Greenway Master Plan Committee Meeting Summary May 24, 2018

The Greenway Master Plan Committee met on May 24, 2018 at 9:00 AM at the Athletics and Activity Center located at 708 South Grove Street. Present committee members included: Linda Giltz, Hunter Marks, Mike Egan, Philip Ellis, Rebekah Robinson, Renee Kumor, Scott Rhodes, Ken Shelton, Graham Fields, Suzanne Hale, Joe Sanders, Chris Burns, and Milton Butterworth. Tricia King and Jennifer Hensley were absent.

County staff included Autumn Radcliff, Planning Director, Carleen Dixon, Parks and Recreation Director, and Stedman Smith, Planner.

Chair Chris Burns called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

The meeting began with an overview of an Inventory Map that staff had been working on. The inventory map was in the beginning stages of laying out inventory that could play a huge role in further development of greenways in Henderson County. The map showed a layout of existing trails within the County limits and within the City of Hendersonville and Fletcher. Other trail inventory included were those on the ground in Pisgah National Forest. Staff was waiting on further trail data for Dupont. The map also showed schools, parks, municipal boundaries, rivers, and major roads.

The committee then discussed how to move forward with "write-ups" of existing inventory within the County. The goal would be to provide short write-ups in the final plan regarding the existing important inventory items in the County, such as water resources, parks, existing trails, and proposed trails.

In closing, the staff briefed the group that it would be developing a link on the County website to begin posting items related to the Greenway Master Plan process. Also, staff mentioned that it was working with the County I.T. department in creating a Google Drive where committee members and staff could place and edit items related to the Master Plan.

The next committee meeting was scheduled for Thursday, June 14th at 9:00 AM.
The meeting adjourned at 10:00 AM.
Committee Chair - Chris Burns