

Urban Core ~ District 1
Citizens Planning Advisory Committee
September 23, 2002
Cathedral Terrace Auditorium ~ 701 N. Ocean Street

MINUTES

Committee Members/Guests/Staff Present

Sign in sheets attached

Call to Order

The Chairman called the meeting to order at 5:08 p.m.

Approval of Minutes

The decision to approve the minutes from the August 26, 2002 meeting was unanimous.

Speakers

- **David Jones (Duval County Health Department)** – discussed core city contamination sites. He also discussed what the Health Department is doing and what citizens can do. Answered questions from members and guests.
- **Joe Honeycutt (President, Habijax)** – said that they are working with local CDCs on new designs that will complement the surrounding community. He responded that their aim is to create an economic mix and not add to concentrations of low and moderate income families in an area.

Reports

Building Code Enforcement, Frank Cunningham, Building Code Enforcement Officer discussed the preservation of the tree on the site of the proposed visitor's center in JEA Water Works Park. JEA staff members responded that the tree is old and no longer viable. Its current location interferes with plans being developed for the site.

Planning and Development Department - John Crofts reported that of the 12 Town Center projects reviewed, 6 were from the Urban Core.

Mayor's Representative

None at this time.

Jacksonville Sheriff's Office

Sgt. Perry Riley reported that JSO is continuing its efforts to eliminate crime in the Urban Core as well as throughout the City of Jacksonville. He responded to questions raised by members concerning Neighborhood Watch requests.

Neighborhood Services Division

None at this time.

Old Business

None at this time.

New Business

The Chairman asked for concurrence on her committee's recommendation that Joann Smith be given the Mayor's Individual Award for the Urban Core. CPAC members were unanimous in their approval.

Additional Concerns/Issues

None at this time.

Special Guests

None at this time.

Announcements

Joyce Bizot of the Neighborhoods Department reported that Ed Hall, Department of Public Works is the new Assigned Department head to this CPAC.

Adjourn

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting of the Urban Core CPAC will be held at 5:00 P.M., Monday, October 28, 2002 at the Cathedral Terrace Auditorium – 701 N. Ocean Street.