A regular meeting of the Wilsonville City Council was held at the Wilsonville City Hall beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, December 19, 2016. Mayor Knapp called the meeting to order at 7:47 p.m., followed by roll call and the Pledge of Allegiance.

The following City Council members were present:

Mayor Knapp Councilor Starr Councilor Fitzgerald Councilor Stevens Councilor Lehan

### Staff present included:

Bryan Cosgrove, City Manager
Jeanna Troha, Assistant City Manager
Barbara Jacobson, City Attorney
Sandra King, City Recorder
Chris Neamtzu, Planning Director
Nancy Kraushaar, Community Development Director
Delora Kerber, Public Works Director
Jon Gail, Community Relations Coordinator

Justin Carpenter, a member of Boy Scout Troop 194 led audience in the Pledge of Allegiance. Jason Zeck, Troop Master of Troop 194 said the members of the troop attending the Council meeting are working towards their merit badges.

Motion to approve the order of the agenda.

Mayor Knapp asked by a show of hands how many people were attending the meeting for the Brown Road Connector public hearing, and recommended holding the public hearing on Resolution No. 2610 first. He indicated he would step down from the dais for that matter since he is a property owner in the area and that Councilor President Starr would conduct the hearing on Resolution No. 2610.

#### **Motion:**

Councilor Starr moved to approve the order of the agenda and to move Resolution 2610 to the front of the agenda, and then follow with the rest of the agenda, and to add the discussion to adopt the logo under New Business. Councilor Stevens seconded the motion.

#### **Vote:** Motion carried 5-0.

Mayor Knapp handed the gavel to Council President Starr and went to sit in the audience.

#### **PUBLIC HEARING**

Mr. Cosgrove offered to keep track of the time for those wishing to provide testimony.

Resolution No. 2610 was read into the record by title only by the City Attorney.

#### A. Resolution No. 2610

A Resolution Of The City Of Wilsonville To Select The Preferred Final Alignment Of The Boones Ferry Road To Brown Road East-West Corridor. (Staff Kraushaar/Adams)

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Councilor Starr opened the public hearing at 7:50 p.m. and recited the quasi-judicial hearing protocol.

The Staff report was prepared by Steve Adams and is included here in its entirety.

Beginning of Staff Report

#### **ISSUE BEFORE COUNCIL:**

To decide on the alignment of the Boones Ferry Road to Brown Road East-West Connector, which will enable staff to move forward with project implementation including the first construction phase for the new road that will connect Boones Ferry Road to Kinsman Road.

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

In response to Council Goals and historic and current Wilsonville Transportation System Plans (TSP), Community Development staff has completed the Boones Ferry Road to Brown Road East-West Connector Corridor Plan (Study). The Study carried out a multi-faceted analysis to develop a range of alternative alignments and understand the costs and potential impacts related to each viable alternative that met the purpose and need of the project. The Study included an analysis as directed by the 2013 TSP to determine the final alignment for the Connector. The December 2016 Alternative Analysis Final Report (Report) provides a summary of the conceptual design, technical analysis, cost estimate, and public involvement process. It outlines the project team's recommended preferred final alignment for the new roadway and its terminus at Boones Ferry Road.

Based on technical reports and information and feedback from stakeholders, including ODOT Rail, Portland & Western Railroad, citizens, and businesses, the consulting team and City staff recommend connecting to 5th Street. An evaluation matrix developed by the project team to summarize the resulting analysis of the two terminus options is included in the Report (see **Resolution No. 2610 – Attachment 1**). All technical information and input from the public and stakeholders are included in the Report Appendices.

### **Decision-Making Process**

The Council's process for making this decision will involve holding a public hearing on a Quasi-Judicial land use decision and adopting findings of compliance for all applicable regulations and policies (see **Resolution No. 2610** – **Attachment 2**). The 2013 TSP identified the need for an east-west connector south of Wilsonville Road between Boones Ferry Road and Brown Road, named in the TSP the "Brown Road Extension". Two connection options, at 5th Street and Bailey Street, are included in the City's TSP and are identified as Project RE-04A. The Study and selection of the final alignment for Project RE-04A serves to implement the adopted policies, plans, and projects that are outlined in the adopted Wilsonville TSP. As such, per OAR 660-0010, Transportation Planning, it is classified as "transportation project development." The City's selection of 5th Street as the final alignment alternative for the Connector has included consideration of regulations protecting or regulating development within Goal 5 areas and application of local land-use standards. Therefore, per OAR 660-12-0050, the Council's decision involves land-use decision-making, requiring adoption of findings of compliance with applicable acknowledged comprehensive plan policies and land-use regulations.

#### **TIMELINE:**

Upon receiving Council approval, staff will proceed with hiring a consultant to lead the design and permitting for Phase 1 construction of the project – the section between Boones Ferry Road and Kinsman Road. Preliminary design is expected to be completed in spring 2017. Upon reaching 50% design plans,

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federal and state environmental permitting applications will be prepared and submitted for crossings over Coffee Lake Creek. These permit approvals could likely stretch into 2018. Right-of-way acquisition is anticipated to occur in 2018. Final roadway design and construction is expected to occur in 2018-19.

#### **CURRENT YEAR BUDGET IMPACTS:**

The City's current consulting contract with Otak, Inc., is for \$237,540 and was approved by Council on May 16, 2016. The adopted City of Wilsonville 2016-17 Budget includes \$550,000 for CIP project #4196 for design and overhead, funded from the Year 2000 Urban Renewal District. Budget estimates for roadway construction are provided in the Report; presently the City plan is to only fund and construct Phase 1 (from Boones Ferry Road to Kinsman Road which includes a Kinsman Road extension to the south and improvements on Boones Ferry Road. The Year 2000 Urban Renewal Plan identifies approximately \$7 million for the Phase 1 construction of the Connector (project referred to as Old Town Escape in the Plan). The Plan also identifies approximately \$1.9 for Old Town Streets. System development charges may be budgeted in the future for extension of utilities along the roadway alignment.

#### **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PROCESS:**

Multiple stakeholder meetings have been held with the landowners whose property the roadway alignment could impact and serve, residents of the Old Town Neighborhood, owners of the apartments located on Brown Road (south of Wilsonville Road) and on Bailey Street, and business owners and managers in the Old Town area (basically all businesses along or that access via Boones Ferry Road south of Wilsonville Road and north of 4th Street).

The project is posted on the City of Wilsonville's Capital Projects webpage with a link for more information to a webpage the Consultant has set up: <a href="http://www.boonesferrytobrownroad.org/">http://www.boonesferrytobrownroad.org/</a>.

The City held a public workshop on Wednesday, September 21, 2016, with at least 23 citizens in attendance. Over 600 mailers were sent out to properties, residents and businesses within 300 feet of the Arrowhead Creek Planning Area; additional information publicizing the workshop was posted online and emails sent out to all stakeholders the project team had either met with or invited to meet with (72 on the list). In addition, the project team posted a public survey online for over two weeks in late September to gather additional feedback from the community.

Another public open house was held on Wednesday, October 26, 2016, with at least 39 citizens in attendance. The same methods for public notification as for the workshop were used with the open house, with the addition of notification being posted in the October Boones Ferry Messenger.

At the November 9, 2016 Planning Commission work session, the Project Team presented the Boones Ferry Road to Brown Road Connector Corridor Plan, including a review of the project background and two proposed alternatives and summarized the evaluation criteria and cost summary used to recommend a preferred alternative. The Planning Commission provided comments and feedback that were carefully considered by the project team and integrated into the final Report and recommendations. The Planning Commission meeting minutes are included with **Resolution No. 2610** as **Attachment 3**.

In addition, the City's project manager received several emails and/or letters from citizens and businesses commenting on the project. See the Report for a summary of public feedback and attendance at the workshop and open house.

#### POTENTIAL IMPACTS or BENEFIT TO THE COMMUNITY:

The project will provide additional connectivity for all travel modes in south Wilsonville and will provide an alternative to travelling on Wilsonville Road, including the intersection with Boones Ferry Road, which will alleviate congestion in the area. Parcels of land will be impacted by right-of-way acquisition and construction of the new roadway, once the alignment has been determined. The project team has chosen to call this block of land the Arrowhead Creek Planning Area – approximately bordered by Morrey's Landing on the west, Wilsonville Road on the north, and the railroad on the east.

Along with constructing the roadway, both water and sanitary sewer will be extended within the road right-of-way. The project will extend the Ice Age Tonquin Trail providing bicycle and pedestrian connectivity between the residential neighborhoods in southwest Wilsonville to commercial businesses along Boones Ferry Road, to Boones Ferry Park and Memorial Park, and to the neighborhoods east of I-5 and south of Wilsonville Road. The corridor study recognizes the need to preserve freight access to existing industrial properties and create a safe environment for all travel modes.

#### **ALTERNATIVES:**

For over 25 years, the biggest question and unsolved issue with this project has been whether the roadway extension from Brown Road should connect to Boones Ferry Road at 5th Street or Bailey Street. The consulting team and City staff looked at six possible alternative routes across the Arrowhead Creek Planning Area, narrowed these down to two final routes with a terminus at either 5th Street or Bailey Street. The Report documents how the alternatives were evaluated through a comprehensive process and how the recommendation for the final preferred alignment was reached. *End of Staff Report* 

Steve Adams, Development Engineering Manager, introduced the project team who will present the report and be available to answer questions. He noted Scott Mansure, the traffic engineer is on vacation this week, and stepping in for him is Jordan Kelly, who has written much of the report and is very familiar with what the transportation and traffic issues are. Allen Hendy from Otak is the main project engineer, and Katie Mangle of Alta is the planner of the team.

### The following is a transcript of the hearing:

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Ms. Mangle	Good evening Council, I'll lead it off, Allen and I will give you a presentation on
	the City's project team's recommendation for the alignment for the Boones Ferry
	Road to Brown Road connector corridor plan.
	What we are going to do in our presentation is walk through the outline you see
	before you. We'll talk about the project purpose; outline the goals that we set out
	for the project in the beginning. I'll give an overview of the process and the
	schedule and then Allen will take over and share with you what we found in the
	technical evaluation of the two alignments and deciding factors, and the project
	team's recommendation for the Council's consideration.
	Also, before I dive into it I wanted to describe the process and why we are using
	a bit of a formal process so everyone in the room understands. The project that
	we are talking about tonight is a recommended project in the Transportation
	System Plan (TSP) adopted in 2013, it was Project RE-04A, and the TSP
	formally identified two possible alignments for this project.
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	The TSP did go through a quasi-judicial process for adoption because it is part of
	the Comprehensive Plan. This decision does not amend the TSP but it clarifies
	that project would, should the Council decide on an alignment, would be reduced
	to the one alignment decided on tonight. So even though two alignments are

shown in the TSP the decision tonight would have the effect of somewhat being a land use decision because it would choose that alignment, that would be implemented as time went on. So we are following the process outlined in the Oregon Revised Statutes for that type of decision which allows for public comment and a formal decision by the Council.

To get back to the project that we are talking about tonight, the purpose of the project is to provide this east-west connection. It is really not a grid in the way it doesn't travel north, south, east, west particularly, this is an important part of the City's connectivity network. All of the City's transportation plans emphasize the need for, as the city grows, as the city matures and develops, these kinds of connections are important to be established all throughout the city and this is an important one.

It would improve the connectivity across town, and also for the local residents and the businesses within this specific sub-area in the city. It would increase multi-modal opportunities, and multi-modal in this case is truly multi-modal; the alignment decision would actually determine the long term plan for the Ice Age Tonquin Trail in this area. Also it addresses freight access to the existing businesses there, Wilsonville Concrete and OrePac, and potential future industrial businesses on the land that is currently planned for industrial. So everything from people walking to the largest of the large freight access, this will affect them.

And a large part of the area south of Wilsonville Road to the west of the railroad tracks is planned for development, the filbert orchards. Not a lot of land on the east side of the railroad tracks is planned for development; of course there is the existing Old Town Neighborhood there. With regards to the east side of the tracks this is an important part of the solution to some of the traffic and connectivity issues the community is experiencing right now with the intense traffic issues around the Fred Meyer.

Speaking about the project goals at the outset of this project about six or seven months ago, because as I outlined it is not just a road, it is an important connection for the community. This is a connector that has been outlined in almost every single city plan, everything from the Comp Plan to the TSP, the Old Town Neighborhood Plan, and the Urban Renewal Plan, all of the city's plans call for this connection and also acknowledge that the alignment has not been set.

It is important that it's not just a road, like all projects in Wilsonville this first goal is important to always think about transportation and other construction projects and how they are going make a better place, how they build up to making this a stronger community. Creating this foundation for a great place to live and work in all the different ways.

The goal is for it to be a multi-modal corridor and although it hasn't been fully designed, all of the costing assumptions are for it to be fully multi-modal.

The goal is to of course, minimize environmental impact, there are creeks as Allen will show you, none of the alternatives completely avoid these areas, but minimizing those is important.

Supporting existing residents and businesses is always an important part of this, and of course, this means different things to different people and different businesses; that is something we will talk more about tonight.

Accommodating development and growth, particularly in the areas planned for development and growth, the west side of the railroad tracks.

