From: <u>Taco Pope</u>
To: <u>Roque, David R</u>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Community Planning Collaborative, LLC

Date: Monday, August 7, 2023 3:58:34 PM

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Afternoon,

I have worked with both Ennis and Adrienne [CPC] over the years. In all, I'd say we have collaborated on at least a half-dozen large scale projects. A couple of them were pretty involved. The American Beach Plan, in particular, was challenging. Ennis gets a ton of credit for getting that project to the finish-line. I am not sure that project would have been successful if he hadn't played such a prominent role. As a result, and an illustration of what I think of Ennis and his ability, he [via CPC] is back under contract to serve in a community liaison position to the AMB community and assist my staff in implementing certain aspects of the adopted plan.

As another illustration of my opinion of CPC [Adrienne/Ennis], Nassau recently executed a continuing services contract with CPC to serve, in a sense, as adjunct staff. We have a handful of sensitive cultural urban/cultural resource planning projects over the next couple years that require their expertise/skillset.

In short, I would have absolutely no hesitation in contracting with CPC to execute a project like the Fifth Avenue/Pleasant Street Historic Heritage Trail. They have passion for the work and the professional ability, experience, and expertise to channel that passion into functional [implementable] urban/cultural resource planning.

Feel free to give me a call, -taco

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From: Roque, David R <RoqueDR@cityofgainesville.org>

Sent: Monday, August 7, 2023 3:08 PM

To: Taco Pope <tpope@nassaucountyfl.com> **Subject:** Community Planning Collaborative, LLC

Mr. Pope,

CPC has listed Nassau County as a reference on an Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) proposal submitted to the City of Gainesville for the Fifth Avenue/Pleasant Street Historic Heritage Trail.

Mr. Ennis Davis, Principal, listed American Beach Cultural Heritage Plan as a project CPC worked on from 2018 – 2022. Accordingly, I would appreciate your feedback about your experience working with the CPC team, their professionalism, responsiveness, timeliness, knowledge of the subject matter, engaging the community/neighbors, and any additional information you can facilitate.

Your feedback is appreciated.

Sincerely, David Roque Project Manager

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