

4x4 Gateway Corridor Group

Submitted by Alyssa Melby

Attendance: Alyssa Melby, Mark Gleason (ACC); Teresa Jensen(City); Alice Thomas, Dave Neuger (Roundtable)

We reviewed the proposed resolution for the ACC to vote on regarding an additional “banner type” to the city (see attachment in packet). We also discussed that signs and posts have been forwarded onto Public Works for hopeful inclusion in their purchasing for the 2019 street projects. Alyssa also asked this committee to take on “owning” two of the Cultural Plans initiatives since they are already working on them: Gateway Node implementation and creating city-wide design standards. They agreed. We also reviewed the winning projects for the Artists on Main Street initiative and the new downtown live-stream camera feeds.

Alyssa will be meeting with Tracy Heissler (who was unable to attend this meeting) about her work with the Riverfront Enhancement Task Force to make sure we are aligning our goals and initiatives.

Artists on Main Street Initiative

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10 project recipients were notified on May 1 by Greg Siems, the new Executive Director of the Northfield Downtown Development Corporation (NDDC). We anticipate the first of the projects to begin in June. A full press release will be sent out by NDDC within the coming week.

Cultural Plan

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At the last ACC meeting we solicited ACC members to serve on these subcommittees. Thanks to those who have volunteered! Members were asked in mid-March to invite people to join subcommittees. So far we have had a few responses, but we will need more people to make this happen! It was also brought up that we may need to discuss more what each committee is charged with. We will review a draft form of a committee flowchart at the meeting.