



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



NORTHSIDE NEIGHBORHOODS LIVABILITY PLANNING WORKSHOP

February 21, 2015

9:00 am – 1:00 pm





- Introductions
- Purpose of Workshop
- What is a Livability Plan?
- Sustainability Planning Process
- Partnering Agencies
- Corpus Christi Livability Summit Results
- Harbor Bridge Project Proposed Neighborhood Mitigation
- Northside Neighborhoods Livability Plan (Step One)
 - Breakout Session - identify community needs and ideas
 - Health & Safety
 - Neighborhood & housing
 - Mobility & access
 - Economic growth & employment
 - Additional topics discussion on neighborhood livability needs
- Next Steps

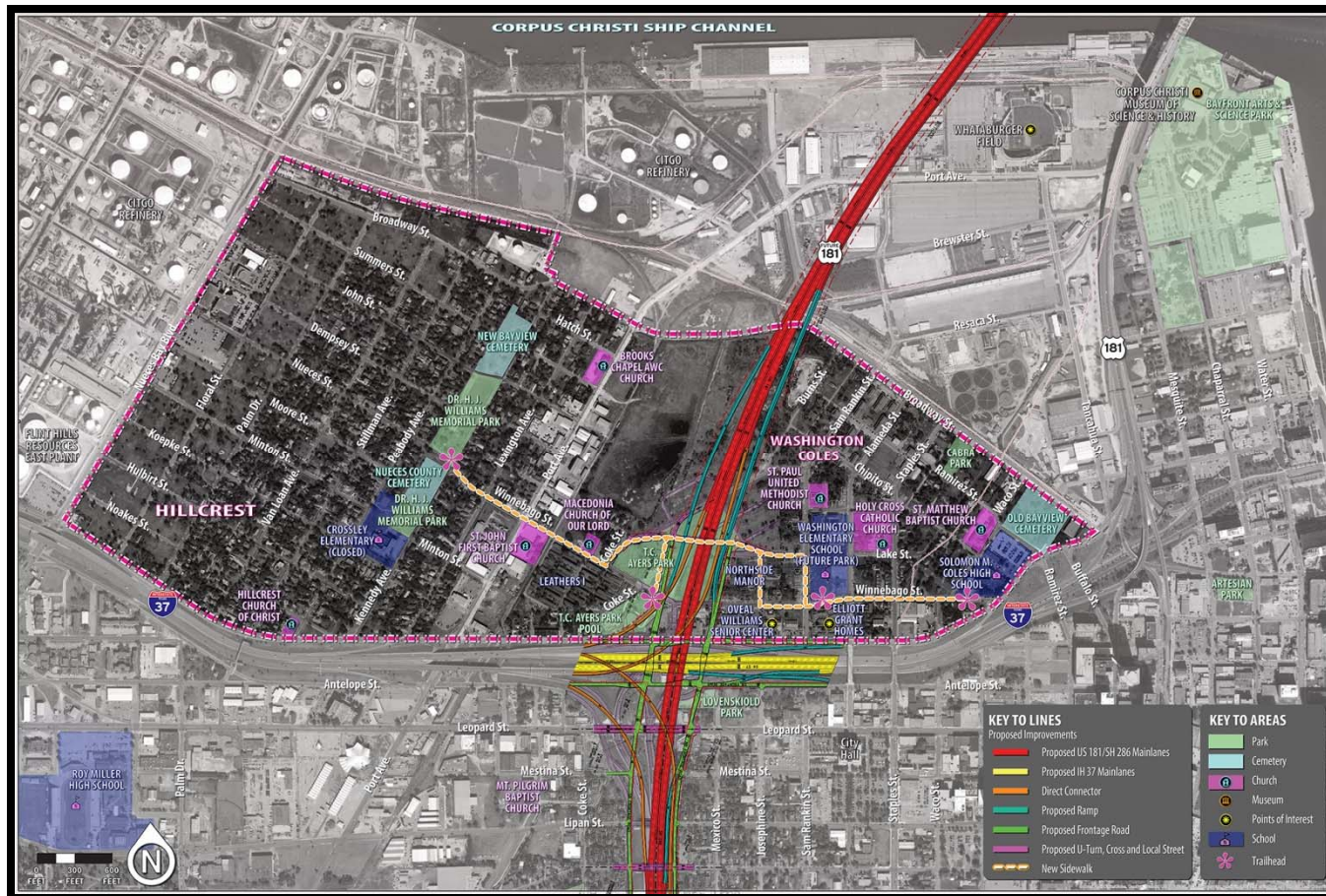
Purpose of Meeting



- Initiate first step in response to stakeholders' requests for a Northside neighborhood-focused Livability Plan
- Discuss Neighborhood Livability Plan as a part of project mitigation commitments
- Share neighborhood needs and ideas so partners can identify resources and opportunities for community improvements
- Summarize input received from initial workshop



What is a Livability Plan?



The neighborhood Livability Plan establishes a vision and identifies needs to enable a larger set of partners and the community itself to jointly determine what actions can be taken and what resources are available to make the Northside neighborhoods a better place to live.

Northside Neighborhood Livability Planning Process



Summarize Existing Conditions,
Culture, History

Establish Livability Needs and
Ideas

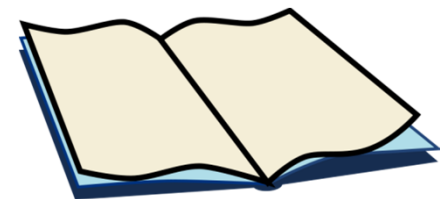
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Identify Resources and Grant
Opportunities

Establish Near, Mid and Long Term
Recommendations

Develop Actions / Implementation
Methods Spreadsheet

Result:
**Northside
Neighborhoods
Livability Plan**



Partnering Agencies



- Partnership for Sustainable Communities



Corpus Christi Livability Summit Results



- 70+ attendees – businesses, residents, government, students
- Information sharing regarding regional planning activities and federal resources
- Brought awareness to the needs and opportunity for neighborhood redevelopment

