

7 corners charette outcome

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Good Morning Penny:

I'm sure that you will get a download from Aaron on how the Charette went, but I wanted to let you know that I couldn't be more pleased at the result. The staff did an excellent job--Joanne Fiebe did an outstanding job of putting it together. At the end Barbara Byron who was also instrumental in its success said to the whole group that in her 6 years in her current position she has not had a better experience with community involvement--that's saying a lot. Taking the Task Force through all of those preparatory background and information meetings has really paid off.

You absolutely share in the success as you set an excellent tone in your remarks to kick it off--thank you!

One of the outcomes that you should know about is that at the Willston site we suggest a government/civic/public venue building not a school.

So also along that line I just found out this morning that Craig Anderson of ERM who is planning the Columbia Pike Weissburg project who was supposed to send the school design and layout to Kevin Sneed apparently sent it to a wrong email address and it wasn't sent to Kevin Sneed's correct email until about 1 & 1/2 weeks back. That is probably why we haven't heard back sooner. But, with interest rates ticking up ERM is really anxious to get the project going. If there is anything you can do to assist we all will all be grateful.

All the Best,
John