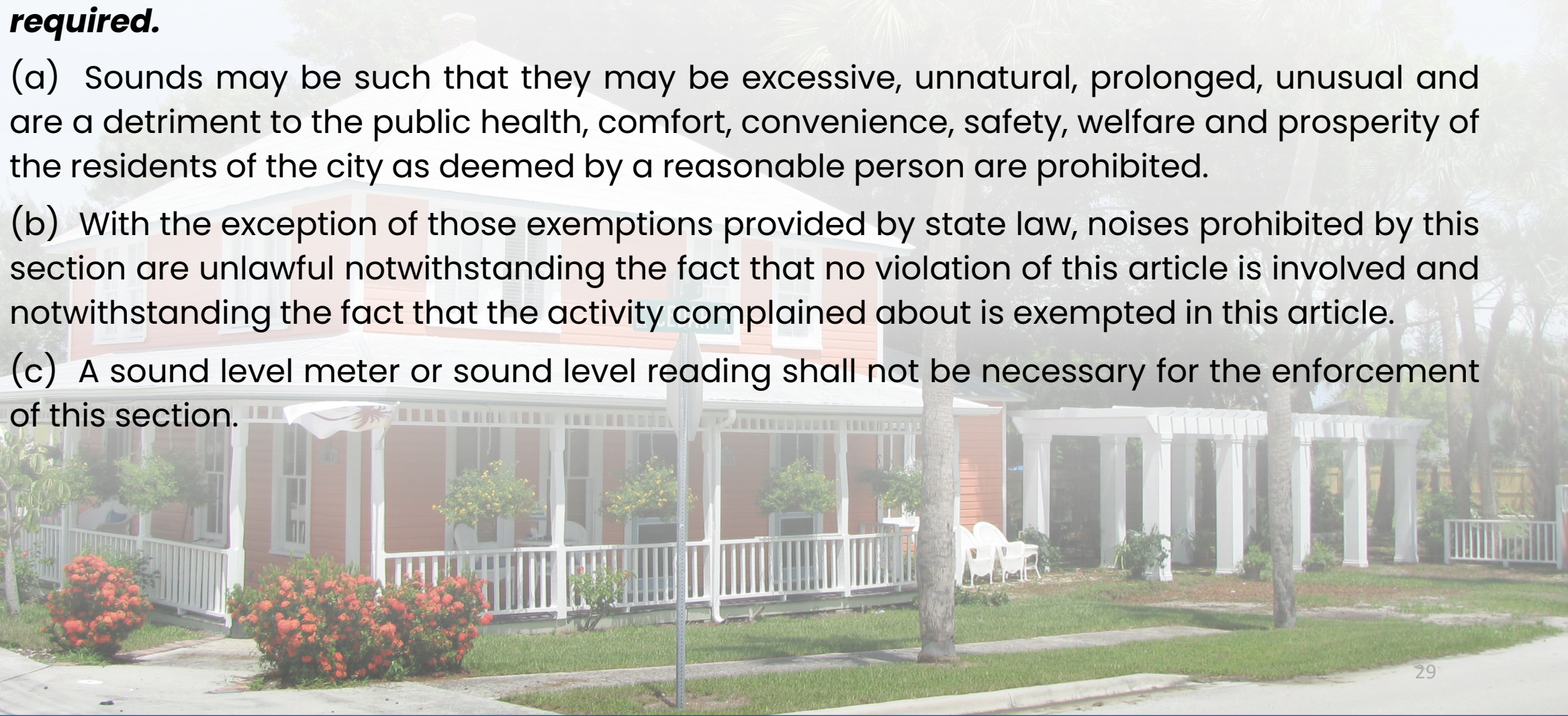


Citywide Noise Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 26, Article II, Section 26-43, *Noises prohibited, unnecessary noise, standard required.*

- (a) Sounds may be such that they may be excessive, unnatural, prolonged, unusual and are a detriment to the public health, comfort, convenience, safety, welfare and prosperity of the residents of the city as deemed by a reasonable person are prohibited.
- (b) With the exception of those exemptions provided by state law, noises prohibited by this section are unlawful notwithstanding the fact that no violation of this article is involved and notwithstanding the fact that the activity complained about is exempted in this article.
- (c) A sound level meter or sound level reading shall not be necessary for the enforcement of this section.





