

Transportation & Public Works Committee Meeting

Minutes

Thursday September 5, 2019 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM SeaTac City Hall – Riverton Room

Members: Present: Absent: Commence: 5:30 PM
Adjourn: 6:23 PM
Peter Kwon, Chair X
Rick Forschler X
Pam Fernald X

Other Councilmembers in attendance: Clyde Hill; Joel Wachtel

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

Engineer;

Other Staff Present: Kamal Mahmoud, Engineering Manager

Public Comment	Comment brought through CM Fernald regarding a complaint on South 166th Street. A citizen complained that parking is a problem since school has started with regard to drop-offs along or in the road adjacent to McMicken Elementary School. The area is congested and traffic spills over onto 40th Avenue South, blocking driveways and mailboxes. CM Fernald will submit a CIR asking whether the new frontage improvements near McMicken Elementary is contributing to this issue.
Approve Prior Meetings' Minutes	August 1 TPW Minutes were approved.
Miller Creek Realignment Project with City of Burien	Discussion/Recommendation City Engineer Florendo Cabudol presented a PowerPoint presentation from the City of Burien on the specific area involved and the benefits of the Miller Creek Realignment project. The design is complete and scheduled to begin construction in 2020. Burien is working on filling the funding gap based on an updated construction cost estimate. Based on the updated cost estimate, Burien is requesting an additional \$485,000 above the \$500,000 SeaTac has already committed (through budget only). If approved, the additional funding will increase the budget item to \$985K and be provided by unencumbered funds in the 403 Stormwater Utility Fund. Total construction cost of the project is approximately \$3.5 million. The City of Burien has paid for the design phase and is only asking SeaTac to participate in funding construction of the elements in SeaTac ROW. A table showing each city's commitment, as well as Department of Ecology grant funding that has been awarded to Burien.

2. PW Project Update	Staff presented 3 recommendations: 1. Recommend proceeding with budgeting the additional \$485K and process the budget amendment as a separate item for Council approval. 2. Recommend proceeding with budgeting the additional \$485K and include with the Mid-Biennium budget amendment package that will be brought for Council review and approval later this year. 3. Reject the request for additional funding and coordinate with Burien on next steps for the project. Discussion was held related to impacts to the project should SeaTac not contribute additional funding. City Engineer Cabudol explained that the project would most likely be suspended until the additional funding is secured or project elements may need to be eliminated. CM Wachtel requested a copy of the project report that explains how this project would impact the existing wetlands (located at the southeast end of the project, NE corner of DMMDS/SR518 interchange) Miller Creek is discharging to. Staff committed to providing the report. The committee approved proceeding with recommendation #2. Update on current Public Works projects: Southbound I-5 & 200th Interchange On-Ramp: WSDOT project is complete. It came in under budget and saved 25 working days and a weekend closure. WSDOT saved a total of \$37,500. 2019 Overlay Project: Video detection system is scheduled to be installed within next two weeks at the intersections at \$128th \$t and \$136th \$t along DMMDS. This will collect traffic data when completed. No loops will be used and the traffic signals will be on a set signal cycle (recall). Project paving is complete. Military Road South & South 152 Street: the project is moving along smoothly and on time. Police and flaggers on site. Estimation of completion is June 2020. South 200th Street & Des Moines Memorial Drive South: Rodarte Construction submitted the apparent lowest bid of \$4.79 Million. Engineering staff are checking unit pricing. Construction award will be brought to Council at the September 24 meeting.
3. Future Meeting Topics: Sound Transit Parking Tax; Tukwila International Blvd. Reconfiguration; ROW Standards; Concurrency;	 CM Fernald wanting to have a presentation on roundabouts (CIR, council recommendation) Discuss Kent New Valley Elementary School proposed sewer alignment through Grandview Park
4. Adjourn	Adjourn Meeting