South River Forest and Public Safety Training Center Community Task Force

SUBGROUP MEETING 4 – June 13 & 14, 2023
Task Force Vision and Goals

Vision
The vision for the South River Forest and Public Safety Training Center Community Task Force is to contribute to the policymaking for a safe, equitable, and inclusive environment that provides comprehensive training for all public safety professionals and encourages public interaction with the site.

Goals
The goals for engagement are to:
• Create inclusive and community-driven recommendations for the surrounding green space (300 acres) and the public safety training curriculum.
• Facilitate an inclusive engagement process that incorporates the aspirations and expertise of the Atlantan community.
• Provide opportunities for fact-based education and awareness of the public safety training center and surrounding green space.
**Task Group Areas**

**Group 1: Parks & Greenspace**

Develop programming for passive and active uses of the land, while preserving its natural ecology.

**Group 2: Police, Fire, and E911 Curriculum**

Provide input on the collaborative potential and direction of the public safety curriculum.

**Group 3: Sustainability & Resilience**

Introduce and encourage the use of best practices with regards to infrastructure and development.

**Group 4: Visioning, Memorializing, and Repurposing the former Atlanta Prison Farm Site**

Contextualize the future best use of the Atlanta Prison Farm Site given its history.
Expectations

Engagement activities are centered around the planned development of the site

Recommendations will be delivered to the Mayor’s Office, but all may not be implemented

Task force members are representatives of their community of influence

The Task Force is focused on the 300 acres surrounding the Public Safety Training Facility site

Only selected Task Force members are to participate in the activities
Rules for Engagement

- Be Respectful of Others
- Be Present; No Substitutions
- Silence Cellphones
- One Conversation at a Time
- In Absence, Review Materials & Provide Comments
Subgroup Meetings

Meeting 1
Inform and Early Visioning

Meeting 2
Final Vision and Early Recommendations

Meeting 3
Preliminary Recommendations

Meeting 4
Refine & Prioritize Recommendations

Meeting 5
Review & Vet Final Recommendations
Recommendations
Exercise
Vision Process
Recommendation “Bucket” – Police, Fire, and E911 Curriculum

**Community**: engaging and empowering all involved communities (I.e. first responders, non-profits, educational facilities, and the residents of greater Atlanta)

**Collaboration**: cooperation and partnerships among different stakeholders to address challenges and opportunities effectively

**Transparency**: openness, accountability, and access to information in decision-making processes
Recommendation “Bucket” – Police, Fire, and E911 Curriculum

Community
recommendations pertain to **empowering citizens to participate** in the development, screening, and monitoring of curriculum and other programs

Collaboration
recommendations encourage non-government organizations and public safety officials to **work together to develop innovations** in public safety

Transparency
Recommendations **encourage open processes** that allow the greater community to assess progress
Recommendation “Buckets” – All Groups

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In your breakout groups, you will interact with the previously drafted recommendations for all three buckets.

1. Review the recommendations and make edits to their current form
2. Add recommendations
3. Vet all recommendations with subject matter experts
4. Prioritize recommendations
5. Share major edits and new recommendations with the larger group for discussions

*Spokesperson will report on reprioritizations, new recommendations, and major edits*
Review Preliminary Recommendations
**Activity Recap**

1. Reviewed the preliminary recommendations from members of the task force.
2. Prioritized all recommendations within each bucket.
3. Developed new recommendations under each bucket.
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Implementation
Exercise
Implementation Exercise – Instructions

1. Join the exercise on Mentimeter. Question will only allow one (1) response per user
2. Answer the following questions:
   - What is the best approach to communicate recommendations to the community/public?
   - How should the community continue to be engaged as the project is implemented?
   - Who are potential partners you envision participating in future implementation?
3. Review responses live and discuss
Next Steps
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• Week 5 – Share and Vet Recommendations
### Task Group Schedule

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**Large Group Final Recommendations**

Wednesday, August 2, 2023 • 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM
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