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MEMORANDUM

Date: April 9, 2024

To: Travis Johnson, PE

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Subject: Westbound Left Turn Lane FL2429

NE 13th Street Site Plan Development (Gas Station)

Camas

In September 2023 Charbonneau Engineering completed a traffic study for the NE 13th Street Site Plan project for a new gas station in Camas. The site location at address #20101 NE 13th Street will have a single access on NE 13th Street.

Originally the analysis found that a separate westbound left turn lane was not warranted for inbound traffic and no recommendation to build the turn lane was made in the traffic report.

At the current time the City is now requiring that a westbound left turn lane be constructed in conjunction with the proposed development. Although initially not warranted the turn lane will provide a safety benefit for vehicles turning into the gas station and westbound flow on NE 13th Street.

Therefore we support the City's recommendation to include the construction of a westbound left turn lane at the site access with NE 13th Street as shown on the attached PLS Engineering site plan.

If you should have any questions, please contact Frank Charbonneau, PE, PTOE at 971.322.8003 or email Frank@CharbonneauEngineer.com.



