

Waterfront Comment Board Summary

(September 28 – October 7)

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1. A posting from the **Arts Commission chair**, asking that the edits made at the last Work Group meeting to the arts-related plan statement be reconsidered because the **Arts Walk** is a concept intended to support the overall waterfront design into a world class place.
2. A posting that the **power plant site** be included in the Plan and that **flood plain issues** be addressed under development concepts.
3. A posting in support of leaving the foot of King Street as is and **using public funds to purchase the two Robinson Terminals** for public and nonprofit related uses.
4. A posting with a **recommendation that new development be limited to the rehabilitation of existing historic buildings at their current scale and character**. It further recommends implementing a **Transfer of Development Rights** program through which land owners along the waterfront could sell their development rights to land owners or developers in other parts of the City.
5. A posting commending the Work Group for agreeing to engage in more **detailed discussion and including an interim report**.
6. A posting in the form of a press release indicating **the CAAWP will present its vision for the waterfront on October 30, 2011 at the Athenaeum**.
7. A posting sharing a September 26th article in the Washington Times regarding the **Seaport Foundation** and inquiring as to how the Seaport Foundation is accommodated under the Waterfront Plan.
<http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2011/sep/26/teenagers-develop-character-with-alexandria-boat-b/>
8. A posting from the City identifying where in the Plan the Seaport Foundation is addressed.