Considering the Ice Age Tonquin Trail Plan supported by the City of Wilsonville it says explicitly final alignment of the Trail in this part of Wilsonville will be determined by location of this corridor. The details of what that means will be worked out in the design phase but generally there's a connection there.

Over the last six or seven months we've actually gone through a pretty phenomenal process in terms of the public involvement for this project. The project team did a series of stakeholder interviews with everybody from apartment building owners to business owners, to groups of neighborhoods, there were one-on-one meetings, or small group meetings to talk about the project, explain the site, explaining some of the alignment alternatives. I think we started with six alternatives, and really letting people in the door and talking with them about what their concerns were, so there were a lot of one-on-one interviews.

In addition to the two City Council briefings, one briefing to the Planning Commission, and two very well attended brick and mortar in person open houses, one really a work shop where we invited people to come in and look at the plans and get involved in some of the design and alignments. The last one was a little more of a presentation, but also very well attended. And in addition there was an on-line survey which allowed a broader part of the community to participate.

All of that is documented in the report and we would be happy to answer your questions. But all in all I think in six months' time there has been quite a bit of really good feedback.

In addition to these orchestrated events there has also been a lot of communication from the community to the project team. I know Steve Adams has received many direct communications, both emails and letters which are much appreciated.

### Allen Hendy

Thank you Katie. I'm going to talk about some of the key elements of the project.

As Katie mentioned one of the main elements is a new east-west connector for the area to try and help relieve some of the traffic to Wilsonville Road and to Boones Ferry intersection. Another key element of the project is to extend Kinsman Road to the south and create a better route for north-south traffic to get out of the area. And it will also help provide access to Wilsonville Concrete and some of the future planned development in the area.

There are two creek crossings of Coffee Lake Creek shown on the map up there. The Kinsman extension will have to cross it with a new bridge structure and then the alignment to the east will have to cross the creek as well.

There is one rail crossing of the Portland Western Rail Line that runs north and south through the project.

There is a connection like Katie mentioned, to the Ice Age Tonquin Trail for pedestrians and bicyclists throughout the project to the park area to the south.

One of the other key elements of the project is to maintain or establish local

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property access throughout the project. One of the goals of the City is to try to help which ever connection point and alternative is selected to extend some of the City utilities into this connection to help with future development.

Of course, mobility and safety for all the different modes of travel throughout the project are a key element that we looked at when we laid out some of the alternatives in the different alignments.

This map shows how the project is split up into the phases. Phase 1 is going to be all the work on Kinsman to extend it to the south, and all the work from Kinsman to the east to connect to Boones Ferry Road. This Phase 1 is part of the capital improvement project that is funded through the Urban Renewal District and this is the phase that will move forward this next year through design and eventually construction in 2018.

Phase 2 is a planned future phase for developers as they come in with development packages through the City.

As we did our stakeholder interviews and we listened to the public and we developed some of our scoring criteria for the project, as we started working through the different technical aspects of the project and looking at all the different alignments that we started with, we did notice that no matter which alignment you pick, there are some key similarities, and we highlighted that on this slide.

They both provide similar travel times throughout the area, they both reduce traffic volumes on Wilsonville Road by approximately 15% in the future; and they both provide an opportunity for a new SMART route to help increase transit throughout the area; and they provide the opportunity for multi-modal connections for pedestrians both for walking and other modes to and from the parks and commercial centers. They both improve emergency access to and from Old Town which is important to get emergency vehicles in and out of the area, and they both allow potential development west of Kinsman.

As we worked through those scoring criteria that we established throughout the last few months of the project, there were some clear deciding factors that stood out that we started looking at.

The first one being intersection spacing and vehicle queuing capacity. The diagram on the right illustrates that and shows in a simple format where Wilsonville Road is, where the Fred Meyer development is, Bailey Street and 5<sup>th</sup> Street, and the spacing between the intersections and the signals.

Wilsonville Road and the Fred Meyer development are both signalized intersections and they are spaced about 700 feet apart. They have the capacity for about 50 vehicles to queue up. Between that signal and Bailey there is about 450 feet which can carry 20 vehicles. Between Bailey and 5<sup>th</sup> Street it is 640 feet and it carries an additional 25 vehicles. That really became a key to looking at which one of these functions better in the future, and which one has the ability to be improved or modified in the future if and when traffic increases.

The railroad crossing safety and permitting was a huge deciding factor for the project. Steve and I met with ODOT Rail and Portland Western General Rail this summer in the field and looked at the differences between the two crossings. Fifth Street currently exists as a public crossing and needs to be upgraded, but it

is a permitted public crossing.

The crossing at Bailey Street is a private crossing and has a spur track that goes into OrePac, and because of the grade differential it requires significant improvements to both tracks, a significant signal system because of the spur and there is a major safety concern at the intersection if there was a signalized arm for that crossing with the existing storage facility that is located on the south east corner of the crossing, there isn't adequate sight distance there for what ODOT Rail requires.

That was one of the major deciding factors was the safety and permit ability of a rail crossing.

One of the other deciding factors is providing access to future businesses on Boones Ferry Road. Bringing the connection point down to 5<sup>th</sup> Street provides this opportunity to provide access to future businesses and development along Boones Ferry Road.

The construction right of way costs are another big factor and were a deciding factor as far as which connection point weighed out better when we started going through the evaluation criteria.

Property impacts for right of way and impacts to the existing future industrial property development. To the west of the railroad tracks are several large parcels of industrial property and both of these options needed to be looked at for which one was able to help promote that kind of growth.

The cost summary you see in front of you breaks down each connection, the 5<sup>th</sup> Street connection is on the left, and you can see it is about \$11.5 million. The construction cost is \$6.8 million and for Bailey Street it's about \$7.3 million.

Then you will notice the right of way costs, Bailey Street is a little higher, but there is a note this does not include operational impacts to OrePac for the building of the Bailey Street connection. In order to do all of the rail work in the crossing and the spur track there requires significant impacts to OrePac for several weeks of construction.

Where you see the developer improvements, this is part of Phase 2 that I mentioned on a pervious slide. So these are estimated construction costs for the future if a developer wants to come in and complete this connection.

This illustration is a sketch because we've gone through the public process we've heard several multiple concerns from the neighbors down in Old Town and we wanted to look at what could be done with the traffic and their concerns at Boones Ferry Road and 5<sup>th</sup>. This diagram illustrates some options and some design features that are done elsewhere in the community and through Wilsonville that can help calm traffic and help get traffic around the area and can provide some safety benefits to a neighborhood.

We heard there are vehicles already going into the neighborhood and this would help prevent that from happening in the future.

Finally, from a technical standpoint, based on all the reviews and all of the technical work that has been done over the last few months the project team recommends 5<sup>th</sup> Street as the main connection point for the east-west connector.

	There are several reasons. It provides better intersection spacing and provides the most space for vehicle queuing, both in the interim and in the future.
	ODOT Rail and Portland Western Rail both strongly prefer the existing 5 <sup>th</sup> Street public crossing to stay in place and be improved.
	The least property impact for right of way acquisition throughout the project.
	5 <sup>th</sup> Street also has the least impact to industrial property and supports future growth and development and efficient use of land. 5 <sup>th</sup> Street has the lowest construction costs and right of way costs based on our preliminary estimates, and 5 <sup>th</sup> Street provides better access to future businesses south of Bailey Street.
	5 <sup>th</sup> Street also has minimal cultural and environmental impacts and provides a better opportunity to connect to the trail system in the master plan trail system that connects to the parks to the south.
	Finally, 5 <sup>th</sup> Street provides an opportunity to address and mitigate some of the traffic concerns of the Old Town Neighborhood.
	And that's our presentation.
Council President Starr	Okay, thank you. I wanted to ask the City Attorney if you have any comments or any other statements before I ask the Council for any clarifications.
Ms. Jacobson	The only think I would suggest Council President Starr I believe there were some emails sent late this afternoon and we might just want to clarify that those have been added to the record. I don't have the names, Ms. King can you tell us
Mr. Cosgrove	which ones you have and if yours is not mentioned please be sure to get it to us.  We have one from a William Gabison that is dated December 19 that is in the record, and then an additional one that was forwarded to me by Councilor Starr from Mr. Mark Britcliffe. Those are the two additional ones that are in the record now.
Council President Starr	Okay, great, thank you.
	So just to continue on in the process. Councilors do you have any questions that you would like to ask the Staff?
Councilor Stevens	So can you go back to the slide just before this one? One that I need just a little bit more information, third one from the bottom, minimal cultural and environmental impacts. How is one connection differing from the other in terms of this bullet point? Are they totally similar or, I didn't see a lot in the packet material that made any difference on those two things so I'm wondering why the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street connection is different from Bailey in that regard.
Mr. Hendy	They are very similar with culture and environmental impacts but we wanted to highlight that it was one of the goals of the project to try to minimize that which we feel this one does as well.
Councilor Fitzgerald	Thank you President Starr. I would like to ask about the slide that you showed with the distance between the signals please. Is there an opportunity to put the signal at Bailey Street? Can that be done?
Mr. Adams	For the record we did discuss this at the previous Council meeting, and I'll reiterate what was stated then. The distance, the 450 feet distance between Bailey and the signalized intersection going into the Old Town Fred Meyer development on the right, and what was the Albertsons store on the left, 450 feet is not sufficient room to put a signalized intersection at Bailey, they would conflict with each other and would cause too many problems with that. So in

