Next Phase of Main-McVay Transit Study Underway

The City of Springfield and Lane Transit District are working on Phase 2 of the Main-McVay Transit Study that includes the development and evaluation of transportation design options, including No-Change, Enhanced Corridor, and EmX. These potential solutions were advanced from Phase 1 by the Springfield City Council and the LTD Board of Directors. Based on the evaluation and community input, the City Council and the LTD Board plan to determine a Locally Preferred Solution in Fall 2016.

Project Purpose

The purpose of the Main-McVay Transit Study is to identify and evaluate the most appropriate and promising transportation solutions for the Main Street-McVay Highway Corridor to address growing concerns about safety, congestion, and quality of life. Phase 2 is focused on design elements including safety improvements, types of service, lane configuration and street designs, impacts to properties, and transit benefits.

Project Area
Community Input

Over the last two months, the project has started focused outreach to business and property owners on the corridor, through phone calls and in-person meetings, to discuss the details of the design options under consideration, seek feedback, and answer questions. Throughout all phases of the study, community involvement and input is important to determining a transportation solution to address concerns along the corridor. The project team will continue to reach out directly to business and property owners, residents, community organizations, and interested parties like you, through phone calls, meetings, presentations, direct mailings, and e-mails. Based on preliminary feedback, we are scheduling meetings and presentations in lieu of open houses.

Key Upcoming Project Dates

- May 16, 2016 - City Council Work Session; update regarding work completed to date.
- May 18, 2016 - LTD Board meeting; update regarding work completed to date
- May 2016 - Governance Team meeting; if needed based on City Council and LTD Board meetings.
- Summer 2016 - Governance Team meeting; present technical analysis and public feedback with recommendation of a preliminary locally preferred solution.
- Fall 2016 - City Council meeting; public hearing.
- Fall 2016 - City Council meeting; decision on locally preferred solution.

To learn more about the project, specific meeting times and dates, the design options being considered, FAQs, and more, please visit ourmainstreetspringfield.org.

We want to hear your thoughts! To provide input, please submit comments or questions at http://ourmainstreetspringfield.org/feedback/ or call 541-682-3240.

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