

Minutes from the Half Cent Surtax Committee Meeting

February 17, 2022

3:00pm – Engineering Conference Room

Present: Jack Andrews, Julie Bye, Selena Griffett, Bob Burdge, Daniel Noelke, Charles Bryant, Ella Hodge-Wimes

Absent: Pearl Davis-Liverpool, John Heaning, Anthony Westbury

Agenda was presented -

Meeting minutes from the December 16, 2021 meeting were approved.

Selena Griffett, New Project Engineer to the City of Fort Pierce Engineering Department was introduced

Election of Officers – Daniel Noelke Chair with Charles Bryant as Co Chair.

OLD BUSINESS –

8th Street (Avenue D to Avenue E)

Design Completed

Bids have been received – Contract was awarded to PAVCO for a total cost of \$533,574.25

Possible April start date.

Avenue B (8th Street to 13th Street)

Roadway design plans have been completed.

Construction bid proposals are scheduled to be advertised April, 2022

FPUA is rehabilitating both water and sewer mains and services and relocating conflicting utilities in preparation of the roadway construction

Georgia Avenue Basin Improvements

City was awarded this grant in April, 2021.

Captec Engineering was issued a contract for design and permitting services in the amount of \$143,000.

Final plans were submitted to the City and SFWMD.

Both had made comments and consultant is currently preparing responses.

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2021 Street Resurfacing

Streets in need of resurfacing are in the Lincoln Park Neighborhood.

Proposed Streets – 14th, 15th, 16th, 11th and Douglas Court (from Moore’s Creek to Avenue E)

Dundas Court (from Avenue D to Avenue F)

Avenue E (from 7th Street to 17th Street)

Warrick Drive (from Douglas Court to 12th Street) and

Lincoln Place (from Douglas Court to 12th Street)

Ohio Avenue Reconstruction (US 1 to 11th Street)

Engineering Design is currently at 60% completion

End of 2022 anticipated Construction date

NEW BUSINESS –

Current state of Funds – as of 12/31/21 –

Total Received Since Inception - \$5,659,410.89

Total encumbered amount - \$2,809,266.39

Unencumbered Balance - \$2,850,144.50

2022 Upcoming Projects

2022 Street Resurfacing -

12th Street and Means Court – FPUA will be replacing utilities

Boston Avenue (10th to 13th Streets)

11th Street (Orange to Boston)

Preston Court (Boston to Delaware)

Avenue M (25th Street to 29th Street)

Quincy Avenue (13th to 23rd Streets)

16th Street (Avenue I to Avenue M)

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Grant Opportunities – The Engineering Department is constantly looking for grant opportunities.

13th Street Revitalization – The application was for the section of 13th Street from Georgia Ave to Orange Ave and 13th Street from Avenue E to Avenue Q. The total project cost is estimated at \$9,400,000. The grant request was for \$7,050,000 which requires 25% matching funds (\$2,350,000).

No response has been received to date.

Annual Report and First Quarter, 2022 reports to be discussed at the next meeting.

Next Meeting is scheduled for April 21, 2022

Meeting adjourned.