# TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEETING 

City Council Chambers, 33 East Broadway Avenue Meridian, Idaho Monday, November 07, 2022 at 3:30 PM

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## Agenda

## VIRTUAL MEETING INSTRUCTIONS

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## ROLL-CALL ATTENDANCE

$\qquad$ David Ballard Zachary Shoemaker
$\qquad$ Shawn Martin, Ex-Officio - ACHD
$\qquad$ Ryan Lancaster
___ Liisa Itkonen, Ex-Officio
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ RD Huntley, Ex-Officio - WASD
$\qquad$ Walter Steed $\qquad$ Alissa Taysom, Ex-Officio - VRT
$\qquad$ Tracy Hopkins $\qquad$ Justin Price, Ex-Officio - ITD
$\qquad$ Stephen Lewis
$\qquad$ Jared Smith
$\qquad$ Tom LeClaire
$\qquad$ Hoyoon Song

## ADOPTION OF AGENDA [ACTION ITEM]

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES [ACTION ITEM]

1. October 3, 2022

## OLD BUSINESS [ACTION ITEM]

2. Lost Rapids Citizen Requests - M. Carson
3. Transportation Projects Update - M. Carson

NEW BUSINESS [ACTION ITEM]
4. Meridian Police Department Update - Cpl Goodspeed
5. City Project Prioritization Primer - M. Carson
6. Staff Communications - M. Carson

FUTURE MEETING TOPICS
7. City Project Prioritization (December \& January)

NEXT MEETING - December 5, 2022
ADJOURNMENT

Meeting Minutes<br>Meridian Transportation Commission<br>August 1, 2022<br>Council Chambers - Meridian City Hall • 33 East Broadway Ave., Meridian, Idaho

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## Roll Call

(Meeting called to order at 3:3 I p.m.; YouTube started and roll taken)

| $\underline{o}$ | David Ballard | $\underline{\underline{x}}$ | Stephen Lewis | $\underline{\underline{x}}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | | John Wasson (ex-officio- |
| :--- |
| ACHD) |

Others Present: M. Carson, C. Hood, R. Goodspeed, T. Murray
Introduction of Meridian Police CPL Randy Goodspeed
Introduction of New Youth Commissioner Hoyoon Song

## Adoption of the Agenda

Chairman Steed noted that item 6 on the agenda would be deleted since Cpl Goodspeed had just been introduced. Motion by Commissioner Smith to adopt; $2^{\text {nd }}$ by Commissioner Hopkins All ayes; Passes

## Approval of Minutes

I. August I, 2022
2. September I2, 2022

Motion by Commissioner Hopkins to approve both sets of minutes; $2^{\text {nd }}$ by Commissioner Le Claire - All ayes; Passes

## Old Business Items

## 3. Transportation Projects Update M. Carson

Ms. Carson began the update noting ACHD is going to start with their Integrated Five-Year Work Plan process in November. On page 9, Eagle Road there are some signal improvements
that ACHD will continue to work will the remainder of the year. On page II, Chinden West Final Phase Meridian, to Locust Grove began construction in September and will continue through December. Construction will pick back up and finish in the summer of 2023. Highway 16 began construction began in August and is anticipated to be complete in 2024. An interagency safety review team has been assembled to discuss State Highway 55/Eagle Road regarding safety and speed. VRT local route started in October; the route will be free to ride for the month. If you download the app, you will get another month free.

Miranda stood for comments. There was some discussion about the speed checks on Eagle Rd.

## New Business Items

## 4. Railways in Treasure Valley (Elaine Clegg \& Lila Klopfenstein)

Discussion about the History of High-capacity transit planning and proposed next steps. Lila reviewed the purpose of high-capacity transit (HCT). HCT is faster than a local bus, carries more people than a local bus, and has improved service and amenities. There are 3 types of High Capacity transit modes. I. Bus Rapid transit. 2. Commuter rail 3. Light rail. They are working on a transit that would run East to West, from Caldwell, though Nampa, Meridian and out to the Boise Bench. This research is being conducted primarily because of the growth in the Treasure Valley. A survey called All Aboard was conducted. Based on the survey, the approved the Boise Rail to the cut off in Boise. Looking ahead a scope of work needs to be developed and study will be conducted. In the long-term funding still needs to be secured, an environmental review will be conducted, and infrastructure needs to be built. Lila stood for questions. There was some further discussion.

Elaine Clegg began a presentation about restoring passenger rail in the Treasure Valley. Rail is being considered because much of rural America is underserved by long-distance intercity passenger rail options, including portions of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota and South Dakota, residence of which for years have not had good access to passenger rail service. Rail would provide single seat rides in overlapping city pair markets, and could combine many small markets to generate economic volumes. There are also a lot of economic benefits of passenger rail. There are environmental advantages, as trains are three times more efficient than a car with emissions.
The IIJA includes $\$ 15$ million to study discontinued long-distance lines for feasibility and cost benefit for restoration. The next steps are to support FRA study, join an Interstate Rail compact in Idaho, and coordinate and utilize funding authorized in IIJA to improve infrastructure. There was some further discussion.