	talking with Scott Mansure he indicated that if, in the future we needed a signal
	on 5 <sup>th</sup> and Bailey right now it is not planned it is not needed, but if a need comes
	up in the future, we would be able to signalize 5 <sup>th</sup> and Boones Ferry Road, but we
	would not be able to signalize at any time Bailey and Boones Ferry Road.
Councilor Fitzgerald	And that is an ODOT stipulation?
Mr. Adams	I can't tell you if it is ODOT or not, I know it is a spacing standard between
	signalized intersections; 450 feet I recall Scott mentioning in the previous
	meetings that it did not allow for sufficient queuing space for vehicles heading
	north or south. They would conflict with each other, so I don't know if it is a
	requirement or just a guideline.
Mr. Cosgrove	I think what it does it degrades the way that signal at Wilsonville Road currently
	operates and as we all know it doesn't operate very well when there is a backup
	on I-5 anyways. So you would be exacerbating that problem.
Councilor Fitzgerald	At our earlier meeting we talked about the, and it's in our really extensive
	materials here, we talked about the projected volume of traffic I think 20 years
	out and beyond and what that signal, and they talked about the importance of
	having a signal to manage increased traffic as the population increases.
Mr. Adams	I don't recall that being in the report. I know we talked about having a stop on
	the east-west direction. I don't recall a report stating that a signalized
	intersection would be warranted in 20 years or not.
Councilor Fitzgerald	I will try to find that.
Mr. Adams	I can look.
Council President Starr	Councilor Lehan, any questions at this time?
Councilor Lehan	Not at this time.
Council President Starr	Okay, I have a few.
	This has been brought up from several different folks. Talk about both options
	and what could happen if at all because of turning radius for any private property
	to have to be given over to the City to insure the turning radius is okay? If you
	want to start with Bailey and tell us if any land will be lost for road situations,
	and then go to 5 <sup>th</sup> .
Ms. Kraushaar	We have looked carefully at that because we have the feed store that is
	potentially a historic structure. Our goal with this project is to not move that
	structure even through its front porch is in the right of way today, but we still
	would not want to have an impact on the structure in any way.
Mr. Handy	Are you referring to the turning radiuses at the intersections of Bailey and
•	Boones Ferry and 5 <sup>th</sup> and Boones Ferry?
Council President Starr	Right. I think there is a parking lot and office building on the north side of
	Bailey and a storage facility on the south side. Would any of their property be
	compromised to insure a proper turning radius if we went with Bailey?
Mr. Adams	No. Bailey is built with a 48 foot curb to curb width right now. It is not striped
	for it but it would hold bike lanes, thru traffic and a left turn pocket there on the
	piece of Bailey between Boones Ferry Road and the railroad.
Council President Starr	So 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, there wouldn't be any issues with the dance studio and the parking
	lot there on the north side of that intersection?
Mr. Adams	When we were at Council the last time, and then we went to Planning
	Commission two days later we had a diagram showing parking being removed on
	5 <sup>th</sup> Street to allow a left turn pocket, and to allow the two bike lanes; one of the
	Commissioners brought up concerns about parking because his daughter attended
	the dance studio there and he remembers how much traffic was in the area. After
	that meeting, I went back to DKS I asked Scott if the left turn pocket was really
	needed for east bound traffic at 5 <sup>th</sup> Street turning left onto Boones Ferry Road
	and he indicated that was not required, that there was not sufficient traffic going
	through on right and all traffic can stop and make that left turn without a left turn
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	On this drawing here we took out the left turn pocket, have the on-street parking back on the street, and has the bike lanes right there. That's pretty much the way it looks right now with parking on both sides, bike lane, thru lane and we eliminated the left turn pocket to prevent taking out those 4-8 parking spots on 5 <sup>th</sup> Street.
Council President Starr	So what you are saying is on this diagram there is not going to be any issues with the feed store if I'm heading east turning left, I can make that if I'm sitting in a truck turning around there.
Mr. Adams	When you say "sitting in a truck"
Council President Starr	A large truck.
Mr. Adams	We do not anticipate large trucks coming down this way especially from the Kinsman
Council President Starr	So there will be signs saying "No trucks allowed"?
Mr. Adams	We are ready to post those signs on both sides saying "no thru traffic", "no trucks through this area". We want trucks to stay on Kinsman. Kinsman is a designated truck route whether they go to Wilsonville Road or Barber or Boeckman, we want the trucks to stay on Kinsman. This are would be businesses in it and with the amount of traffic on Boones Ferry we do not want any additional truck traffic this way.
Ms. Kraushaar	Of course there would be delivery trucks, but in terms of semis and that size of truck, we would have to go through a process [garbled] Wilsonville Road on an interim basis, but we would be looking at that as we continue with the design, final design of this project. And if it was decided by everyone that trucks should be prohibited above a certain size we would post it.
Council President Starr	So with this, especially with the southern route, it could potentially, this is speculating, open up opportunities for industrial or commercial along it as it goes to Kinsman which would perhaps invite truck traffic going to it or leaving from it at some way. So, are you saying that is not a concern, once we open it up
Mr. Adams	What we can do, and what I've done in the past, it is a matter of enforcing it afterwards, so when a development comes in Fred Meyer as an example, when you look at the PF conditions for Fred Meyer it states that truck traffic leaving Fred Meyer shall not leave via the signalized intersection. Truck traffic shall exit by the north, and that one there has a wider radius to bring trucks out. We do talk to the business managers in there; we let them know that if you have truck traffic, tell the drivers that the north exit out of that parking lot is the one designed for trucks, not the one between Wow Burger and McMenamins.  If development came in on the connector we could write in it, again, Kinsman is the designated truck route so your trucks shall come and leave your property via Kinsman. That could be written as a PF condition of approval that the owner signs and it is now a lasting condition on that development.
Ms. Mangle	If I may add one more note, I think to your concern what I'm hearing is that we're not designing, assuming there would be designs, almost delicate way that it couldn't handle truck traffic at all. I wanted to bring up one of the key assumptions here is that SMART buses would be serving this area in a different way than they are now. Certainly we would be designing it for the buses to make that turning movement, so I think that is one of the design assumptions here that can help understand that.
Council President Starr	Let me throw out one last question, I'm sorry for beating this one to death. If I'm driving a SMART bus and I'm heading south on Boones Ferry and I'm turning west onto 5 <sup>th</sup> , can I make that the way the curb is set up now, will I be able to make that turn?
Mr. Handy	We way the curb is set up now, it may be required to be revised or modified. But
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	the curb extensions that are shown in the sketch here are planned on staying in
74.6	some format.
Mr. Cosgrove	Type of bus change that serve the area?
Mr. Handy	We haven't taken anything that far through a design process yet.
Ms. Kraushaar	I would hate to say "yes" "no" "for sure" because we haven't done design work. We haven't done turning movements for various types of vehicles. So I think what we could say today, we would try to minimize the impacts on the corner properties, we would want to stay away from the feed store and use a contact sensitive design, and try to respect everything around you and yet still try to make sure we can get the buses through. I could not answer that for sure without getting through the final design, or at least to 30% design.
Mr. Adams	One thing I might mention too is I did reach out and contact Stephan Lashbrook at SMART and asked him if he was considering changing, if this connector came through at either 5 <sup>th</sup> or Bailey, would he be considering changing a bus route to utilize the connector and serve the additional businesses that use a different area. Because right now we know the buses come down Boones Ferry Road, they do a "U" turn through the Old Town subdivision there going off 4 <sup>th</sup> , up Magnolia, and back over on 5 <sup>th</sup> . So I asked Stephan can he make a statement on which street would be preferred by SMART as a traffic connector. At that time he said it needed to be studied more, he didn't have an answer for me, and that is the last response I have.
	So right now we haven't looked at transit because we haven't been given a sign from SMART that they actually will use their buses on one of these two connectors.
Council President Starr	I've got a few questions here. So the next one is we have a current crossing that we can use at 5 <sup>th</sup> but not at Bailey, is there any projection as to how long it would take, so you have to get ODOT and the railroad to okay a crossing, how long would that process take.
Mr. Handy	When we met with, we hired a rail consultant that helped us work through this with ODOT Rail and Portland Western Rail, and when we met with them the process to upgrade or to revise a public crossing is about 2-3 months.  But in order to do that, they make the assumption that all of the public involvement has already been done by whatever agency is trying to upgrade it. In this case trying to switch from a public to a private, if it was Bailey to be selected because Bailey is not public right now, the process will be anywhere from 9-12 months, because ODOT also has to go through a public process in order to change a private crossing into a public crossing and close another public crossing. They said it was anywhere from 9-12 months. Our consultant told us that he has seen it take up to 5-10 years on some of them, but that is worst case scenario.
	That's kind of what we're looking at. But ODOT's also, we have a memo is it in any of our information we've provided?
Mr. Adams	It's in the packet yeah, where ODOT has specified that they're not in favor of any more at grade crossings. Their statewide policy is any new railroad crossing needs to be either raised or lowered, and they are not in favor of at grade, so we don't even know if ODOT would come forward and say "we'll let you relinquish the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street at grade and add an at grade at Bailey" we don't know if they'll say that or not.
Council President Starr	That was my next question, any risk of rejection, so there could be that in there.
Mr. Adams	There is the possibility.
Council President Starr	I did see costs, and you have it in your summary, I think it was \$11.5 million, \$12.5 million, but then I saw costs that were floating around on top of that too.

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	can't see to the south beyond that. One of the things that could happen, Nancy
	correct me if I'm wrong, is that ODOT could come back and say "we will allow
	a Bailey Street crossing, if that building is eliminated".
	They could come back with, when we had the meeting with the manager of the
	storage center, we told her that was a possibility because it was a sight safety
	issue, and she made the comment that would be very difficult for them because
	that building happens to be some of their larger storage units that are leased more
	on a lengthy basis, not a month-to-month, more on a yearly basis. She was
	concerned by the financial impact to her business if that one building that is the
	sight distance building had to be removed.
Council President Starr	So there is a chance that one million gap could get higher.
Mr. Adams	If that is, yes.
Mr. Handy	That cost is not included in here.
Council President Starr	And lastly, I could have missed it, Planning Commission executive summary;
	basically what did the Planning Commission tell us?
Mr. Adams	We got one strong "no"
Council President Starr	Strong no for what?
Mr. Adams	Strong no for 5 <sup>th</sup> from Mr. Hurley. Strong "yes" for Bailey. Three of the
1.11. 1 Mullio	Commissioners were leaning towards 5 <sup>th</sup> , it wasn't a hearty endorsement "we
	think this is the greatest thing" rather well you presented, what we read 5 <sup>th</sup> Street
	seems to be the better. Those three were the Commission Chair, and Simon, and
	Commissioner Postman thought this was a difficult decision and he was glad he
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Council President Starr	So basically some people leaned a little bit more than the others and they punted
	to us. That's in a nutshell, just wanted to make sure.
	Sorry I ask a lot of questions. Did that bring up any others? Councilor Lehan?
Councilor Lehan	I don't know you probably can't see the little do-dad, so I'll ignore it then.
	On the costs, kind of a follow up to Councilor Starr's question on the differential
	on the two cost things, and I know there is a lot of pieces not included there. I
	noticed in the text that it said that there might need to be some mitigation for
	neighborhood impacts on the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street alternative. And I wondered if there was
	anything budgeted for mitigation. Is that another one that is not budgeted yet?
Mr. Adams	Right now it is not budgeted. The report pretty much looked at the costs of
	constructing the alternatives from the railroad crossing going west. The Boones
	Ferry Road and improvements to that actually there is a separate CIP fund, an
	account for that to come out of, so it really didn't weigh in on the connector
	projection because that piece of Boones Ferry can be improved whether Bailey or
	5 <sup>th</sup> Street is chosen it needs sidewalks, and it needs some improvements done.
	The impacts to the feed store, to the historic structures, if Council gives us
	direction that they want to look into that, I'm more than happy to get more
	information on it. I did reach out to the owner of the feed store and asked him if
	he would mind opening his building so we could come and take a look at it to see
	the condition of it, and I did not hear a response back from my email.
Mr. Cosgrove	Do we still have money set aside in the Urban Renewal Plan for general
	improvements to streets? So we also have a pot of money there that we could
	also bring to bear regardless of which option. There is some money set aside.
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Councilor Zenan	It really is kind of a question for either alternative, is neighborhood mitigation.  We recognize it in the text but it doesn't appear on the budget item.
Ms. Kraushaar	We recognize it in the text but it doesn't appear on the budget item.  There is specifically a project for Old Town streets.

Mr. Cosgrove	My understanding is that was an ongoing discussion with the neighborhood that they don't want urban level improvements brought to the neighborhood, so that we could use that money in a manner that gets at what their real concerns are as
	opposed to full curb, gutter, sidewalk full street improvements.
Mr. Adams	If I might respond to Julie, I did find the answer to the signal. On page 159 of the packet, there is Table 1 in the DKS Traffic Study, and all of the intersections on Boones Ferry Road were looked at through the 2035 and they all function fine as stop control without a signal.
Consider Figure 11	I'm not sure where you saw the signal part at, but that's the point I could find.  Is there a logical way to put a signal in at either Bailey or 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, apparently it
Councilor Fitzgerald	just seems there's not a logical way to put a signal in at Bailey because it's so close to the other one. And you could do that at 5 <sup>th</sup> Street,
Mr. Adams	Yes we could.
Councilor Fitzgerald	And I'm just talking some time down the road when people are saying "well why don't they put a signal here?"
Mr. Adams	Yes we could. In the future, in the 10 or 20 years when the TSP is done again, if it becomes a goal or a need, identified need, to put a signal in, if it's a capital project, whoever is here then could address that.
Ms. Kraushaar	I might note our current TSP and Scott's study is done through 2035, which that assumes build out of the city in that area, everything that is in the Comprehensive Plan right now for that area. This would be growth and expanded parts of the city past 2035, that we'd be looking at at that time, or some more intensified use which we would need to be careful about in that area. We never know what tomorrow might bring, it could be someday left turn would be warranted, and we would have to look at acquiring more property, we can't guarantee anything today what might be needed in 20-30 years. I'd want to be real up front about that.
Councilor Fitzgerald	I can understand that.
	I guess what I'm recalling in that discussion is we were just talking about how to best keep the traffic moving, and also between the two positions. And at 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, the slide that we have in front of us here, I think this was one that just described at this work session, we didn't have a picture of it. The purpose of this is to really do everything possible to keep traffic from going into Old Town as a way out, or someone thinking "well let me just cut through here, and I'll get out of the traffic".
	Can you just talk a little bit more about how this would work, this mitigation or these strategies to deter traffic from going into Old Town to just look for an exit route that doesn't' exist. Just how that functions with drivers.
Ms. Mangle	What this shows essentially is there is two design moves happening in this. Part of it is signage, the "local traffic only" and I think as many people I talked to at the open houses and neighborhood pointed out right now today people go down Boones Ferry and turn left and think they're going to get on the highway or something. It actually doesn't connect. Some of the people inadvertently traveling through the neighborhood is actually by accident, so signage and wayfinding and whether it's kind of black and white, it could be something that has the neighborhood character to it, some kind of wayfinding signage, is information for drivers saying don't do this because it won't achieve your goal.
	And then on the right side there are some curb extensions, and trees, which are an indication of visually narrowing the throat of that intersection to again send a visual signal that this is a neighborhood, this is a neighborhood street as folks are traveling east on the connector. On 5 <sup>th</sup> the diagram is trying to show in red the

	dominant through movement, not that nobody else is going in different directions, but that is the dominant through movement that this connector is accommodating. Whether signage, trees, maybe curb extensions to send the signals to people who aren't headed to the Old Town neighborhood, turn left and keep going that direction.
	That is what this is trying to talk about, it is very diagrammatic, these are some of the tools that we immediately thought of when we started talking to some of the neighbors about what they are hearing would be coming, which would be more traffic certainly, but more traffic coming into places where it doesn't necessarily belong.
Councilor Stevens	I was reading this email we got today the last couple hours, and a couple of clarifications I just wanted to make sure. The fellow who wrote this said that somebody's, two people's driveways will be shortened to 10-15 feet on that side, and then that the historic grange building, which I know is just a feed store not a grange building, will have to be taken out. I want to speak to these assumptions here that I don't know if they are correct or not.
Ms. Kraushaar	Steve will put up a map so we can look at that.
	What we've already stated is the feed store, we don't want to impact that at all, and we want to stay clear of it. It could be at some point in time, there would be a desire for a future owner, the current owner, or some other interested group that would want to try to restore the building or move it or whatever, but that is not part of this project at this time.
	Then there are as you go up Boones Ferry Road to the north from there, there are a couple of homes, one with a driveway that would be shortened, and this first home has a porch which we would not impact the porch; however, the sidewalk would be closer to the porch than it is today because we do need to add a sidewalk on that side.
	We were chatting about it ourselves and we could put up some sort of attractive fence or a shrub hedge, something to soften the feeling of having the sidewalk closer to my front porch, and that is something we would look at through the design process and determine first of all what is the problem, what are we trying to solve and how can we solve it.
Councilor Stevens	So the sidewalk is for, there is no sidewalk right now, so people are walking in that
Ms. Kraushaar	And then to the north of that what Mr. Britcliffe did when he got his development approvals for the two homes he is building along there, he did dedicate some right of way, so then the right of way opens up a little bit more.
	Along the south towards 5 <sup>th</sup> we'd want to be really careful with, maybe not having every component we would like to see in an urban street, we might have a curb tight sidewalk in order to minimize the impact, and the context sense design we would have to have that, we'd want to be thoughtful about how we work with the property owners in there.
Councilor Stevens	I like that sidewalk idea because the kids there right now, or anybody walking their dog, whatever, are walking in the road if they are not crossing the street. Most of the children are at the apartment complex and waiting for the bus there.
Mr. Adams	Displayed a Google Map image.
	On the Google Map here the feed store is located right here, as we know that the front porch of the feed store overhangs into the right of way. The right of way kind of runs along the front foot or so behind the face of the front building.

