

Downtown Area Citizens Advisory Council
Tuesday, April 5, 2022 at 7 pm via Zoom

Roll call of CAC members:

Carolyn Arcure: present in Ann Arbor
John Chamberlin: present in Ann Arbor
Donald N Duquette: present in Ann Arbor
Joan M French: not present
Peter Honeyman: present in Ann Arbor
Stephen G Palms: present in Ann Arbor
Hugh M Sonk: not present
John Splitt: not present

Also attending: Joe Arcure, Ilene Tyler, Christine Crockett, Norman Herbert, Nan Plummer, Angela Frances Peat.

The Downtown Area Citizens Advisory Council, which works to advise the DDA and City Council about issues and opportunities that affect downtown livability, met over Zoom on April 5, 2022.

After reviewing some of the big news from the previous night's City Council meeting and some of the small news from the downtown streets, the CAC was privileged to host Nan Plummer and Norm Herbert, the Executive Director and the Co-chair, respectively, of the Treeline Conservancy. Nan led a guided discussion of the history, vision, and status of the Treeline Trail, whose realization will have a huge impact on downtown livability, mobility, and connectivity.

Don Duquette reported on reaching out to downtown merchants' associations, finding many interests and concerns in common. CAC members will endeavor to attend future merchants' association meetings to better understand how these mutual concerns can translate into cooperative initiatives.