

City of Northville Master Plan Review/Revision

13th Update from the

Subcommittee on Public Engagement

September 15, 2020 (Virtual Meeting)

Charge to the Subcommittee

- May review all aspects of public input regarding the amendments to the City's Master Plan, including surveys, workshops, focus groups, and similar events or techniques
- May meet with the City's planning consultant
- Advisory capacity only; no decision-making authority
- Shall provide its written recommendation to the full Planning Commission which reserves the right to accept, reject, or modify any of the recommendations

Subcommittee Members

- Commissioner Thomas Barry
- Commissioner Jeffrey Gaines
- Commissioner Andrew Krenz
- Commissioner Donna Tinberg

Public Engagement Process

Updates since 9/1/2020

Phase 1:
**Informational
Seminars**

- Online video format

Target: May-June

Phase 2:
Public Input

- Survey #1
- Open House(s)
- Survey #2

Target: June-October/November

Phase 3:
**Preliminary
Planning**

- Review input
- Draft language

Target: late November-December

Phase 4:
Implementation

- Finalize language
- City Council sends draft to neighboring communities
- Formal public hearing

Target: Early 2021

Open Houses

- Facilitator training 9/10/20
- Virtual Open Houses:
 - Tuesday, 9/22/20, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
 - Wednesday, 9/23/20, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
 - Saturday, 9/26/20 10:00 a.m.-noon
- Additional sessions as needed during the week of 9/28/20 if demand is high

Open Houses

- 30 participants per session
 - About 6 people per small group
- Pre-registration required
 - See City News for details

Open Houses

- Goal
 - Gather design ideas from the Northville community for the East Cady, Racetrack, and South Center subareas
- Participatory activity
 - Opportunity to identify/locate preferred land uses in target subareas

Anticipated Ongoing Subcommittee Work

- Continue to work with City Manager and Planning Consultant regarding:
 - Open Houses
 - Survey #2 development
 - Ongoing impact of public health situation on this process
- Updates to be provided to the Planning Commission at regular meetings
- Public comment opportunity at every PC meeting

Comments/Questions/Feedback from the Planning Commission