	From the edge of the porch to the face of the curb on the far side is approximately 40-41 feet. So we can fit in, at 40-41 feet, we can fit in the two travel lanes, two bike lanes and a sidewalk. It won't be landscaped on the east side of the street, and the sidewalk would be up against the front of that porch but there is room to fit that in there if we want a sidewalk and bike lanes and everything across the street, there is room for that.
	The house that Mr. Britcliffe was concerned about the length of the driveway, I believe is this house right here. And again, it depends on what direction the Council wants to give us. Right now the Old Town Master Plan shows landscape, bulb outs, parking, and that's going to push the right of way wider, and if we decide we're not going to hold to those development plans, we'd rather see less impact to the property owners, we want to see a curb tight sidewalk and no on-street parking we can adjust this, it would have less impact.
	It's kind of how we want to design the streets, it's how much impact we will have on these properties on the east side. These are the two homes that Mr. Brittcliff has currently under development and with that with these we did purchase a right of way which was what we thought would be the maximum needed for a full street improvement in front of his property.
	Again, we'll decide based on feedback from Council we'll direct the design one
Ms. Kraushaar	way or the other depending on what you think will be best.  If you wanted to have no impact you could have a gap where there is no sidewalk or no bike lane and have the bike share the lane, there are all kinds of ways to look at it. But that pretty much includes all of our thoughts at this time.
Mr. Adams	This one stretch of Boones Ferry Road is not anticipated having a three lane section, there is no need to have a left turn there, there is not enough traffic, speeds are 25 miles per hour, there is not enough traffic to warrant a left turn so the street will not be as wide as what you see further north. It will be two travel lanes, two bike lanes, and curb and sidewalk on either side.
Mr. Cosgrove	It goes back to what Councilor Lehan said; this is a special, unique neighborhood in Wilsonville. And it has its own set of concerns regardless of which option you choose. And I think it is going to require a robust conversation with people who live in there to make sure that we're incorporating their concerns into whatever design, and bringing those recommendations back to you.
Council President Starr	Okay, any other questions .Council you good. Okay then we'll go ahead and take any comments from the public.
	So again if you would like to ask questions or share some things with Council please fill out one of these white cards and as the City Manager said you will have three minutes to go ahead and share whatever you want to share with us about this particular topic.
	I do want to point out a few things here, I mean we're going to hear probably from two sides of the argument as to which way is the release valve to allow traffic to get out. But I think most people will agree, we need some type of release to get traffic away from where it is right now. It is just too bottlenecked up on Boones Ferry. In that aspect we will try to figure out what is the best way.
	As some might have thought I don't think that this process is being rushed. I think this thing has been taking well over six months, here's yet another event we're giving time for folks to share their opinion. We want you to share your opinion. I can speak for me, and I'm pretty sure the rest of the Councilors, we

	came to this with an open mind to hear everybody's opinions, to gather the facts and to make the best decisions for Wilsonville. Obviously if there are two sides, not everybody is going to walk away saying, "wow, I got what I wanted" but our job is to try to take all the information we can and make the best logical decision for the city and that's what we'll try to do.
	With that I'll start calling folks up, first one is Alan Kirk from OrePac
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Alan Kirk – Orepac 30170 SW Orepac	Thank you Council President Starr and City Councilors. I'd like to introduce Glenn Hart who is the founder of Orepac to give a little history about us.
Glenn Hart	Thank you Alan. I appreciate your time this evening. Most of my comments as Alan has already mentioned will be historical.
	I'm probably one of the most historic in the room tonight. I've been working and living in this community, working here at Orepac for something over 40 years. My first meeting here with the community was in a little house down in Old Town, which I think is a historic site tonight. When I first met with the Council it was rather meager occurrence but that's when we first launched our business here. I'd also like to let you know that we're a permanent kind of business; we're not here today and gone tomorrow. We've been operating in this community; we've tried to be supportive of this community.
	And from the structure of our business, I'm the principle owner, my family has joined with me, we have three generations, I'm the most senior working in the business. So we are committed and have always been committed to this community.
	We certainly support the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street recommendation. We support the fact that maybe, quite actually this doesn't' provide any new convenience to us, either one of your routes. The Bailey Street would be very detrimental to our business, both in restricting what we currently do and what we planned for years in growing our business.
	So we do have a commitment here, we have about 220 employees, started with 12 the first time we were here, and as you mentioned Mr. Starr everybody has give and take in these businesses, all we're asking is that we are able to continue to grow our business and keep employing the people that we have working with us. And today in business it seems that growth is imperative. So we thank you for your consideration we hope you'll understand our position, and OrePac's goal is to continue to be a supportive business in this community. Thank you.
Mr. Kirk	Darin Coder who is our CFO.
Darin Coder	I just wanted to address two economic factors, one that may be further explained; one of Councilor Starr's questions on cost and two is to talk about just industrial expansion.
	I'm going to pass around real quick a couple of maps that we prepared, and I think as Alan passes this around I'll talk about cost considerations first.
	As was noted earlier, as of right now I believe the exhibit show a difference of \$1.1 million between the two cost alternatives, Bailey being \$1.1 million more expensive at \$12.6 versus \$11.5 million.
	From an economic damage standpoint, there are two things that will impact us

	significantly, one is the rail spur. I believe that Steve mentioned our estimate
Mr. Cosgrova	That's three minutes. I don't mean to interrupt; it's up to you and what you want
Mr. Cosgrove	to do on these. I held up my hand when you had one minute left and you're out
	of your three minutes.
	If you want to relax these standards, it's completely up to you, but I think to be
	fair to everyone if you are going to relax it for these folks, then you need to give
	everybody the same amount of time. At this point it is your call on what you
	want to do on this.
Council President Starr	Here's what I'll do. I'll ask you two gentlemen to fill out a card too, that way
	you each have three minutes and we'll allow you to finish.
Mr. Cosgrove	Okay, so that means you have three minutes. If Mr. Kirk has something he wants
vii. Cosgrove	to add, he has three minutes. Thank you.
M. Calar	
Mr. Coder	So can I go ahead? Okay.
	Further expanding just from an economic damage stand point is the rail spur
	coming in. I believed I mentioned this to the Planning Commission, our estimate
	and Steve mentioned it before, is just depending upon how long the construction
	would take to expand the rail spur into our property and how much freight would
	be affected for the period of time that that happened, we're estimating damages
	of somewhere between \$400,000 and \$1 million. It's a big range, but there would
	be a range depending upon the amount of time.
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	And then second. The Bailey strip, I'm not going to put it up on the screen
	because I'll run out of time the Bailey Road will take about 19,000 feet of our
	space that we're currently using, we're at capacity. And another 5,000 of
	required setbacks, so about a half-acre. I cannot put a number on it, we've tried
	to put some numbers on it, what it would cost us damage wise to affect our
	operations, but it is in the millions of dollars. So if you take that \$1.1 million and
	add up the \$400,000, plus the additional damages to that half acre it becomes
	pretty significant.
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	The only other thing I wanted to show on that map, if you carve up with Bailey
	and look at the industrial development opportunities on the west side of us, this is
	the property that we just purchased in the last few months. The southwest corner
	becomes a piece of property that is very similar to what's up on Wilsonville
	Road, its 9900 SW Wilsonville Road, it's been on the market for over 2 years,
	we believe it's going to be pretty difficult with that size of space to develop that
	from an industrial standpoint. So you're going to lose that southwest corner that
	goes away. And in addition we believe you're probably going to lose the ability
	to expand or develop about 25,000 feet on the south side of our property where
	we intend as Glenn mentioned before, to ultimately expend our business. So if it
	went that way there would be a loss of about another 25,000 feet. Any questions
	on that map?
Mr. Kirk	Just one more point of clarification, thank you, to Councilor Starr for giving us
	this additional time for that.
	If Bailey is picked, that means you have two rail crossings, you have the main
	rail crossing and you have the spur. So there are times there is a train going by,
	and there is a time when they are dropping off another car and picking a car back
	up, so it compounds, it exacerbates if you would, the railroad crossing where
	now you have two if you have Bailey.
	The 20 inch height would have to be raised and it would have to go about 200
	feet into our property, it becomes very expensive. Thank you.

Council President Starr	The next speaker Mary Joyce VanWechel, hope I said that right.
Mary Joyce VanWechel	Hello, I'm Mary Joyce Van Wechel, I live in Old Town and I have lived there for
30730 SW Magnolia	30 years.
	First of all I don't think anybody so far that spoken knows where Old Town is. It starts at the sign at Bailey Street, and it says "Old Town Neighborhood". So anything that you bring beyond that sign is Old Town Neighborhood, and it affects our neighborhood. So that means the gentleman that started these new buildings, he's in the Old Town Neighborhood; the storage building is in the Old Town Neighborhood.
	I'll just start with saying there are 100's of people in Old Town who are being affected by this, and we feel very sincere about this because several years ago we put together an Old Town Association because we had other people that were trying to destroy the nature of Old Town. And we felt like it was fair to the citizens of Wilsonville, past and present to keep something of Wilsonville that was old, original, and historic. So when you come into Old Town beyond that sign at Bailey Street, you have now entered the Old Town neighborhood. It doesn't start at 5 <sup>th</sup> Street. Just so you would know that.
	I feel like it's very, very sad that this is the only part of Wilsonville that still contains the old roots of Wilsonville other than the Lehan property probably. And I feel like there are 100's of people down there that are affected and I see only two people to be advantaged by coming down to 5 <sup>th</sup> Street. I see the Mayor who has property as being advantages, and I see Mr. Orepac, our ex-council member being advantaged. Those are the only two people that I can see, but I can think of 100's that are being disadvantaged.
	And I think that it is very real the situation that is going on and I think this extension, they told us it was to bring the WES people to Fred Meyers, and shortest distance basically would be to come the other way. I mean Bailey Street goes right into Fred Meyers.
	I feel like that is sad to not pay attention to that. And I know there have been lots of people who have spoken about this and we did get to come to some meetings but did not get to say what we thought, and we had things presented to us, yes, but not to say what we thought about the situation.
	Thank you very much for hearing me.
Council President Starr	Thank you for coming very much and I appreciate you sharing.
Steven VanWechel 30730 SW Magnolia	Next would be Steven VanWechel.  Good evening, I'm Steve VanWechel, same address 30730 SW Magnolia.  Three minutes doesn't give me enough time to go through my written notes or the 43 notes I've made while listening to this. There is so much more that needs to be stated than three minutes can stand.
	Basically, I've been in Old Town for nearly 30 years, when the city of Wilsonville was 4700 when I arrived, it's gone through a little bit of a change since then. I've seen Wilsonville grow, do a lot of changes, and I've been through many processes of different things and so forth, and a lot of my comments specifically about 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, Bailey Street, I've already put into written form, so I'm assuming you've already got those, so I'll try to say something different and use my time that way. I'll kind of skip some of my written notes.

Basically I would like to say the process that the City's engineer office has gone through to gather public input is probably the singularly worst process I have seen and experienced since I've been here. Open houses, there was no presentation; there wasn't anything even like that.

The open house format was a type where you have to go if you have ten questions you have to go to ten different people to try to find out to get your questions asked, and of course you politely wait at each one trying to wait and so you don't interrupt and you don't have time, there is not opportunity rather and if 12 people have the same question they're going to the same people over and over and over again. It was extremely poor process.

We talked about six months of public process on this as simply a public member; I've been to two meetings. That's all I knew about, tonight makes my third one. And I will simply admit I'm here tonight under protest. I'm here specifically because there were a number of Old Town residents that stopped me on the street and said "hey, are you going to come in here and in their words 'keep up the good fight'".

I frankly gave up after the second meeting. I did not go to the Planning Commission meeting I didn't do any more writing form because I didn't think it would do any value. It was stated at the first meeting that the 5<sup>th</sup> Street was the street of choice at the time and I did not feel that very little of any the input that any of the Old Town members have put our written form or verbally, I don't think much of any of it has been addressed by the city engineers office at all which simply goes to how poorly the whole thing has been done.

