

MEETING MINUTES

June 29, 2023

Project# 23021.048

Project Name: Florence Transportation System Plan Update

Meeting Location: Florence Event Center

Subject: Stakeholder Transportation Advisory Committee (STAC) Meeting #4

The purpose of STAC Meeting #4 was to provide an update on the project and discuss the Draft Transportation System Plan (TSP) update and Implementing Ordinances. The meeting included a presentation by the project team, discussion on the Draft TSP Update and Implementing Ordinances, and a general discussion on transportation-related issues within the City.

Outstanding Issues:

1. OR 126/Quince Street configuration
2. Rhody Drive multi-use path – 9th Street to Wild Winds Street
3. Estuary Trail Alignment
4. Cross Sections and street design standards
5. Kingwood Street – 20th Street to 35th Street
6. Quince Street – Maple Street to OR 126

Draft TSP Update

1. Roadway Element
 - a. Functional Classification
 - i. Update 35th Street from Rhody Drive to US 101 to a minor arterial.
 - ii. The functional classification map should show all future streets with their classifications.
 - b. Street Connections
 - i. The Spruce Street and 8th Street extension projects are needed to take pressure off OR 126/Quince Street.
 - ii. The improvement may not be needed if OR 126/Quince Street is reconfigured.
 - c. Streetscape Improvements
 - i. Bay Street – provide further clarification on the scope of work – consider the need for garbage, delivery, and transit service as well as parking issues – consider parking of less than 3-hours.
 - d. Intersection Improvements

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2. Conduit is cheap and the upfront cost will benefit developers down the road.