
**CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS
TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
AGENDA**

**MONDAY, JULY 26, 2021
3:30-5:00 PM—VIA ZOOM CONFERENCE**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Chairman – Travis Crow - **Present**

City Council Rep.—VACANT

Barrett Criswell – **not present**

Sharon Hamilton - **Present**

Jim Martin—Non-Voting Member - **Present**

Aaron Reed, Public Works Coordinator – **Not present**

VACANT—Planning & Zoning Commission Member

John Pettit - **Present**

Ben Sorrell – Non-Voting Member – **Not present**

Chad Gilpin, P.E., City Engineer - **Present**

INVITED GUESTS:

Hays Co. - Precinct 4 Comm. Walt Smith, County Engineer Jerry Borcharding, P.E., Adam Leach, EIT

DSISD – Pam Swanks

TxDOT, Austin District, So. Area Office – William Semora, Jr. P.E., Michelle Romage-Chambers, P.E., Reed Smith, P.E.

CAMPO – Doise Miers

HDR (City Traffic Engineering Consultant) – Rashed Islam, P.E., Leslie Pollack, P.E., Isabella Albino

AGENDA start 3:36pm

1. Appointment of Vice Chair
 - To be tabled until next meeting to have a full quorum in order to solidify the decision
2. TXDOT
 - Project Updates
 - a. Highway 290 Study Update
 - b. RR 12 Expansion Project
 1. To be stripping soon

- New/Other Project(s) Update
3. Hays County
- Project Updates
 - a. Hays County Transportation Plan Update
 1. Commissioner Smith, arrived 3:44pm
 2. Rebid the Martin Rd project and that intersection construction should be starting back up
 3. 2016 Road bond projects
 4. Last round of CAMPO funds for the 35 corridor, we were not on that fund. But it is to be readded in the end of the year and we can rebid for fiscal
 5. Engineering is moving in on 1826 and Darden Hill, 60% on that roundabout done
 - a. Starting right of way acquisition from 1826
 6. Sky Ridge does not have an acceleration/deceleration lane, TxDOT claims there's no need for one
 7. Sunset Canyon and Headwaters traffic complaints
 - New/Other Projects(s) Update
4. DEVELOPER PRESENTATIONS
- Anarene Development (Double L Ranch)—Proposed Transportation Improvements
 - a. No representatives
 - b. Need to clarify on any Right of Way
5. HDR (Traffic Engineering Consultant)
- Update on Draft Transportation Master Plan
 - a. Draft has went through commissioner's court on the 13th
 1. Likely not approved on the commissioner's court
 - b. She will look into the connections from point a to point b and into alignments
 - Status of Traffic Impact Analysis Reviews/Task Orders:
 - a. Heritage Project

1. We have put in a budget design for that connection
2. Laura and Greenburg have been in exchange
3. We need an additional right of way for drainage in the northern section from Coach Zimmerman

b. Cannon—Ashton Woods Project

1. TIA documents were sent 3 weeks ago

c. Anarene/Double L Project

1. We and TxDOT reviewed. They are going to resubmit a full TIA for the entire development so it will take a while.
2. Phase 1 talks were about right of way and negotiations with the County
 - a. Specifics are to be followed up later

d. Wild Ridge (Cynosure Ranch) Project

1. Planning commission next week. Outstanding comments on the TIA
2. East, west connectivity 2 lane vs 4 lane
 - a. City will help with the expansion into a 4-lane road

e. New Growth TIA

1. TIA submitted a few weeks ago and about to be reviewed this week. On the south side of Roger Hanks Parkway
2. This development based on density of about 300 will stress Creek rd.

f. Bunker Ranch

1. Placed over threshold for TIA necessity
2. TXDOT issues given proximity to Arrowhead and a traffic light at Arrowhead
 - a. Arrowhead roads are private, cannot pursue connectivity to Bunker Ranch because of private roads. So connectivity issues
 - b. Arrowhead C-Store TIA will cause a traffic light

6. New Business

7. Public comments

- Citizen named Mike attending to hear about 150

8. Adjourn

- Jim motions to adjourn, Sharon seconds
- Meeting adjourned at 4:45pm