

Twin Cities Sustainable Harbor Project

St Joseph Key Stakeholder Group Meeting

Date: March 26, 2019

Time: 1pm – 3pm

Location: Shoreline Room, Kinexus, Benton Harbor, MI

AGENDA

1. Introductions (20 minutes) & Refreshments

Introduction of Attendees – All

Review of Project and Meeting Goals – Emily Finnell

2. Review of the “Preferred Alternative” – Don Carpenter (40 minutes)

Discussion Questions:

- Does the preferred alternative align with your expectations or are their elements that should be revised/refined?
- Are there any elements of the preferred alternative that surprise you or you are particularly excited by?
- Are there waterfront development efforts currently envisioned or underway in your community that are supported by the preferred alternative?
- Are there waterfront development efforts currently envisioned or underway in your community that you would like to see incorporated into the preferred alternative?

3. Implementation Strategies – Don Carpenter & Emily Finnell (40 minutes)

- How would you approach implementation of the plan?
- Who would be local champions, particularly from your organizations, that could assist in implementing the preferred alternative?
- What do you envision as a strategy for shared harbor governance both for maintenance of the harbor and implementation of the plan?

4. Final Discussion –All (20 minutes)