One fact I would re-emphasize again is the development of the Arrowhead Planning Area, it's going to come, it's fine, I don't have problem with that, but the engineers office is utterly ignored that there will be any additional traffic between Boones Ferry Road and the freeway. So every traffic problem that we've got already existing, including City Council members not getting to City Council meetings to talk about traffic problems, every one of those issues is going to be completely made worse by the whole Arrowhead Planning thing.

And the traffic engineers estimates on Fred Meyers were totally inadequate 4-5 years ago, that were supposed to last for 20 years. And now we're facing their estimates again. Thank you.

#### Council President Starr

#### Next speaker Mark Britcliffe.

Mark Britcliffe 9155 SW 4<sup>th</sup> Street

Also submitted written statement which has been made a part of the record.

I'm going to start right here while we got the picture up. The driveways we were discussing were actually north of what the picture shows here and its real, we all know it; it's the sidewalk and the bike lane that dead-ends into the dirt mound a couple blocks north of there. That's the alignment that from that point right there that cuts across that meets what the City asked for me to take, that was the same thing width they were asking so that would be straight. So the existing sidewalk in front of the apartments would line straight up with the land that the city just purchased from me.

So it affects the houses to the north, you can see the one in the picture her driveway, if you did that regardless, these elderly women will have to back out into 4,000 cars per day. So there's one, an elderly woman there and an elderly widow that lives in the house to the north.

Interesting Steve said there were options for the width, but in the public meeting

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	they both testified for just a few months ago, the Mayor in fact yelled from the audience "oh no, we need that full width for the full thing" so the Mayor actually testified specifically they wanted that full width.
	Okay let's move on to the queuing. My goodness, no one has talked about the queuing west bound on either the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street or the Bailey option. The big red arrow on the diagram shows all of the traffic heading north; well the traffic has got to come back the other way. There will be 4000 cars per day coming south, we know when Orepac or anyone all of these new industrial companies from time to time have to stop their trains in the middle of the intersections to get their cars off to Orepac, its common, the minute that happens, especially on the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street option you can have 2-3 cars make a right turn they hit the crossing from then on Old Town is completely blocked, you cannot access it because there is no other way. As soon as those 2-3 cars back up on 5 <sup>th</sup> , again, you have 4-5 more cars on Bailey if you do it, but you're going to block, completely block access to Old Town, completely as soon as one train has to unload, you know.
	And we're adding, matter of fact the report from the city said we want to bring more use of the rail, that means more times the train is going to stop at that track while they do their little, I mean up in Portland we've all sat in intersections for several minutes waiting for cars to do their shifting around, and of course that's going to happen here, there's no room. there are only a couple blocks between either one.
	And the northbound queuing, I heard, I saw written testimony, I heard
Council President Starr	Ten seconds.
Mr. Britcliffe	There is room for the queuing, it's tight but the north bound is not the issue. The traffic, the people in Wilsonville in Old Town, they're coming south, there are not going to add traffic to that. It will end up being southbound queuing with two cars, but you are talking about backing up the road quickly. And that's not going to happen right away.  The other thing, we talked about the Orepac and we have a lot of hurdles, and
	heard a lot of Orepac.
Council President Starr	Is my time done? I'm sorry, love it.  Sorry about that, I've got to be fair to everybody. Thank you. Next speaker Monica Keenan.
Monica Keenan 9460 SW 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Also submitted written	I hate to follow up such a dynamic speaker. My name is Monica Keenan, 9460 SW 4 <sup>th</sup> Street; I'm speaking on behalf of the Old Town Plan Steering Committee and residents of Old Town.
statement which has been made a part of the record.	Some of this might be tedious but I don't want to lose any of our points. Some of the questions have already been addressed by Council and others.
	We are requesting Resolution 2610 not be approved pending further exploration of the Bailey connection. Bailey was the preferred crossing and it has been stated in public record in testimony by the residents in Old Town in each applicable hearing at Council and the Planning Commission.
	It was also repeated on public record that the street scape contained in the Old Town Plan was concept only, and was never designated as being a specific plan that needed to be followed, so that allows for some leniency especially where the historic structures were supposed to be accommodated on Boones Ferry, so the hard scraping, but bump outs, all of that integrated sidewalks and parking spaces

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	were not necessarily required.
	Pages 97 and 98 of the Council Packet clearly show that the intersection at Bailey has much more space to accommodate the turn radius of vehicles, multiple lanes and has a greater line of site. Page 98 shows the impact on the proposed intersection at the corner of 5 <sup>th</sup> and Boones Ferry has that historic building which we've discussed that is greatly impacted. And it will be impacted regardless of how close the sidewalk might sit in front of their building because it would be hard turning in front of their building all day long and in a much greater amount that has ever occurred before.
	In the organization of our thoughts we followed page 101 of the Council packet regarded the key differences between the key alignment options. In regards to the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street alignment one of the proposed statements was that the 5 <sup>th</sup> street alignment provides the most space for north bound vehicles and queuing at the signals and provides more distance between intersections. North bound vehicles do not typically back up this far into the neighborhood. Additional queuing down to this section of the street would directly impact driveways for existing residences which are to be preserved.
	The 5 <sup>th</sup> Street alignment requires the closure of the private Bailey Street crossing which is preferred by ODOT and the railroad, we would like to see that the City of Wilsonville stand for with our request if you determine that Bailey is the right crossing, and push them for that approval.
	Results in an increase of approximately 3900 vehicles at full build out in 2035, no details, it says to see appendix L for the detail of how 5 <sup>th</sup> Street would be designed to address the added vehicles but no details are really vetted yet in the plan. so I don't know how you would prefer one alignment over the other without having 5 <sup>th</sup> Street and a lot of those comments came up earlier today.
	One of the big points, I'll skip ahead, the Main Street Environment that was noted in the Old Town Plan and was referred to in your packet, that was always intended to be more of an adaptive reuse in neighborhood commercial, not to replicate the west side. It was also to reflect the development of the naturally occur in that block. And that block between Bailey and 5 <sup>th</sup> has been developed as residential, so there is no need to overbuild that section of the street, for what has now become a residential section. At the time we were trying to accommodate applications that were still active that have since expired.
Mr. Cosgrove	Is that it, one minute?
Ms. Keenan	No, I'm almost done.
	The other part for the queuing we've discussed the lights up by Fred Meyer and that Bailey intersection wouldn't work because of the proximity of lights, why don't we look at the whole development up there by Fred Meyer and Wilsonville Road, and maybe if we took the light down at Bailey, we could pull out the one at Fred Meyer and manage the turning traffic to Fred Meyer by a signal down at Bailey, let's think bigger and think about the whole area as a whole.
G ID II -	I have much more in here.
Council President Starr Ms. Keenan	Can you email it to us?  I will email it and I will leave a hard copy over there.
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	I do have Paul Missle who lives on 5 <sup>th</sup> and Bailey asking me to read a statement,

	may I change my persona and read this or should I have somebody else read this?
Mr. Cosgrove	No, the Council rules are enforced by Council. What I'm going to say is the
Wir. Cosgrove	written testimony that you highlighted, can be submitted along with his
M W	comments, and any things that we pull out of there.
Ms. Keenan	Are you making your decision tonight?
Mr. Cosgrove	I suspect probably, I don't know where Council is going on it, but
Ms. Keenan	If you have any additional questions I'd be more than happy to come up and answer them. Paul is really concerned about the impact on his building and the structure itself.
Council President Starr	Okay, thank you. Let's see, I have one more card, so if anyone else wants to speak please fill out a white card and give it to Sandy. Amanda Hoffman.
Amanda Hoffman	Good evening Council members, my name is Amanda Hoffman and I live at
30945 SW Boones Ferry Rd	30945 SW Boones Ferry Road, down a little further towards the end of the road.
	I prefer the Bailey Street connection if there has to be one. Mainly because it is outside of the neighborhood. I feel like the connection at 5 <sup>th</sup> Street basically makes the Old Town neighborhood have to pay for the traffic problems that are trying to be alleviated by the area further north closer to Wilsonville Road. So we're now bringing the traffic problem further into Old Town and the Old Town residents are having to pay for it. I don't really feel that is fair considering we're residential neighborhood, it's not like we're a commercial development where we were already used to that type of traffic coming through.
	Also, I second the basically, I want to see what it would look like if that traffic signal was moved from Fred Meyer down to Bailey Street. I'd at least like to see a report on what that would look like if they could make it work. I don't think that it has been studied that way and I would really like to see whether that study would make the traffic queuing work if the connection was at Bailey Street because I think Ms. Fitzgerald was kind of getting to it as far as the signal at Bailey Street. She didn't say move it from Fred Meyer to Bailey, but if you could study that and just let the neighborhood see if that would work or not I think that would help because I think that is a big issue that a lot of the decisions are trying to be made upon is that the queuing won't work so we just have to put it at 5 <sup>th</sup> , and I think that needs to get looked at.
	Last point that I also said at Planning Commission regardless, the Bailey Street stop sign coming out of Fred Meyer is completely unsafe and we've had near misses a couple of times with my kids in the car me just driving northbound of Boones Ferry and people trying to pull out from the stop sign and you cannot see, and regardless of what happens, that needs to get addressed. Thank you.
Council President Starr	Okay next up would be Barbara Bergmans. Welcome and please share your address with the City Recorder.
Barbara Bergmans 9250 SW 4 <sup>th</sup> Street	I live at 9250 SW 4 <sup>th</sup> Street. I was one that let the fight to stop a big development across a few years ago in 2006. We had a lot of meetings with the City, we did get that development stopped, and I started a neighborhood association. So we got us our pattern book made up, what we don't want in Old Town, one of the things we don't want is sidewalks and curbs and gutters.
	My husband and I moved here almost 24 years ago. We went through the smell of the treatment plant getting upgraded.
	One of the biggest concerns that I have bringing all of that traffic down into 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, is there's a dance studio and daycare center right there on that corner, and many times I've had to slam on my brakes, I always go slow past there because

when the little ones see mom and dad they don't see anything else. If mom and dad's parked across the street, that's where they go. I'm the only one in the family that didn't drive an 18-wheeler, my sister, my two brothers my nieces and nephews, but I know if they are caught in a traffic jam, they are going to ignore that sign that says "no trucks beyond this point" they're going to get out of there because they have schedules to meet. And right now there are trucks that come down, they go to the spring company right down there by the Catholic Church. You say no trucks, does that mean they have to stop going down there for their deliveries, and I'm sure in Tim's businesses there are 18-wheelers that deliver down there too. Anyway, I'm also on the steering committee I've been to all of the meetings over the road. And what bothers me, another thing on that intersection there's a stop sign, but if you are down there when the mass lets out from the Catholic Church you may as well pull it out and throw it on the ground because around that corner they go in a steady stream and a stop light is not going to stop them, they're going to keep right on going. There is the potential for a lot more accidents on that corner. I love living in Old Town and I will fight to my dying day to keep is historical. For a year and a half I had to drive to Woodburn, my husband was in a care center, and it took me a half an hour from my doorstep on 4th and Fir to the onramp lamp every night. To me when whoever designed coming in and out of this area, they brought two left hand turns in but only one right hand turn out which wasn't a very bright thing to do. The alarm went off, so I'm going to have to ask you to stop there if you could. Council President Starr But I appreciate you sharing with us your three minutes are up now. Thank you. Can you come back and see us again though? Next is Douglas, I'm sorry I cannot read your last name. State your last name and share your address with us if you will. Douglas Miench My name is Douglas Miench; I live on 30950 SW Fir. 30950 SW Fir Ave. I just wanted to share Paul Missal's letter. He is the one who owns the building Mr. Missal's letter has been on the corner there. made part of the record. "My name is Paul Missal and I live at 30650 SW Boones Ferry Rd. in Wilsonville's Old Town area. I have lived here since 1974 having purchased the property from Thelma Lee who operated an Antique Shop there in the early 70's. Prior to that, the building served many purposes; a feed and grain store also selling hardware, prior to that the building was divided down the middle with the North half a Pool Hall and the South half selling Groceries and Sundries. When the light is right one can still see remnants of the signage etched into the boards on the side of the building. The upstairs was a Woman's Lodge and also served on occasion as Movie House (I met the gentleman who would come to town every few weeks to show movies to the town folk - 25 cents, those were the days), also prize fights, weddings and funerals. SO the building has had a colorful history ad [sic] has been a vital part of building our Community. Being the first person to have taken up residence there I have been trying to hold to this heritage and not change much of the structure while living within it and keeping it much the same as it has always been. However now I feel the building and the surrounding area is threatened by the proposed expansion of Brown road to Fifth street. The damage to my building and its setting will be

