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AGENDA Project Re:Code Sign Code Working Group Meeting

Wednesday, August 15, 2018
3:00 pm to 5:00 pm
2825 3rd Avenue North, 1st Floor Conference Room

- 1. Welcome and Introductions Chair Paul Cox
- **2. Public Comment** Any member of the public may be heard on any subject that is or is not on the agenda. Public comment is limited to 3 minutes or less at the discretion of the Chair. Public comment on agenda items may also be accepted at the time those agenda items are under discussion.
- 3. Your 5-7 Least Favorite Signs in Billings/Yellowstone County
 - a. Working Group members review of their least favorite signs. Bring locations with you – we will review via Google Street View

Public Comment

4. Set Next Meeting Date and Time – <u>Code Assessment Draft</u> Public Presentation by SAFEBuilt scheduled for week of Sept 17th

5. Adjourn

Our agreements and consensus so far:

- 1. Context is crucial not just the street, but the type of traffic, the adjacent land uses and other context considerations.
- 2. Clarity make sure the code is orderly, using clear language and definitions.
- 3. Consolidation try and incorporate the best qualities of each sign code within the framework of any new draft sign code.
- 4. Content Neutrality and other Legal Issues make sure known legal issues are addressed and content neutrality is maintained throughout the code.