

# Design Concept Note Template

## Project Information

**Project Name:** *Keeping Sandy Springs North Fulton Beautiful*

**Client:** *Keeping Sandy Springs North Fulton Beautiful*

**Project Manager:**

**Creative Director:**

## **Introduction to the Project**

What is this site about?

Introduce the organization.

## **Communication and Business Objectives**

Listing of the communication objectives.

Listing of the business objectives.

## **Target Audience**

Description of the target audience.

## **Site Map**

Presentation of the site map approved by the client.

## Design

### **Experience Design**

Identify 5 key words that identify the experience you would like to create for users.

How will you use design techniques to build this experience?

### **Overall Design Approach**

What were the critical considerations behind design decisions?

### **Branding and Identity**

What feelings will the brand inspire?

How will branding and identity be achieved on the site?

What are some critical imperatives for branding (color, logo, icons, metaphors)?

### **Graphic Style and Typography**

What graphic style and typography will be used on the site?

Why have these styles been selected?

### **Layout**

What will be the common components of the web pages on the site?

What is the approach to the use of white space in layout? Why?

How will information on the pages be organized and presented (headings, images, text, columns, footer, links)?

What identifiers will be used for different sections of the page (icons, text heading, color)?

What is the approach to scrolling pages? Why?

Where will the navigation elements be displayed? What is the reason for displaying them in these positions?

Will the site make use of pop-up windows? For what functions, and why?

### **Colors**

What colors will be used on the site? Why?

Provide a color swatch that represents these colors with the hex-values.

Will certain colors be used for headings, backgrounds, images and so on? Why?

### ***Interaction and links***

How will links be represented (text, icons, buttons, image map)

How will the different states of the interactions (available, active, selected) be represented?

### ***Accessibility Standards***

What accessibility standards will the site adhere to? How will these be achieved?

Why are you adopting these accessibility standards?

### ***Design Comps***

Attach concept boards for unique pages of the site (two sets of one home page and one interior page).