severely compromised by the requirements of the expansion of the road and the widening of that corner. Not only will the building suffer from the changes that would be made to the buildings structure, but the impact of the livability in that area of Old Town will be significantly affected." I think all of us living there are worried about big time, so. "The projected impact of 4000 additional trips in that area is not only damaging aesthetically but also dangerous. There are many children who live in the area as well as older residents who choose to walk to Fred Meyers and other stores; they will have to deal with a vastly different traffic situation with its accompanying noise, speed and air pollution. It will not have a "friendly" impact on the community but will divide it rather than compliment it, turning a neighborhood road into a commercial thoroughfare. By definition it is contrary to the goals set out years ago relative to preserving "Old Town". A road is service oriented; it holds residents together, providing safe passage to and from home. On the other hand a thoroughfare carries people through an area who for the most part do not live there but who want (and in some cases need) to speed directly and efficiently through." Last couple paragraphs: "It is requested Council not approve the resolution in support of the 5<sup>th</sup> street connection at this time. Please invest in further exploration of a Bailey connection so the traffic can better serve the commercial area to the north. Step back a bit and look at the area as a whole and take into account the residents of Old Town as much as the existing businesses. Considering that the Planning Commission could not come to an agreement on a recommendation for the placement of this road, it seems premature that Council would be ready to pass it in one resolution the week of Christmas. Old town has been a gracious neighbor with the development of Fred Meyer the largest Subaru dealership in the nation, new homes and the expansion of the Wastewater Treatment Plant the integrity of the residential neighborhood should be respected as much as the local businesses that have had long standing with the City Council." Council President Starr And I have one more speaker card, Tim Knapp. Okay, go ahead and share your Okay, thank you. Tim Knapp, 11615 SW Jamaica, Wilsonville. Tim Knapp 11615 SW Jamaica I moved to this community 30 years ago this month, in fact 30 years ago this week. And acquired a building in Old Town at the corner of 5<sup>th</sup> Street that was derelict, it had shortly prior to the time I acquired it, been condemned by the City, and the prior owner agreed to do some fix up on it and the City agreed to remove the condemnation, and give it appropriate zoning and some things like that. I participated in the 1996 West Side Master Plan that first figured out some concepts for preserving this area, and as well as was active in the 2012 Old Town Neighborhood Plan. The two sheets I've just handed out were study work that was done by consultant called Lennertz and Coyle for the City in 1996 that talks about identifying neighborhood centers, and where those were around the City. I highlighted in color the Old Town neighborhood center that that plan identified. The work of Lennertz and Coyle in planning for communities talks about connecting

	neighborhoods together. The concept going all the way back to 1996 was that this neighborhood should be connected to the centers of other surrounding neighborhoods and that is true throughout the City.
	A 5 <sup>th</sup> Street connection would provide a direct and safe route for kids to get from Old Town neighborhood to the school area out along the west side of Wilsonville Road and that is a significant connection to me. Also with other neighborhoods on that side.
	The congestion in the Fred Meyer complex is severe and we need to have a relief valve available. The proposed 5 <sup>th</sup> Street connection would accomplish that, whereas Bailey according to the report in your hands would actually exacerbate the congestion there.
	The costs are significant and as the board has, Council has identified, there are significant costs that are not included in the numbers there. The costs for Orepac, the costs for taking the building from the mini-storage, the cost to actually raise Bailey street 20 inches to match the grade of the crossing to which is no talked about or covered in there. The long term damage to business for Orepac, all those things are considerations.
	5 <sup>th</sup> Street works and it's absolutely necessary if we are to realize the Old Town Neighborhood Plan that says this should be a main street commercial district. Those businesses, small businesses have to have some visibility and we have a dance studio, and a pre-school and Lances Auto Repair and a pet groomer and other businesses that serve the neighborhood, serve the community and they are an asset to the community. To hide them and make them invisible and say we don't want any cars to go there is not appropriate nor helpful to help them succeed. And we can accomplish all of the needed careful planning to make the proposed 5 <sup>th</sup> Street connection work and work smoothly. I think there are fears that will not be justified about what kind of impacts there would be with a careful plan.
Council President Starr	Your time is up, thank you. Okay.
	Did anybody else have a speaker card before we close this part? I don't see any. So according to my cheat sheet here we have time for rebuttal from the applicant, which I guess would be the City.
Mr. Cosgrove	Does City staff have anything additionally they would like to share regarding comments that have been put into the record tonight?
Council President Starr	There are a few questions, so why don't you come up.
Mr. Cosgrove	And any observations you have about anything that came up that you might want to clarify or shed a little more light on. If you have any pressing things that you need to share right off the bat, why don't you go ahead, and then I'll ask the Council if they have any other questions.
Additional comments from St	aff.
Mr. Adams	Again, the Old Town comments we have heard a lot, and we have at both meetings and on emails and on written letters to the City, either me or to other City staff or Council members, we're very well aware of their concern for traffic in that area. And we haven't tried to ignore, I think we've been quite open in telling Council each time and Planning Commission that there is a concern from the Old Town residents on the traffic impacts.
	In looking at the overall scope of the project and looking at all the costs that are involved with it, and at can we build a crossing at Bailey? With ODOT

	permission we can. Will it cost more? Everything says "yes" it will cost more, and it will have less impact to Old Town.
Council President Starr	Depending on which direction Council wants us to go, we can go. We can go 5 <sup>th</sup> Street; I think 5th Street will be the easier and less expensive way to go. There are a handful of residents that live on or homes are being built on Boones Ferry between Bailey and 5 <sup>th</sup> that will be impacted. However that also is the area that is thought and forecast to be the commercial zone, and for a commercial zone as realtors will tell you, you want drive-by traffic. We're trying to look at this in both a current situation and what meets the master plans of the City.
	Okay, thank you.
Ms. Kraushaar	And I'd like to add that obviously, this is very difficult project. And we have to look at it in the context of the entire city as well. There are so many things to consider. We relied on the Old Town Neighborhood Plan a fair amount in doing our final reviews of some of the details of how the street would look and how was that area set up. Some of the Old Town Neighborhood Plan talks about how future land use designations that the Comp Plan has not been changed yet, so there are some, whether or not those would ever come in for a zone change to commercial from residential we're not sure. But the west side of the street has been commercial, nonresidential forever. We were relying on that bringing, allowing those businesses to have access and become sort of a little node for the area. And to connect them to the rest of Wilsonville to the west. But certainly it is not an easy situation, that's why a decision has not been made for 20 years.  But at the same time I can say that it has been, it has never been indicated that this is not an important connection to make. We realize that for just to get out of that neighborhood they need another alternate route, for safety, for fire, any kind of emergency there is not a good way out.  In looking at the big picture, looking at traffic, impacts to existing properties which we considered quite a bit when we are looking at new roadways, it
	appeared by all the criteria we talked to you about tonight, 5 <sup>th</sup> Street is the
Compail Description Co	preferred option, but again this is not an easy decision for anybody.
Council President Starr	Thank you. Council?
Councilor Lehan	Yes, I wanted to ask, you heard a couple of people mention why don't you close the, take the signal away at Fred Meyers and instead replace it at Bailey. I wanted to ask whether that had been considered or what the impact would be of taking away the signal that is at the Fred Meyer/Albertsons, the place we do not have a name. Is that an option or not?
Mr. Adams	We have not looked at it; we could request DKS to do a study of how traffic would flow both today and in the future if we decommission one signalized intersection and created a second one. But as of now we have not looked at that option.
Ms. Kraushaar	It is hard to imagine how people would get out of the Albertsons side of that intersection if they are trying to go north to Wilsonville Road without that traffic signal.
Mr. Cosgrove	That signal is there for a reason.
Councilor Lehan	I'm not suggesting it, I'm asking, because it seems to me it would be, the whole Fred Meyers development is planned around that as the primary entrance, and primary entrance by a lot. Because you would have to redesign the Fred Meyer development in order to make Bailey their primary in and out. So it doesn't seem to me that it would work, but I'm asking the engineers for an opinion on that since it has been raised. And if you can't offer that – an engineering opinion about it today then maybe later.
Mr. Handy	That is something we can definitely take a look at. But as the City manager
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	mentioned, it would really leave that development on the west side economical
Councilor Lehan	Because the other question would be the legal for Fred Meyers, there would seem
Councilor Lenan	there would be an objection from Fred Meyers because they were [garbled].
Ms. Kraushaar	And also the Albertsons side of that intersection. The level of service I think
Wis. Kraushaar	would crash if you took that traffic signal out.
Councilor Lehan	Since a couple people raised it, it would be good to have an opinion.
Mr. Cosgrove	I'm all for good opinions, but I would like to know what the opinion is going to
MI. Cosgiove	cost me before we go down that road I would like to have that conversation with staff.
Councilor Lehan	Not necessarily from DKS
Mr. Cosgrove	We could formulate a staff opinion
Councilor Lehan	A staff opinion would be good.
Mr. Adams	A lot of my staff opinions are based on traffic studies from DKS, I lean on their professional modeling and judgment.
	The one difficulty if we looked at that right now, with the Albertson's store being vacant we will not have an accurate count on cars leaving that, we would have to go back to some historical average or kind of say well, if a you name it moved in, how much traffic would we expect to leave that. It would be difficult to come up with the impacts of that. And then if it does make it difficult for them to leave as Nancy mentioned, I forget who mentioned that, there might be some economic damages that we are causing them making it difficult for them to rent that space out. Again I would have to defer to Council and consultants on how that would be handled and we would a few thousand dollars more we could probably study it; I don't know how much it would cost.
Ms. Kraushaar	I want to know, I can't think of one Fred Meyer or one commercial property such as an Albertsons that doesn't have some kind of signalized access. Especially with Fred Meyer, because Fred Meyer is huge.
Councilor Lehan	Again, I'm asking the question.
Mr. Cosgrove	I hear what you are saying Councilor. So what I think we can do is go back and look at the original approvals and say why did we put a signal there, is suspect it's because that is the largest commercial, one of the largest commercial draws in the City. And if we didn't have a signal there with an adjacent grocery store on the other side of the road or whatever its going to be in the future, that you would have complete melt down of traffic.  We can bring back that information without spending any money for traffic
	studies, we can comb through the files.
Councilor Stevens	Just for clarification the designation for Boones Ferry road is an arterial?
Mr. Adams	This is a collector.
Councilor Stevens	And then this is going to be a connector?
Mr. Adams	Yeah, a connector will likely also be rated as a collector because Brown Road is a collector when it goes north in to Villebois, as it comes around south serving the undeveloped properties, it would be built to handle collector traffic load.
Councilor Stevens	The other question I had was in the packet there's a report from Weiser Rail Engineering about the railroad crossings and it says, when it talks about Bailey Street it says, "Bailey Street would require 5 <sup>th</sup> Street to be closed and would also prefer for the second street undercrossing to be closed. But that the city would mitigate that, or negotiate that considering the city is proposing to make it a pedestrian and bicycle only undercrossing."  So right now it's the letter from, it's to you Allen Hendy from Thomas Weiser.
	Page 143. My question is, does that mean, right now cars go thru it's a private

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	drive I believe, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street, and it goes under that little tunnel under the railroad
	tracks to Otto Lane. If 5th Street got closed, that would probably need to be
	closed too except to bicycle and pedestrians, it would be closed to traffic? That
	is what this is stating.
Mr. Adams	That is his advice. I don't recall hearing that from ODOT Rail or from when we met with them or from Portland Western. It is a substandard crossing; it is a 12 foot galvanized pipe under the railroad crossing. In my opinion if, when the area develops that is west of the tracks, I think it is best serviced from a north-south street coming down from either 5 <sup>th</sup> or Bailey and servicing that area. I think that undercrossing in the future would best be used as the bike/ped Tonquin Trail connection going from our parks and perhaps our bridge across the Willamette
	and connecting the Tonquin Trail up into the neighborhoods. I think that is an ideal bike/ped crossing and have all of the vehicle traffic go north to 5 <sup>th</sup> or
	Bailey.
Councilor Stevens	And so my question is if 5 <sup>th</sup> Street had to be closed because the choice was Bailey, that would impact this tunnel as well from this?
Mr. Adams	Right now it would not. If whenever you ask for an at grade crossing that is not
	to policy that ODOT Rail has right now, I don't know what the conditions are
	that they are going to put out there, that's an unknown.
	If the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street tunnel is closed to automobile traffic, what it would mean would be the City would have to extend some kind of public roadway down to those 3-4
	parcels of land down along the river because it is against code to land lock a
	parcel. So, if ODOT Rail did choose that, it would drive up the costs of the
	project extending a road down into that area.
Councilor Lehan	Can I follow up on that? So I'm presuming that is true for the properties south of 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, all of them that currently access off of Nutting or all the properties down to the river would also lose their access if the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street railroad crossing is
26 41	closed.
Mr. Adams	Ah, the one that shows both crossings, here we go.
	So here the little blue extension that's called the Nutting Road extension, that was added because if we go with Bailey and 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, ODOT Rail has told us they will require 5 <sup>th</sup> Street to be closed for any chance for approving a Bailey crossing. To access all the properties that are currently accessed by the dirt/gravel 5 <sup>th</sup> Street and the private Otto Lane, we would need to provide additional connection there. So that road there would be the connection down to the corner of Nutting and 5 <sup>th</sup> that would then access all of the properties that are currently getting access via 5 <sup>th</sup> Street crossing.
Councilor Fitzgerald	I just wanted to ask a question about the community involvement process and just noting on page 3 that and I just wanted to find out, is this standard operation what we used for this so far in this process. Not starting in 2013, but just in the more recent time, where you are citing multiple stakeholders and I just want to get a handle on how this compared to a standard process.
	Multiple stakeholder meetings with residents and so forth. And then on September 21 <sup>st</sup> there was a public workshop. And I'm just thinking how today we are hearing individual people speaking, it only allows so much back and forth, but in some ideal workshop setting maybe there is more discussion which you've taken down in notes. And then 600 mailers were sent out, posted on email, 72 people came, there was an on-line survey which everybody doesn't do that. But then there was another open house on October 26 <sup>th</sup> , and then on November 9 <sup>th</sup> we had the Planning Commission work session. So it sounds like in these cases, and today we're having a hearing.

