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#	Date	First Name	Last Name	Organization/Group	Company	Comments/Questions	Responses
1	5/29/2014	Bill	Cluck			Concerned about the development of public participation and the sources of funds. What was the process in selecting a law firm to assist the Task Force? Who picks the Board of Directors; who selects the Executive Director? What's the anticipated budget? What are the recommendations and are they binding?	Fred: McNeese will be paid thru the non-profit. Ford: Not all the items on the checklist will be part of the plan. Neil: Committee interviewed a short list of firms in a short timeframe and made a recommendation to the Task Force which was accepted. Task Force is charged to develop a Governance structure and Action Plan and create a 501c3, who will then decide how to proceed. Fred: \$16M is set aside for the 3 silos; approximately 2/3 goes to ED and II and \$3M + goes to an OPEB Trust. Add'l \$10K will come from PennDOT over 5 years for transportation projects; may be in the form of services instead of cash. Total of \$26M was provided for in the Strong Plan to address ED, infrastructure and OPEB. Neil: Court order will determine what is binding.
2	5/29/2014	Darlene H.	Miller	Committee Woman, 10-2 Ward Harrisburg		Who appoints board?	Doug: The final selection of the board will be made by the Coordinator pursuant to the plan. The Task Force may make recommendations and will be looking for diversity and an understanding of the issues.
3	5/29/2014	Donald	Barnett	Friends of Midtown		Will the public have the opportunity to see documents before they are completed and filed with the Court? Good meeting room but poor audio; consider establishing a community advisory board to work alongside and provide a "moral pulse" to the Task Force.	Les: Target date is June 30 for Plan completion and recommendation to the Coordinator. Then a date will be set to file the Plan with the Court.
4	5/29/2014	E.	Flagg				
5	5/29/2014	Jane	Allis	Capital Area Neighbors		Inquired what the TF recommendations will be for the criteria of the silos and the characteristics of board members. This info should be made public. Are smaller chambers of commerce being considered for funding opportunities? This non-government organizations are on the front lines assisting companies in the region.	
6	5/29/2014	Leland J.	Nelson	African American Chamber of Commerce			The Task Force is developing funding guidelines, however it is the non-profit that will make funding decisions.
7	5/29/2014	Malkyah S.	Goldberg	The Fair Housing Council of the Capital Region Inc.		Will the report to the Court include a technology/data collection plan to address data warehousing and data reporting on all activities associated with the 501c3?	Les: There will be a management team in place; data and criteria will be an important part of the Action Plan.
8	5/29/2014	Matt	Roan			Hopes the plan includes in detail the receipt of funds from external sources and how those funds will be distributed.	Neil: Additional money will come in thru the Strong Plan; Key to leverage funds. Singleton: Regarding blight and crime issues - wants to stress MBE/WBE, Black and Brown businesses and address development issues along 29th St. and Paxton St. south and Uptown.
9	5/29/2014	Melanie	Cook	Property owner		Better public notice necessary.	
10	5/29/2014	Melvin T.	Johnson	The Fair Housing Council of the Capital Region, Inc.		Be as broad as possible; concerned about the population loss and impact on CDBG funding;	Karl: City developing housing strategy to focus on all housing needs.
11	5/29/2014	Naed	Smith			Concern over cost of process and needs of the City.	Neil: Briefly addressed the debt and what was satisfied as part of the plan. Les: Noted Dave Unkovic shared some of your concerns.
12	5/29/2014	Nelva	Wright	The Fair Housing of the Capital Region		Concerns about the timeline for public comments; Can an existing non-profit be used?	Neil: Court order requires 501c3 ; non-profit will have public participation/input process.
13	5/29/2014	Nevin	Mindlin			Submitted written testimony that addressed blight and crime issues. Stressed that funding should focus on blight and infrastructure and should not be used for private investment. Felt that funds should only be used for public investment. Need to clean up blight. This will go a long way to addressing crime and	
14	5/29/2014	Rhonda	Mays	Councilwomen, Covenant Community Corp. ; Fair Housing Council		The Fair Housing Committee is working on blight mapping, particularly in Uptown Hbg.; stressed the Expressed concern that other 501c3's have not adequately documented expenses; asked for accountability guidelines; asked that funds are set aside to provide jobs for young people.	Les: Concerns are well represented; setting the framework and putting criteria in place for the new board.
15	5/29/2014	Ron	Chapel			Obama had AG issue decree; treating crack cocaine and powder cocaine was going to be treated the same and the release of prisoners; can't get ahead with minorities with jail records.	Doug: Working to incorporate this level of detail into the plan.
16	5/29/2014	Ron	Burholder		Wavelength LLC (being set up)	Improve infrastructure and quality of life. Particularly on South 14th Street - families displaced due to the sinkholes.	
17	5/29/2014	Stanley	Lawson	President, Greater Harrisburg NAACP			Neil: Council passed motion to undertake a geological survey of this area with the the cost being shared with CRW.
18	5/29/2014	Tim	Doutrich			How the board is appointed; Would like to have citizens included in process; Requested explanation of the funds.	Fred: Discussed the breakdown of funds. \$16M was set aside for the 3 silos. These funds are currently in the bank. \$12.6 goes to ED and II and \$3.3M is for an OPEB Trust. Add'l \$10K will come from PennDOT over 5 years for transportation projects; may be in the form of services instead of cash. Total of \$26M was provided for in the Strong Plan to address ED, infrastructure and OPEB.