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**Thirty-day public comment period opens
on Speedway's Redevelopment Area Two Concepts**

More than 90 residents involved in creation of two design concepts

SPEEDWAY, Ind. — The Speedway Redevelopment Commission kicked off a 30-day public input period for initial design concepts for the town's second redevelopment area. The two conceptual designs were created during a collaborative process involving more than 90 residents, civic leaders and business owners in Speedway. Citizens from each team presented their concepts and answered questions from attendees.

These preliminary concepts, presented to the public at the Redevelopment Commission's regularly scheduled monthly meeting yesterday, are the result of feedback gathered during a three-day planning charrette and more than 14 focus groups of Speedway residents and business owners.

"We are really excited about the large number of people who participated in this phase of the planning process," said Speedway Redevelopment Commission President Vince Noblet. "In the residents' vision for Speedway, we saw the things that really matter to them, like traffic flow, park areas, housing options and restaurant and shopping diversity, come to the forefront. We're eager to get feedback from the entire community on these concepts."

The concept boards illustrate the possible reshaping of business districts along Crawfordsville and High School roads which would include transportation, retail and residential modifications. Both concepts will be posted until Oct. 15 at the Speedway Public Library and Charlie Brown's restaurant with comment cards for individuals to provide their feedback.

"There are several important steps left in this process before development of a master plan, and we look forward to the continued involvement from the community," Noblet said.

Both concepts and information about Speedway's plan for future redevelopment will be available online for public review beginning Sept. 23 on the Redevelopment Commission's Web site at www.redevelopspeedway.com.

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