

MEMO TO TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Agenda Topic on the Transportation Commission Agenda

From: Miranda Carson, Coordination Planner Meeting Date: October 4, 2021

Presenter: Girl Scout Troop 401 of Meridian **Estimated Time:** 15 minutes

Topic: McMillan, Ten Mile to Linder Concern - Girl Scout Troop 401

On August 9th, 2021 the Mayor's office received the below correspondence from Girl Scout Troop 401 of Meridian. Troop representatives will present their concern to the October Transportation Commission meeting and solicit feedback.

Dear Mr. Mayor Simison,

We are Girl Scout Troop 401 of Meridian. We are from going into 1st grade to going into 4th grade and we have fourteen girls in our troop. We meet at River Valley Elementary School in Meridian.

We have noticed a dangerous area of road between Ten Mile and Linder roads connecting the neighborhoods of Kelly Creek (N. Goddard Creek Wy.) and Bridgetower (N. Palatine Way). It is very difficult to find a safe place to cross on a bicycle here. We wonder if this problem could be solved by adding a crosswalk (across McMillan) and paving a section of sidewalk on the north side of the road where there is currently gravel.

We would love your help on this project this winter so that we could start bike riding more safely from neighborhood to neighborhood in the spring.

Our troop would like to help you with this problem if we can. We could help by raising money or any other ways you think would be helpful.

Thank you for taking time to read about our problem. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Troop 401