Edgartown Zoning Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 125, Article IV, Section 125-197(a), Edgartown Settlement (ES) Zoning District

(a) Purpose. The Edgartown Settlement zoning district is intended to provide for a mix of uses integrating small scale, compatible commercial uses, public uses and accessory dwelling units into an existing urban residential neighborhood with access to multi-modal transit options and adjacency to a mixed-use downtown area.

Chapter 125, Article IV, Section 125-197(e)(4)(e)(1)(v), Commercial uses.

(v) Compatibility. No adverse impacts to adjacent properties such as persistent light, odor, vibration, noise or visual blight.

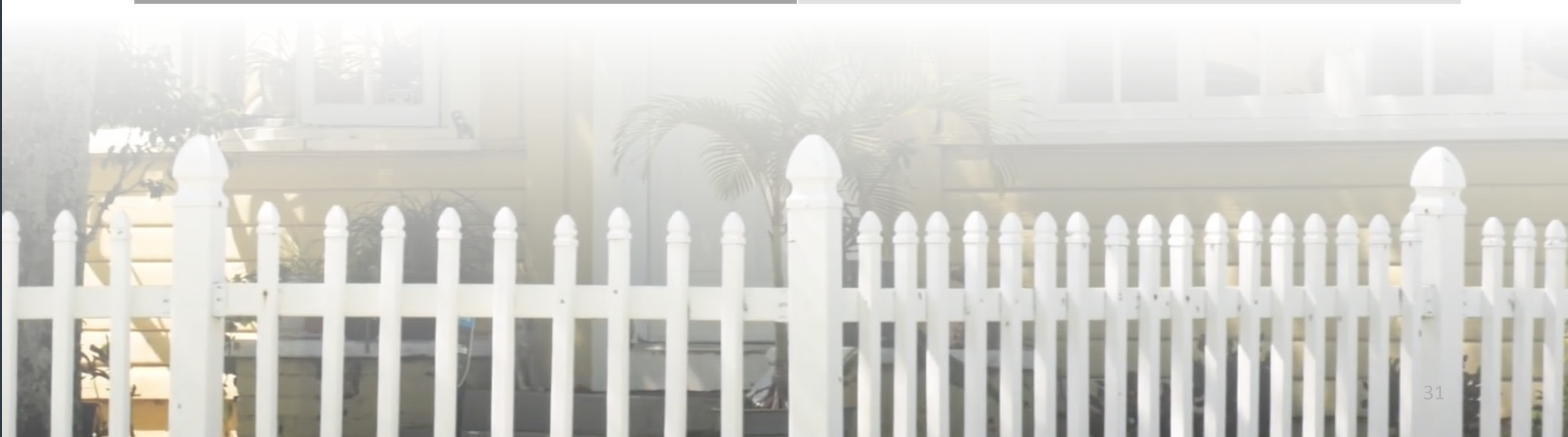


Edgartown Zoning Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 125, Article IV, Section 125-197(e)(4)(e)(5), Eating and drinking establishment; brewpub. A restaurant or pub which also brews beer on-site.

Live Entertainment	Outside: Acoustic only and permitted no later than 9:00 p.m.
	Inside: No music audible outside establishment after 9:00 p.m.





Edgartown Zoning Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 125, Article IV, Section 125-197(e)(4)(e)(6), Eating and drinking establishment; neighborhood bistro. An eating establishment that may serve wine, beer or other alcohol, but does not have a separate bar with seating.

Live Entertainment

Acoustic only, permitted outside until 9:00 p.m., permitted inside until 11:00 p.m.; no music of any kind may be audible outside establishment after 9:00 p.m.



Edgartown Zoning Ordinance

Selected Provisions

Chapter 125, Article IV, Section 125-197(e)(4)(e)(7), Eating and drinking establishment; wine and cigar bar. A bar that serves only wine and beer, and may or may not serve food.

Live Entertainment

Acoustic only, permitted outside until 9:00 p.m., permitted inside until 11:00 p.m.; no music of any kind may be audible outside establishment after 9:00 p.m.



Edgartown Historic District



NEXT STEPS



City Commission Conference Agenda - 9:00 AM

4. d.

