

Association Note: This is the record of the 3 Public Forums held for input to the Task Force.

PINE POINT BEACH ACCESS Public Comments on Preliminary Concept Plan

First Meeting: December 22, 2009 – 6:30 p.m.

Location: Engine 4 Fire Station

Residents:

Judy Shirk
John Thurlow
Joan Lourie
Stan Lourie
Elaine Richer
Sue Perrino
Robert Baizley
Rob Carson
Paul Kirby
Richard Lamonte

Municipal Staff:

Thomas J. Hall, Town Manager
Mike Shaw, Direct of Public Works
Keith Smith, Consultant

Media

Tess Nacelewicz

Town Council:

Carol Rancourt, Chair
Jessica Holbrook
Mike Wood

Second Meeting: January 7, 2010 – 6:30 p.m.

Location: Engine 4 Fire Station

Resident:

Robert Baizley
John Barrett
Arlene Hurd
Amy Roberts
Jon Roberts
Pat Donahue
Judy Shirk
John Thurlow
Sue Perrino

Municipal Staff:

Thomas J. Hall, Town Manager
Jay Chace, Ass't Town Planner

Media:

David Harry

Town Council:

Carol Rancourt, Chair
Karen D'Andrea
Ron Ahlquist
Shawn Babine

Third Meeting: January 12, 2010 – 7:00 p.m.

Location: Town Hall

Resident:

Kerry Corthell
Judy Shirk
Arlene Hurd
Sue Perrino
John Thurlow

Municipal Staff:

Thomas J. Hall, Town Manager
Jim Wendle, Town Engineer

Media:

David Harry

Town Council:

Carol Rancourt, Chair
Ron Ahlquist
Jessica Holbrook

Comments on Concept Plan & Gateway Idea Gallery:

# of Comments	Comments and/or Similar Comments Made
1	This one handicap - [in drop off area]
1	Regular Trash Cans
3	Split Rail? [pointing to fence]
1	Real Shade - like with a gazebo with benches
1	Connect and make a one way [double arrow pointing between walkway and drive at end of white house]
3	Dog Poo bag stand
3	Round rail [on fence]
1	How about raised boardwalk?
1	Opposed to this – keep at 4 foot round rail [bullet on far right of plan ..block wall to be....]
2	Dune Fencing
1	No boulders on benches ... kids play on them and “hop”... Big accidents!
1	More shrubs and evergreen plants, less flowers and mulch.
1	Too open – Gazebo style w/roof for shade
1	Love the foot Shower! But maybe also drinking fountain?
4	Yes and higher seating or variety of heights - higher for older people [pointing to bench on idea gallery – upper left corner]
2	Handicapped accessible – can wheelchairs get past this down to the water?? [folding bollards]
1	How about perennial geraniums
3	No to this [American Dune Grass]
2	Winter access by sidewalk plowed
2	My preference – 2 rails only [pointing to rail fence]
2	Use low planting – close to ground [pointing to pathway plant borders]
1	What will sign look like?
4	3’ foot high fence
1	Sign that says No Dogs on Beach
3	No 6’ transition
1	No to stamped concrete with boardwalk patter and color
1	Winter Access
2	Too invasive [rugosa rose]
2	Hammerhead [drop off area]
2	Define beach access sign – minimum size 4x8 niceley designed sandblasted sign – feedback from public
1	find alternative -safer [pointing to drop off]
1	No arbor
1	lawn grass
1	year round access to beach

1 fewer 5 -10 [pointing to bike racks]
1 no to switch grass
1 no to plans that will “take over”
1 Lighting?- consistent w/low level
1 Landscape architect put “Ocean Gateway” Who decided that?
1 “On The Point” sign – do not move
1 Who owns block wall?
1 seasonal or permanent? [gazebo]
1 setback? [between the gazebo and fence]
1 Trees 8 – 9 feet as buffer to parking lot
1 Wonderful & beautiful amenities * want open fencing
1 Need enough time to have people w/mobility issues to unload and pushed to
beach
1 lots of boulders would be great
1 trolley would mitigate decreased access [mobility]
1 No privacy wall