## 5. I-84 Corridor Operations Plan (H. Mulhall)

Hunter Mulhall, began his briefing on the contents of the I-84 Corridor Operations Plan and the next steps. The contents of the plan are: Identifying operational challenges, project goals and objectives; Identifying, screening, and ranking tactics; and Developing an operational vision, and roadmap for implementation. The project, co-managed by ITD and Compass, set out to identify TSMO/ITS strategies and tactics that can help to improve operations and safety on the I-84 and I -I84 corridors. The plan is to reach policy makers for planning and funding. The scope of the project is Exit 25 in Middleton, to 57 in Gowen and I-84 to drop down in Boise. The Goals and

Objectives: I. Improve the safety of the I-84/I-I84 corridor. 2. Respond to reginal growth by maximizing capacity and reliability of I-84/I-I84 for travelers and freight. 3. Manage I-84/OI84 as part of an integrated transportation system, including state highways, arterials and transit. Next steps are to complete HOV analysis (December 2022) and continue to work with ITD and Regional operations workgroup to develop, program, and fund tactics. Mr. Mulhall stood for questions, there was some further discussion.

## 6. Lost Rapids Citizen Requests (M. Carson)

Ms. Carson presented a citizen inquiry with regard to speed limit signs to be posted near Bird park in Lost Rapids, and a painted cross at the Bird Park entrance.

With regard to speed limit signs, Mr. Wasson, provided the following the information. SPEED: Placing additional speed limits signs would not likely lower speeds. It was also expressed that with 2 signs 3500 ' apart and a default 25 mph speed in Meridian no driver can claim they didn't know the speed if cited. That is not to say that speed is not an issue. Meridian Police, ACHD traffic, City staff will work in the next couple weeks to review past speed data and if needed collect more recent speed data along this stretch. Next steps may include the following. I. Cut through evaluations. 2. Pedestrian crossing evaluations. 3. Speed limit feedback signage, speed cushions, or other traffic calming as warranted. They will be looking at peak hours, for how many people are in the area. Mr. Hood added some information about adding parking spaces, if possible.

The crosswalk inquiry discussion was as follows.
CROSSWALK: Currently there is illegal parking happening along Lost Rapids, and it is likely those users who are crossing. This illegal parking along the street needs to be addressed. Ms. Carson will also inquire the Parks about the process for determine if additional parking should be added to the park. With new apartments coming South of Costco, town homes west of Costco, and the subdivision being built out just North of the Park, foot traffic across Lost Rapids (not from illegal parkers) will be increasing in the coming years. The Transportation Commission prioritizes all transportation projects in the City annually. This process will begin this month, and I will add this crosswalk to the prioritization list for their (and subsequently Council's) consideration.

## 7. Staff Communications (M. Carson)

Ms. Carson presented a information on citizen concerns regarding overgrown weeds on the sidewalk and a crosswalk on near Pleasant View at Black Cat and Gondola. A resident inquired regarding City Jurisdiction and transportation planning; he was frustrated how road planning is integrated in our area. Mr. Hood responded to that inquiry that is in the packet.

The speed limit changed on Meridian road from 35MPH to 45MPH. ACHD talked to Meridian Police Department about the change in the speed, but Planning was not given a chance to weigh in. Going forward MPD and Planning will coordinate on these requests for input from road agencies and will let the Transportation Commission now about any changes in speed limit.

## Future Meeting Topics

8. City Project Prioritization (November)
9. Lost Rapids

Next Meeting Date: November 7, 2022
Motion by Commissioner Smith to adjourn; $2^{\text {nd }}$ by Commissioner Hopkins - All ayes; Passes.
(AUDIO RECORDING AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST)
APPROVED:

WALTER STEED, CHAIR
ATTEST:

CHRIS JOHNSON (City Clerk)

DATE

## MEMO TO TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

## Agenda Topic on the Transportation Commission Agenda

From: Miranda Carson
Topic: Lost Rapids Citizen Requests
Meeting Date: November 7, 2022

At the October Transportation Commission meeting we discussed a citizen request to: 1. post speed limit signs near Bird Park on Lost Rapids Dr and 2. consider painting a crosswalk across Lost Rapids at the Bird Park entrance. The intent of this agenda item is to review speed data from ACHD and MPD that was requested and further discuss what if any action if the Transportation Commission recommends the City take on these requests.


The speed data is attached.

## Meridian PD

Survey Description

| Survey Details |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Survey Location | lost rapids/calcutta EB Meridian, ID |  |
| Survey GPS Coordinates |  |  |
| Survey Dates | Start | Stop |
|  | Tuesday, 10/11/2022 11:50 AM | Tuesday, 10/18/2022 12:52 PM |
| Posted Speed Limit | 25 mph |  |
| Traffic Zone | Normal |  |
| File Name | SurveyDataFile@2022-10-18_12-58-21.xml |  |
| Device Type | Radar Sensor |  |
| Device Serial Number | SNAA000000 |  |
| Survey Note | Default survey set up |  |
| Total Vehicle Count | 61425 |  |
| Traffic Direction | East (Closing) | West (Away) |
| Vehicle Count | 30015 | 31410 |

