



**ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD**  
**APPROVED MINUTES OF MEETING**  
**Greenbelt Community Center**  
**October 15, 2014**  
Minutes Prepared by Terri Hruby

I. The meeting was called to order at 7:32pm

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Brian Gibbons, Keith Chernikoff, Matt Johnson, Jeff Lemieux, Isabelle Gournay and Nicole Williams

CITY STAFF PRESENT: Terri Hruby

CITY LIAISON PRESENT: Mayor Pro Tem Judith Davis

ALSO PRESENT: Emily Clifton, Center for Low Impact Development Center, Inc., Angela Johnson, Franklin Park at Greenbelt Station and 1 member of the public.

II. Agenda approved.

III. Minutes for October 1, 2014 approved.

IV. Miscellaneous Business

Mr. Chernikoff asked Mayor Pro Tem Davis for an update on the FBI relocation and South Core development. Ms. Davis indicated there remains an issue about the schools serving the South Core development.

In response to a question from Mr. Chernikoff, Mayor Pro Tem Davis shared with the board that Council is still working on drafting a code of ethics and it will be referred to advisory boards when ready.

V. Cherrywood Lane Complete Green Street Grant Project

Emily Clifton, Low Impact Development Center, Inc. gave a PowerPoint Presentation overview of the mission and experience of the Low Impact Development Center, Inc., highlighted the elements and benefits of green complete streets and discussed project scope and possible concepts for making Cherrywood Lane a complete green street.

The Board suggested that Phase I of the project be extended to run from the bus stop on Cherrywood Lane near the CVS access drive to the Metro Access Drive roundabout.

In response to a question Ms. Clifton explained that the project would strive to catch the first 1 inch of runoff, even though the County standard is ½ inch. Mr. Johnson stressed the need to design for the future and to consider the effects of climate change.

Ms. Johnson, representing Franklin Park at Greenbelt Station asked about bus stop locations, retention of bike lanes and potential improvements to these facilities.

Mr. Johnson asked Ms. Clifton to talk about maintenance associated with green street elements.

VI. Other Business

Mr. Johnson informed the Board that the State Highway Administration installed a pedestrian crosswalk and associated signals at Hanover Parkway and Greenbelt Road, but they have yet to be activated and it has been several months. Ms. Hruby indicated that city staff would inquire with SHA.

Mr. Lemieux shared with the Board that he had spoken to County Executive Rushern Baker about municipalities/residents getting more advanced notice on pending projects.

Mr. Johnson suggested that the City should pursue designation as a Pedestrian and Bicycle Priority area.

VII. The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 pm.