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Hillsborough River Interlocal Planning Board & Technical Advisory Council

August 18, 2020
1:30 p.m.

Meeting Location:
Online

Technical Advisory Council Meeting Meeting Summary

Present

Michael Gile, EPC*
Micah Minaberry, FDEP*
Joel Brown, SWFWMD*
Shawn College, TPC
Heather Maggio, COT**
Alana Todd, TBRPC*
Richard Formica, COT Citizen*

Derek Doughty, Planning Commission*
Jackie Julien, Port Tampa Bay*
Rich Brown, HC Citizen*
Diego Guerra, TPC
Albert Marrero, TPC
Stu Marvin, TT Citizen*
Joe Gross, HC**

Absent

Troy Tinch, TT Staff**

Pete Romano, ACOE*

*Denotes TAC Member or Alternates

**Denotes Staff Ex- Officio Members

1. Call to Order

Chair Brown called the meeting to order at 1:30pm

2. Roll Call

Members were sufficient to establish a quorum

3. Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Brown led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. Moment of Contemplation

Chair Brown led in a moment of contemplation.

5. Public Comment

None

6. Approval of Previous Meeting Summary – June 16, 2020

Motioned by Jackie Julien and seconded by Derek Doughty, the previous meeting summary was approved unanimously.

7. Presentations, Reports & Status Updates

- A. Wild Mile Tampa - River Project, Brendan Deska & Zachary Damato, Urban Rivers (www.Urbanriv.org)

Urban Rivers began their presentation with an overview of their organization and talked about one of their successful projects called the Wild Mile Chicago. They would like to implement a similar project for the Tampa Riverwalk. Part of their goal is to roll out floating gardens through certain sections of the river. The organization provided a list of potential partners/stakeholders and was interested in the River Board becoming a partner. The organization requested feedback and had a Q&A with the TAC. The TAC will report this presentation to the River Board at their next meeting.

- B. River Board Meeting Report

Mr. College gave a brief update on the last River Board meeting. Mr. College stated that Guido Maniscalco is no longer part of the Board and that Joseph Citro is the new representative. Andy Ross is no longer representing Temple Terrace on the River Board. He is being replaced by Richard Chambers. Stacy White will remain on the River Board. Their next meeting is October 26, 2020.

8. Consistency Recommendation

- A. Minor Work Permit No. 20-021 (PTB)
- B. Minor Work Permit No. 20-023 (revised) (PTB)
- C. Minor Work Permit No. 20-025 (PTB)
- D. Minor Work Permit No. 20-026 (PTB)
- E. Minor Work Permit No. 67515(R1) (EPC)
- F. Minor Work Permit No. 69740 (EPC)
- G. Minor Work Permit No. 70171 (EPC)
- H. Minor Work Permit No. 70174 (EPC)
- I. Minor Work Permit No. 70231 (EPC)
- J. Minor Work Permit No. 70382 (EPC)
- K. Minor Work Permit No. 18-003 (PTB)

Motioned by Stu Marvin and seconded by Jackie Julien, the permits except for item J., were unanimously recommended to be found consistent with the Hillsborough River Master Plan by the River Board. Item J. will be heard in the next TAC meeting.

9. Other Business

Chair Brown stated that the Gene Street boat yard is improving. Chair Brown thanked Jackie Julien for her help with the boat yard. Chair Brown mentioned that there have been some deteriorating boat docks and asked Ms. Julien to keep an eye out for them. Chair Brown talked with Ms. Maggio and Ms. Julien on the process of residents discarding animal carcasses. Chair Brown said that SWFMWD's next meeting with the recovery strategy stakeholders is scheduled for September 3, 2020.

Chair Brown adjourned the meeting.