Meeting Date: 05/09/2022

Re: Renaming Request for Pinewood Park

Submitted For: Mike Reals, Public Works Manager,
Public Works

SUBJECT:

Discussion regarding a request to rename Pinewood Park

Attachments

Public Facilities Nomination Form to Rename Pinewood Park Bonny Dunn Park
Newspaper Article Bonny Dunn

Form Review

Inbox

City Manager

Form Started By: Kaitlyn Ballard

Final Approval Date: 04/22/2022

Reviewed By

Nick Mimms

Date

04/22/2022 01:11 PM

Started On: 04/01/2022 03:03 PM

City of Fort Pierce Naming of Public Facilities Nomination Form

This Nomination Form is to establish a systematic and consistent approach for the official naming of public facilities in the City of Fort Pierce including parks, facilities, recreational areas, streets, municipal buildings, and specialized areas. The criteria for nomination are explained in the document "Guidelines for the Naming of Public Facilities".

Nominator

Name Juanita Dunn

Address, City, State, Zip 4780 SE Glen Ridge Trail, Stuart, FL 34997

Phone (772) 359-6616 Email jdunn728@yahoo.com

Nomination

The nominator must answer the following questions and submit this form to the City Clerk by _____

Name being nominated "Bonny Dunn Park"

If a person:

A. Address, City, State, Zip (or former if deceased) 8 Lake Vista Trail, Unit 101, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

B. Date of Death (if deceased) 1/18/22

C. List specific years of involvement (Example - 01/10-12/17) 1/09 - 8/13

D. Identify the general area of contribution made by the nominee.

a. (Example - Health, Education, Business, Environment, Civic, Other) _____

Fed homeless community at Pinewood Park in Fort Pierce

E. Summarize the type of contribution (accomplishments and community involvement) that the nominee made. (more detail in #1 and #2) Fed homeless community for more than 4 years

a. (Examples – Neighborhood or geographic; Natural or geological features; National, State, and local leaders; Historical figure, place, or event; Individuals who have made significant monetary contributions or have contributed outstanding service to the community).

If other than a person:

A. Summarize the reason for this nomination (more detail in #3) _____

1. Identify in detail the area of contribution made by the nominee and be specific – name either facilities or specialized areas. (Example - Health, Education, Business, Environment, Civic, Other).

Bonny fed the homeless at Pinewood Park on U.S. 1 in Fort Pierce every weekday morning for more than 4 years. "Mom", as she was affectionately known by so many who loved her, prepared and delivered hot meals before going to work in downtown Fort Pierce every weekday morning. Bonny was the mother of 10 children, 5 foster children, 23 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Most people would shy away from taking on more responsibility, but Bonny's deep faith, compassionate spirit and commitment to those less fortunate is what drove her to continue to help. She bought and prepared the food in her kitchen and brought it to Pinewood Park so that the homeless would have at least 1 hot meal a day.

2. Describe the type of contribution (accomplishments and community involvement) that the nominee made. (Examples – Neighborhood or geographic; Natural or geological features; National, State, and local leaders; Historical figure, place, or event; Individuals who have made significant monetary contributions or have contributed outstanding service to the community).

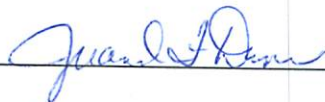
Bonny dedicated her life to volunteerism. Among the many things she did included caring for newborns affected by drug and alcohol, conducted home visits to those homebound, visiting the nursing home, volunteered her time with the Guardian Ad Litem Program in St. Lucie County, helped to train guide dogs for the blind, and fostering many newborns and children through Catholic Charities. She completed the Public Defender Investigator Internship, for which she was honored. She also attended the Sheriff's Academy Training program. She also served in prison ministry with the Catholic Church for over 20 years. Even as her health declined, she continued to secure donations for Angels of Hope Ministries, a local organization that "offers dignity, respect and a way out of homelessness".

3. Describe in detail why the name being nominated is related to this facility, including any background, details, or other relevant information.

Pinewood Park on U.S. 1 in Fort Pierce is the park Bonny went to everyday to feed the homeless community. Her non-stop compassion for those in need is what drove her everyday to keep helping others. She fed sometimes as many as 40 men, women and children everyday until she turned 80.

Bonny was well known in the downtown Fort Pierce area by Judges, Attorneys, and Civic Leaders who not only supported her efforts to feed the homeless, but also celebrated her accomplishments.

Signature of Nominator _____



Return the completed forms by email or mail to:

Email: lcox@cityoffortpierce.com

Mail: Linda Cox, City Clerk, City of Fort Pierce, 100 N US Highway 1, Fort Pierce, FL 34950



St. Lucie News Tribune

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Wednesday, November 25, 2009

'Mom' feeds homeless each day



ERIC HASERT • eric.hasert@scapps.com
Pedro Valentin, left, one of several homeless people who gather at the Pinewood Park pavilion, shares a moment Tuesday with Bonny Dunn, a Port St. Lucie resident who cooks breakfast every weekday morning for the crowd who gather there before she heads to work as a lawyer.

