

WELCOME!

Thank you for participating in the *Miami CR 25-A Special Area Planning Area Master Plan* October 23, 2017 Community Meeting, which is designed to get your input on developing a plan for the *25-A Special Area Planning Area*. This handout was prepared to address questions you might have about *Plan CR 25A* and the activities scheduled for today's meeting. The handout is divided into the following sections:

- Tonight's Agenda
- Participant Guidelines
- Frequently Asked Questions

Tonight's Agenda

1. Introduction (6:30 - 6:35)
2. Study Background and Summary of Existing Conditions (6:35 - 7:00)
3. Mapping Exercise (7:00 - 7:45)
4. Group Sharing (7:45 - 8:00)
5. Adjourn (8:00)

Participant Guidelines

- Be respectful of others in your group.
- Be open and frank in expressing yourself.
- Keep comments brief and to the point.
- Listen to what others have to say.
- Stay on task.
- If you need to take a break, feel free to do so.
- Please turn off cellular phones and beepers.

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the purpose of the CR 25-A Special Area planning process?

The primary purpose of the CR 25-A Special Area planning process is to create a plan for the CR25-A *Special Area Planning Area* that will help direct its future growth and development. Involving the public at critical stages in the process is key to successfully creating and implementing the plan. Dozens of stakeholders, including property and business owners, are involved in the process. A survey for residents and businesses to complete has been posted on the internet.

Who is the team involved in conducting the charrette?

The project team that is involved in the planning process and conducting the community meeting includes Miami County public officials and consultants retained by the City: Burton Planning Services and Urban Decision Group.

What is the purpose of the community meeting?

The public meeting is where the project team gains valuable insight into the how the community sees the area while providing the public an opportunity to be actively engaged in the process. Obtaining the public's intuitive views, opinions, and experiences, coupled with the analysis of existing conditions helps better understand the area's ability to accommodate change.

Are there other public meetings and events?

There will be another meeting or open house event held early next year to review the results of the public's involvement to date and discuss preliminary recommendations.

How else can someone get involved?

You can go to the project web site <http://burtonplanning.com/plancr25a/> to learn more about the project and check for updates. You can also fill out the survey that is linked to the web site and add any comments you may have about the process.