



Steering Committee Meeting #2

City of Bridgeport Plan of Conservation and Development



AGENDA

1. Review of May Meeting
2. Status Update
 - Pop-up Events
 - Website/Social Media/Surveys
3. Upcoming Events
 - Pop-ups
 - Constituent Meetings
 - Thematic Meetings
4. Resilient Economy- Economics, Jobs, Housing Discussion
5. Wrap up and Next steps



Review of May Meeting

POCD GUIDING THEMES

Livable Built Environment

Interwoven Equity

Harmony with Nature

Healthy Community

Resilient Economy

Responsible Regionalism



GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- Outreach strategy that prioritizes **planning with the community, not for the community**
- Public outreach that is **inclusive, informative, and engaging**
- **Strategically customized** outreach efforts that meet community needs
- Taking public **outreach to the people** through community events
- **Multi-lingual** outreach materials specific to local demographics
- ADA accessible, family friendly events that **welcome all participants**
- Innovative tools and technology solutions to **maximize participation**, especially from **under-represented populations**

POP-UP EVENTS

COMMUNITY MEETINGS

THEMATIC MEETINGS

**INTERVIEWS & FOCUS
MEETINGS**

**VIRTUAL PUBLIC
WORKSHOPS**





Status Update

Press Event



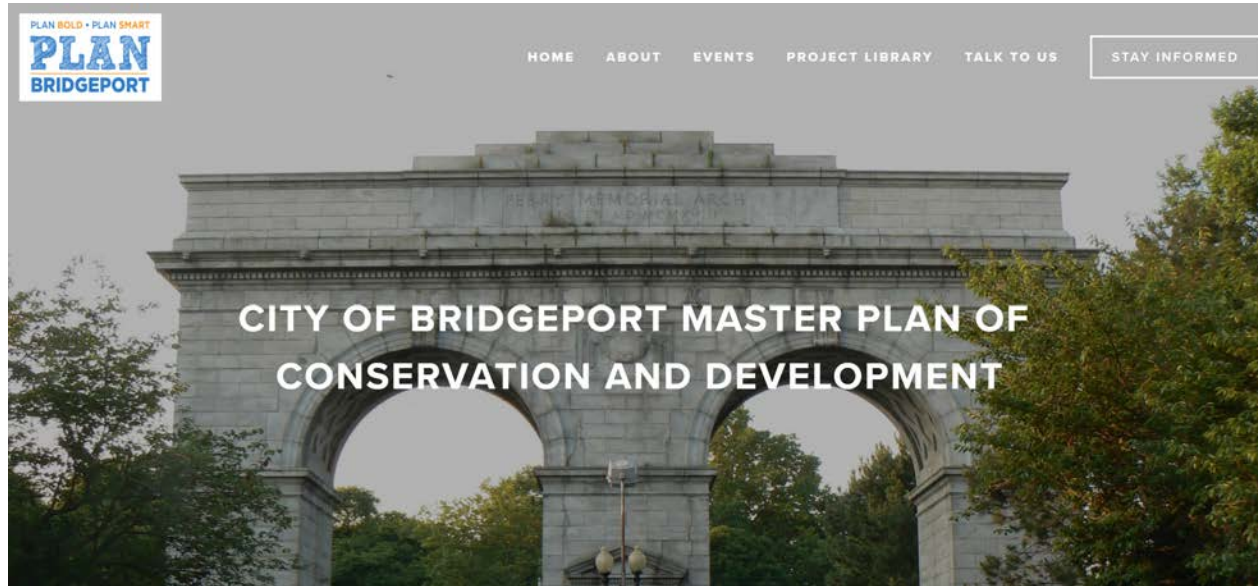
Juneteenth Parade and Festival



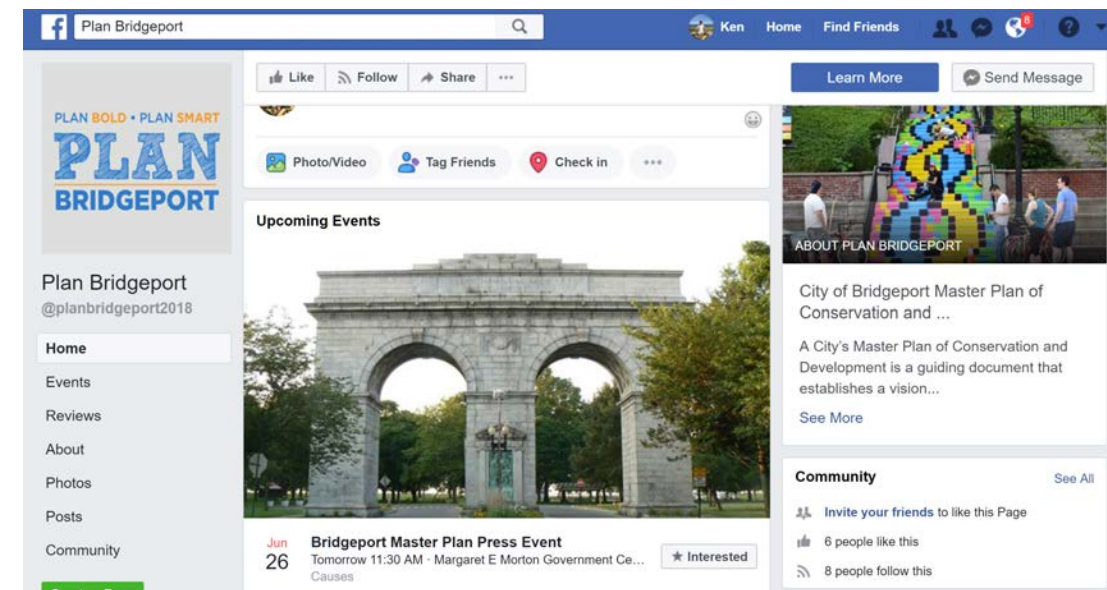
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Website and Social Media



- www.planbridgeport.com
- Facebook: @planbridgeport2018
- Twitter: @planbridgeport



Interactive Survey

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Related Surveys

Contact

Topics

LIVABLE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

HARMONY WITH NATURE

RESILIENT ECONOMY

INTERWOVEN EQUITY

FOSTER A HEALTHY COMMUNITY

Which neighborhood do you live in?