BY JONATHAN MATTISE
Correspondent

FORT PIERCE — By the time she steps foot into work each weekday morning, Bonny Dunn has already cooked up a hearty breakfast of eggs, grits, muffins and biscuits for a group of guys who otherwise might not find a meal to eat.

Since January, Dunn has been bringing out a spread and sharing her maternal affection for about 30 homeless men at the pavilion at Pinewood Park each week, Monday through Friday, before heading to work.

In turn, the group has embraced the altruistic 77-year-old as a mentor, friend, and — the moniker that resonates the most — the group's "Mom."

"I'm just trying to get some help for people," Dunn said. "For the most part, they don't even have a car to sleep in. What little possessions they have get stolen because they have nowhere to keep them. I'm trying to show them

"If it wasn't for Mom and Pastor Dave coming out here to share their experiences, a lot of us would probably be up the road in prison."

Pedro Valentin, 48

Dunn first helped feed the group early in January when she brought by a simple breakfast for two or three guys, and the day after, more decided to come by.

"The next day there were about four people, and the dishes kept getting bigger and bigger," Dunn said.

The group Tuesday morning arrived on foot or bicycle, held hands in a circle to join in prayer, and dug in.

"It's a blessing," said Quincy

"If it wasn't for people like her, a lot of people out here would be very hungry."

Community members Jane Rowley, Diamond Litty, Wendy Dwyer, Scott Van Duzer, Mitch Kloortan and Sydney Laebman came by to greet the group and hand out food.

Van Duzer, the owner of Big Apple Pizza in Fort Pierce, offered to serve up some pizza for their main breakfast course the next morning.

Despite their struggles finding work and stability, the group at Pinewood has grown close to and gotten some perspective from Dunn and Pastor Dave Maek, who leads them in worship on weekends.

"If it wasn't for Mom and Pastor Dave coming out here to share their experiences, a lot of us would probably be up the road in prison," said Pedro Valentin, 48, who met "Mom" with a bouquet of flowers Tuesday morning. "It's a blessing for these people to come out here and show us

City Commission Conference Agenda - 9:00 AM

4. e.

Meeting Date: 05/09/2022

Re: Hometown Hero Banner Program at Veterans Memorial Park

Submitted For: Mike Reals, Public Works Manager,
Public Works

SUBJECT:

Discussion regarding implementing a Hometown Hero Banner Program in the City of Fort Pierce

Attachments

Hometown Hero Banner Program Dallas

Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans

Hometown Heroes Banner Program Walkkill Article

Form Review

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City Manager

Form Started By: Kaitlyn Ballard

Final Approval Date: 04/22/2022

Reviewed By

Nick Mimms

Date

04/22/2022 01:12 PM

Started On: 04/01/2022 02:05 PM



Military Hometown Heroes Banner Program

The City of Dallas Hometown Heroes Banner was initiated by the city as a way to honor and recognize Dallas's armed forces members. To qualify, honorees must meet be a former or current resident of Dallas and must be serving or have served in the United States Armed Forces.

The banner will be 17" wide x 36" tall made of a heavy vinyl, printed the same on both sides, will display the service person's photograph, include their full name and branch of the military they are serving or served in. The addition of rank and era of service are optional additions to the banner.

The banner will be displayed on the 600-900 Blocks of Main Street between mid-May and mid-June. Banners will be placed on a first come, first served basis. All banner locations shall be determined solely by the City. The City of Dallas is not responsible for replacing banners that are stolen, damaged, or destroyed due to age, vandalism, or any acts of nature. The number of banners and location is subject to change.

17"x 36" Banner: \$100

Applicant's Contact Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

If you wish to be named as a sponsor, how would you like your name to appear on the banner?

Sponsor Name: _____

Honoree's Release Form (required if the honoree is living):

I hereby grant permission to the City of Dallas to utilize my name and picture for the Military Hometown Heroes Banner Program. (If signed by someone other than the honoree, the person signing represents that he or she has authority to sign on behalf of the honoree, and agrees to defend and indemnify the City of Dallas from all claims and liability for its reliance on the signer's authority.)

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20____

Honoree/Agent's Signature



Military Hometown Heroes Banner Program

Honoree Information:

Name of Honoree: _____

First

Last

*Spelling of honoree's name on the banner will be taken directly from application.

