

THE FORT LAUDERDALE SOCIABLE CITY PLAN

Priority Actions Snapshot

<u>Note</u>: Surveys, interviews, six Roundtables plus other research uncovered a rich source of information on current strategies, issues and challenges. The Action Plan addresses many of the issues discussed, though some issues will require future planning and action.

THE SOCIABLE CITY PLAN

Establish an Alliance and Convene Action Teams for Safety, Vibrancy and Planning

Designate a dedicated "Night Manager" and Identify Key Department Coordinators

Develop a Sociable City Master Plan

PLANNING ACTION TEAM: Transportation | Quality of Life

Update Special Entertainment Overview District Ordinance

Inventory Infrastructure Gaps and Prioritize Resources

Develop a Strategy for Transportation Efficiency

SAFETY ACTION TEAM: Public Safety | Venue Safety

Convene and Facilitate an Interagency Public Safety Team

Examine the Feasibility of a Dedicated Hospitality Unit

Identify Hospitality Businesses to Promote Best Practices

VIBRANCY ACTION TEAM: Entertainment | Multi-use Sidewalk

Document Sociability Options and their Economic Value

Convene Calendar Coordinators to Generate a Marketing Strategy

Create a Cohesive Plan for Public Space Activities

Priority Implementation Snapshot

| Action | Process | Timeline | Budget |
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| Designate a Project Manager | City Manager to Designate an Interim Project Manager-Night | Month | Reassign |
| | Manager to continue facilitation of three Action Teams and Alliance | 1 to 6 | |
| Establish an Alliance | City Manager to designate individuals to serve as an Interim Alliance | Month | In-kind |
| | with three representatives from hospitality, safety, development and | 1 to 6 | |
| | community agencies and organizations to serve as liaisons to the | | |
| | Action Teams | | |
| Inventory Infrastructure | Convene members from the Plan for People Action Team and others | Month 3 | In-kind |
| Gaps | representing city agencies (i.e. public works) and individuals from | to 6 | Reassign city |
| | each current and emerging entertainment/social district to document | | staff to |
| | the following: | | collect, |
| | Infrastructure and service improvements required (i.e. sidewalks, | | organize and |
| | lighting, crosswalks, trash removal schedules, outdoor seating | | forecast |
| | compliance, etc.) | | budget |
| | Sound Audit to identify sources resulting in complaints, whether in | | requirements |
| | violation of existing code or unrelated to code standards. | | |
| | Recommendations for improvements in policy, dedicated code | | |
| | compliance inspectors at night, mediation process to be | | |
| Public Safety Team | coordinated by Project Manager Convene members from the Assure Safety Action Team and others | Month 3 | In-kind |
| Public Salety Team | representing city, county, state agencies and hospitality leadership to | to 6 | Reassign city |
| Dedicated Officers | document the following: | 10 0 | staff to |
| Dedicated Officers | Define interagency reporting process to document incidents | | collect, |
| | relating to nightlife venues (underage service, calls for service, | | organize and |
| | sound violations, outdoor seating, trash management, sanitation, | | forecast |
| | etc.) | | budget |
| | Define a process to transition from a detail officer system to a | | requirements |
| | dedicated unit system with timeline, stages of change and budget | | |
| | Identify most common violations and calls for service and work | | |
| | with hospitality venues to develop a process to collaborate on best | | |
| | practices for education and training | | |
| Convene Calendar | Convene members from the Enhance Vibrancy Action Team and | Month 3 | In-kind |
| Coordinators | others representing city agencies, social districts, event planners, | to 6 | Reassign |
| | entertainment media and hospitality businesses and associations to | | staff to |
| | document the following: | | collect, |
| | Consolidate a directory of sources of information about Fort | | organize and |
| | Lauderdale's dining, entertainment and festivals to develop a | | forecast |
| | method to identify a common clearinghouse for residents and | | budget |
| | visitors on things to do | | requirements |
| | Identify a budget to maintain a website calendar and directory for | | |
| | all calendar listings to be consolidated and organized by interest | | |
| | and activity, as well as to serve as a planning tool for safety and | | |
| | transportation planning | | |
| | Identify a budget to organize and facilitate a working group to develop a brand and promotional campaign Fort Lauderdale's | | |
| | dining, entertainment and social opportunities | | |
| Develop a Sociable City | Convene Interim Alliance to consolidate recommendations, budget | Month 5 | In-kind |
| Master Plan | requirements and recommendations for a permanent structure to | to 12 | Reassign |
| | implement and update actions, including: | 10 12 | staff to bring |
| | Define job requirements and salary range (other cities \$65-80) for | | budget |
| | a permanent Project/Night Manager | | requirements |
| | Define process budget to formally establish the Alliance as either | | to |
| | review or advisory body (San Francisco Entertainment | | implement |
| | Commission) with staff support | | priority |
| | Consolidate recommendations from each Action Team with | | actions |
| | budget and resource requirements for the new fiscal year | | |