Survey Map

Rockharbor Church


## Survey Summary

## Survey Description

Survey Location
Survey GPS Coordinates
Survey Dates

Posted Speed Limit
Traffic Zone
lost rapids/calcutta EB Meridian, ID

## Start

Tuesday, 10/11/2022 11:50 AM
25 mph
Normal

## Stop

Tuesday, 10/18/2022 12:52 PM

## Survey Result

| Total Vehicle Count $\quad$ Traffic Direction | 61425 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Closing | Away | Combined |
|  | East | West |  |
| Vehicle Count | 30015 | 31410 | 61425 |
| Posted Speed Limit |  | 25 mph |  |
| Vehicles Under the Speed Limit Count | 8057 | 8925 | 16982 |
| Vehicles Under the Speed Limit Percentage | 26.84\% | 28.41\% | 27.65\% |
| Vehicles Over the Speed Limit Count | 21958 | 22485 | 44443 |
| Vehicles Over the Speed Limit Percentage | 73.16\% | 71.59\% | 72.35\% |
| Excessive Speed Threshold |  | 55 mph |  |
| Vehicles Over the Excessive Speed Count | 29 | 31 | 60 |
| Vehicles Over the Excessive Speed Percentage | 0.1\% | 0.1\% | 0.1\% |
| Average Violation Speed | 31.19 mph | 31.28 mph | 31.24 mph |
| Speed Profile |  |  |  |
| Average Speed | 27.96 mph | 27.81 mph | 27.88 mph |
| Minimum Speed | 10 mph | 10 mph | 10 mph |
| Maximum Speed | 83 mph | 84 mph | 84 mph |
| 85th Percentile Speed | 34 mph | 34 mph | 34 mph |
| Standard Deviation | 18 mph | 18 mph | 18 mph |
| 10 mph Pace | 23-32 mph | 23-32 mph | 23-32 mph |
| In Pace Count | 16578 | 16847 | 33425 |

## Data Recording Limits

Highest Speed Allowed<br>Lowest Speed Allowed<br>Minimum Following Time

Meridian PD
Survey Description

Survey Location Survey GPS Coordinates Survey Dates

Posted Speed Limit
Traffic Zone
lost rapids/calcutta EB Meridian, ID

Start
Tuesday, 10/11/2022 11:50 AM
25 mph
Normal

## Stop

Tuesday, 10/18/2022 12:52 PM

## Speed - Volume Matrix

Date Range: 2022-10-11-2022-10-18
Direction: Both

| Date Span | Total | 6-10 | $\begin{aligned} & 11- \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16- \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21- \\ & 25 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26- \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31- \\ & 35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36- \\ & 40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41- \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46- \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51- \\ & 55 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56- \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61- \\ & 65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66- \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71- \\ & 75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76- \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81- \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | 86+ |
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| 00:00-00:59 | 178 |  | 19 | 29 | 23 | 55 | 42 | 8 |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 01:00-01:59 | 80 |  | 10 | 8 | 10 | 36 | 14 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 02:00-02:59 | 54 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 20 | 14 | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 03:00-03:59 | 58 |  | 5 | 3 | 13 | 29 | 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 04:00-04:59 | 146 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 23 | 68 | 30 | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 05:00-05:59 | 387 |  | 15 | 15 | 50 | 172 | 107 | 22 | 4 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 06:00-06:59 | 978 | 7 | 76 | 72 | 209 | 311 | 211 | 83 | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07:00-07:59 | 1934 | 6 | 120 | 89 | 311 | 802 | 508 | 85 | 11 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 08:00-08:59 | 2874 | 13 | 171 | 186 | 398 | 1056 | 834 | 172 | 36 | 4 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 09:00-09:59 | 3543 | 12 | 207 | 203 | 412 | 1274 | 1112 | 267 | 46 | 6 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10:00-10:59 | 4314 | 19 | 276 | 248 | 600 | 1555 | 1329 | 244 | 22 | 11 | 2 | 2 |  | 4 |  | 2 |  |  |
| 11:00-11:59 | 4187 | 29 | 421 | 351 | 587 | 1242 | 1252 | 262 | 31 | 7 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12:00-12:59 | 4612 | 26 | 377 | 331 | 634 | 1531 | 1281 | 367 | 45 | 14 | 2 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13:00-13:59 | 4976 | 15 | 373 | 275 | 624 | 1801 | 1472 | 356 | 39 | 11 |  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |  | 2 |  |
| 14:00-14:59 | 4859 | 11 | 295 | 208 | 517 | 1737 | 1598 | 405 | 74 | 7 | 2 | 2 |  |  |  | 2 | 1 |  |
| 15:00-15:59 | 5556 | 16 | 472 | 352 | 695 | 1839 | 1680 | 448 | 43 | 2 | 1 | 2 |  |  | 3 |  | 3 |  |
| 16:00-16:59 | 5376 | 22 | 411 | 258 | 530 | 1756 | 1760 | 553 | 61 | 14 | 4 | 1 | 4 |  |  |  | 2 |  |
| 17:00-17:59 | 5334 | 10 | 383 | 261 | 470 | 1766 | 1830 | 518 | 66 | 21 | 4 |  | 1 | 2 | 2 |  |  |  |
| 18:00-18:59 | 4585 | 13 | 298 | 259 | 572 | 1517 | 1542 | 322 | 39 | 11 | 3 |  | 4 | 2 | 3 |  |  |  |
| 19:00-19:59 | 3470 | 31 | 341 | 377 | 612 | 1108 | 833 | 151 | 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20:00-20:59 | 1911 | 14 | 257 | 235 | 318 | 560 | 394 | 117 | 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21:00-21:59 | 1032 | 4 | 120 | 130 | 172 | 276 | 275 | 48 | 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22:00-22:59 | 665 | 3 | 76 | 89 | 104 | 193 | 160 | 35 | 3 |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 23:00-23:59 | 316 | 1 | 38 | 39 | 38 | 94 | 82 | 14 | 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Radar Speed Study Form

| ACHD | Ada County Highway District <br> 3775 Adams Street |
| :--- | :--- |
| Garden City, ID 83714 |  |


| Street | Lost Rapids Dr |  | Limits | Vicenza Ave to Ten Mile Rd |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Segment |  | Existing Speed | Limit | 35 | Direction | EB/WB |
| Date | 2/23/2022 | Weather |  | Sunny $27^{\circ}$ | Time | 1:10-2:10 |
| Observer | Geratt B |  | Reque |  |  |  |



| 85th Percentile Speed: <br> Pace: | 33 | mph |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $25-34$ | mph |
| Percent Within Pace: | 83\% |  |
| Percent Under Pace: | 10\% |  |
| Percent Over Pace: | 7\% |  |
| Average Speed: | 29 | mph |






| Lost Rapids Dr W/O Ten Mile Rd |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NB | SB |  | Total |  |  |  |
| Thurs | Fri | Sat | Sun | Mon | Tues | Weds |
| 7/11/2019 | 7/12/2019 | 7/13/2019 | 7/14/2019 | 7/15/2019 | 7/16/2019 | 7/17/2019 |






