

CITY OF TUALATIN Staff Report

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

THROUGH: Sherilyn Lombos, City Manager

FROM: Mike McCarthy, Principal Transportation Engineer

Jeff Fuchs, Public Works Director

DATE: May 10, 2021

SUBJECT:

Consideration of Resolution Number <u>5542-21</u> Authorizing New Stop Sign Installations on SW 95th Avenue at SW Sagert Street

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends Council adopt the attached resolution.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The Tualatin Moving Forward Program Team is designing a project to improve safety and access in the area around Tualatin Elementary School. In listening to the community the two concerns we heard most were pedestrian safety and speeding, and one of the specific concerns heard most was concern for the safety of children walking along Sagert Street and crossing 95th Avenue at Sagert Street to get to school.

Approval of Resolution <u>5542-21</u> would allow installation of all-way-stop traffic control at the 95th Ave / Sagert Street intersection by adding stop signs on 95th Avenue to the existing stop sign on Sagert Street. This all-way-stop traffic control would make it safer for the dozens of children who cross 95th Ave at Sagert every school day. This location meets federal standard criteria for an all-way-stop to control vehicle/pedestrian conflicts near locations that generate high pedestrian volumes and as an intersection of two neighborhood collector streets where an all-way-stop would improve operational and safety characteristics.

OUTCOMES OF DECISION:

Approval of attached Resolution <u>5542-21</u> would authorize new stop signs on SW 95th Ave at SW Sagert St

ALTERNATIVES TO RECOMMENDATION:

Council could decide not to authorize the new stop signs on SW 95th Ave at SW Sagert St. If this is the case, staff would look for other ways to address the citizen concerns heard as part of the project.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

The costs to install the new stop signs are budgeted as part of the Tualatin Moving Forward project fund.

ATTACHMENTS:
- Resolution 5542-21 for All-Way-Stop Control at the SW 95th Ave / SW Sagert St Intersection