

# Demonstration Project: Volunteer Meeting

December 2, 2014  
6:30 p.m-7:30 p.m.  
City Hall

# Participants

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- Volunteer Core Group
  - Captain/Co-Captains Established
- Meeting Participants-Everyone is Welcome
  - Volunteer Group Assists Participants
- GDOT
  - ROW Set-Up
- Consultant Team/Staff
  - Assist with Organization/Heavy Lifting As Needed

# Activities to Date

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- Consultant (Nelson Nygaard) Reviewed Downtown Master Plan
- Consultant Technical Review and Traffic Impacts
- Impact Report-Section 106-National Register
- ARC Assistance with GDOT Historic Pres. Staff
- Review of Options
- Assist Planning Demonstration Project
  - Prepared Educational Materials/Maps

# Agenda-Dec. 6th

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- Draft Agenda Provided
- Sign-In and Group Number Assignments
- Refreshments
- Welcome/ Introductions
- Feasibility Study Presentation
- Table Exercises: Consultant
- Question/Answer
- Outdoor Set-up Teams
- Review of Documents (Commercial Space) and Project Viewing
- Break-Down



# Team Options

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- Activities-General
- Long Description Provide-Handout
- Three Teams Will Have A Public Works Associate Assigned
- One Public Works Associate-Floater

# Team 1: Roundabout

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- Intent: Show Footprint of Roundabout and Approach Islands
- Consultant-Spray Chalk In Place Friday
- Team-Place Survey Flags for Easy Viewing
  - Every 2-3 Feet
- Materials Provided
  - 200 Survey Flags
  - Spray Chalk (in case needed)
  - Safety Vests
- Staff Assistance: Consultant/Staff As Needed

# Team 2: Marking/Parking

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- Intent: Show how to utilize travel lane.
- Travel Lane Removed-GDOT Cones
- Team: Extend pavement markings and designate diagonal parking spaces.
  - Work w/public works to place City vehicles in “new” parking spaces.
- Materials:
  - Spray Chalk
  - Measuring Wheel
  - Safety Vests
- Staff Assistance: Consultant/Staff As Needed

# Team 3: Curb Extension

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- Intent: Show repurposing options when removing the travel lane such as a gathering space.
- Team: Wooden Shipping Pallets and Plywood to extend the usable space from the sidewalk.
- Materials:
  - 47 Wooden Pallets/Plywood (Painted/Un-Painted)
    - We will not be using them all.
    - Options: 12 ft (3 pallets deep) or 8 feet (2 pallets deep)
    - Example
  - Safety Vests
- Staff Assistance: Public Works Associate

# Team 3 A: Turf and Furniture

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- Intent: Show repurposing options when removing the travel lane such as a gathering space.
- Team: Install Turf and Arrange Furniture and Plants for Gathering Space
- Materials:
  - 15 X 20 Artificial Turf
  - Two Bistro Tables/Chairs
  - One Long Serving Table
  - Two Rockers
- Staff Assistance: Public Works Associate

# Team 4:Trees

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- ◉ Intent: Enhance the streetscape showing possible green elements.
- ◉ Team: Place in multiple locations as shown in diagram.
- ◉ Materials:
  - 25-30 Trees from Trees Atlanta
- ◉ Staff Assistance: Public Works Associate

# Team 5: South Avondale Closures-Roundabout Options

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- ◉ Intent: Show the impact on South Avondale Road w/Roundabout Option.
- ◉ Team: Spray Chalk Road Closures
- ◉ Materials: Spray Chalk
- ◉ Staff Assistance: Consultant/Staff As Needed

# Other Items

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- Display Area: Vacant Commercial Space
  - Display Board, FAQ
  - Explanations: Mid-Block Crossings, Road Diets and Repurposing Streets, Roundabouts, Peds/Bike
  - Outlets to Express Opinions-Comment Cards
- Chalk Board-4 X 8 Freestanding
- Lemonade for Participants

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# Questions/Clarifications