

Urban Residential Association Meeting  
Monday, September 16, 2006  
The Standard's Ballroom at The Smith House  
6:00 to 7:00pm

Chair: Skip Courtney

Guest Speakers: Tamara Dickson – Nashville Downtown Partnership, Leigh Hearne & Bonnie Keller- Tennessee Performing Arts Center, Ricky Beshearse from Metro Nashville Public Works.

Total Attendees: 34

Secretary: Michelle Boucher

Meeting began at 6:00pm

Topics of Discussion & Guest Speakers:

Skip welcomed the downtown residents and thanked the Smith's for once again providing a great meeting space at The Standard.

Holly Covell from 417 Union introduced the restaurants hours, catering options and future events for the upstairs room with live jazz and full bar. For more information please visit <http://www.417union.com/>.

Tamara Dickson from Nashville Downtown Partnership gave a presentation to explain what the Central Business Improvement District (CBID) is. Please see the full presentation at [www.neighborhoodlink.com/nashville/ura](http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/nashville/ura). You may also find information at <http://www.nashvilledowntown.com/>.

Ricky Beshearse from Metro Nashville Public Works spoke about downtown residential recycling. He informed the group that Metro is currently assessing what the needs are to provide all downtown residential buildings with full recycling. We will work on an update for next meeting. For more information about Metro Public Works, please visit <http://www.nashville.gov/Recycle/main.htm>.

Leigh Hearne & Bonnie Keller from the Tennessee Performing Arts Center (TPAC) presented information about TPAC, upcoming events and Marquee memberships. Please visit <http://www.tpac.org/>.

Ben Bahil updated on the Media Boxes project. Still gathering information for next steps.

Skip updated the group on the Church St. Park Lunch Time Concerts. Working on sponsorship and other details. For more information see the August minutes at [www.neighborhoodlink.com/nashville/ura](http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/nashville/ura)

Other events and new local business

417 Union <http://www.417union.com/>.

Action items for next meeting:

Ben Bahil to update on the Media Boxes Committee  
Rhonda Courtney to update on the URA Local Resident Card  
Bring a new neighbor!

Next meeting: Monday, October 16<sup>th</sup>. Location: Past Perfect Restaurant. 122 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave South.

Guest Speakers: TDB

Please visit the URA website for location and guest speaker updates as well as for a copy of all the documents handed out at the meeting: [www.neighborhoodlink.com/nashville/ura](http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/nashville/ura)