

### Radio Road Beautification M.S.T.U.

Advisory Committee 2885 Horseshoe Drive South Naples FL 34104

February 1, 2011

# Special Meeting Minutes

I. The meeting was called to order by Dale Lewis at 3:30 PM.

#### II. ATTENDANCE

Members: Dale Lewis, Betty Schudel, Helen Carella, John Weber

County: Darryl Richard-Project Manager, Michelle Arnold-Director ATM, Pam

Lulich-Landscape Operations Manager

Others: Scott Windham-Windham Studio, Darlene Lafferty-Juristaff

#### III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Betty Schudel moved to approve the agenda as submitted. Second by Dale Lewis. Motion carried unanimously 4-0.

## IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: January 18, 2011

Change: VI. B., page 2, fifth paragraph should read: Dale Lewis requested Windham Studio provide a recommendation at the February meeting on "sparsely" planted areas that were installed during previous Project Phases (by "Circle K" and Windjammer.)

Page 3, seventh paragraph, motion was amended to read: Dale Lewis moved to remove the sod and install "Asian Jasmine between the road and" sidewalk.

VI. C. first bullet should read: MSTU dollars were allocated for Signs that cannot be installed.

Helen Carella moved to approve the January 18, 2011 minutes as amended. Second by Betty Schudel. Motion carried unanimously 4-0.

## VII. LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT REPORT-Windham Studio

A. Devonshire Refurbishment (See attached)

**Scott Windham** presented the Conceptual Design for Median Plantings on Devonshire Blvd.:

- Objectives:
  - Stay true to the present Plant Palette on Radio Road
  - Create interest as you travel along the roadway
  - Plant Materials were selected to scale with the Median(s) as some segments are very narrow

- Plant Palette consists of the following Materials:
  - Dwarf Firebush
  - Silhouette Bougainvillea
  - Southern Magnolia
  - Ilex Shillings
  - Denny Crown of Thorn (at median tips for color accent)
  - Jatropha Trees
  - Silver Saw Palmetto
  - Cabbage and Montgomery Palms
  - Little Red Crown of Thorn (low and mounding)
  - Green Island Ficus
  - Muhly Grass (native grass with a wispy pink plume)
  - Ligustrum Trees (provides deep evergreen color and broad canopy)
  - Muskogee Crape Myrtle (Lavender colored deciduous plant)

## Plant sequence from Santa Barbara Blvd. to Belville Blvd.:

- Yellow Denny Crown of Thorn
- o Series of (3) Montgomery Palms
- o Pink Silhouette Bougainvillea (in the center)
- Juniper (dusty silver green ground cover with a soft texture)
- o Ficus
- o Jatropha Trees
- Median tips (narrow areas)
  - Ilex Shillings
  - Yellow Denny Crown of Thorn
- Plant spacing will be the similar to Phase III

## Plant sequence continued down Devonshire Blvd.

- Yellow Denny Crown of Thorn (at the Median tip)
- Montgomery Palms
- o Pink Bougainvillea (in the center)
- Juniper
- Ficus
- Street Lights are positioned in the Native Grass
- Little Red Crown of Thorn
- Dwarf Firebush
- Magnolia Tree (in the center)
- o Evergreen Tree
- Muskogee Crape Myrtle Tree (at each end)
- o Montgomery Palms (smaller group)
- At the intersections and Devonshire Entrance(s) Montgomery Palms,
   Crown of Thorn, and Bougainvillea are positioned together for effect

## Plant sequence from Appleby Dr. to Radio Road

- Cabbage Palm
- Denny Crown of Thorn
- o Ficus and Jatropha Trees
- o Ilex Shillings wrap around the Silver Saw Palmetto
- o Ligustrum Tree
- Denny Crown of Thorn (center facing)
- Magnolia Tree, Crape Myrtle, and Dwarf Firebush
- Street Lights are positioned in the Muhly Grass
- o Cabbage Palm and Ligustrum Tree
- o (3) Montgomery Palms
- o Yellow Crown of Thorn (at the median tip)

## Plant sequence at Radio Road

- Montgomery Palm
- o Denny Crown of Thorn
- o Bougainvillea (in the center)

Discussion ensued on the Median Design Concept.

**Betty Schudel** perceived the position of the Trees is not aesthetically pleasing as they are in a strict formation (equal distance.) She requested the spacing of the Trees be slightly modified.

Pam Lulich recommended Scott Windham review the road curvature as Plant Materials may obstruct view.

Dale Lewis moved to accept the (Windham Studio) Conceptual Design (Devonshire Median Planting) and to submit (the Design) to the County for Sight line approval. Second by Betty Schudel. Motion carried unanimously 4-0.

**Dale Lewis** noted that the Devonshire Project(s) benefit all residents contributing to the MSTU as Devonshire Blvd. is a main thoroughfare.

Scott Windham stated monies spent on Devonshire Blvd. ensure the following:

- Correct Safety issues created by the mature Mahogany Trees
- Historically maintain the area
- VIII. OLD BUSINESS None
- IX. NEW BUSINESS None
- X. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS -None
- XI. PUBLIC COMMENT None

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 4:16 P.M.

Radio Road Beautification MSTU Advisory Committee

Dale Lewis, Chairman

These minutes approved by the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, as presented\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, or amended\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The next meeting is February 15, 2011 3:30 p.m.

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