



Breakers Avenue Streetscape

Open House #2, Meeting Summary

Location: 600 Breaker Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL

Date and Time: 05/08/2019, 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

Attendees: See Sign-in Sheets

Presentation by Victor Dover & Luiza Leite

Lightening Round Notes:

- Questions regarding the funding. City Staff and Commissioner Glassman explained the current funds available and briefly outlined the plans for funding the gap.
- Questions regarding the type of trees and plantings to be used. Open discussion regarding the final selection of trees.
- Concern with choosing plants that are not toxic to the dogs in the neighborhood.
- Request for a dog park, or a general park where people can gather.
- Suggestions to incorporate a water feature or fountain, perhaps in the plaza facing the Bonnet House.
- Interest in Art in Public Places and the ability to do Murals on the large empty walls.
- There was a general consent and enthusiasm for the overall design and the reduction of parking.
- There were some concerns about the project being implemented. These we addressed by the city staff and Commissioner Cunningham with the fact that there is already funding in place.
- There was conversation regarding phasing and the sequence of phasing.
- Question about parking formula used to reduce parking on Breakers Ave and suggested using same concept for parking reductions in other abutting streets.
- Question about parking quantities in parking garages and whether they are fully being utilized.
- Question about outdoor seating whether they will be owned by tenants or public.