# MEMO TO CITY COUNCIL AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION 


#### Abstract

From: Miranda Carson, Coordination Planner Meeting Date: October 3, 2022 Topic: Transportation Projects Update Below is a summary/update on some of the transportation and roadway projects City Staff has been involved with recently. This is not an exhaustive list, but rather highlights some of the more important activities that have recently transpired (or are about to occur) in the transportation realm. Staff will be at the Transportation Commission meeting to discuss some of these topics in more detail. Please feel free to contact staff should you have any comments, concerns, or questions on any of these projects. New information is in bold.


## KEY ACHD PROJECTS:

ACHD Integrated Five-Year Work Program: The 2022-2026 Integrated Five-Year Work Plan (IFYWP) was adopted by the ACHD commission on January $26^{\text {th }}$, 2022. More information can be found here:
https://www.achdidaho.org/Departments/PlansProjects/IFYWP 2226draft.aspx.
2024-2028 IFYWP prioritization process will begin with a kick-off meeting November 16, 2022.

City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development
Linder, Overland to Franklin: Design is underway and estimated to be complete October 2023; construction funds for this project are not yet programmed. Widen Linder Rd to 5 lanes with a bicycle and pedestrian facility from Overland Rd to Franklin Rd. Project includes a new I-84 overpass.

## City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development

Eagle Road, Amity to Victory and roundabout at Amity: Landscaping options within the roundabout are being discussed. Final walk through April 6th. Minor punch list items remaining. Amity/Eagle roundabout open. Eagle to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, multi-use pathways. Includes a 2-lane roundabout with a slip lane at the northwest corner at Amity for southbound traffic turning west.
City Staff Contact: Brian McClure, Community Development
Ten Mile Road, Victory to Overland and Ten Mile/Victory Roundabout: Project reached substantial completion September 30, 2022. Widen Ten Mile to 5 -lanes with curb, gutter, center medians, pedestrian facilities (with recessed side street crossings), and one-way bike facilities behind the back of curb.
City Staff Contact: Brian McClure, Community Development

Washington and $6^{\text {th }}$ Street Projects: These segments were moved from the Residential Capital Maintenance projects to a separate project group. The following segments are included: W Washington Ave, NW $7^{\text {th }}$ to Meridian Rd and W $6^{\text {th }}$ Ave, W Washington St to W Carlton Ave. This project will include updates to achieve a Complete Street and pavement improvements. Construction in 2023.
https://engage.achdidaho.org/washington-street-and-6th-street
City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development
Washington Street Projects: These segments were moved from the Residential Capital Maintenance projects to a separate project group. The following segments are included: E Washington Ave, NW $7^{\text {th }}$ to Meridian Rd; NW $7^{\text {th }} \mathrm{St}$, W Washington St to middle school micropath; and W $5^{\text {th }}$ Ave, W Washington St to W Carlton Ave. This project will include updates to achieve a Complete Street and pavement improvements. https://engage.achdidaho.org/washington-street-and-6th-street/documents
City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development
McMillan/Black Cat Intersection: Multi-lane roundabout with truck apron, curb, gutter, and a 10-foot-wide multi-use pathway. Crosswalk at each leg with two stage pedestrian crossings and rectangular rapid flashing beacons (RRFBs) at each pedestrian crossing. Design in FY22, ROW in FY23, and construction in FY24. https://engage.achdidaho.org/memillan-and-black-catintersection
City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development
Locust Grove Road, Victory to Overland and roundabout at Victory: Notice to proceed issued in November 2022. Widen Locust Grove to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, multi-use pathway and atgrade side street crossings. Project includes a dual-lane roundabout at Victory. Projects includes replacement/widening of bridge \#2116 over the Tenmile Creek on Victory Rd and connection on the north end of a sidewalk gap to the west. Here is the project website: https://engage.achdidaho.org/locust-grove-road-victory-road-to-overland-road
City Staff Contact: Brian McClure, Community Development
Eagle Road, Lake Hazel to Amity: Landscaping within the roundabout at Taconic will be included in the Cost Share Permit. Design is planned to be complete by summer 2022. Construction in 2024. Widen Eagle to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk and a multi-use pathway. Includes a multi-lane roundabout at Eagle Rd and Taconic Dr. Here is the project website: https://engage.achdidaho.org/eagle-road-lake-hazel-road-to-amity-road
City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development
Lake Hazel and Eagle Signal: $99 \%$ drawings have been distributed to the project team with the large retaining walls still under review. The design includes significant grade changes of the existing intersection and will integrate large retaining walls. Right-of-way is scheduled for 20212022. Construction in 2024. Widen and signalize intersection to $4 / 5$ lanes on Eagle and $3 / 4$ lanes on Lake Hazel with multiuse pathway connections. Here is a link to the project website: https://engage.achdidaho.org/lake-hazel-and-eagle-intersection
City Staff Contact: Brian McClure, Community Development
Fairview, Jericho Road to Eagle \& Locust Grove Signal: Construction is expected to start 2025. This project is exceptionally complex with multiple curbs, materials, and elevations. Z-crossing just west of Fairview/Webb being considered. Widen intersection to 9 lanes on Fairview and 7 lanes on Locust Grove. Widen Fairview to 7 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk and Level 3 bike
facility. Here is a link to the project website: https://engage.achdidaho.org/fairview-avenue-jericho-road-to-eagle-road