Corpus Christi Livability Summit

October 15, 2014

8:30 AM—4:30 PM

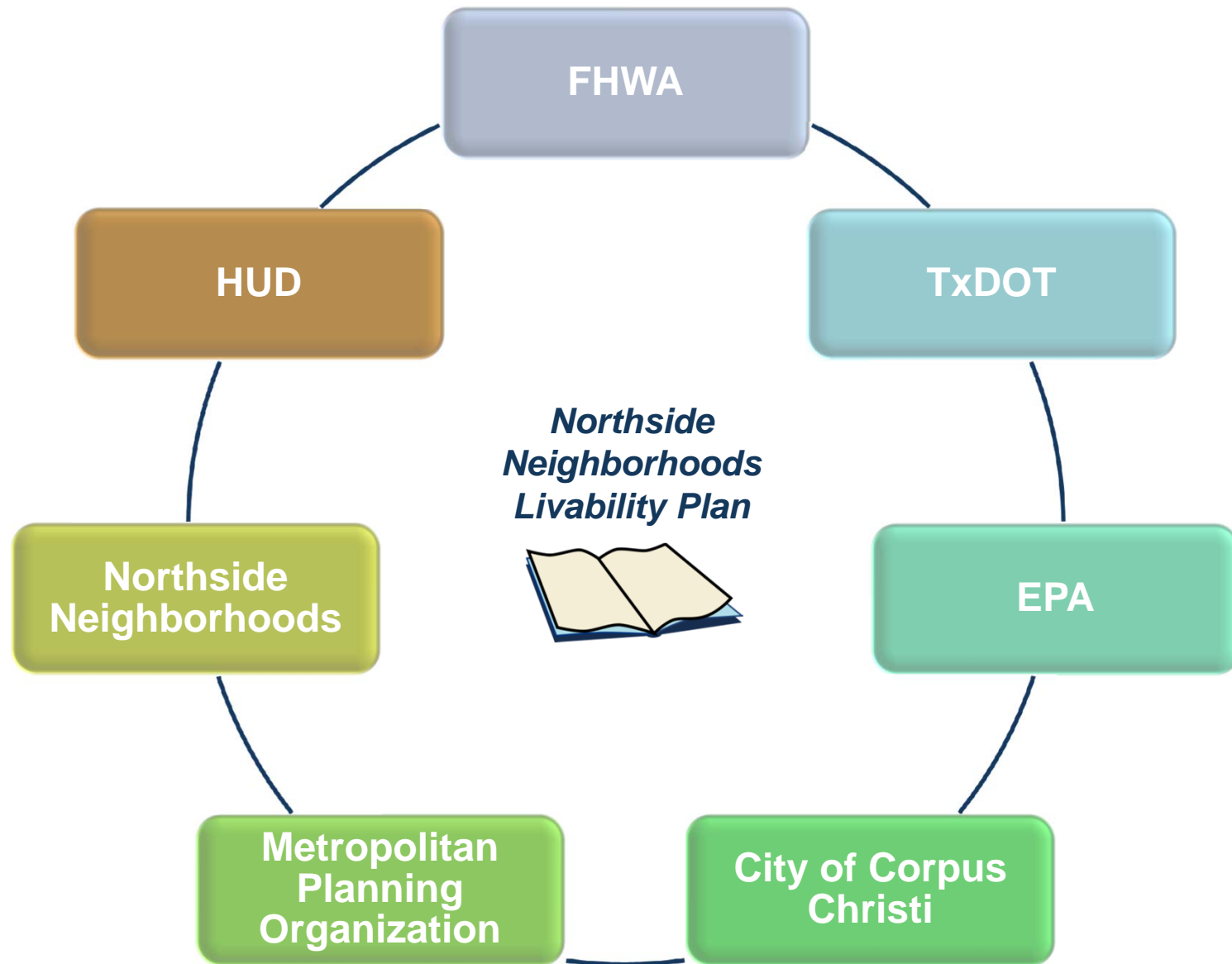
