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| **4A: Voting on Architectural Styles: Facilitator Guide** | | | |
| **Goal** | * Assess what architectural style(s) is appealing to participants and for what reasons. * Help participants articulate their reasons for preferring one style over another one. * Discuss parts/elements of a building that are important to participants and why they are important. * Determine a preferred architectural style to continue developing for the preliminary design. | | |
| **Time Allotted** | * Total time: 25 minutes | * Instructions: 5 minutes * Voting: 10 minutes * Summary of Results: 10 minutes | |
| **Materials:** | * Slide show with images of representative housing developments. * Two panel boards with photos from slideshow. * Easels or pins to hold up the panel boards. * Post-it flags (two different colors) | | |
| **Framework for Activity** | * Present to participants images of Abode Communities representative project and their different architectural styles. * Have community vote on which styles they prefer. * Discuss what building features influenced their vote. | | |
| **Time/ Description** | **Activity** | | **Presenter/ Facilitator** |
|  | * Present slideshow with images of Abode Communities’ developments that are similar in scale to Rolland Curtis Gardens.   + Describe architectural elements that help define the aesthetics of each project. * Provide two post-it flags to each participant, each one of a different color and ask them to flag their first and second place images on the boards. * Architect guides a follow up group discussion on the reasons for choosing their first and second place images. * Explain how their feedback during this exercise will help inform the next steps in the design process. | |  |
| Guiding Questions | * How would you like your community to look like? * What parts of the buildings shown on the photos would you have done differently? Why? * In what ways do these images represent the community you would like to see at Rolland Curtis Gardens? * Which of the photos represent a place you would like to live in? Why? * What makes the photos you selected beautiful?   **Key Questions:**   * **What parts of the building were the most appealing to you and why?** * **Which of the photos most talk to you about community?** * **Which of the photos represent a better place for families to live in? Why do you think so?** | |  |