## City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development

Ustick, Ten Mile to Linder: Project is in design phase. Median landscaping is being explored by the project team. Construction is planned for 2025. Concept includes two pedestrian bridge crossing options over Five Mile Creek with a signalized crossing over Ustick. Design will include multiuse pathways. A retaining wall will be necessary along Five Mile Creek. No sidewalk/pathways along Five Mile creek where retaining wall to be located; connection will rely on City pathway on north side of creek. Widen Ustick Rd to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, center medians, and multi-use pathway from Ten Mile Rd to Linder Rd. https://engage.achdidaho.org/ustick ten mile linder
City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development
Ustick, Ten Mile to Black Cat: Median landscaping is being explored by the project team. Widen to 5-lanes with center medians, and reconstruct Ustick \& Black Cat Intersection. Initial approach for intersection is a roundabout. Signalized crossing at Naomi (location of new ACHD yard, south of wastewater facility). Design in 2023, ROW in 2023-2024, and construction in 2025. https://engage.achdidaho.org/ustick black cat ten mile
City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development
Amity Rd and Locust Grove Rd Signal: Design kick off began on the ultimate configuration October 20th. ACHD is considering both a roundabout and a signal. The full scope is not yet determined, but the project will include sidewalks or a pathway to Mary McPherson Elementary. The interim project was terminated by ACHD. Instead a more final full overhaul of the intersection under a larger project will likely be constructed in FY24 or FY25.
City Staff Contact: Brian McClure, Community Development
Lake Hazel Road, Eagle to Cloverdale: Community feedback survey open on design webpage. Project will include swales adjacent to the roadway. Widen Lake Hazel Rd to five 11' lanes with curb gutter and 10' detached multiuse path on both sides. Bridge improvement included to remove and replace the existing bridge over the Ten Mile Creek. Design 2022; Construction 2026.
https://engage.achdidaho.org/lake hazel eagle cloverdale
City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development
Eagle Road Signal Improvements: The traffic signal controllers were replaced in March 2022. ACHD ran into some additional issues with the traffic signal controller software and the new software system that analyzes the data from the traffic signal controllers. Most of the issues have been resolved, and ACHD's consultant will soon begin utilizing that data to assist ACHD in developing and implementing timing and operational changes. Work is anticipated to be ongoing the remainder of this year.

## ACHD CAPITAL MAINTENANCE

Residential Capital Maintenance includes conducting field reconnaissance and collecting survey data to determine an improvement strategy for deteriorated/non-compliant facilities such as: pavement, drainage, pipes, sidewalks, ramps. ACHD aims for bringing the segments up to Complete Streets standards where possible. Existing non-compliant pedestrian ramp and driveway access points located along each roadway segment will be identified to be upgraded
to meet ADA compliance. Reasonable attempts will be made to improve each pedestrian ramp as directional, not diagonal.

FY2021 Residential Capital Maintenance: Construction ongoing Fall 2022: E $2^{\text {nd }}$ St, State to Carlton; E 4th, Broadway to State; E State, $2^{\text {nd }}$ to Cathy Ln Irrigation and Sidewalk.
Construction Spring 2023: E $2^{\text {nd }}$ St, Idaho to State; E State, $2^{\text {nd }}$ to Cathy Ln Roadway
Substantially Complete: E 4th, Washington to Janie Ln; E $5^{\text {th }}$, State to north end; E Bower, $2^{\text {nd }}$ to east end; NE $5^{\text {th }}$ Ave, Franklin to Bower; E Washington, $4^{\text {th }}$ to Cathy Ln. https://engage.achdidaho.org/2021-residential-capital-maintenance
City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development
FY2022 Residential Capital Maintenance: The goal is to have a minimum 33' roadway pavement width so parking can be accommodated on both sides; 36 ' is pretty typical with some sections even being wider. ACHD is aiming for complete streets where possible. Segments to be built Summer 2022 included: W $3^{\text {rd }}$ St, W Pine to north end; E Broadway Ave, E $3^{\text {rd }}$ to E 6 $6^{\text {th }}$; W Cherry Ave, NW $4^{\text {th }}$ St to Meridian Rd; W Idaho Ave, W $8^{\text {th }}$ St to $N$ Meridian Rd; W Maple Ave, W $1^{\text {st }}$ St to N Meridian Rd. Segments to be built Spring 2023 include: W $2^{\text {nd }}$ St, W Cherry Ave to W Cherry Ln; NW 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ S, W Broadway Ave to Maple Ave. https://engage.achdidaho.org/2022-residential-capital-maintenance

## City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development

FY2023 Residential Capital Maintenance: Kick off meeting was held November $18^{\text {th }}$. Segments included: $1^{\text {st }}$ St W, south end to Franklin Road; Rose Circle; Country Terrace Way S, south end to Overland Road; Blossom PI, south end to W McGlinchey Ave; McGlinchey Ave, Blossom PI to NW 8 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ St; Interlachen Ct, west end to Interlachen Way; Laurel Ct, south end to Verbena Dr; Tobago Ct. E., west end to SE $5^{\text {th }}$ Way; Larkspur Ct, south end to Verbena Dr; Lilac St, south end to Waltman St; Lavender Ct, south end to Verbena Dr; Sugar Creek, south end to Sugar Creek Dr; Lawndale Dr, McGlinchey Ave to Crestmont Dr; Cruser Dr, west end to Five Mile Rd; and Francine PI S, Victory Rd to S Francine Ln.
City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development
FY22 Arterial \& Collector Capital Maintenance: 95\% design was distributed to the project team. The two Meridian roadway segments are Victory Rd, Black Cat Rd To Ten Mile Rd \& Amity Rd, Meridian Rd to Locust Grove Rd.