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So what have been the opportunities for people to sit is the workshop a chance for people to sit down and talk through how different things would work, because
we all don't know what the different constraints from ODOT and what can and
cannot work. Can you just talk about how a public workshop is meant to work?
I think the work shop was specifically designed to be what you are describing, it was in the room downstairs with tables at which people had the maps out and we had technical staff arrayed at it. There was a very short presentation to make sure everyone in the room had the same orientation about what the project is and where it is going.
And then we, the community workshop summary and survey actually has some of the photos, and sketches that were done and the notes we took hearing from some people in the room – a lot of the people aren't here tonight – some very passionately talking about their concerns, some actually Mr. Bernert from Wilsonville Concrete was there and really talking about his concerns also in terms to his access to his properties and assumptions.
And so it was, there was a lot of dialogue at that meeting. That was at the point in the project where we had taken it down from six alternatives to four; I think there were still four on the table. So we were, I think as we were designing that meeting the intent was to share what we were learning. We had started getting all of these memos from the habitat specialists and everything, and so we wanted to share what we were learning with the people who were interested in this project and who would be affected by it. And also listen to them.
I think there was a fair amount of dialogue there. The open house was a little bit more of an open house there was a presentation, there were boards, there were stations, pretty standard as you think about open houses the city holds for projects. A lot of opportunity for one on one conversation, but it was a little bit more one on one I suppose.
And then the online survey, we actually got quite a nice response. Something that was kind of interesting was that in both the in person meetings I think we found there were more people from the Old Town area and the immediate proximity, whereas the survey did tend to draw people from Villebois and other affected parts of town. Not 100% but it was nice because that was part of why you do it, also the on line is to broaden the parts of town that can participate. And we saw that kind of worked I suppose.
Some of the questions that we asked at the first meeting, there were some specific questions that we asked in the online meeting and also in the workshop were about the goals of the project and how they were evaluated, how the project could be evaluated.
Okay, that's helpful.
I think one of the things I've, having done part of a lot of projects like this over the years, one thing that I thought was really unique, I suppose, and I think going a little further than the normal process for it, were the early up front stakeholder meetings. Where the project team, I didn't go to all of them, but I know that Adrian our public involvement specialist help facilitate small group and one on one meetings with our engineers on the team to hear very directly from the most affected property owners and also small groups of people who were very affected by this project. So that kind of very pointed dialogue about properties impacts, about interests is I think kind of above and beyond for this scale of project and I thought a very meaningful way to hear and make sure that those opinions were brought into it so it wasn't just technical folks who were having a voice.

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Council President Starr	Thank you. Any other questions from Council? Okay, well thank you so much I
	guess at this point I can close the public hearing and ask Council what their
	pleasure is. [Public hearing closed at 9:56 p.m.]
Mr. Cosgrove	I can try to lay out your options as I see them.
	Since this is a public hearing, if you take action, I guess I'd start with the bigger
	picture which is reasons to delay your decision tonight. If you
	have heard anything new or if you feel like you just need more time to mull this
	over in your head, that would be a legitimate reason to delay taking action
	tonight. But what we have heard consistently from Council is that this is a high priority project, it is a City Council Goal.
	We hear, not a week or day goes by sometimes that we don't hear "you need to
	do something about this traffic problem down here". And this project is just one
	of many that we need to get on the board and push along, but specifically this
	one to deal with some of the concerns that we hear from business owners and
	citizens who are trapped in that triangle down there when there is an incident on
	I-5. So delaying it will delay the actual construction of the project, but it
	depends on how long you delay it obviously. That's kind of how I see your options tonight.
	But I will say regardless of which option you choose, because I think you can
	make a commitment to everybody who lives in Old Town, that we have a
	commitment verbally on the record and from the City Staff that we do everything
	we can to protect the quality of life for that neighborhood. And that you can
	dedicate specific funding, not amounts, but sources of funds that we would bring
	to bear after we've gone through the design process, in consultation with all the
	residents that live in that neighborhood about specific improvements and that we
	build that into some kind of capital improvement program. I would recommend
	that regardless of which option you choose.
Council President Starr	Okay.
Councilor Lehan	That was going to be one of my questions, maybe I should have asked while
	Nancy was here, because she had referred to the 30% design that it's hard to
	know exactly what we might mitigate, might be able to mitigate, or what the
	options for mitigation would be until we get to 30% design. When is that?
Mr. Cosgrove	We wouldn't get to 30% design until you choose Option A or Option B.
Councilor Lehan	I know we need to choose one, but then how long?
Mr. Cosgrove	How long for 30% design Nancy?
Mr. Adams	The process here, once given direction from the Council on which way to go, we
	would put out an RFP to hire a consultant. that would take; by the time we get
	back here to the Council to approve the contract, probably early February,
	probably about a month and a half there.
	Then to get to a 30% design I would say would be at least 3-5 months out.
	Thirty percent design would be expected in the May-June time frame.
Mr. Cosgrove	And that would be best case.
Mr. Adams	Yes. One thing that will slow the construction down is once we get to that
	certain design level 30-50%, then we have to send the plans out to the Army
	Corps of Engineers, and Division of State Lands for permit approval for our two crossings of Coffee Lake Creek.
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	When we applied for the crossing on Boeckman across Coffee Lake wetlands, if
	you recall it took 16 months to get Army Corps of Engineers approval for that
	bridge crossing. So that's a lengthy one.
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Councilor Lehan	Yeah, so it's a ways out.
	So then the process at 30%, let's say we get to 30% in June, July or August, at that point would we then enter into another process with the neighborhood regards to where it was to discuss the various mitigation options or what would be the next steps.
Mr. Adams	Yes, quite common. We get to a certain level plans, we have an open house again, bring the neighbors in, we show them what we have drafted so far, and what's your feedback. There will be some things they love, some things they hate, and some things they have an idea they would want us to go look at.
	And then we go away again and we design to 60-70% to look at the details on these things and we have another neighborhood meeting, come back look at this, what do you think of this. This is the iteration process we go through on a street project.
	We always have at least two meetings, one early on, one closer to final design to show people what direction the project is taking.
Mr. Cosgrove	What I would recommend is that we design a public process in consultation with the neighborhood that meets their needs in terms of input and that we bring that to council for discussion, and review. So that we are getting input at all the times that are meaningful to the neighbors. And it may be just as he said, or maybe, there's going to be more interest by people who are actually directly impacted and there there's the more global concern about the livability and quality of life for the neighborhood. So those are two different approaches.
	But I would recommend that we design a public process working with the folks that life there and the businesses that are impacted and then we bring it back after discussion and share it with you and open it up to public comment.
Councilor Lehan	That's good to know. I happy to go either way, whatever way the Council wants to go in terms of a decision tonight or decision in January. I don't think we should put it off past there. Because the only think I still have sort of hanging out there, it would be nice to get some sort of opinion about the Bailey / Fred Meyer flip, about that the impact about closing Fred Meyer is, and I don't think that's a possibility. Not closing it, making it not signalized.
Mr. Cosgrove	I don't want to give out any false hope but that would probably be something we would recommend as a staff, but I think there's some high level
Councilor Lehan	No, I'm not saying that, but I think it would be a piece of information that I think, because it was raised, we should respond to. But that's the only thing that I have waiting out there would be nice to clear up. Otherwise I'm happy to go tonight or wait to January.
Mr. Cosgrove	And that's very helpful for me and for the staff if you give specific things, if you are still lingering about making a decision, specific things that we need to investigate and bring back to you because the general stuff we can't do much about.
Councilor Fitzgerald	I wanted to clarify the reason I was asking the question about the signal and as one of the ladies in the audience said, I did not go so far as to suggest taking down the Fred Meyer's signal; that was never in my thinking. So I don't want to imply that's what, because I did not think that was possible or logical. I can't imagine what we would have to pay to mitigate that.
	But the reason I was asking the question is it came from our prior work session. I was looking to the future as people continue to move to the northwest and if we do find, I was asking the question, whenever that was, we talked about this at work session, comparing Bailey Street and 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, with the consideration of

	traffic continuing to increase as it seems to do, what options would you have in
	the future? Knowing we're not putting a signal right there right now. And what I learned from that discussion with the consultants was, it would be impossible to put a signal at Bailey, but it could be possible to put one at 5 <sup>th</sup> Street. Maybe you wouldn't even do it. But I came away with that that was my understanding. I wanted to clarify that it didn't seem logical to me to take out one of the signals.
	What I've learned about this, this is a really difficult decision. I hear a lot of passion for paying a lot of attention to the Old Town Neighborhood and I think City Manager Bryan Cosgrove described it well, that we, I hear a commitment to doing, paying attention to what needs to be done to maintain that neighborhood.
	But as I look at what we've been provided here, the Bailey Street connection appears to me to be really expensive, it has some real difficulties associated with the railroads, the railroad crossing and raising Bailey Street and I just see a lot of difficulties there.
	When I read about the 5 <sup>th</sup> Street option, my biggest question is how can we, we'll probably have to give somewhere, really pay attention to what can be done to mitigate to really keep traffic from cutting into Old Town, and the safety.
	There are two more things that have my attention, safety of pedestrians walking along the road where there are no sidewalks. I know we have a commitment to no sidewalks but that road is just going to get busier and busier over time. So I don't feel really great about never having sidewalks in that commercial section.
	And then the last point is, that is a commercial section and the commercial section of Old Town. There is a residential section of Old Town and there is an area that has been designated for Commercial and both have to be paid attention to. Thank you.
Councilor Stevens	So we can move this on tonight, it's getting quite late, I'm going to put a motion on the table at least so we can either vote on it, or table it, or whatever, so we can just move forward.
Mr. Cosgrove	As a point of order you should make a motion and a second before you enter into discussion anyway.
Councilor Stevens	Exactly, and we're in the middle of discussion.
	Motion: I move to approve Resolution No. 2610. Councilor Fitzgerald seconded the motion.
Council President Starr	Any further discussion? Councilor Lehan
Councilor Lehan	I wanted to make some points. But the maker of the motion needs to go first.
Councilor Stevens	I agree with Councilor Fitzgerald. I think safety is a huge issue here. I'm really concerned about the fact that there is a storage facility in the way of a sight line, a building that would have to be taken out in order to make a railroad crossing safe, and they're not that safe to begin with, and then we have a big building in the way. So that's one concern.
	Cost is a concern for me. Not knowing what's going to happen with mitigation for an industry that's been here for a long time, and another costs, the bringing of the Bailey Street level to make it to grade. So there's an unknown cost there. So we're already \$1 million plus as a difference from 5 <sup>th</sup> Street to Bailey Street because we're adding at least another million, if not more, for taking out the building and also then the grade and mitigation for OrePac. Really, really big unknowns.

I also think that this Bailey Street, people don't just go to Fred Meyer when they go to that end of Boones Ferry. I hardly ever go to Fred Meyer, I go to Boones Ferry Park, and I know a lot of other people who do, and there's Tauchman House. There are a lot of other people who drive down Boones Ferry all the way to where it dead ends. We've got a park there now, and another park that's going to be added to this. The city recently purchased the old mobile home park area, which is going to get master planned and made into a bigger park. People are going to start going to that park. And then when the French Prairie Bridge comes in, people are going to go across the bridge. You come in on Bailey Street and everyone who is driving to that park and across that bridge wants to park their car and take their bikes across that bridge; they're going right down Boones Ferry. IF they come in on 5<sup>th</sup> Street and go south to that park, they're avoiding all the homes I think that I think the Old Town people are concerned about. Tonquin Trail comes through that bike bridge that goes under the freeway to Memorial Park from that park. And you can park now at Boones Ferry and go over to Memorial Park that's all going to get fixed so that it is safer to go under the freeway. All those things, it's not just, people don't just go to Fred Meyer, people go to other areas and businesses in Old Town. So all that traffic would then have to go past all these homes that are on Boones Ferry Road. It's not just traffic going to Fred Meyer. I think there's going to be, it is a tradeoff, there are lots of salient points here that need to be considered, but I think we have to make a decision on this. Connectivity is a huge thing for this city. You have Barber Bridge now that connects, what's the other, Canyon Creek Road, all these different ways to get around town, if you can't get there this way, you can go this way, and this is another one of those connectivity roads that make Wilsonville so great because we have all these different ways to get around. Barber, or Wilsonville Road are backed up you can get out of town by going north on Boeckman. And this just one of those roads that just needs to happen, this maybe should have happened a while ago. I think we need to make a decision on this and not delay so staff can get moving on this as quickly as possible. We already heard there are going to be delays; the Army Corps of Engineers just to figure out how to do the bridge. So I think we need to move forward tonight and not delay. Council President Starr Thank you. Councilors? Councilor Lehan I will say we have been discussing this since the 90's Mr. Cosgrove Sorry, can I interrupt, you have to motion and second to continue the meeting after 10 p.m. Council President Starr Do I hear a motion to continue the meeting since it's after 10? Councilor Stevens So moved. Councilor Fitzgerald Second. Council President Starr Okay, all in favor please say "Aye". Motion carried. We have been discussing this at least since the 90s the route and what we could Councilor Lehan do for this request connector. And since I first came on the Council, and I was hoping when I was gone from the Council for a few years, somebody would have decided this, and I wouldn't have to take it up again. But here we are again with it. I just want to say that I've always felt very protective of historic structures in Wilsonville; I was the main one who I think was responsible for saving the Old

Church and not having it moved. I try to maintain the things in the town that have historic significance. Certainly the old feed store that was a feed store when I was a kid and I think it is an important structure and we need to do what's necessary to protect that structure.