Residency

Is the honoree a resident or past resident of the City of Dallas?

Yes

No

Branch of U.S. Military Service:

U.S. Air Force

U.S. Marine Corps

U.S. Army

U.S. Navy

U.S. Coast Guard

Additional information for the banner if desired:

Designated rank to appear on banner: _____

Era of service: _____ (WWI, WWII, Vietnam, Korea, Iraq, etc.)

Indicate the designation of banner you would like to order:

Active Duty

Veteran

Memorial

What you will need to submit:

Completed application

Proof of military service (e.g., Military ID, DD214, etc.)

5x7 High quality photo of the Service Member in uniform
(Photo will be returned after the scanning process)

\$100.00 payable to City of Dallas.

Please reference "Hometown Hero Banner Program" on the check.

After submission:

A proof of the banner will be provided after all the information has been submitted. The proof can either be emailed or viewed in person. A signature must accompany the proof before the order can be placed.

Once the banner is no longer able to be used, it will be returned to the applicant.

For any questions regarding the program please contact:

Emily Gagner

503.831.3502

emily.gagner@dallasor.gov

CITY OF DALLAS MILITARY HOMETOWN HERO BANNER PROGRAM POLICY AND GUIDELINES

About the Program

The City of Dallas Military Hometown Hero program provides the opportunity for the community to recognize and honor Dallas residents and their immediate family members who have served or are currently serving in the United States Armed Forces. The Military Hometown Hero banner will be displayed from City-owned streetlight poles and will promote civic pride. In order to allow for a coordinated and consistent program, the City has established the following policy and guidelines for the Military Hometown Hero Banner Program.

Guidelines

Eligibility

1. Active, retired, or honorably discharged members of the five United States Armed Forces service branches (Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marines, and Navy).
2. A current City of Dallas resident **OR**
Graduated from Dallas High School **OR**
An immediate family member of a current resident (spouse, parent, sibling, child or child-in-law, or grandchild)

Proof of eligibility will be required before an application is considered complete.

- Proof of residency (e.g., copy of utility bill or driver license) of the nominee (or applicant who is the immediate family member of the nominee), or school transcript of the nominee
- Verification of active duty dates (e.g., copy of military orders or military ID)
- Honorable discharge or retirement papers with SSN redacted
- High-resolution digital image (minimum 300 dpi) in jpeg format or 5x7 photograph of honoree in official uniform (with no objects). Original photos will be returned.

Application and Sponsorship

- A written application for placement of a Hero banner must be completed on a form provided by the City.
- An application fee of \$100 must be paid at the time of application.
- If the applicant is not the person to be honored, the honoree must consent to the Hero banner, if the honoree is living.
- An applicant may be recognized as a sponsor on the Hero banner. If the applicant wishes to be recognized as a sponsor, the applicant must indicate on the application the name(s) by which the applicant wishes to be identified. (Space limitations may affect sponsor recognition.)

Banner Locations

1. The City has designated the light poles on the 600-900 blocks of Main Street as the initial location for this program. Future locations may be identified by the City at a later date

depending on the need.

2. Available space is determined on a first-come, first-served basis among qualified applicants. All banner locations shall be determined solely by the City of Dallas.

Display Period

1. The banners will be displayed from mid-May through mid-June of each year and will be displayed a minimum of 2 years, or until the banner starts to show deterioration.
2. At the end of the program, City staff will contact the applicant to offer them the banner; all banners that remain unclaimed after 60 days from removal will become the property of the City.
3. In addition to the streetlight pole banners, the City will also display the banners images on the City's website for year-round display.

Banner Style and Display

The City of Dallas has determined the following specifications for the banners. The specifications and design of the banners are at the sole discretion of the City and can be modified at any time.

- Double sided, vinyl, weatherproof
- 17" x 36"

Procedures

1. The Military Hometown Hero banner application may be obtained from the City of Dallas's website at www.dallasor.gov or you may contact the City Manager's office to have one emailed or mailed to you by contacting emily.gagner@dallasor.gov or calling 503.831.3502.
2. Applications are accepted on a year-round basis and every effort will be made to have banners installed by May 1 of each year. However, this is at the sole discretion of the City and is based on the availability of City Staff, resources, and staff scheduling for installation and removal.
3. A waiting list shall be established based on the date a complete application is received in the City Manager's office. In order for an application to be considered complete, all supporting documentation must be received and verified by the City. In addition. Full payment for the banner must be received by the City.
4. Applicants will be notified by City staff once an installation date has been determined.
5. At the end of the banner display period, City staff will contact the family and/or applicant to offer them the banner. All banners unclaimed within 60 days of removal will become the property of the City of Dallas.

