

Village Center Placemaking and Mobility Issues -- Suggestions for Quick Action Items and Priorities

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Dear All,

The Downtown Revitalization and Municipal Services Committees of the Scarsdale Forum issued a report on October 2, 2022 regarding placemaking and mobility issues in the Village Center, referencing the report of FHI Studio and also presenting some original ideas. Trustee Ahuja, the liaison to our Downtown Revitalization Committee, thought it would be helpful for us to prepare a summary report of "low-hanging fruit" and priorities for early action, following the preferred "tactical urbanism" approach of low-cost and incremental implementation.

In preparing this summary, we also drew on prior Scarsdale Forum reports. Based on all of this input, the attached summary should provide some guidance as the Board considers next steps. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Best regards,
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