North End Parks
Community Workshop

April 2, 2013
Welcome!
Agenda for today

1. Welcome & Overview of Workshop (5 mins) - Jesse Brackenbury, John Pregmon, Robyn Reed

2. Current situation (25 mins)
   – Park uses, including amenities – Linda Jonash
   – Maintenance, including fountains – Steve Anderson
   – Horticulture – Anthony Ruggiero
   – Programs – Charlie McCabe

3. Breakout Sessions (40 mins)
   – Park uses
   – Maintenance
   – Horticulture
   – Programs

4. Recap of Breakout Sessions/Ideas/Feedback from Community/Public (15 mins)

5. Wrap up (5 mins)
Remember this?
North End Parks

Current Situation

1. Park uses, including amenities – Linda
2. Maintenance, including fountains – Steve
3. Horticulture – Anthony
4. Programs – Charlie
Park uses, including amenities

Linda Jonash, Director of Planning and Design
Diverse Park Users
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Furniture
Landscape
Park Maintenance
Steve Anderson, Director of Park Operations
Fountain Maintenance
Installation of Winter Lights
Horticulture
Anthony Ruggiero, Horticulture Foreman
Greenway is maintained completely organically, which is a cost-effective approach.

- Vermiculture
- Brewing
- Compost tea application

Your parks, the Greenway
ORGANIC LAWN + PLANT CARE

www.rfkge.org/organics
SORRY, I'M CLOSED
I'm being fed
Please don't walk on the lawn.

What's happening?
The lawn is being fed. A layer of compost and new grass seedings are being added for nutrition. The City of Portland is planting the park with grass and compost.
Installation of 5-6 shade trees this Spring
Planting Bed Care
Bulb plantings
Irrigation
Seasonal Planting Containers
We welcome your volunteer help!

Volunteer hours

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Mark your calendar!
Projects take place on Wednesdays from 9am-12pm (rain dates on Thursdays):

- March 13 & 27
- April 10 & 24
- May 8 & 22
- June 5 & 19
- July 17 & 31
- August 14 & 28
- September 11 & 25
- October 9 & 23
- November 6 & 20
- December 4 & 18

To Volunteer: email us at volunteer@rfkgc.org and we'll send you more information about each project.

www.rfkgc.org/volunteer
Park Public Programs
Charlie McCabe, Director of Public Programs
Millions of casual visitors plus 600,000+ patrons for programs, Wi-Fi, food trucks, and more

![Bar chart showing patronage in thousands for different years and categories: Food vendor patrons, Wi-Fi log-ons, Carousel paid riders, and Events attendance. The chart shows a significant increase in patronage from 2009 to 2012, with a +66% increase from 372 to 622 thousand.](chart.png)
North End Programming

Fountains

Open from mid-May to Columbus Day
North End Programming

Food

Mobile Eats at Hanover Street
- Clover truck: Fri, Sat, Sun
- Del’s Lemonade: Wed, Sat, Sun
- Seta’s cart: Mon (starts in July)
North End Programming – Anticipated Activities

- Daffodil Day Celebration – April 14th
- Ultimate Bootcamp Free Classes – April 27th – morning
- ReadBoston Story Hours – Fridays in July and August
- Exhale Spa Classes – Summer
- NEMPAC Concert – Summer
- JP Pilates Summer
- Berklee Greenway Sessions – Summer
- Kids Activities and Lawn Games – Summer
- Carousel Community Day – Fall
- Carousel Evenings – in conjunction with Christopher Columbus Lights
- Possible Joint Winter Lights with North End, Faneuil Hall Marketplace
North End Programming – Parcel 12

IS IT THE PEOPLE WE MEET?

WELCOME TO Photoville
Breakouts

1. Park uses, including amenities – Linda
2. Maintenance, including fountains – Steve
3. Horticulture – Anthony
4. Programs – Charlie
Recap of Breakout Sessions/Ideas/Feedback from Community/Public

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Get more involved!

Stay in touch

Email info@rfkgc.org with your thoughts

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Volunteer

- Dozens of scheduled chances to help plant, weed, etc.
- www.rfkgc.org/get-involved/volunteer/

Donate

- rfkgc.org/donate
- Become a member
- Buy a Mothers Walk paver