

# Beach Streets Uptown

City Council Meeting  
May 12, 2015



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Open Streets project are expanding rapidly across the country.



Screenshot of map from the Open Streets Project website. Retrieved at <http://openstreetsproject.org/> 5/11/2015.



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San Francisco Sunday Streets. Photo by Sergio Ruiz. Retrieved at <http://momentummag.com/reinventing-our-city-streets-the-open-streets-movement-grows/> 5/11/2015.



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An open streets initiative in Minneapolis. Photo by Bethany Heemyer. Retrieved at <http://usa.streetsblog.org/2012/03/01/are-your-streets-car-free-a-new-resource-for-north-american-ciclovias/> 5/11/2015



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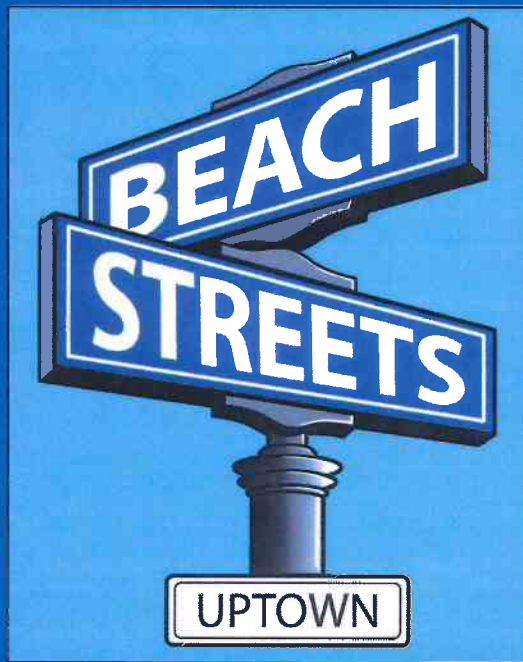
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# Goals:

- Encourage walking, bicycling, and transit use.
- Promote healthy living activities.
- Connect communities and neighborhoods.
- Support local businesses.

*And have fun!*



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# Overview

7 mile round trip route along Atlantic Blvd., Harding St. to Wardlow Rd.

Entertainment and activities at Houghton Park and Scherer Park, throughout the Bixby Knolls area and all of Uptown.

Vehicle crossing points at major streets.



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# Partners

- Mayor Robert Garcia
- Vice Mayor Suja Lowenthal
- Council Districts 7, 8, and 9:  
Roberto Uranga, Al Austin,  
Rex Richardson
- Special Events & Filming
- Departments:  
Police, Fire, Health & Human  
Services, Parks, Recreation,  
& Marine, Public Works
- LB Transit
- Metro
- BKBIA
- Uptown PBID
- Bikeable Communities
- EPK productions
- Scores of local  
businesses and  
community groups



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# Funding

\$260,800 Metro Open Streets grant  
+ \$65,200 in-kind match (city staff time)



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