



# MEMO TO TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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## Agenda Topic on the Transportation Commission Agenda

**From:** Hether Hill

**Meeting Date:** August 4, 2025

**Topic:** Staff Communications

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Below are summaries of relevant correspondences received by City Staff since the last TC meeting.

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### CORRESPONDENCE #1: SEE EXHIBIT A

Bette,

Thank you for sharing the information. I'm including our planning staff who are actively working on this issue as part of their planning efforts for they yea. One of the main components to their efforts is to define a transporation solution to this area for long-term planning. As your document also includes some immediate recommendations that our Transportation Commission could evaluate in the mid-term, you may hear from Hether about a sepearte conversation focused on that issue.

Respectfully,  
Robert Simison  
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**From:** Bette Monteith <[bette06@hotmail.com](mailto:bette06@hotmail.com)>

**Sent:** Friday, June 13, 2025 12:19:13 PM

**To:** Robert Simison <[rsimison@meridiancity.org](mailto:rsimison@meridiancity.org)>; Brian Whitlock <[bwhitlock@meridiancity.org](mailto:bwhitlock@meridiancity.org)>; Liz Strader <[lstrader@meridiancity.org](mailto:lstrader@meridiancity.org)>; Doug Taylor <[dtaylor@meridiancity.org](mailto:dtaylor@meridiancity.org)>; John Overton <[joverton@meridiancity.org](mailto:joverton@meridiancity.org)>; Anne Little Roberts <[alittleroberts@meridiancity.org](mailto:alittleroberts@meridiancity.org)>; Luke Cavener <[lcavener@meridiancity.org](mailto:lcavener@meridiancity.org)>

**Cc:** [tregbernt@gmail.com](mailto:tregbernt@gmail.com) <[tregbernt@gmail.com](mailto:tregbernt@gmail.com)>

**Subject:** Woodbridge Subdivision Traffic Concerns

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Following our attendance at the City Council meeting on May 6, 2025, we were pleased to receive the support of the City of Meridian regarding the ongoing traffic issues affecting the Woodbridge Subdivision and the continued growth surrounding our neighborhood.

For your consideration in any upcoming meetings or discussions with ACHD, we've attached a summary highlighting the actions taken over the past 25 years, as well as a snapshot of the development activity currently impacting our subdivision.

We appreciate your willingness to share this information in your dialogue with ACHD and, once again, thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

**Woodbridge Subdivision (aka Snorting Bull)**

**CORRESPONDENCE #2:****From:** Hether Hill**Sent:** Friday, July 25, 2025 4:30 PM**To:** David Wright <cordoba8587@gmail.com>**Subject:** RE: Pine between Black Cat and 10 Mile

Hi David,

Thank you for reaching out. Yes, I am aware of citizen concerns on Pine, between Black Cat and Ten Mile, and have shared these with ACHD and Meridian Police. I will share your concerns with the Meridian Transportation Commission during their next meeting on August 4<sup>th</sup> to facilitate further conversations. These meetings consist of ex-officio members from ACHD, Police and West Ada School District (WASD), as well as several other partner agencies.

So you are aware, between May and June, the Meridian Police Department was informed and received a couple of complaints related to speed on this section of Pine. As a result, they placed speed/radar signs, and have been working the area for speed enforcement. The Police Department is also in communication with ACHD about the possibility of additional posted speed limit signs. I will follow up with them and see what progress has been made or what updates they can share and will be in touch.

Thank you,

**Hether Hill | Long-Range Associate Coordination Planner**

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Hi Heather,

I was told that maybe you were aware of the situation on Pine between Black Cat Rd and 10 Mile and might be able to help. Our house backs up to Pine and we have lived here for 18 years. A lot of people like to use this section of Pine like a drag strip. Many cars, trucks, and motorcycles fly down the road making a lot of noise and creating a danger for the public because of their excessive speed. I asked about speed bumps at one time but was told it wasn't feasible because of the speed limit on Pine. Something needs to be done. It's just ridiculous how fast some people drive down this road. I've seen people in the past driving back and forth going as fast as they can-probably around 80 mph. I'm surprised somebody hasn't gotten killed or seriously hurt yet. Probably just a matter of time. Hopefully the city is looking into options to make this safer.

Thank you.

David Wright

**CORRESPONDENCE #3:**

-----Original Message-----

From: Caleb Hood <chood@meridiancity.org>

Sent: Friday, July 25, 2025 3:30 PM

To: Dave Miles <dmiles@meridiancity.org>; Lori Landucci <lorilanducci@icloud.com>; Communications <Communications@meridiancity.org>

Cc: Hether Hill <hhill@meridiancity.org>; Brian McClure <bmcclure@meridiancity.org>; Josha Iverson <jiverson@meridiancity.org>; John Wasson <jwasson@achdidaho.org>; Kelly Bruner <kbruner@achdidaho.org>

Subject: RE: Speed bumps

Hi Lori! My name is Caleb Hood and I'd like to get you in contact with ACHD Staff. They are going to be most helpful in evaluating the situation and making recommendations. I'm including two of our key ACHD staff we work with on a regular basis on these types of requests: Kelly Bruner and John Wasson on this email. I'm sure ACHD will need some more information from you to proceed. In fact, if you want some more background on what ACHD's process looks like here is their webpage: <https://www.achdidaho.org/projects/propose-a-project/traffic-calming>

Would you mind sharing your phone number, Lori? John/Kelly would one of you please connect with Lori? Let's connect in the near future and determine next steps, particularly if this needs to be an agenda item for the Transportation Commission please.

Thanks all!

Caleb

-----Original Message-----

From: Dave Miles <dmiles@meridiancity.org>

Sent: Thursday, July 24, 2025 7:55 AM

To: Lori Landucci <lorilanducci@icloud.com>; Communications <Communications@meridiancity.org>

Cc: Hether Hill <hhill@meridiancity.org>; Brian McClure <bmcclure@meridiancity.org>; Caleb Hood <chood@meridiancity.org>; Josha Iverson <jiverson@meridiancity.org>

Subject: RE: Speed bumps

Hi Lori - I am happy to have our planning staff that engage in road and transportation issue reach out to you and discuss your concerns and help navigate a process to evaluate risks, needs and impacts. I have copied Caleb Hood and his team as they work directly with the Transportation Commission, and the Ada County Highway District (who manage the road operations). Caleb and team can help discuss your thoughts and ideas and what may be feasible and how to go about that.

Sincerely,

Dave Miles | Chief of Staff

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-----Original Message-----

From: Lori Landucci <lorilanducci@icloud.com>  
Sent: Wednesday, July 23, 2025 7:50 PM  
To: Communications <Communications@meridiancity.org>  
Subject: Speed bumps

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Sent from my iPhone I live in meridian in the spurwing greens off of tree farm! There is a lot of cars that speed on this road to make the light! I've almost been hit a few times. Kids cross and so do sucks and geese.. I'm afraid someone will be hurt or killed by the cars driving so fast! Can we get signs to say slow down or speed bumps or something. This is scary and dangerous. Thank you for your time! Sincerely Lori landucci