Waiver and Limitations

1. The City of Dallas is not responsible for replacing banners that are stolen, damaged, or destroyed due to age, vandalism, or any acts of nature, including high winds.
2. Any loss or damage to an installed banner will be handled at the discretion of the City.
3. The City reserves the right to not install a banner if the requirements of this banner program are not met.

From: [Audria Moore-Wells](#)
To: [Mike Reals](#)
Cc: [Nick Mimms](#); [Jennifer Robinson](#)
Subject: re: Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans
Date: Monday, September 20, 2021 4:18:00 PM
Attachments: [image005.png](#)
[image006.png](#)

Good afternoon,

Mr. Mimms has instructed me to present this concept to the City Commission during the next available Conference Agenda for their input. The next meeting is October 11, 2021. October 1 is the deadline to submit items for the agenda.

If you have any input please provide it before October 1.

Thank you,
Audria

Audria Moore-Wells | Special Projects Coordinator
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From: Mike Reals <mreals@cityoffortpierces.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 8, 2021 6:11 AM
To: Audria Moore-Wells <amoorewells@cityoffortpierces.com>
Cc: Nick Mimms <nmimms@cityoffortpierces.com>
Subject: Re: Phone Message from Joseph White re: Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans

Good morning, Audria,

Please call me on my cell when you have time.

Have a great day,

Mike Reals | Director of Public Works | City of Fort Pierce

Public Works Department

Phone: 772.467.3811 Fax: 772.489.3194 52 Savannah Rd Fort Pierce 34982

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From: Audria Moore-Wells <amoorewells@cityoffortpierces.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 7, 2021 7:00 PM
To: Mike Reals <mreals@cityoffortpierces.com>
Cc: Nick Mimms <nmimms@cityoffortpierces.com>
Subject: FW: Phone Message from Joseph White re: Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans

Good evening Mr. Reals,

When you get an opportunity, please give me a call regarding this initiative.

Thank you,

Audria

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From: Audria Moore-Wells
Sent: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 3:54 PM
To: Nick Mimms <nmimms@cityoffortpiece.com>
Cc: Jennifer Robinson <jrobinson@cityoffortpiece.com>
Subject: RE: Phone Message from Joseph White re: Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans

Good afternoon Mr. Mimms,

I spoke with Mr. White and I concur that this would be a GREAT way to recognize/honor active duty and honorably discharged veteran service members, both living and deceased. I have searched for a contact number for the Rose Sheeley Post, but have been unsuccessful. In Walkill, the Post administered the program, requested donations from local business and organizations to pay for the banners and put them up. There was no a cost to the municipalities except for manpower to hang the banners on the poles.

Attached is an article about the program when it was launched in Walkill by the Rose Sheeley Post.

I think the program could be administered similar to the City's memorial benches. Like the benches, a family member or friend would purchase the banner, the City would put it up. After 12 months, the banners would be taken down and given to the families. Another set of banners could be installed. As a pilot project, I suggest identifying several locations and offering them to the community prior to a major holiday, like Veterans Day, to see what kind of interest we get. We could work with our local Post to share the program with its members.

I like the simplicity of the banner below. We could use it as a template to create a uniform banner for the City Fort Pierce. Veterans Day is November 11, 2021. I think we would have time to pull something nice together.

Thank you,
Audria

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From: Nick Mimms <nmimms@cityoffortpiece.com>
Sent: Monday, August 9, 2021 1:00 PM
To: Audria Moore-Wells <amoorewells@cityoffortpiece.com>
Cc: Jennifer Robinson <jrobinson@cityoffortpiece.com>
Subject: Fwd: Phone Message from Joseph White re: Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans

Audria,

Please contact this individual and get back to me with your recommendations regarding this proposed program.

Nicholas C. Mimms, P.E., ICMA-CM
City Manager

The Beautiful City of Fort Pierce

From: Jennifer Robinson <jrobinson@cityoffortpiece.com>

Sent: Monday, August 9, 2021 12:28:45 PM

To: Nick Mimms <nmimms@cityoffortpiece.com>

Subject: Phone Message from Joseph White re: Request for Hometown Hero Banner Program for Veterans

Good afternoon Mr. Mimms,

I received a phone call from Joseph White, 1102 Seminole Drive, Fort Pierce, FL 34982 772-465-8409 requesting that the City of Fort Pierce implement a Hometown Hero Banner Program for veterans. He sent me a photo of the banner, as well as the application form, for your review and approval.

