

Forest Hills Improvement Initiative – Working Group
A Partnership for Building a Better Community

FIRST COMMUNITY MEETING

October 21, 2006, 8:30 to 12 Noon

AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introduction 8:30 AM
 - Representative Liz Malia and Elected Officials
 - Working Group and Greater Forest Hills Task Force
 - Planning Team – BTD, Parks, BRA, ONS, MBTA, DCR, *and the area community*

2. Overview of planning process and key deliverables 9:00 AM
 - *Community Vision, Development Scenarios & Guidelines, and Use & Design Guidelines, Comprehensive Transportation Plan, and Zoning Amendments*
 - Community planning phases & meeting schedule

3. Existing Conditions Analysis 9:10 AM
 - Community Character
 - Uses and Urban Design
 - Transportation and Infra-structure Systems
 - Economics and Demographics
 - Planning and Policy Context

4. Workshop Breakout Sessions [small groups in focused working discussions] 9:40 AM
 - Identify *Area Assets* and *Challenges* – 20 minutes
 - *Community Vision* for Forest Hills – 30 minutes
 - Identify *Focus Areas* and *Study Sites* including MBTA parcels – 20 minutes

5. Group Reporting and Summaries 11:00 AM

6. Follow up activities and responsibilities 12:00 N
Adjourn

Up Coming Meetings

- Working Group Meeting - Wednesday, November 8th, 6:30 – 8 PM, State Lab Building, South Street at Forest Hills
- Community Meeting – Tuesday, December 5th, 2006, 6:00 – 8:30 PM

For additional information, maps and related documents, please visit the BRA Web site: <http://www.cityofboston.gov/bra>, select “Planning Initiatives”, and select “Forest Hills Improvement Initiatives”.

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Thank You!