



Little Saigon Urban Form Community Meeting

The Department of Planning and Development (DPD) and the Washington Vietnamese American Chamber of Commerce (WAVA Chamber) invites you to a community meeting to view the "Public Realm Vision Report" with landscape architecture firm Atelier Dreiseitl. Dieter Grau from Atelier Dreiseitl will present a proposed urban design vision/concept for Little Saigon, based on a October 2007 community workshop, followed by discussion.

Little Saigon Urban Form Community Meeting
Wednesday, June 11th, 2008
6:00pm to 8:30pm
Nisei Veterans Hall
1212 S. King Street Seattle, WA 98144
(12th & S. King, across from Lam's Seafood)

***Vietnamese interpreters will be available**
***The Nisei Veterans Hall is ADA accessible, please contact us as soon as possible for special accommodations**

The Little Saigon urban design vision is an integrated concept for public spaces that includes:

- Open space
- Pedestrian connections
- Street improvements
- Stormwater recycling
- Green infrastructure

It is a vision that could be developed over the long term for an area that is likely to have an increase in commercial activity and residential density in the future. The vision also strives to enhance the visual character of Little Saigon consistent with the cultural values of the community. Atelier Dreiseitl, a landscape architecture firm from Germany, has assisted in the development of the Little Saigon urban design vision. Atelier Dreiseitl has based its conceptual design work on facilitated discussion that occurred at a community workshop in Little Saigon in October 2007.

A sustainable infrastructure concept also complements the Department of Planning and Development's proposed zoning amendments for Little Saigon that, when combined with the urban design vision, suggest ways to maximize private development potential while providing public benefits for the neighborhood.

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