The Trust for Public Land
Meeting Summary
India Basin Waterfront Parks Design Ideas Competition Process

Meeting: October 7th, 2015, 5:30 – 7:30 pm
Location: Our Lady of Lourdes, San Francisco at the corner of Hawes Street and Innes Avenue
Attendance: Sign-ins: 67    Estimated total attendance: 80
Re: Task Force Meeting 3

AGENDA

1. Introduction and Recap
   • Welcome and Introduction
     Jennifer Isacoff and Alejandra Chiesa, The Trust for Public Land
     o Waterfront Study - goals and timeline
     o Meeting goals and agenda
   • What we have learned so far...
     Marcel Wilson, Bionic
     o Summary of technical studies and
     o Summary of workshop results from Task Force Meeting 2
   • Community Engagement
     Jackie O, San Francisco Parks Alliance
     o Outreach strategy, history, and partners

2) Design Ideas Competition Process
   David Meckel, Competition Advisor
   o Goals
   o Process & Opportunity for community involvement
   o Timeline

3) Q&A

4) Discussion on Criteria

5) Next Steps and Workshops
   o Vote on criteria ideas (on your way out)
   o Comment on uses and amenities boards (on your way out)
Notes from Questions and Comments Period

- Important to consider acoustics when designing in India Basin
- Important to prioritize job creation; public-private partnership, and local concessions
- Important to make job opportunities available to local workers and businesses first
- Job opportunities: community wants to see it, not just hear it
  - Job opportunities for youth
  - Job opportunities that provide training and have room for growth / long term
- People need access to get into the water in boats
- Important to respect bird life and have a plan of action to protect migration patterns
- Design firms selected as finalists in the design competition will be given a $15,000 stipend to participate
- Should experience with wetlands and planning for sea level rise be minimum requirements for the RFQ?
  - Will this disqualify lots of firms?
    - Minimum requirements on the RFQ now list experience with Wetlands.
      This will not limit our options, many firms have this experience.
Ideas for Criteria – Discussion and Workshop

Initial criteria ideas presented at the meeting
Criteria ideas added by the community
Votes

- **Innovation (2)**
  *Use of innovative and inclusive ADA accessibility (including for visually impaired) (1)

- ****Sustainability (4)**
  **********Habitat, Natural Beauty, Nature Preservation (16)
  *Addressing sea level rise with wetlands and living shorelines (1)

- **********Respect to the character of the site (11)
  (history, cultures in surrounding neighborhood)

- **** Community engagement (4)

- Inclusion of LBE, MBE, WBE
  *Dedication to workers' rights / employee benefits / good company culture (1)

- *****Integration of broad systems (example: the blue greenway) to local sites (5)
  **Integration of transportation to mitigate habitat destruction (2)
  **Design for balance between visitor access and nature protection (2)

- Observation of the design brief

- Economic advisor / team with economic expertise

- *Educational opportunities for kids (1)

- **********Waterfront access for recreation (13)

- Ability to maintain community access to site through construction

- On Time / on budget
Comments added to Uses and Amenities Boards – By Site

India Basin Shoreline Park

- Public art! All areas
- Art!
- Transit / water taxi / light rail around Bayview Hunters Point and to India Basin, Bayshore intermodal
- Educational signage: history, nature
- Sailing
- Another vote for human powered boating access
- Parking for families

900 Innes

- Parking is needed for people who don’t ride bikes, etc.
- Fishing for catch and release

The Big Green

- Skate ramps