Boston Avenue/Mill Hill

Black Rock

Brooklawn/St. Vincent

Downtown

East End

East Side

Enterprise Zone

The Hollow

North Bridgeport

North End

Reservoir/Whiskey Hill

South End

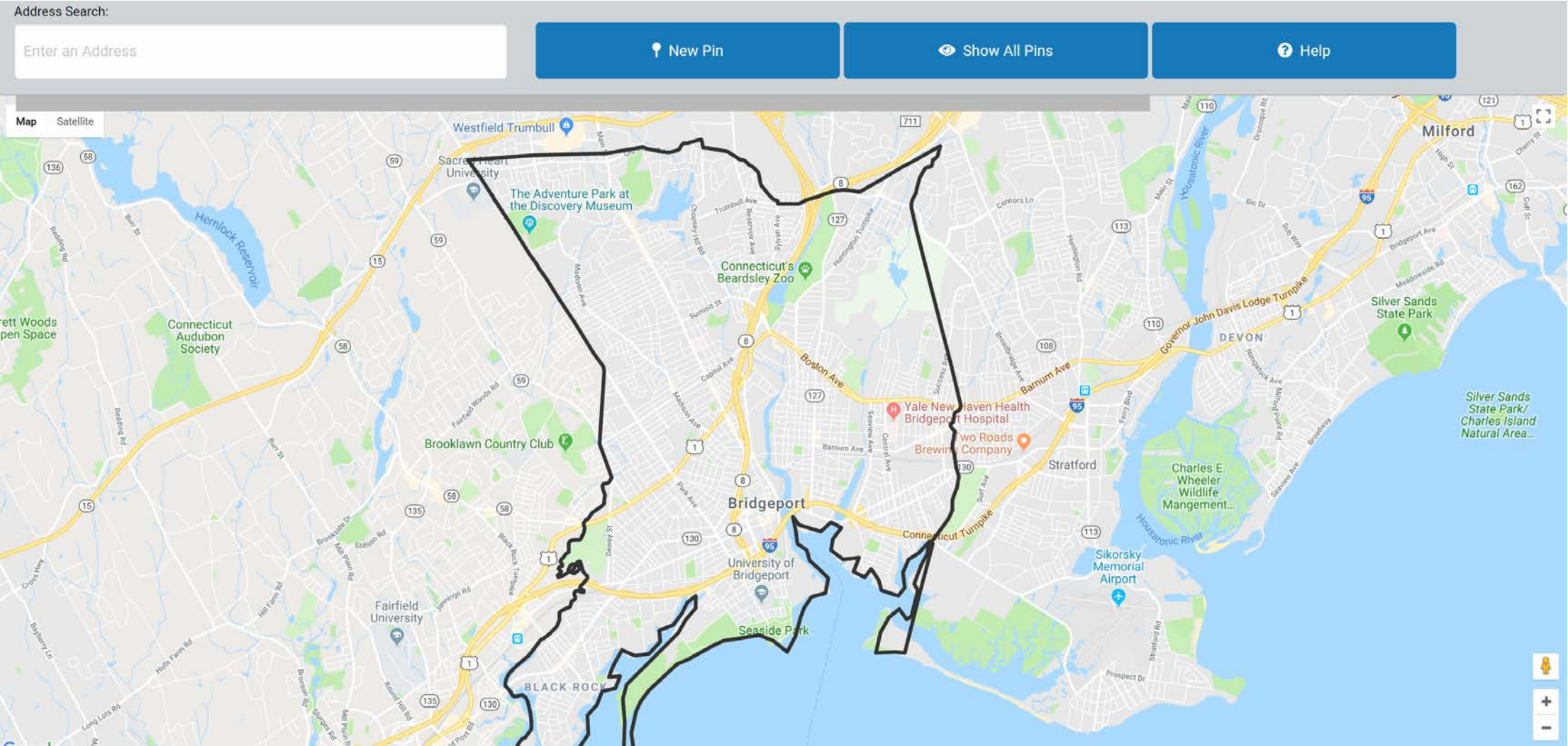
West Side/West End

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Give us your comments





Upcoming Events

Pop-up Events

▲ WHAT	📅 WHEN	📍 WHERE
Juneteenth Parade	Saturday, June 9th	McLevy Park
Barnum Palooza Street Parade	Sunday, July 1st	Seaside Band Shell
Puerto Rican Day Parade and Festival	Sunday, July 8th	Seaside Band Shell
Bridgeport Arts Festival	Saturday, July 21st	McLevy Park
6th Annual Freedom Community Festival	Sunday, July 22nd	McLevy Park
Downtown Thursdays	Thursday, August 2nd	McLevy Park
West Indian Association of Bridgeport Festival	Saturday, August 18th	Seaside Band Shell

Meetings

- Thematic meetings in August
 - Potential themes- housing, retail/market, mobility
- Constituent meetings- mid-July
 - City representatives
 - Non-profits
 - Business owners
 - Neighborhood representatives



WE'RE IN THIS
TOGETHER

Resilient
Economy

RESILIENT ECONOMY DISCUSSION

- What are the key economic challenges facing your community today?
- Do you feel that there are accessible and diverse transit options to get to work? Are there key job centers that have inadequate transit options?
