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MARTIN COUNTY
Community Redevelopment Agency

Martin County
Golden Gate
Neighborhood Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes

Cassidy Center at
Lamar Howard Park
2895 SE Fairmont
Stuart, FL

Monday, August 8, 2022

PRESENT

Position	Name	Term Expiration
Vice Chair	Cynthia Ramsey	January 28, 2023
Members	Mariann Moore	September 10, 2024
	Rebecca Hartman	September 11, 2023
	Saadia Tsaftarides	September 11, 2025
	John Gonzalez	April 23, 2026

ABSENT

Position	Name	Term Expiration
Chairperson	Jackie Vitale	January 28, 2023
Members	Caitlynne Palmieri	September 11, 2025

STAFF PRESENT

Position	Name
Office of Community Development Manager	Susan Kores
Community Development Program Manager	Jerome Small
Assistant County Attorney	Sebastian Fox
Community Development Specialist	Noehmi Felix

*** Indicates a motion** **** Indicates a vote** ***** For the record comment**

CALL TO ORDER – Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM.

DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST – None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – AGENDA ITEM: 22-1098 DRAFT MEETING MINUTES – June 6, 2022.
MOTION

* J. Gonzalez motioned to approve the proposed June 6, 2022 meeting minutes as presented
** S. Tsaftarides seconded, and the motion carried UNANIMOUSLY

COMMENTS

PUBLIC

- None

PRESENTATIONS
AGENDA ITEM: 22-1096, GOLDEN GATE DIXIE HIGHWAY CROSSWALKS
Jerome Small, Community Development Program Manager, presented updates about the Dixie Highway crosswalks. The crosswalks include liquid brick, thermoplastic striping, signs, landscaping, and all 6 crosswalks are complete. Staff is working on an education flyer to assist the community utilize the crosswalks safely and effectively.

R. Ranieri – Can the crosswalk instructions be in both Spanish and English? Also, vehicles are still flying down Dixie Highway. Can we relocate some of the speed limit signs so they are more visible to motorists?

S. Tsaftarides – Can we improve the lights? The lights do not seem bright enough. Possibly the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) would be able to provide a grant?

T. Armstrong – The trees on the median are hiding the pedestrians from motorists. Vehicles are backing up when trying to turn west on Indian Street from Dixie Highway. Can we get signs showing fines will be enforced for speeding cars?

D/S Loppe – I am the new Deputy Sheriff for the Golden Gate area. I am gathering everyone's concerns and will be working on a plan to help improve Dixie Highway along with other areas.

T. Dillard – There are too many signs can some get removed?

OLD BUSINESS
AGENDA ITEM: 22-1099, GOLDEN GATE PROJECTS UPDATES
Jerome Small, Community Development Program Manager, presented the report highlighting the following projects: Indian Street Median Beautification and Golden Gate Doorhanger Distribution/Community Clean up on Saturday, October 22nd, 2022.

COMMENTS

1. PUBLIC
   - T. Armstrong – Can we get a traffic light between Indian and Jefferson Streets?
2. MEMBERS
   - R. Hartman – Can we get an update on the Septic to Sewer project?
3. STAFF
   - J. Small – The Utilities Department is anticipates being done by the end of November.

ADJOURN – Meeting adjourned at 6:45 PM.

Recorded and Prepared by:

Noehmi Felix, Community Development Specialist — Date 10/5/22

Cynthia Ramsey, Vice Chair — Date 10/5/22

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Golden Gate Neighborhood Advisory Committee – Sign In

CASSIDY CENTER, 2895 SE FAIRMONT ST, STUART
Monday, August 8, 2022 – 6:00 pm

NAME	EMAIL ADDRESS
Tracy Armstrong	
Rebecca Hartman	
Teddy DiLLard	ALREADY ON

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