Thank you,

Jennifer





Walkill joins the Hometown Heroes Banner Program



Posted Wednesday, April 28, 2021 11:25 am

BY RICK REMSNYDER

Walkill streets will have a patriotic look by Memorial Day if the local American Legion Post's "Walkill Area Hometown Heroes" banner program is a success.

Roger Rascoe, Commander of Rose-Sheeley American Legion Post No. 1034, presented the plan to honor past and present veterans to the Shawangunk Town Board at its April 15 meeting.

Rascoe said the red, white and blue 2-foot by 4-foot banners will be attached to utility poles along Walkill Avenue, the bridge over the Walkill River and along Route 208 in the Town of Shawangunk. The local American Legion Post hopes to install 35 banners that will recognize active duty and veteran service members, both living and deceased from the Walkill area.

Each banner will display a full-color photo of each veteran. Those serving on active duty in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard, Reserves and the National Guard will be eligible for a banner. Living or deceased military veterans who were honorably discharged are also eligible.

Rascoe said the cost of purchasing and installing the banners would be \$5,000 and Post No. 1034 would be soliciting donations from local businesses and area civic organizations to help defray the cost.

“The American Legion Post has been active here for many, many years,” Rascoe said. “Our number of veterans is dwindling significantly. We just don’t want people to forget we’re still around and we do the good things that we try to do.”

A similar banner program has been well-received along the waterfront in the city of Kingston. Supervisor John Valk said the village of Walden has similar banners to honor its veterans.

Valk said the town owns the utility poles on the bridge over the Walkill River and those on town roads and installation shouldn’t be a problem.

“I’ve seen other communities do it and it’s nice to do it because some of these veterans are gone and seem to be forgotten,” Valk said. “When they’re done, people will see them and remember what they sacrificed for our country.”

Rascoe provided the board with a copy of a sample banner for deceased veteran Joe Egan, who retired after serving in World War II, the Korean War and the Vietnam War.

Valk said many veterans like Egan become valuable members of the community after they retire from military service and it’s entirely appropriate to honor them with banners in the town.

Anyone interested in obtaining an application for a banner for a veteran family member or a friend can do so by mail. The application request along with a high-quality photo of the veteran should be sent to: Rose-Sheeley American Legion Post No. 1034, P.O. Box 719, Wallkill, N.Y. 12589.

“I’m optimistic that as folks in the community become aware of the Hometown Hero Banner Program it will prove to be a good recruitment tool in growing membership in the American Legion,” Rascoe said.

Rascoe also reported that the Post’s membership is planning to host the annual Memorial Day Parade and Memorial Service following a year’s absence due to the pandemic.

“We’re going to be working with the police department and the (Ulster County) Department of Health to make sure that we do it the right way given the Covid-19 restrictions,” Rascoe said. “We’re in the planning stages to make the event safe for participants.”

Town Police Chief Gerald Marlatt said the Police Benevolent Association will put on a “National Night Out” on Aug. 3 at Garrison Park.

“You’ll have members of your community coming to meet your police department and interact with your officers,” Marlatt said. “You get to know everybody. Not only the police officers but all emergency services.”

Marlatt also got authorization from the town board to purchase a new police car.

“We currently have eight vehicles, three of which have over 120,000 miles,” Marlatt said. “We try and rotate them throughout the shifts.”

The new vehicle will be a Ford Explorer. He estimated the cost to be about \$50,000.

Town Highway Superintendent Joseph LoCicero reported that the town’s 100 miles of streets will be swept at least once and maybe twice this year. The sweeping will begin in early May.

City Commission Conference Agenda - 9:00 AM

4. f.

