

Board Workshop of the
Downtown Development Authority of Fort Lauderdale
Wednesday, April 24, 2013 @ 9:00 a.m.
DDA Office, 305 South Andrews Avenue, Suite 301, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

BOARD PRESENT: Tim Petrillo, Chair
John Ropes, Vice Chair
Michael Weymouth, Secretary
Gregory Durden, Board Member

ALSO PRESENT: Chris Wren, Executive Director
John Milledge, General Counsel
Elizabeth Van Zandt, Planning & Design Manager
Chadwick Blue, Urban Planner
Neil Sterling
Paul Weinberg

Mr. Wren explained the intent of the workshop and then turned it over to Mr. Weinberg. Mr. Weinberg briefly went through the presentation made at the April 11th DDA Board meeting. Discussion was held about the different concepts, their estimated cost and potential opportunities for partnerships, funding sources, etc.

After much discussion, the consensus was to develop an overall vision for the park with better connections to Las Olas Blvd. from Andrews to 3rd Avenues and the Riverwalk. Staff was also asked to look at potential funding sources and come up with a funding strategy before any meetings take place with prospective agency and stakeholder partners.

As there were no other items to discuss, the meeting ended at 10:30 a.m.