Collins/Arapaho TOD & Innovation District Rezoning Initiative

City Council Briefing

4/15/19



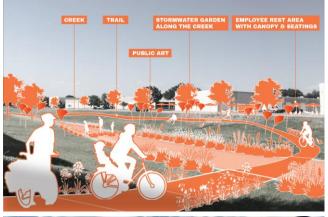
City Council Strategic Goals

 Protect and strengthen stakeholder investments in the City

 Attract and retain targeted businesses, increase the number, quality and variety of job opportunities throughout the city

Phase 1 Vision Overview







Phase 1 Vision Overview – 10 Study Strategies

- 1. Manage the experience and marketing of the District
- 2. Support building upgrades and modernization throughout the District
- 3. Allow zoning flexibility in industrial zones
- 4. Encourage vibrancy through placemaking activities in places with a high concentration of workers
- 5. Improve the District's edges and gateways
- 6. Redesign key streets for better mobility
- 7. Create a shared "innovation space" for new businesses
- 8. Strengthen partnerships with universities and colleges for programming and marketing
- 9. Create new open space amenities to attract and retain new and existing businesses
- 10. Redevelop key opportunity sites to bring new uses and activities to the District

Team Introduction



Kimley-Horn and Associates

- Lead Consultant Responsible for:
 - Project Management
 - Community Engagement (Support)
 - Regulating Plans
 - Street Typology and Streetscape Standards
 - Greenville Avenue Demonstration Project



Mark Bowers



Ignacio Mejia



Strategic Community Solutions

- Sub-Consultant Responsible for:
 - Community Engagement (Lead)
 - Online Engagement
 - Strategic Direction Facilitation



Karen Walz

Jacobs

- Sub-Consultant Responsible for:
 - Rezoning Strategy
 - Building Envelope Standards
 - Use Standards
 - Architectural Standards
 - Signage Standards
 - Overall Code Development



Paul Culter

Long-Term Relationship with Richardson

- West Spring Valley Corridor Revitalization Strategy
- West Spring Valley Corridor Rezoning
- Main Street/Central Corridor Vision
- Main Street/Central Rezoning Initiative - Phases I and II

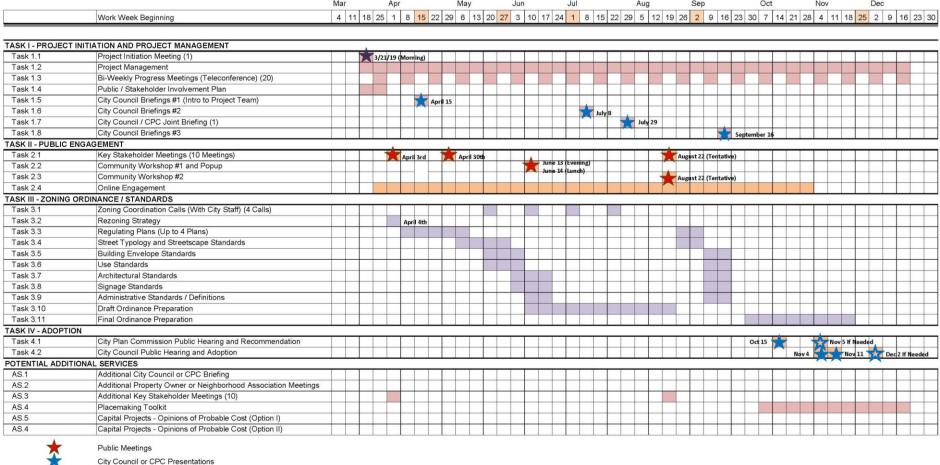




Project Overview



Zoning Initiative Schedule







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Key Dates

- 4/15/19 (Tonight) City Council Briefing Introduction to Project
- 7/29/19 Joint P&Z / City Council Work Session Strategic Direction
- 9/16/19 City Council Briefing Draft Ordinance
- 10/15/19 P&Z Public Hearing (Possible Recommendation)
- 11/5/19 (If Needed) Second P&Z Meeting
- 11/4/19 City Council Work Session
- 11/11/19 City Council Public Hearing and Consideration for Adoption
- 12/2/19 (If Needed) Alternate Date for City Council



Public Engagement

- 10 Key Stakeholder Meetings
 - Individual and Small Group Meetings with Key Stakeholders in the Project Area
 - April 3rd, April 30th and Mid-August
- City Council Interviews
 - Mid-May through Mid-July
- 2 Community Workshops
 - Mid-June and Mid-August
- 2 Rounds of Online Engagement
 - Will Coincide with Community Workshop Dates

Community Workshop #1 and Popup

- June 13th (evening) and June 14th (lunch focused on daytime population)
- 1302 E. Collins (City Property)
- Workshop will focus on the preliminary Regulating Plans, Street Typology/Streetscape Standards, Building Envelope Standards and Use Standards
- Temporary Pop-up Demonstration by Better Block will focus on potential amenities along Duck Creek







Greenville Avenue Demonstration Project

- Project limits from Campbell Road to Jackson Street (1.85 miles)
- Intended to determine the long-term viability of reducing Greenville Avenue by one lane in each direction and adding on-street bicycle facilities.
- Intended to test at-grade crosswalk to the Arapaho Center DART Station
- Better Block will assist with temporary pop-up demonstration to visualize potential pedestrian and mobility improvements, which will include:
 - Temporary artistic muraled crosswalk at Arapaho DART Station (temporary paint)
 - Temporary bike lanes from Jackson Street to E. Campbell Road (temporary paint)



Next Steps

- Consultant Team will develop Preliminary Code Elements
 - (Regulating Plans, Street Typology/Streetscape Standards, Building Envelope Standards and Use Standards)
- The community will provide feedback on the Preliminary Code
 Elements in Community Workshop #1, and through Online Engagement
- Greenville Avenue Demonstration Project will begin this summer
- City Council interviews between mid-May and mid-July
- The consultant team will facilitate a joint workshop with the City Council and P&Z on July 29th to receive direction on key code issues raised through the community engagement process

Website

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