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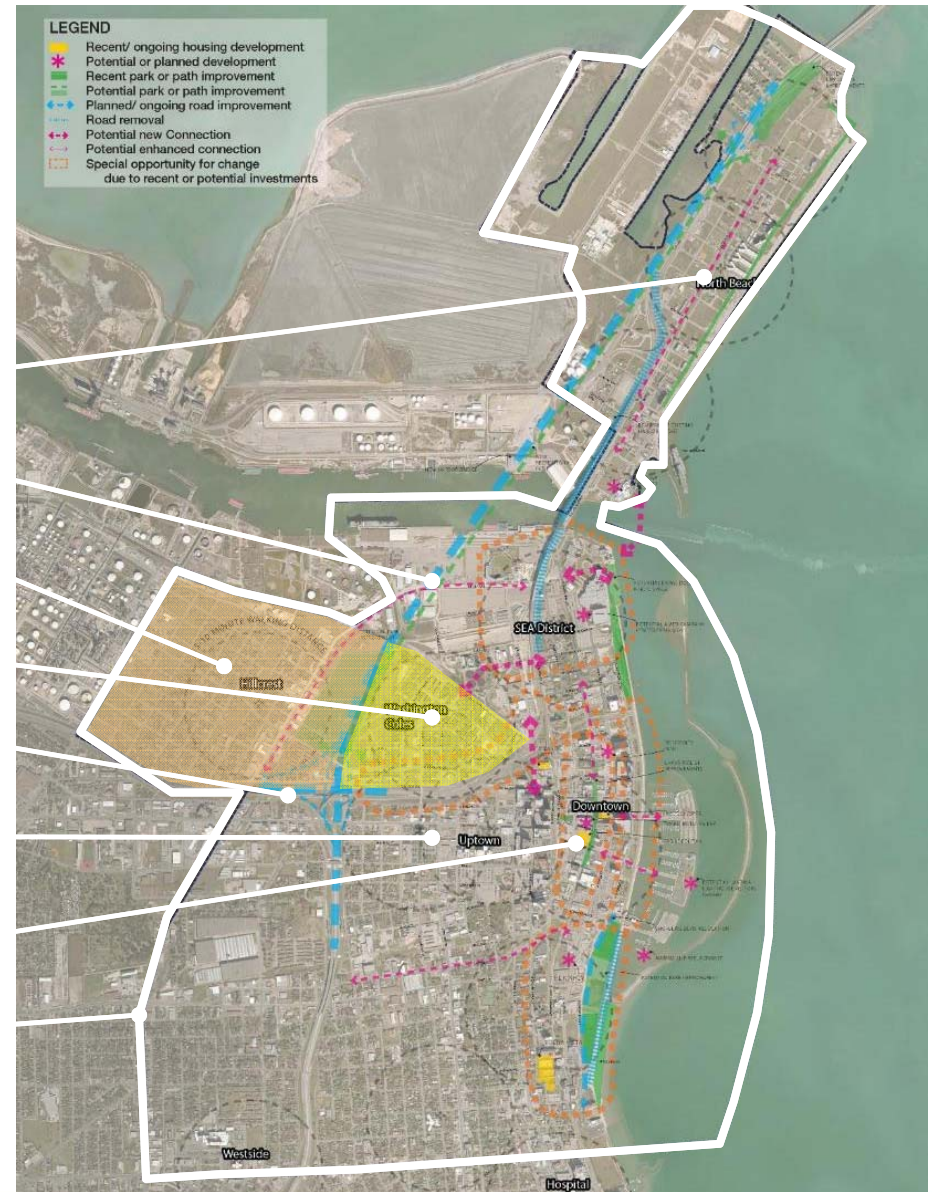
Broader Partnership



