

Creating a Priority of Safety Working Group Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library 5148 Market St., San Diego, CA 92114 June 19, 2018, 3-5 p.m. Meeting Notes

<u>In Attendance:</u> City of San Diego Economic Development Department, AmeriCorps VISTA, Harmonium, Home Start, San Diego Police Department, City of San Diego Library, South Bay Community Services.

#### **Welcome and Introductions**

Attendees were welcomed and introductions occurred. A guick overview of the agenda was given.

## **Review of Last Meeting**

The May meeting consisted of the San Diego Police Department and SAY San Diego presented on Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED). There was great discussion based on how the business community can benefit from CPTED. The cross-threads to the Economic Working Group are apparent and more discussion will be taking place in future meetings.

#### Presentation on Capital Improvements Program (CIP) Funding

<u>City of San Diego, Economic Development Department. Presenter: Krissy Maier</u> City of San Diego Capital Improvements Program Implementation Overview:

- The CIP is the city's long-range plan of capital needs and includes infrastructure construction projects that result in Rehabilitation, Replacement, Expansion and New Facilities.
- There was a breakdown on topics including types of infrastructures, how CIPs are identified, funding, City Council Policy 800-14 and CIP Review and Advisory Committee (CIPRAC)
- CDBG eligibility considerations for City CIPs and process
- A copy of FY 2015-2019 Consolidated Plan was provided to take home.
- Consolidated Plan FY 2020-2024 was announced and encouraged to disseminate information to community members to encourage civic engagement.

#### **Group Discussion**

• Discussion after the CIP presentation focused around using the information to benefit the communities in the Promise Zone.

#### Suggestions:

- The group was interested in creating three different lists: 1) projects that have been funded in the Promise Zone; 2) projects that are pending; and 3) new projects that may qualify.
- Action item: Brenden will assist with gathering information for review at the next meeting.

#### **Work Plan Overview**

The Co-chair led discussion around reviewing the work plan for the Safety Working Group. A general overview was provided and feedback was encouraged. The Working Group reviewed each of the four activities listed under Subgoal A and B. Some level of activity is underway for each of the subgoals. However, the Working Group agreed that it would be helpful to develop more specific activities and timelines to enhance the work. It was also suggested that the Promise Zone Community Survey be referenced to identify strategies. This includes identifying the number of apartments in the Promise Zone that offer Crime-Free Housing (SAY).

- There are several activities that have made progress and that the group has started discussion to work on.
- There is a need to prioritize the order of the activities and organize around that.
- Develop a timeline.
- Action items: Explore activities that can be cross-threaded with the other SDPZ Working Groups like CPTED, possible connection to the Increasing Economic Activities Working Group.

### **Next Steps and Closing**

July meeting: Members will report on action items, and prioritizing will take place in hopes of creating a timeline for full implementation. Action items to keep in mind moving forward include:

- CPTED was briefly discussed and members identified a possible connection with the Increasing Economic Activities Working group. A business walk could possibly help move this item forward.
- Continue to brainstorm strategies on outreach and education of the Get It Done app.
- Kudos to the Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library- Workgroup members noted an improved environment. Allan Bugg, branch manager, thanked the group for noticing. They have been working on advancing a trauma informed environment through their continuous improvement effort. This includes supporting individual's needs and treating individuals respectfully.
- Action Item: Brian Penny will post information regarding National Lights Out and the Unity Games in the Promise Zone Newsletter.

# **Next Meeting Date:**

Third Tuesday of each month Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library July 17, 2018, 3-5 p.m.