
Text Amendment Request(s): Appendix (Appendix 01)

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Description: The appendix of the Master Plan is a collection of documents that provide greater detail to many of the ideas or studies presented in the various chapters of the plan.

Assessment: N/A

Requests: The City Planning Commission solicited proposals for Master Plan text amendments from the general public, as well as various City and other governmental agencies and departments. The below table is a summary of each request received by the City Planning Commission, the applicant, and the subject of the request.

<i>Request</i>	<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>Subject</i>
Appendix 01	Greater New Orleans Water Collaborative	Appendix	Addition of 5 recently completed plans to the appendix

II. ANALYSIS

A. What general and specific text changes were included in the requests made for the petitioned chapter(s)?

The Greater New Orleans Water Collaborative submitted the only amendment proposal for the Appendix of the Master Plan. This amendment proposal recommends including 5 recently completed plans in the Appendix:

- Greater New Orleans Urban Water Plan
- State and City Hazard Mitigation Plan
- State Coastal Master Plan
- Resilient New Orleans
- Main Street Resilience Plan

These plans were developed after the adoption of the Master Plan, and many of them have played a key role in informing this Master Plan amendment process.

B. How did the staff respond to each request for text change for the petitioned chapter(s)?

Overview

The Greater New Orleans Water Collaborative submitted the only amendment proposal for the Appendix of the Master Plan. The Appendix currently includes a number of documents and studies that provide greater detail to the ideas and recommendations imbedded in the various chapters of the Master Plan. These studies are mostly in the form of market analyses for Chapter 14’s opportunity sites, and also include proposals for renewable energy, art donation, and a parks inventory. The City Planning Commission submitted an amendment proposal for Volume 3 Chapter 3 which highlights recently completed plans and includes Resilient New Orleans and the Greater New Orleans Urban Water Plan, among others. The staff believes that this section in Volume 3 Chapter 3 would be the appropriate location to reference the plans suggested by the Greater New Orleans Water Collaborative, as this section provides as glimpse at recently completed plans that helped shape many of the amendment proposals considered during this process.

Summary

The following table contains a summary of each request and how the staff responded to each. For requests that the staff recommends approval or modified approval, proposed text is included in the next section.

<i>Request</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Staff Recommendation</i>
Appendix 01	Addition of 5 recently completed plans to the appendix	Modified Approval

III. SUMMARY

The proposed amendment by the Greater New Orleans Water Collaborative would include five recently completed plans in the Appendix of the Master Plan. The staff supports the inclusion of references to these plans within the Master Plan, but recommends that they instead be included in Volume 3 Chapter 3. The City Planning Commission is recommending a new section in Volume 3 Chapter 3 that highlights plans that have been completed since the adoption of the Master Plan, and which have helped inform this amendment process. The staff recommends modified approval of the request, with the modification being that references to these plans be located in proposed Section D of Volume 3 Chapter 3.

IV. PRELIMINARY STAFF RECOMMENDATION¹

The staff recommends **MODIFIED APPROVAL** of text amendment request Executive Summary 01 to amend **Plan for the 21st Century: New Orleans 2030 Appendix**.

V. TEXT AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

Include the staff recommended Chapter Text with additions in **Bold & Underline** and deletions in ~~striketrough~~.

¹ Subject to modification by the City Planning Commission