## ITD PROJECTS

ChindenWest Corridor: This project will result in 4 travel lanes (two in each direction). Widening will take place to the south of the existing alignment and be constructed to accommodate future widening to 6 travel lanes (three in each direction) with high capacity intersections at roads with river crossings. Project website: https://itdprojects.org/projects/chindenwest/

ID-16 to Linder: This section of the project is complete.
Locust Grove Road to Eagle Road: This section of the project is complete.
Linder Road to Locust Grove Road: Phase 2 Meridian Road to Locust Grove Road will begin September 2022 with utility work and clearing the ITD right-of-way. This phase will continue through December 2022. Road reconstruction will begin when temperatures allow, estimated in February 2023. All work will wrap up in early summer 2023. All four lanes from Linder to Meridian are open.

Star Road to ID-16: Construction is planned for 2023. 4 construction bids received; low bid of $\$ 12,945,928.00$. Contract will be complete by May 15, 2024.

Middleton Road to Star Road: Construction is planned for 2024. An online public meeting was held the first week of June. Information from that meeting can be found here: https://chindenwest.com/middletontostar/.
City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development
Idaho Highway 16 extension, U.S. 20/26 to I-84: Initial construction began August 2022 and is anticipated to be complete 2024 and will include: Five miles of highway between U.S. 20/26 and $\mathrm{I}-84$; an interchange at $\mathrm{SH}-16 / \mathrm{I}-84$; signalized intersections at Franklin Road and Ustick Road; reconstruction of the U.S. 20/26 intersection; overpasses at Cherry Lane, McMillan Road, and the railroad; and minor adjustments to local roads near SH-16. ITD is also completing the design of the future interchanges at Franklin Road, Ustick Road, U.S. 20/26 and State Highway 44. Additional funding will be needed to build these interchanges. Project website: https://itdprojects.org/projects/sh16corridor/

Eagle Road, Overland to SH- 44 State St: Project includes pavement rehabilitation and pedestrian ramp improvements. All work will take place at night over two construction seasons. Construction will be done on Overland to Franklin Fall 2022. Franklin Road to SH-44 State St will be constructed in 2023.
https://itdprojects.org/projects/eagleroadrepairs/
SH-55 Eagle Road Safety Review: An inter-agency team has been assembled to discuss a safety review of Eagle Road, Chinden to l-84. 2 meetings have been held to date to kick off the project and discuss the scope of that review.

SH-69, Kuna to Meridian Traffic Study: The project team held Technical Committee Meetings in May. It is anticipated the City will be provided a briefing by ITD in the Summer 2022 timeframe. ITD is studying options to improve safety, mobility and access on Idaho 69 between Kuna and Meridian. There is currently no funding identified in ITD's seven-year budget for the SH-69 improvements. https://itdprojects.org/projects/id69corridor/
City Staff Contact: Caleb Hood, Community Development

## PATHWAYS

South Meridian Neighborhood Bicycle \& Pedestrian Plan: Design is underway on 3 segment improvements in the plan: Stoddard Road, Victory to Overland; Locust Grove Rd at Palermo Dr pedestrian crossing; and bridge \#1207 at Locust Grove Rd and Ten Mile creek. Construction is not yet programmed. ACHD and several partners including the City coordinated to develop a plan to help improve walking and bicycling routes in South Meridian neighborhoods. https://engage.achdidaho.org/neighborhood-plans

Hollandale/Targee Bikeway Study: The Hollandale Concept Design will be presented to the Commission with proposed adoption Winter 2022. ACHD has invited the City to participate in a concept study for a bikeway that goes from Locust Grove Rd to Entertainment Ave along local roads. The purpose of the study is mainly to emphasize the bike route as a low-stress bikeway with signs and pavement markings. Design: 2024; ROW: 2025; Construction: Future. https://engage.achdidaho.org/hollandale-targee-neighborhood-improvements

Rail with Trail: This project is still a priority for all agencies involved, but has gotten to the point where the effort needs to come from a broader group of stakeholders that would include higherlevel decisionmakers able to enter into negotiations and identify funding sources.

Nine Mile Creek, Linder to Meridian: The path is proposed to run from Linder to Meridian along the Nine Mile Creek drain just north of the railroad. The Parks department is poised to complete a land trade at the end of 2022 to obtain the final access (on 3rd Street) that will make the Rail with Trail (RWT) segment from 3rd Street to 8th Street possible. That portion will be funded with Local Highway Technical Assistance Council (LHTAC) monies (previously awarded, but pushed out a couple of times). Established schedule to take advantage of that funding is Design in 2023 and Construction in 2024. The Parks and Recreation Department continues to pursue remaining easements needed west of this project segment, from Linder Road to 8th St. No recent progress on the parcels between 3rd street and Meridian Road, though they will eventually be a part of this pathway segment, whether through negotiated easements or future development conditions.

Five Mile Creek Pathway: The Parks Department has contracted with Brighton Corporation to cost share for the pedestrian portion of the vehicular bridge across the Five Mile Creek in the proposed Quartet Subdivision, which has recently broken ground. The City will build a run of pathway along the south side of the Five Mile Creek from the Quartet Subdivision, to the Nine Mile Creek, which will culminate in a pedestrian bridge crossing of the Nine Mile Creek and a connection to the existing McNelis Pathway. Construction plans are currently at $95 \%$, with plans to bid summer of 2022. ACHD owns a property along the proposed pathway route and will dedicate an easement for pathway. The City will share construction plans with ACHD, who will either construct the pathway segment on the ACHD property or reimburse the city for its construction as part of the larger City project.

