

Meeting Summary

Courtney Campbell Scenic Highway Corridor Advisory Committee

August 16, 2019 – 10:00am

AECOM 7th Floor Conference Room
7650 W. Courtney Campbell Causeway, Tampa, Florida

1. Welcome and Introductions
 - a. Commissioner Jay Polglaze is the new representative from the City of Clearwater.

2. Public Comments
 - a. Old Courtney Campbell brochure has been located and is need of updating
 - b. Would like to encourage more cross bay bike commuters with locker/shower amenities and first/last mile commute assistance.
 - i. It was determined that potable water lines wouldn't get enough use when the trail was constructed. May want to see if the water delivery example used at Temple Terrace's Flatwoods Park might be an option for the Trail.
 - c. Howard Frankland bridge replacement will provide improved bike facilities in the corridor b/t 275 and the Courtney Campbell Trail. The Westshore Alliance has a trail planned to connect to the Cass Greenway and TBNext has a trail network sketched out.
 - d. DOT has won another award for the Old Tampa Bay water quality improvement project- FHA and ASCE.
 - i. Residents have been seeing more wildlife
 - e. Speed zone has been established in the water near Rocky Point in coordination with businesses.

3. The June 21, 2019 Meeting Summary was approved

4. Old Business
 - a. trail amenities

- i. Clearwater- The city received 30% conceptual plan from the architect. The estimated cost was higher than expected which may result in a narrower scope of work. If the costs are split between the county and city, it is anticipated that there will be at least 4 rest areas along the Pinellas side of the causeway. The cost is estimated at \$450K, with the city requesting \$200K from the county.
 - b. Clearwater Chamber update- contract is done and keys to the building are in hand. Layout is being re-evaluated and is planned to be open in the new year. The two Clearwater chambers will be officially combined as one entity on October 1.
- 5. New Business
 - a. Cleanup events- The Keep Tampa Bay Beautiful After Fireworks Cleanup had 126 volunteers clean up 3000 lbs of litter and debris.
 - b. Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Osteopathic Medicine update- work is continuing to open this month to students.
 - c. Workplan and Corridor Management Plan/Goals Discussion- the Goals and Objectives were discussed for updating. The current verbiage, with the suggestions from today's meeting will be put online to solicit group feedback outside of the meeting.

In Attendance: Joan Rice, Heather Young, Mike Palozzi, Jay Polglaze, Bill Jonson, Kristina Alspaw, Michael Maurino, Brian Roberts, Alison Roberts, John Stonestreet