

**Miami River Commission's
Urban Infill and Greenways Subcommittee
April 23, 2024**

Miami River Commission's (MRC) Urban Infill and Greenways Subcommittee Chairman Jim Murley convened a public meeting on April 23, 2024, 1407 NW 7 ST, at noon. The sign in sheet is attached.

- I) Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District Six is performing a feasibility study that evaluates a proposed non-motorized shared-use path in Little Havana on the south side of SW 6th Street. The proposed route is 2.5 miles from State Road 9/SW 27th Avenue, at the Miami Dade College's Eduardo J. Padron campus, to SW 1st Court, where it will utilize the access area beneath the SW 2nd Avenue bridge to connect with the Miami River Greenway.**

Shereen Yee Fong and Rodolfo Roman, FDOT, Edward Aparicio, Gannett Fleming, Spencer Maddox, Kittelson and Associates, and Matt Hege, MHCP Colab, presented a "draft" PowerPoint. The next step is a traffic study which will take 4-5 months.

- II) Florida Department of Transportation Funded Plans to Improve NW 7 / NW 8 Ave from NW 3 ST to NW 8 ST**

Patricia Quintela and Tish Burger, FDOT, Alfredo Cely and Jorge Pena, ALFKA, LLC, distributed and presented a detailed PowerPoint "State Road 7 / NW 8 Avenue / NW 7 Avenue From north of NW 3 ST to NW 8 ST Design Roadway Project". The project will "replace damages sidewalks, close abandoned driveways, upgrade pedestrian curb ramps, upgrade traffic signs repave and restripe the road". The reconstructed on-road Miami River Greenway will maintain its current and designed "mesa beige" color. The project will be presented at the MRC's next full public board meeting on May 6, noon, downtown library auditorium, 101 W Flagler.

- III) Informational Presentation Regarding "Kind Designs", 3007 NW South River Drive**

Anya Freeman and Charlotte Hoffman distributed and presented information regarding "Living Seawalls" constructed by "Kind Designs" stating in part, "Our code-compliant, Sd-printed Living Seawalls are structurally identical to traditional seawall panels, but also function as artificial reefs! 3D printing technology allows for greater design freedom and faster production than traditional construction." Ms. Freeman stated at their new Miami River location they have 2 arms which are the world's fastest and highest resolution

concrete 3D printers. Ms. Freeman stated their 1st Living Seawall was installed along 100 linear feet of a private residence in Miami Beach, and they are currently working on a 1,500 linear foot "Living Seawall" at the "Jockey Club", 1111 Brickell Ave. MS Freeman stated she would like to make an informational presentation about this new Miami River business at the MRC's next full public board meeting on May 6, noon, downtown library auditorium, 101 W Flagler.

IV) Update Discussion Item on US Army Corps of Engineers Miami Dade County Back Bay Coastal Storm Risk Management Feasibility Study

Chairman Murley presented an update regarding the US Army Corps of Engineers Miami Dade County Back Bay Coastal Storm Risk Management Feasibility Study. The updated Study will be provided to the MRC, and discussed at the MRC's next full public board meeting on May 6, noon, downtown library auditorium, 101 W Flagler. Then per the current process the MRC will submit a letter within the 30-day allowable window for public comments.

V) New Business

The public meeting adjourned.

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