

Transportation & Public Works Committee Meeting

Minutes

Thursday, February 20, 2020 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM SeaTac City Hall – Riverton Room

Members: Present: Absent: Commence: 4:32 PM
Adjourn: 5:03 PM

Peter Kwon, Chair X
Pam Fernald X
Takele Gobena X

Other Councilmembers in attendance: Mayor Sitterley: CM Wachtel;

Staff Coordinator: Will Appleton, Public Works Director; Florendo Cabudol, City

Engineer;

Other Staff Present: Mason Giem, PW Programs Coordinator; Gwen Voelpel, Deputy City Manager; Kate Kaehny, Senior Planner

Public Comment.	None
Approve Prior Meetings' Minutes	Feb 6 TPW Minutes were approved to move to full Council
International Blvd Safety	Discussion/Recommendation
Study	Mason Giem, Public Works Programs Coordinator, presented the results from the Request for Qualifications for our International Boulevard Safety Study.
	The City advertised for Request for Qualifications on December 2, 2019; three submittals were received. After a candidate interview and selection process, Toole Design Group was chosen to conduct the International Boulevard Safety Study.
	The study is in our Transportation Master Plan and studying the entire corridor of International Boulevard from South 160 th to South For safety purposes aligns with City goals and future development along this main corridor of transportation.
	The Safety Study will include an analysis of Dept. of Transportation crash data, and will include observations and interviews of corridor users.

The Study will develop a list of prioritized projects along International Boulevard. It will identify locations of safety risks; identify possible countermeasures to address those risks; identify projects to implement countermeasures; and include a cost/benefit ratio for each identified project that includes human life. The Study will consider the SeaTac Transportation Master Plan, The SeaTac City Center Plan update project, and the Port of Seattle Sustainable Airport Master Plan.

The Study will develop a methodology for identifying future projects along International Boulevard.

There will be public outreach events to solicit feedback from the public and business users of International Boulevard. The Committee raised a point to include hotel business managers along the corridor in soliciting feedback.

The Study will also develop one bid-ready design for the selected highest priority project.

City staff are currently negotiating the scope of the project with Toole Design Group. It will cost in the range of \$150,000 to \$225,000.

Funding for future projects resulting from the study will be developed from our Capital Improvement Program (CIP), and available grant funding will be sought wherever possible.

Types of potential projects may include: Sky Bridges Crosswalk Islands Increased Street Lighting More crosswalks Median Barriers

The Committee approved the Study moving forward to full Council for approval.

2. Adjourn

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