## OTHER PROJECTS

Valley Regional Transit: Route 45 Boise State to CWI had a major service change beginning in October. Route 45 is now via Fairview and includes stops in Meridian. Previously this route did not service Meridian. Route 30 Pine from the Ten Mile Interchange area through downtown to The Village launched in October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}, 2022$.
https://www.valleyregionaltransit.org/
City Staff Contact: Miranda Carson, Community Development

# MEMO TO TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION 

## Agenda Topic on the Transportation Commission Agenda


#### Abstract

From: Miranda Carson Topic: City Project Prioritization Primer Meeting Date: November 7, 2022

Annually, the City prepares and prioritizes a list of transportation projects within out community for the transportation agencies to consider in their programming and budget processes. The Meridian Transportation Commission (TC) is tasked with making recommendations to the City Council on these priority transportation projects. The intent of this memo is to share the timeline and start the discussion of this process.


The following are requests the TC/Staff has received to be considered in this process:

- Broadway/Meridian - adding a traffic signal
- Amity, Locust Grove to Eagle - Crossing on Abbott
- Black Cat at Gondola - Crossing for Pleasant View Elementary
- McMillan, Ten Mile to Linder - Crossing concern

Here is a proposed timeline for our City process:

- November $7^{\text {th }}$ Begin reviewing/updating past projects and compiling new requests
- November 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ TC Prioritization Subcommittee meets
- December $5^{\text {th }}$ TC discusses community needs
- Mid-December TC Prioritization Subcommittee meets if needed
- January $9^{\text {th }}$ (TBD) TC finalizes project prioritization recommendation
- Mid/Late-January TC recommendation is communicated for City Council to finalize

Here is the timeline ACHD Commission was presented for their process:

- January $11^{\text {th }}$ Commission Project Identification
- February 8 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ IFYWP Annual Report
- April 12th IFYWP Plan Check-In
- May $10^{\text {th }}$ Budget/IFYWP Revenue
- June 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Project Requests \& Prioritization Review
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## Attached:

- Meridian 2021 Project Prioritization list compared to November ACHD IFYWP FY22-26 Draft
- ACHD FY2024-2028 Integrated Five-Year Work Plan (IFYWP) Kick-Off Staff Report

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| $2021$ <br> Priority <br> Ranking | Agency Project Name | Agency Project Description | Current IFYWP Programming Status |  |  | Draft Changes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Design YR | ROW YR | Construction YR |  |
| Roads \& Intersections |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Linder Rd, Overland Rd/ Franklin Rd | Widen Linder Rd to 5 lanes and construct a new 4-lane 1-84 overpass, including curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. Project would be a joint project between ACHD and ITD | Future | Future | Future | None |
| 2 | Locust Grove Rd, Victory Rd / Overland Rd | Widen Locust Grove Rd to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2019 | 2020-2021 | 2022 | Const: 2023 |
| 3 | Locust Grove Rd, Fairview Ave / Ustick Rd | Widen Locust Grove Rd to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Des: } 2026 \\ & \text { Const: Future } \end{aligned}$ |
| 4 | Fairview Ave and Locust Grove Rd | Widen intersection to 9 lanes on Fairview Ave and 7 lanes on Locust Grove Rd, including curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2020-2021 | 2021-2022 | 2023 | Const: 2025 |
| 5 | Ten Mile Rd, Victory Rd / Overland Rd | Widen Ten Mile Rd to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2019 | 2020-2021 | 2022-2023 | Const: 2022 |
| 6 | Victory Rd, Locust Grove Rd / Eagle Rd | Widen Victory Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2023 | 2024 | Future | Des: 2025 Cont: Future |
| 7 | Ustick Rd, Ten Mile Rd / Linder Rd | Widen Ustick Rd to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2022 | 2023 | 2025 | Const: 2024 |
| 8 | Linder Rd, Cherry Ln / Ustick Rd | Widen Linder Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with 2016 CIP. | 2025 | Future | Future | None |
| 9 | Locust Grove Rd, Amity Rd / Victory Rd | Widen Locust Grove Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | $\text { Des: } 2026$ Const: Future |
| 10 | Victory Rd, Meridian Rd / Locust Grove Rd | Widen Victory Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP . | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | Des: 2025 Const: Future |
| 11 | Ten Mile Rd / Cherry Ln | Intersection improvements to include dual left turn lanes. | 2025 | Future | Future | Not Programmed |
| 12 | Eagle Rd / Overland Rd | Intersection improvements to include dual left turn lanes. | 2025 | Future | Future | Not Programmed |
| 13 | McMillan Rd, Meridian Rd / Locust Grove Rd | Widen McMillan Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | None |
| 14 | McMillan Rd, Linder Rd / Meridian Rd | Widen McMillan Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | None |
| 15 | Victory Rd and Locust Grove Rd Roundabout | Construct a multi-lane roundabout with 2 lanes on Locust Grove legs and 1 lane on Victory legs in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2019 | 2020-2021 | 2022-2023 | Const: 2023 |
| 16 | Locust Grove Rd, Ustick Rd / McMillan Rd | Widen Locust Grove Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | $\text { Des: } 2025$ <br> Const: Future |
| 17 | Meridian Rd, Ustick Rd / McMillan Rd | Widen Meridian Rd to 3 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | 2023 | 2024 | Future | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Des: } 2025 \\ & \text { Const: Future } \end{aligned}$ |
| 18 | Ustick Rd and Black Cat Rd (INTERIM) | Construct a dual lane roundabout in accordance with the 2016 CIP. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | 2021 | None |
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| 19 | Ustick, Black Cat to Ten Mile | Widen to 5 lanes with curb, gutter, sidewalk, and bike lanes. | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | Not Programmed | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Des: } 2022 \\ & \text { Const: } 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| 20 | Lake Hazel, Locust Grove to Eagle | Widen |  |  |  | Not Programmed |