Meeting Date: 05/09/2022

Re: Reconstruction of Jaycee Park

Submitted For: Nick Mimms, City Manager, City
Manager

SUBJECT:

Reconstruction of Jaycee Park

Attachments

Presentation

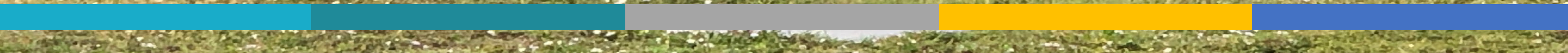
Form Review

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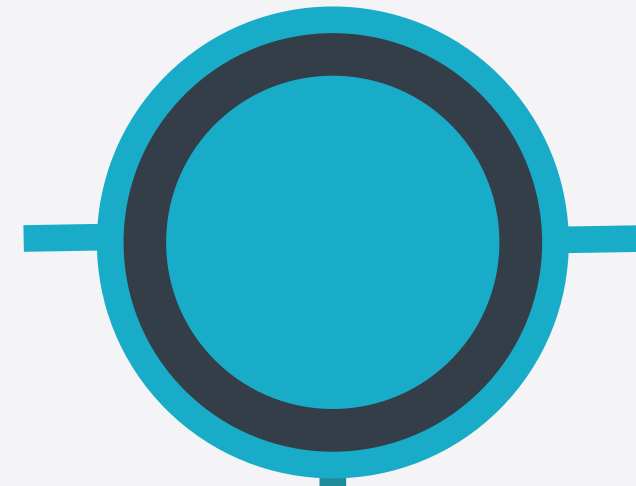
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Jaycee Park Improvement Plans



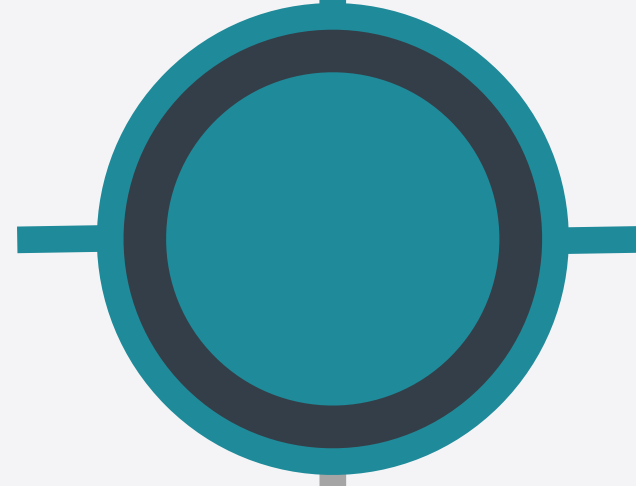
Jaycee Park Improvement Plan

Install New Roofs on Pavilions



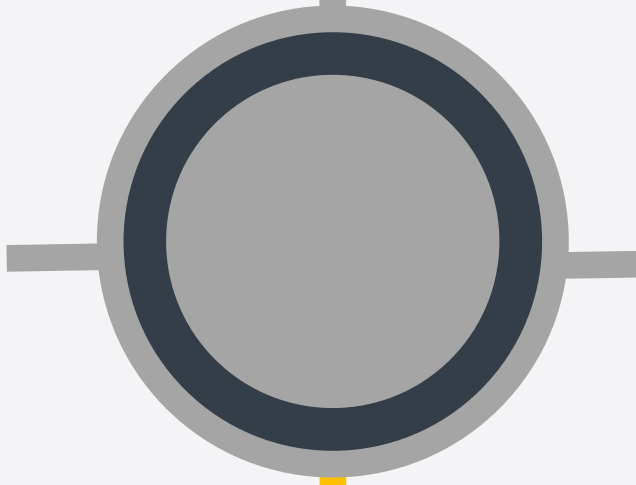
Install Two Volleyball Courts

Install New Playground Set



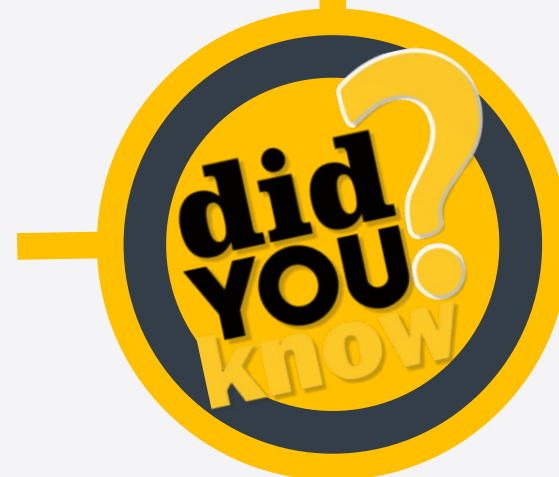
Resurface Existing Basketball Court

Install 6' Sidewalk Throughout Park



Resurface Existing Tennis Courts to Include Proposed Pickleball Courts

Install Wi-Fi and Cameras



Jaycee Park



Questions ?