- Is infrastructure healthy? How well does it support economic growth in Bridgeport by providing connections throughout the City and beyond?
- How would you rate Bridgeport's ability to recover from a disaster (fiscal, natural or other)?





Welcome to the
Broad Street Steps
Landscaping Made Possible by:
Neserino Property Group
Bridgeport Downtown Special Services District
Artemis Landscape Architects

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Wrap up and
Next Steps

Plan of Conservation and Development

- Quick timeframe
- Most outreach will take place over the summer months

- Steering Committee Meeting
- SC Web Meeting/Conf. Call
- Pop-Up Events
- Neighborhood Meetings
- Focus Group Meetings
- Thematic Meeting
- School Events

Task	May	June	July	August	September	October	November
Task 1: Project Coordination	● ○	● ○	● ○	● ○	● ○	● ○	
Task 2: Guiding Principles							
Task 3: Community Engagement	●	● ○ ● ● ●	● ○ ● ● ●	○ ● ○ ○ ○	● ○ ○ ●		
Task 4: Existing Conditions							
Task 5: Community Vision							
Task 6: Implementation Plan							
Task 7: POCD Document (Print Version)							
Task 7: POCD Interactive Document							

Upcoming Steering Committee Meetings

- Wednesday, July 25
- Wednesday, August 22
- Wednesday, September 26
- Wednesday, October 24
- Wednesday, November 28

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