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Planning \& Programming

30 Sep 2022

## STAFF REPORT

| TO: | ACHD Commissioners, Director Wong, and Deputy Directors |
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| FROM: | Kristy Inselman - Planning and Programming Supervisor - <br> kinselman@achdidaho.org |
| SUBJECT: | FY2024-2028 Integrated Five-Year Work Plan (IFYWP) Kick-Off |
| MEETING: | Commission Meeting - 12 Oct 2022 |

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The Integrated Five-Year Work Plan (IFYWP) sets forth the strategies, priorities, and projects the District will pursue over the next five years with focus on its vision of "leading transportation innovation - investing in communities." The adopted capital budget makes up the first 2 years of the IFYWP. During this work session, Staff will present an overview of the IFYWP process, identify key Commission dates, as well as provide an update to the Commission-Directed project changes identified during the FY2022-2026 IFYWP adoption.

## ATTACHMENT(S):

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Mary May, President Alexis Pickering, Vice-President Jim D. Hansen, $2^{\text {nd }}$ Vice President Kent Goldthorpe, Commissioner Dave McKinney, Commissioner

September 30, 2022
TO: Commissioners, Director, and Deputy Directors
FROM: Kristy Inselman, Planning \& Programming Supervisor
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { SUBJECT: } & \text { FY2024-2028 Integrated Five-Year Work Plan (IFYWP) Kick-Off } \\ & \text { Commission Work Session - October 12, } 2022\end{array}$

## Executive Summary

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## Facts \& Findings

The Integrated Five-Year Work Plan (IFYWP) update process includes our outreach efforts, planning framework, project selection/prioritization as well as upcoming Commission work sessions and key milestones for the development of the plan.

This year's approach to the IFYWP will include frequent and robust work sessions with the Commission throughout the process so that Staff, the Commission and the public have clear direction for the development of the plan.

The process will also include a longer project request period for the public and our Partner Agencies which will run from November 16, 2022 - February 15, 2023 ( 3 months). Staff will hold a meeting with our partner agencies in November to kick-off the process to solicit project requests. Our partner agencies include the Cities, School Districts, Boise State University, the County and Valley Regional Transit (VRT). The public outreach campaign will also include an updated Community Programs webpage, Twitter, Facebook, and Nextdoor as well as direct outreach to the neighborhood groups and advisory committees.

The following key dates outline the schedule of Commission work sessions where Staff will provide updates and solicit feedback/direction from the Commission throughout the development of the FY2024-2028 IFYWP:

## Commission Work Sessions:

- January $11^{\text {th }} \quad$ Commission Project Identification
- February $8^{\text {th }} \quad$ IFYWP Annual Report
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## Policy Implications

The IFYWP update process is ACHD's primary outreach tool to communicate with the public regarding the capital projects ACHD plans to construct over the next 5 years. At the direction of the Commission, Staff continues to seek opportunities to enhance this process to improved public outreach and project selection.

## Fiscal Implication

The FY2024-2028 IFYWP is being developed in coordination with the FY2024-2025 Budget. The Commission directs the allocation of resources to complete projects through these documents. Staff will present any impact to the Budget based on a modified approach through the development of the update.

# MEMO TO TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION 

## Agenda Topic on the Transportation Commission Agenda

From: Miranda Carson, Coordination Planner Meeting Date: November 7, 2022
Topic: Staff Communications
Below are summaries of relevant correspondences received by City Staff since the last TC meeting.

## Sagewood Subdivision - Public Street Parking

I spoke to a resident in the Sagewood Subdivision October $12^{\text {th }}$ regarding drivers blocking the mailbox. City Code 7-2-2-B-8 prohibits parking "within ten (10) feet of a mailbox, during the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., on any day that is not a federal holiday." The parking regulation does not exclude community mailboxes from enforcement, but this is a commonly misinterpreted. MPD Code Enforcement and Traffic, Planning, and ACHD staff discussed the issue and determined the HOA board taking steps to have something like "Do Not Block Mailboxes" posted at the neighborhood box was the best long term solution. The resident was referred to ACHD for next steps.

## Communities in Motion 2050 Public Comment Received

COMPASS completed its public comment period on Communities in Motion 2050 on October 16. One comment specifically addresses bike lanes in the City of Meridian.

None of the priority state roadway projects impact me, thus I neither agree/disagree. I would like to see more connectivity for bike lanes in Meridian that can get you to the Greenbelt without being a pro cyclist. :-) Please look at all the proposed projects with the cyclist lane filter and see if there is meaningful connectivity.

## Communities in Motion (CIM) 2040 Amendments Public Comment Period

COMPASS requests your feedback on proposed amendments to Communities in Motion (CIM), the regional long-range transportation plan, and the Regional Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) October 25 - November 8, 2022. Comments must be received by 11:59 pm, Tuesday, November 8, 2022. Find details on proposed amendments here https://www.compassidaho.org/comm/comments.htm by contacting COMPASS at 208-855-2558.

Comments must be submitted in writing (via email or letter). Please direct comments or questions to email: info@compassidaho.org; mail: COMPASS, 700 NE 2nd Street, Suite 200, Meridian, ID 83642; or fax: 208/855-2559.

Those needing assistance, including assistance in submitting written comments, may call 208-8552558 with 48 hours advance notice.

