

S Dobson Street Pedestrian and Emergency Vehicle Evaluation

City Council

August 5, 2024



Background

Staff has received several citizen concerns

- Pedestrian safety
- Off-street parking

Mayor Pro Tem McClendon requested an evaluation of the surrounding and provide recommendations

Existing Conditions

Saturday, October 19, 2019



S. Dobson is a minor collector connecting E. Renfro Street and Hidden Creek Parkway

Pavement width

- 40 feet - From E Renfro Street to E. Miller Street
- 30 feet - E Miller to just south of S. Dobson Street bridge
- Reduces to less than 30 feet south of Town Creek to Hidden Creek Parkway

Parallel parking on both sides from E Ellison Street to E. Miller Street

- Utilized for drop off and pick up for Nola Dunn Elementary School
- Members of Open Door Church utilize during church services

Scope

Study area

- North – E. Ellison Street
- South – Town Creek
- West – S. Commerce Street
- East – S. Scott Street

Evaluate and provide recommendations for the following –

- Pedestrian safety
- Off street parking

Evaluation will include identifying potential additional parking opportunities



Study will begin after school is back in session

Project Timeline



Action Requested

Approve professional services agreement with Kimley-Horn and Associates in the amount of \$21,000.00

Questions

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