



Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave. Great Street Community Meeting

February 21, 2008

Riverside Center

6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Purpose:

- Get input from the community on the current concept for Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave.

Goal:

- Understand the desires and priorities of the community for the Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave area.

Objective:

- Demonstrate that feedback from the Great Streets public meetings was incorporated into the current concept.
- Describe the current concepts and the different design options.
- Provide a mechanism for the community to give input on the current concept for Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave.
- Collect and record input from the community.

Agenda

6:30	Refreshments	
6:45	Introductions	WP&P, DDOT
6:50	What is a Great Street?	DDOT
6:55	Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave. Conceptual Design and Options	EE&K
7:15	Environmental Context: Low Impact Development	LIDC
7:20	Environmental, Economic, and Social Considerations	LIDC
7:25	Proposed Materials	EE&K
7:30	Cultural Tourism	
7:40	Question and Answer Session	All
8:00	Break-out Input Session	All
8:25	Poster Input Session	All
8:30	Adjourn	

Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave. Great Street Streetscape Improvements and Water Quality Design

What is a Great Street?

The Great Streets Initiative is a multidisciplinary approach to corridor improvement comprising public realm investments, strategic land use plans, public safety strategies, and economic development assistance, and is a partnership between the District Department of Transportation (DDOT), the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (ODMPED), the Office of Planning (OP), the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR), and Neighborhood Service Coordinators (NSC), among others.

What is Low Impact Development?

Low Impact Development is a comprehensive land planning and engineering design approach with a goal of restoring the pre-development hydrologic condition of urban and developed watersheds. On Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave., this means using soil and vegetation to reduce the volume and pollutant load of the stormwater runoff before it reaches Watts Branch Creek.

Will there be another public meeting?

Yes! There will be two more public meetings held to gather input as the design progresses, probably in April and June.

When will this project be constructed?

The current design phase is expected to last through August 2008, so construction couldn't begin until Summer 2009 or after.

How to get more information.....

Visit www.lowimpactdevelopment.org/nhb/ for more information about Great Streets, Low Impact Development, upcoming public meeting announcements, and ways to provide input.

How to submit input.....

Email your input to nhb@lowimpactdevelopment.org or visit the project web page www.lowimpactdevelopment.org/nhb for more ways to submit your comments and suggestions or questions.

Who to contact.....

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