Design Review Board Work Plan 2022:

Meetings: 2nd & 4th Week of each month.

Exceptions:

- November -1st and 3rd.
- Subcommittee meetings and special meetings will be scheduled as needed.

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Work Product / Deliverable	Schedule	Board /Staff Commitment	Budget Implications
Project Review: Review of project design for compliance with adopted design criteria through: Concept, Detail, or Combined review. Make recommendation on compliance to the review authority.	Regularly Occurring – every meeting.	Board Members: Should spent several hours evaluating code criteria and design features per project prior to the meeting. Staff: Provides helpful guidance to Board in the way of code review analysis and suggested conditions of approval if applicable. Staff should aim to spend less than 20 hours on documenting /presenting / preparing for the Board meeting.	Included in base budget. Application fees should result in 80% or better for staff time spent on preparing documents for the Board. Currently recovery is below the goals. While not relevant to the general fund, efforts are being made to improve cost recovery through improve efficiency and coordination.
Study Sessions/ Work Sessions: Staff and Board work together to find opportunities to schedule and learn about code applicability. Aim to hone skills, improve meeting flow, and efficiency. Evaluate past projects and recommendations against the end result of the constructed building.	1 to 2 times per year / as needed. Given high volume of new members, possibly more this year.	Board: 2-hour meetings and OPMA / PRA training requirements. Staff: Prep. for educational meetings – no more than 5 hours per event.	Included in base budget. With limited staff time, careful consideration of work priorities is needed.
Annual Retreat: Staff and Board work together to determine agenda. Retreat aims to celebrate successes, and include fun/ interesting presenters on various design topics.	End of calendar year.	Board: 10-15 hrs. of Board prep + 4 hrs. at the retreat Staff: 10-15 hrs. of prep and time at the retreat.	\$20 pp for lunch, if applicable.

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Design Featurettes:	As time	Board: 4 hours per	Included in base
Short narratives on design topics	permits. One	featurette, plus full board	budget. With limited
with graphics to illustrate themes	per member	review.	staff time, careful
and concepts to be posted on	per year if		consideration of work
the DRB Website and other	desired.	Staff: 1-2 hours per	priorities is needed.
medias as appropriate.		featurette: editing,	Printed materials would
		uploading to web,	represent a minor
		distribution etc.	expense if needed.