

**Morgantown Riverfront Revitalization Task Force  
Meeting Notes**

May 20, 2021

I. **Old Business**

- a. Update on Mountaineer Heritage/South U Park
- Bike track estimates

WVU Outdoor Economic Development Collaborative provided quotes for bike tracks in the Park but could not commit any funding or confirm whether they are committed to working in this particular location.

- Murals

BOPARC has funding to install Debbie Palmer's Shine mural, which will happen this summer, and to replace the mural that once existed on the high brick wall (which had a 9/11 theme).

- Bridge design

The City is submitting an application for funding for the design of the bike/ped bridge across Don Knotts Boulevard into the Park. Jessica wrote a support letter as Chair of the Task Force.

- b. MUB sewage overflow point signs

MUB is open to changing these signs. Frank and Jessica are coordinating on this effort to make a recommendation.

- c. Fishing promotion and access

The City was reluctant to use its social media accounts to promote fishing generally. We discussed waiting until the City installs new fishing signs at the riverfront and pairing that announcement with some impressive fish photos. Emily stated that the City is currently purchasing a better plotter, which will allow them to make signs larger and more efficiently.

II. **New Business**

- a. Upcoming events at Hazel Ruby McQuain Park

The City obtained match funding to put on a fireworks show at the Park on the Fourth of July. Multiple other events are being held in the Park now. Vincent attempted to generate interest from food trucks recently but received a paltry response.

***Next Meeting:*** June 17, 2021 via Zoom