

# SOUTHEAST RALEIGH COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

**WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE OUR DREAM COMMUNITY** 



# **ONE Wake**

## **DOWNTOWN SOUTH PROJECT**

#### "THE STORY"

Kane Realty Corporation and North Carolina Football Club have plans for an huge project in South Raleigh called the Downtown South Project. We don't know what will be built because all we have seen is pretty pictures. The 140+ acre development is located between S. Saunders Street, Lake Wheeler Road and crosses I-40. Plans shared so far do not address environmental or community impact. If members of the community have been contacted, it hasn't been at the grassroots level. The property crosses Walnut Creek at several points and will cause more flooding.

#### "THE CONS"

- More traffic in immediate area
- Increased stormwater runoff downstream into floodprone Walnut Creek communities such as historic Rochester Heights
- Continued shortage of low income housing
- Increased costs to citizens for new stadiumby use of tax credit money

## WHAT'S THE RUSH?

Ask the City Council and the Planning Commission why this has to be done so fast that citizens from across the city can't have input.

Time is URGENT. Tell how you feel NOW!

## **MORE INFO?**

Email us to be placed on our mailing list <u>seraleighcommunityengagement@gmail.com</u>, or follow PEJ on Instagram @raleigh\_PEJ

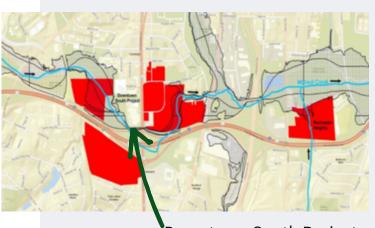
## WHAT DO WE WANT?

- Low impact stormwater development
- Full SE Raleigh Community Engagement
- Community Benefits Agreement



In any hurricane, tropical storm or three-day drenching, a handful of Raleigh spots reliably take the worst blows: Wake Forest Road near the Costco; Atlantic Avenue near Hodges Street; Crabtree Valley Mall. But the neighborhoods that hug Walnut Creek get so routinely pummeled that it's common to see muskrats swim past. On Tuesday, an owl hooted at noon.

## Walnut Creek Watershed



Downtown South Project

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