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**From:** Sage-Martinson, Jonathan (CI-StPaul)  
**Sent:** Friday, October 16, 2015 10:23 AM  
**To:** Beckmann, Kristin (CI-StPaul); Drummond, Donna (CI-StPaul)  
**Cc:** Homans, Nancy (CI-StPaul)  
**Subject:** RE: Meeting with Council on task forces

Thanks, Kristin.

We are setting up the meetings with CMs now and will be sure to keep in close contact with them – both through the TAC, but we can also consider 2x month briefings as we do on Ford with CM Tolbert.



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Donna this was very helpful in talking with the Mayor. He would like you to ask Julie Padilla to co chair. If she can't he would like you to consider Ann DeJoy.

I like Nancy's recommendation of the neighborhood co-chair, but the Mayor doesn't know him or have any other suggestion. He recommends asking Russ who should fill this role.

Dai was very angry at me for not including him in the press release about the formation of this task force. He feels that he is intentionally being left out and wants to be on the team that gets this development done in his ward. He wants the level of involvement that Tolbert has in Ford for himself with Midway. I've apologized profusely and promised we will work closer as we move forward.

I wanted you and Jonathan to know that context going into the meetings with him and to help me rebuild trust with that office. Please do all you can to bring him along in the process and set up a feedback loop after meetings etc. If you assign a staff person like Merritt to this project, let me know. They need to know the expectation that Dai and Russ will need to be kept very close as this progresses. Thanks



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Hi Kristin – Let me know if this is not what you need.



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Donna, thanks for prompting this. I have a meeting from 2-3 with the Mayor today. Can you send me a word document with the make up proposal for the CAC and TAC? Include as many names to consider as possible along with roles. I'd love a one page I can use to talk him through the options for both. Thanks, KB



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Kristin – Did Nancy talk to you about the possibility of a neighborhood co-chair, along with a Planning Commissioner co-chair, for the CAC? I think that has been our typical model. We had thought that Eric Molho from Union Park District Council might be good if he is available. He had facilitated Union Park's Aug. 11<sup>th</sup> community meeting on the soccer

stadium concept and did an excellent job I thought. Also, do you and the Mayor have any thoughts yet on a Planning Commissioner to ask? We had sent over some ideas earlier. I can resend that email if that's easier. Donna



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Will do.



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Please do this with Russ as well. Thanks

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Jonathan and Donna, would you please schedule time with CMs Thao and Tolbert to share what we've been discussing about the Technical Advisory Committee and the Community Advisory Committee for the Midway site. Please seek their input on the management of these task forces. CM Tolbert will have good comparison to the the Ford task force and CM Thao will need regularly briefings on the progress of the group. They should also be involved as we assemble the membership of the group so please schedule a meeting with them and me to review the applicants to the task force.

I know I pushed you to put these groups together fast. I made mistakes while moving too quickly and one of those was not getting enough input from Council. We have time now to fix that before the committees are fully set. Thanks for helping me reset the conversation and spending time with Council either this week or next. KB

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