

Broadway - Re: Broadway Project Update: Demolition begins at 2419 E. Broadway

From: Jennifer Burdick
To: Janet Galante
Date: 3/24/2014 2:47 PM
Subject: Re: Broadway Project Update: Demolition begins at 2419 E. Broadway
CC: Broadway

Ms. Galante,

Thank you for emailing your thoughts on this issue. We asked for some volunteers to meet with us after the public meeting to talk through the designs brainstormed, develop some more refined designs and potential costs, and to help prepare the information to come back to a second public meeting (date not yet determined).

We'll be meeting with them soon, so I will share your email with the group for their consideration.

Thank you, again, for sending this idea in!

~Jenn

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>>> On 3/24/2014 at 2:42 PM, Janet Galante <janet@sitstayplaytucson.com> wrote:

I am so sorry I was not able to attend the meeting. The corridor is a blight and the restaurant sits next to a hideous pile of chain link fencing in ill repair. I doubt that the expenditure of \$9,000 is going to do much more than pay for gravel. Leave it alone and apply the money to something that will actually benefit the community. JMHO

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On Thu, Mar 20, 2014 at 6:36 PM, <broadway@tucsonaz.gov> wrote:

PLEASE BE ADVISED:

The City of Tucson has begun the demolition of 2419 E. Broadway, the former Panda Buffet restaurant. It is anticipated that the demolition could be complete sometime next week.

Fences have been put up temporarily while the demolition occurs, and will be removed when the site is safe. The site will be cleared of the building, signage, and palm trees, and then leveled and covered with a layer of decomposed granite.

Regular access to Brio Salon and Top Hat Formal Wear is available through the parking lot.

This demolition is the ONLY demolition that the Mayor and City Council have approved so far during the current planning and design phase of the project.

The design of the project is progressing, and a recommendation on the design and the roadway widths is anticipated later this year. Construction will begin in 2016.

If you have any questions, please email broadway@tucsonaz.gov, or call [520.837.6648](tel:520.837.6648). You can also find more information online at www.tucsonaz.gov/broadway.

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This project is funded by the City of Tucson, Pima County and the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA), and is part of the voter-approved, \$2.1 billion RTA plan that will be implemented through 2026. Details about the plan are available at www.RTA mobility.com.