Downtown Development Plan Study Area



North Beach
New Harbor Bridge alignment
Hillcrest
Washington-Coles
I-37
Uptown
Downtown
Study area boundary



Harbor Bridge Proposed Project Mitigation



TxDOT and FHWA Commitments to the Neighborhood

- Implement Recreational Enhancements
 - Implement park mitigation
 - Construct hike & bike trails
- Noise Mitigation
- Host Job Fairs
- Provide Information on Workforce Support
- Develop Northside Neighborhood Livability Plan
 - Develop Historical Record of neighborhoods
 - Identify neighborhood needs and ideas





**Health &
Safety**

**Mobility &
Access**

**Neighborhood
& Housing**

**Economic
Growth &
Employment**

**Additional
Topics**



- Rules of Engagement
 - Structure of breakouts
 - Rotation among 4 tables/4 topic areas
 - Questions to help focus on the topic area
 - About 20-25 minutes at each table
 - Facilitator/notetaker/report back
 - Table for “additional topics”



- Rules of Engagement

- What will help

- Active participation – talk to us or write on the question handout
 - All your voices and views are important
 - Be respectful of others' views
 - Help manage the time so all may speak
 - Stay on the table's topic – or go to the “additional topics” table



- **Summary of table discussions**

**Health &
Safety**

**Mobility &
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**Neighborhood
& Housing**

**Economic
Growth &
Employment**

**Additional
Topics**

Next Steps and Future Workshops



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Spring 2015

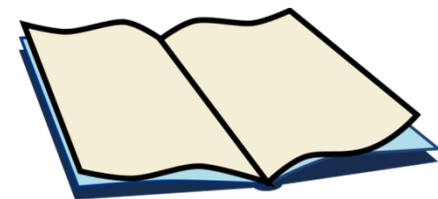
Establish Near, Mid and Long Term
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Spring 2015

Develop Actions / Implementation
Methods Spreadsheet

Summer 2015

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Livability Plan*





***Thank you
for attending!***

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