

Miles Steering Committee Meeting Summary
February 17, 2009
Miles Exploratory Learning Center

In attendance: Candy Aguilar Bond, Christine Villela, Connie Villasenor, Ernie Guthrie, Jamey Sumner, Joan Calcagno, Robin Weldon, Gina Chorover (staff), Rebecca Ruopp (staff)

Summary:

The Steering Committee reviewed the staff-revised version of the Vision Statement. The group agreed to keep the statement more general and to pull specific items out for inclusion in the policies, goals and strategies section of the Plan. Several comments were made by the Steering Committee on the Vision Statement and these changes will be made and the revised version will be sent out to the Steering Committee.

The Steering Committee will review and approve the revised draft Vision Statement by March 1. Comments will be sent to Gina by this date. Additional revisions will be sent back out to the Steering Committee for approval/disapproval. The final Vision Statement will be presented at the March 11 Public Meeting.

Gina had prepared several draft Goal Statements and presented these to the Steering Committee. We agreed that the SC/staff will develop the goals over the next two weeks and these will also be presented to the public at the March 11 meeting. In addition, the policies and strategies will be drafted by staff/SC members over the next month and will be presented to the public at a later date.

The City of Tucson's Historic Preservation Officer has been invited to speak at the next public meeting on neighborhood historic preservation issues.

Deadline for the Steering Committee:

March 1 - The Steering Committee will review the Vision Statement and Goals and will send comments to Gina by this date. Any revisions made by Gina will be sent out one more time for a quick review by the SC by March 6.

March 11- Next Public Meeting