

2895 SE Fairmont Street , STUART, FL,

Martin County Golden Gate Neighborhood Advisory Committee Minutes

Monday, June 10, 2019

PRESENT Chairperson

Vice Chairperson Members

Cassidy Community Center

Saadia Tsaftarides Mariann Moore H.F. Hirsh Cynthia Ramsey Jackie Vitale Joseph Hatton III William McKeag

STAFF PRESENT

Josh Mills. Project Manager, Office of Community Development Kim McLaughlin, Administrative Specialist, Office of Community Development George Dzama Capital Projects Manager, Public Works Department

CALL TO ORDER – meeting was called to order at 6:02 pm

Agenda Item: 19-0581 APPROVAL OF MINUTES – DRAFT MEETING MINUTES 5.20.19 MOTION

* J. Hatton motioned to approve the proposed 5.20.19 meeting minutes as

presented.

M. Moore seconded, and the motion carried UNANIMOUSLY.

Agenda Item: 19-0582 APPROVAL OF MINUTES – DRAFT MEETING MINUTES 4.1.19

MOTION

* J. Hatton motioned to approve the proposed 4.1.19 meeting minutes as

presented.

M. Moore seconded, and the motion carried UNANIMOUSLY.

DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST - Nothing to report

COMMENTS

- 1. PUBLIC Nothing to report
- 2. MEMBERS Nothing to report
- 3. STAFF Josh Mills introduced Deputy Sprott, Community Policing officer for the Golden Gate area.

PRESENTATIONS

Agenda Item: 19-0568 DIXIE HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION

George Dzama, Capital Projects Manager, Public Works Department gave a presentation on enhancements for Dixie Highway in the Golden Gate CRA proposed to begin in January 2021 and be

completed by May of 2021. There will be added signage and street lighting in the medians. Sidewalks, bicycle lanes and crosswalks will be added at several locations along the route. This project is funded through an FDOT grant with the Public Works Department and the CRA funding some of the median improvements and the landscaping.

Community input:

- Roundabout added at Indian St. and Dixie Hwy.
- Shorten turn lane at Indian St./Dixie Hwy going north.
- Take road down from 4 lanes to 2.
- Roundabouts along Dixie Hwy.
- Close off option to turn left out of Sunoco onto Dixie Hwy.

Comments:

• Rob Ranieri, House of Hope requested that temporary crosswalks be installed until the project starts. Staff will follow up.

Mr. Dzama also presented the Golden Gate Neighborhood Restoration project. The Golden Gate Neighborhood Restoration project consists of complete drainage pipe replacement, drainage swale regrading, roadway resurfacing, sidewalk replacement, new traffic signs and pavement markings within the Golden Gate Subdivision in central Stuart, FL. All work is to be performed within the County owned Right-of-Way. The project is coordinated with the Martin County Utilities and Solid Waste Septic to Sewer project. Thus, the neighborhood will experience multiple phases of construction for drainage (2019), sewer (2020), roadway pavement resurfacing (2021).

COMMENT

- 1. PUBLIC Nothing to report
- 2. MEMBERS Nothing to report
- 3. STAFF Josh Mills reminded the community to come out to the Golden Gate Camino Trail event on Saturday, June 15th.

M. Moore asked about having 'illegal dumping' signs posted the neighborhood.

ADJOURN – the meeting was adjourned at 7:15 pm. Recorded and Prepared by:

Kim McLaughlin, Administrative Specialist

Saadia Tsaftarides, Chair

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