At the October 16, 2005 Council Meeting, the following suggestions were made and discussion took place regarding the GSAB Operating Procedure:

<u>Green Space</u> <u>Advisory Board Guidelines</u> For Operating Procedure:

Initial Suggestions: All recommendations regarding the expenditure of millage funds are to be brought forward in the form of a written report document with supporting documents and any recommendations from the following:

- Financial Services Committee
- Leisure Activities Committee
- Community Development & Viability Committee
- Planning Commission

Prior to approving any recommendation for expenditure of millage funds, the City Council (or Planning Commission) shall conduct a Public Hearing regarding the report document recommendation in order to obtain comments from residents of the community.

Input and recommendations from the public hearing shall be reviewed by the Board and become a part of the final report document submitted to Council for approval.

Additional Discussion: Eliminate sending a request to Council's Communication Committees for review and recommendation(s). Committee review could cause delay and be cumbersome to the process.

The Public Hearing should take place at the Council level rather than the Planning Commission.

Review/recommendation(s) by Boards or Commissions not required but may be included where deemed appropriate.