I'm also old enough to remember when I walked home from school into Old Town because I went to my aunt's house down 5<sup>th</sup> Street, I walked by the wigwam burner and the mill pond which is where that day care and dance studio are now. There was this huge wigwam burner and mill pond right there, and where that storage facility is and we didn't save that.

I also remember when Boones Ferry itself was a major arterial, it was the precursor of Interstate 5 and that's why all those buildings including the feed store were there in the first place because this was the main commercial way up and down the Valley, not just Wilsonville. It was the main thoroughfare for the Valley, and if you take Boones Ferry on the other side and go by Ming's garage and on down there you can see the remnants of what was there before Interstate-5.

My only point in saying that is that things change. When Interstate 5 started, Old Town died. It just literally died. All those businesses pretty much went belly-up and we moved our town center up to where Lowries was, and then moved it over to Town Center. We've been adrift.

The point is there is always change happening. We want to preserve what we can of the past but we have to be looking at what's going to happen in the future.

One of the concerns is there's a lot of property south of Wilsonville Road, between Wilsonville Road and the River there is a lot of property that's undeveloped yet. And it's not going to be undeveloped forever. The concrete plant is probably not going to be there that much longer. I mean 20 years 30 years out, we have to look at this and figure out how to give the access and virtually land lock all of these properties that are south of Wilsonville Road.

As far as the difference between the two. I agree with what has been said. The costs for Bailey any way you look at it, costs and the unknowns seem tremendous. I'm concerned about land locking properties that are south on Nutting, that are south on Otto Lane.

I asked the question mostly because I wanted some backup, but I don't think there is any way you could close the signalization at Fred Meyers without having ruining Fred Meyers – the shopping center and the Albertsons piece. They have been approved on the basis of that signalization.

When I say that, however, I have brought up from the beginning that I think it's very important to mitigate the impacts to the Old Town Neighborhoods and that cost differential we need to look at, or other sources, whether that's Urban Renewal or something, but we need to get a dollar amount attached to the mitigation, certainly when we get to 30% design phase. We need to be heading in that direction, but we need to have it in our mind that if we're not spending all those many millions extra for the Bailey crossing, then we should be looking at what we need to do to mitigate coming across at 5<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. Cosgrove

Councilor Starr, if Council is leaning toward taking a vote tonight, I would ask that you entertain, if the maker of the motion would entertain two stipulations to add to the motion.

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	The first stipulation would be that the staff develop a public involvement plan for
	design, developed in consultation with the neighborhood, and approved and
	ratified by the City Council.
	Second stipulation would be, upon conclusion of that that we identify specific
	projects and mitigation measures to deal with traffic related concerns, with likely
	funding sources, and a plan for implementation.
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	If the maker of the motion would add those stipulations.
Council President Starr	Confirmed both the maker of the motion and seconder were okay with the
	additions. So that's added into the motion then Sandy.
	Councilor Fitzgerald did you have anything to add before we vote. Seeing as this
	is your last meeting.
	I will be very brief, everything was already mentioned here. We have a problem
	and we need to take care of it, number one.
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	There is a time sensitivity to this, not to say that time is worth making the
	problem fix bad, but from everything I've heard I want to be sensitive to the time
	because of the safety concerns, because of the cost concerns, because of the ease
	to me this motion makes sense. That's about all I have to say just to move this
	thing along.
	So with that, I'll call the question, all in favor please say Aye. Opposed,
	abstained. Motion carried 4-0.
End of transcript.	
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Council President Starr declared a recess d at 10:22 p.m.

Mayor Knapp rejoined the Council on the dais and reconvened the meeting at 10:29 p.m.

#### **MAYOR'S BUSINESS**

Upcoming Council meetings were announced by the Mayor.

#### CITIZEN INPUT & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

This is an opportunity for visitors to address the City Council on items not on the agenda. It is also the time to address items that are on the agenda but not scheduled for a public hearing. Staff and the City Council will make every effort to respond to questions raised during citizens input before tonight's meeting ends or as quickly as possible thereafter. Please limit your comments to three minutes.

There was none.

### COUNCILOR COMMENTS, LIAISON REPORTS & MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

No reports were given.

#### CONSENT AGENDA

Ms. Jacobson read the titles of the Consent Agenda items into the record. She noted the street sweeping company is being sold and the contract will be issued in name of new buyer at the end of the month NRC Environmental Services Inc.

#### A. Resolution No. 2611

A Resolution Of The City Of Wilsonville, Acting In Its Capacity As The Contract Review Board, Approving The Bid Process; Accepting The Proposal Which Will Best Serve The Interest Of The City, And Awarding A Contract To Water Truck Service, Inc. Or Its Successor In Interest For The Project Known As Street Sweeping Services. (staff – Gray)

B. Minutes of the December 5, 2016 Council Meetings. (staff – King)

Motion: Councilor Starr moved to approve the Consent Agenda. Councilor Stevens seconded the

motion.

**Vote:** Motion carried 5-0.

#### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

### B. Ordinance No. 803 1st Reading

An Ordinance Regarding Road Maintenance, Authorizing A Fee For The Purpose Of Road Maintenance Services And Repealing Ordinance Nos. 484 And 540. (Staff – Ward)

Ms. Jacobson read the title of Ordinance No. 803 into the record for first reading.

Mayor Knapp opened the public hearing at 10:32 p.m. and provided the hearing protocol.

The Staff report was presented by Mike Ward and it is included here. Ordinances 484 and 540 authorize the City's collection of a Road Maintenance Fee, including the methodology, customer classifications, an acceptable range for the Pavement Condition Index (PCI) for the City's roads, and direction on convening a Road Maintenance Task Force (Task Force) to consider and recommend any changes that are deemed advisable. A separate resolution (Resolution 1748) adopted the road maintenance fees for residential and non-residential properties.

The Ordinance presented now for consideration streamlines and clarifies the authorizing language for the Road Maintenance Program and monthly fee. The rate methodology and customer classifications more appropriately belong in a resolution, and subsequently have been removed from the proposed enabling ordinance.

An update to the Road Maintenance fee and potential changes to methodology were recommended by staff as the fee and rate structure had not been reviewed since 2002. To prepare for this work, staff contracted with FCS Group to assist the Finance Department with a complete analysis of the Road Maintenance Fund. To understand the maintenance needs to input into the analysis, engineering staff updated the City's pavement conditions inventory by measuring distress on each street and recording length of cracking and area of failure. Using this information, a list of projects to be accomplished over the next 5 years was developed.

A Task Force was convened consisting of the following members: Chair Patricia Zimmerman, Arbor Villebois HOA President

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Eric Hoem, Charbonneau HOA Civil Affairs Committee Frank Lonergran, Republic Services Kevin O'Malley, Wilsonville Chamber of Commerce Al Steiger, City of Wilsonville Budget Committee Tim Woodley, WLWV School District, Operations

The Task Force held five meetings over the course of five months, reviewing and discussing materials developed through the study, refining possible modifications, and preparing recommendations for the program to bring to the City Council for their consideration. Their final recommendations were reached unanimously and include modifications to the fee methodology and increases to the rates to meet the needs.

The Task Force recommended the Road Maintenance Fee authority be separated from the methodology, and the City's consultant recommended that it is considered a best practice for things that do not directly relate to the authorization or appeal process be placed in a separate resolution. The proposed Ordinance reflects the approach recommended by the Task Force.

Ordinance No. 803 provides the City the authority to collect a Road Maintenance Fee, codifies enforcement mechanisms and the appeal process, and repeals Ordinances 484 and 540.

A resolution that will update the methodology, fee and other items no longer covered by ordinance will be presented to the City Council for their consideration in a future meeting to be scheduled before Ordinance No. 803 becomes effective.

The proposed ordinance streamlines the authorization for the Road Maintenance program and corresponding fee. The updated methodology provides for equity and fairness among those served by the road maintenance utility. Staff will be bringing forward a proposal to increase the monthly rate, allowing for a sustainable fund to maintain Wilsonville roads and preserving significant past public and private investments in the system.

If adopted by the City Council, Ordinance No. 803 will become effective in early February. A resolution with the recommended methodology and fee will be presented to the City Council for their consideration in January.

A six-member task force was convened and held five meetings over the course of five months, reviewing, discussing, and refining study materials that resulted in recommendations for the updated program to bring to the City Council for their consideration.

The road maintenance fee allows for timely preventive maintenance of City streets that reduces deferred maintenance and poor pavement conditions which are far more expensive to repair. Such preventive maintenance preserves prior investments in the roads that have been made by public capital projects and private development. The City's Road Maintenance Fund is needed to supplement the Road Operations Fund which relies on gas tax revenues that have been and continue to be for prudent payement maintenance throughout the City.

The Mayor invited public testimony, hearing nothing he closed the public hearing at 10:44 p.m.

**Motion:** Councilor Lehan moved to approve Ordinance No. 803 on first reading. Councilor Fitzgerald seconded the motion.

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Susan Cole explained the concept of the proxy variable. Equivalent Residential equals approximately 9.5 trips, and so businesses would be a multiple of that because they approximate the number of equivalent residential units. If a Fred Meyer or restaurant falls in the categories on the chart, it is a way to capture that intensity because of the number of trips they generate, and they are getting billed for the trips they generate, so the \$5.23 would be multiplied times the number of equivalent residential units that they would generate according to the classifications.

**Vote:** Motion carried 5-0.

C. **Ordinance No. 801** – 1<sup>st</sup> reading *Item to be continued.* 

An Ordinance Authorizing Ground Lease Agreement For Raw Water Pipeline Between Tualatin Valley Water District And City Of Hillsboro And City Of Wilsonville. (staff – Kohlhoff)

D. Ordinance No. 802 – 1<sup>st</sup> reading *Item to be continued.* 

An Ordinance Authorizing Amending Section 6.1 Of The July 6, 2000 Agreement Regarding Water Treatment Plant Design, Construction, Operator And Property Ownership To Provide City Of Wilsonville Managing Agent For Willamette River Water Treatment Plant Regardless Of Capacity Use. (staff – Kohlhoff)

Motion: Councilor Lehan moved to continue Ordinance Nos. 801 and 802 to the first meeting in

January. The motion was seconded by Councilor Fitzgerald.

**Vote:** Motion carried 5-0.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

A. Adoption of a City Logo.

A discussion was held during work session that led to consensus and there is an interest of the Council to memorialize the consensus.

**Motion:** Councilor Starr moved that the City adopt a new logo which would be #2, second on the

list of logos that we have, the "W" with the hands and flower created by Jenny Hill who is a Wilsonville resident and direct staff to finalize the design and get the color schemes as final part of the process. The motion was seconded by Councilor Fitzgerald.

**Vote:** Motion carried 5-0

#### **CONTINUING BUSINESS**

Ms. Jacobson read the title of Ordinance No. 776 into the record for second reading noting the record had been left open in the event the city of Hillsboro or TVWD wanted to submit testimony. Neither agency submitted comments or testimony.

A. Ordinance No. 776 – 2nd reading Note the record was left open on this matter.

An Ordinance of the City of Wilsonville Amending Wilsonville Code Chapter 3, Right-of-way and public easement management section, by amending section 3.410 and section 3.420 (staff – Kohlhoff)

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Motion:	Councilor Starr moved to close the public record on Ordinance No. 776. Councilor Lehan seconded the motion.		
<u>Vote</u> :	Motion carried 5-0		
Motion:	Councilor Lehan moved to adopt Ordinance No. 776 on second reading. Councilor Stevens seconded the motion.		
Vote:	Motion carried 5-0. Councilor Fitzgerald - Yes Councilor Stevens - Yes Councilor Lehan - Yes Councilor Starr - Yes Mayor Knapp - Yes		
CITY MANA	AGER'S BUSINESS		
Goal Setting da	e asked Councilors to bring their calendars to the January 5 <sup>th</sup> meeting to so dates. He advised he was considering a different format from previous yowing for goal setting and training.		
The City Manag	nager recognized the Public Works staff for their great work during the pas	st snow storm.	
LEGAL BUSI	SINESS		
No report was g	s given.		
ADJOURN			
Mayor Knapp a	p adjourned the meeting at 10:55 p.m.		
	Respectfully submitted,		
	Sandra C. King, MMC, City Recorder		
ATTEST:			

Tim Knapp, Mayor