

128 Central Corridor Coalition Meeting

Friday, December 3, 2010

Weston Town Hall

Next Steps

The following is a summary of agreed-upon Next Steps as an outcome from the 128 Central Corridor Coalition meeting held on December 3, 2010.

- Cindy Friedman, Chief of Staff of Senator Kenneth Donnelly's office, will schedule meetings with both MassDOT Secretary Jeffrey Mullan and EOHED Secretary Gregory Bialecki.

The meetings with Secretaries Mullan and Bialecki will have three agenda items:

- Give a shortened version of the Power Point presentation from the November 19, 2010 meeting with the legislators.
- Ask 1 – How to move forward and analyze feasibility for a multimodal center.
- Ask 2 – How to coordinate existing transit services.

At both meetings, it will be important to identify candidate funding sources that would be appropriate to implement the two Asks.

- Speak with MassDOT prior to meeting with Secretary Mullan. Speaking with MassDOT will help clarify and give direction to implementing the two Asks.
- Schedule a meeting with Hanscom Air Force Base and Massport to give the Power Point presentation from the November 19, 2010 meeting and inform them of the work the 128 Central Corridor Coalition has done to date.
- Jeanne Krieger will work with the 128 Business Council regarding the addition of a new staff person to assist with implementing Ask 2. Patrick Sullivan will also communicate with Monica Tibbits.

There was consensus that the new FTE required for coordination of existing transit services will be added to the 128 Businesses Council, not to MassDOT. It is envisioned this new position will initially have a 2-year contract.

- Meet with the MBTA and continue keeping Joe Cosgrove informed of this project. Sara Mattes will schedule a meeting with the MBTA and MAPC will continue to keep Joe Cosgrove informed.
- Inform the North Suburban Chamber of Commerce of this project and subsequent meetings. Point person was not designated.
- Alison Felix will report back on the status of the Route 20 interchange project.

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- Alison Felix will e-mail the list of 128 Central Corridor Coalition members to Cindy Friedman and the memorandum of understanding forming the 128 Central Corridor Coalition per Cindy's request.
- Alison Felix will make edits conveyed at the December 3, 2010 meeting to the two outlines (*Multimodal Transit Center Feasibility Study* and *Coordinating and Building on Existing Transit*).
- Sara Mattes will get back to Alison Felix regarding any edits to the 128 Central Corridor website before it is made publically available.
- A 128 Central Corridor Coalition meeting was not scheduled. Rather, focus will be on the meetings delineated in this summary of next steps.

In Attendance:

Diana Chaplin, Town of Weston

State Representative Thomas Conroy

Cindy Friedman, representing Senator Donnelly

Marc Draisen, MAPC

Alison Felix, MAPC

Mark Gallagher, Representative Markey

Michael Harrity, Town of Weston

Duane Hillis, Newton Developer

Jeanne Krieger, Town of Lexington

Jeannette McCarthy, Mayor of Waltham

Sara Mattes, Town of Lincoln

Mapav Patel, representing Representative Peter Koutoujian

Ralph Patuto, Town of Burlington

Cheri Rolfes, representing Senator Kerry

State Representative Thomas Stanley

Patrick Sullivan, 128 Business Council

Jack Troast, 128 Corporate Alliance