



CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES

"The Pass of the Oaks"

CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

City Council Niblick Corridor Study Session

Thursday, February 6, 2020 at 6:00PM

Location: Library/Conference Center Council Chamber

1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles

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6:10 PM – CALLED TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers Maria Garcia, Steve Gregory, John Hamon, Fred Strong, and Mayor Steve Martin

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS. None

WORKSHOP

1. [City Council Niblick Road Corridor Plan Study Session](#)

W. Frace, Community Development Director
D. Athey, City Engineer

The Niblick Road Corridor Plan study session is an opportunity for the public to review three Niblick Road Corridor Plan options and provide input to help City Council and staff to further refine the alternatives. Attendees will be presented with the three corridor options and components, receive a summary of the recent online survey results, and help City Council prioritize the proposed corridor improvements.

Public input is encouraged; there will be opportunities for participation at the meeting.

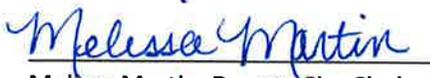
PUBLIC COMMENT. Andy Pekema, Gus Navarro, Larry Werner, Jan Albin, Mary Westmoreland, Linda Becker and Carson Landreth.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Motioned by Steve Gregory, seconded by Councilmember Strong, and approved unanimously, for staff to proceed with development of the full Niblick Road Corridor Plan, with the following direction:

- Stay true to the corridor plan goals;
- Develop the best design, uncompromised by potential grant requirements;
- Develop the project that appropriately balances the need to maximize safety and throughput, while minimizing construction and maintenance costs;
- Develop and return with: accident data (both numbers and types), bicycle and pedestrian usage data (both now and projected), and refined costs of the various alternatives;
- Focus on Alternative C, featuring a 10' mixed ped/bike path on the north side, with the following modifications: incorporate the public input; come back with phasing options; postpone Sherwood section to a later phase, since that was just upgraded; and reduce the enhancements (e.g., median landscaping) to reduce costs;
- If grants are not available, default to a modified Alternative A.

ADJOURNMENT of the February 7, 2020 City Council Niblick Corridor Study Session at 8:11 PM. Motioned by Steve Gregory, seconded by John Hamon and passed unanimously by voice to adjourn to the February 12, 2020 City Council Advisory Body Interview Meeting.

Submitted by:



Melissa Martin, Deputy City Clerk

Approved: March 3, 2020