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Meeting Agenda Mobility Committee

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

10:00 AM

Council Work Session Room

After determining that a quorum is present, the Mobility Committee of the City of Denton, Texas will convene in a Regular Meeting on Wednesday, June 25, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Work Session Room at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas at which the following items will be considered:

1. CITIZEN COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS

This section of the agenda allows citizens to speak on any individual consideration item on the agenda. Individuals are only able to comment one time per agenda item. Each speaker will be given a total of three (3) minutes per agenda item. A Request to Speak Card must be completed and returned to the Staff Liaison before the Committee considers the item.

2. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

A. MC25-026 Consider approval of the minutes of May 28, 2025.

Attachments: Exhibit 1 - Minutes

B. MC25-028 Staff Memorandum

Economic Benefits on Bollards Growing the Bike Bus Program

Hickory Creek Crossing Gate Evaluation Nette Schultz Elementary School Intersection

U.S. 380 Pedestrian Signal Position

Revising Standard for Collector and Arterial Roads

<u>Attachments:</u> Exhibit 1 - Staff Memorandum

C. MC25-029 Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff direction regarding future meeting

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<u>Attachments:</u> Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2 - Future Items Matrix

3. CONCLUDING ITEMS

A. Under Section 551.042 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, respond to inquiries from the Mobility Committee or the public with specific factual information or recitation of policy, or accept a proposal to place the matter on the agenda for an upcoming meeting AND Under Section 551.0415 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, provide reports about items of community interest regarding which no action will be taken, to include: expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; information regarding holiday schedules; an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen; a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body; information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the governing body that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the governing body or an official or employee of the municipality; or an announcement involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality that has arisen after the posting of the agenda.

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AGENDA CAPTION

Consider approval of the minutes of May 28, 2025.



City of Denton MINUTES MOBILITY COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE DENTON CITY COUNCIL

City Hall 215 E. McKinney Street Denton, Texas www.cityofdenton.com

Wednesday, May 28, 2025

10:00 AM

City Council Chambers

After determining that a quorum was present, the Mobility Committee of the City of Denton, Texas convened in a Regular Meeting on Wednesday, May 28, 2025, at 10:00 AM in the City Council Work Session Room, 215 E. McKinney St., Denton, Texas.

Committee Members: Chair, Council Member Byrd, Council Member Holland, Lauren Penn, and

Suzanne Rumohr participated in the meeting. Vice-Chair, Council Member

Beck arrived at 10:08 am.

REGULAR MEETING

1. Public Comment Section

No citizens requested to speak.

2. Individual Consideration

A. MC25-021 Consider approval of the minutes of April 30, 2025.

Council Member Holland motioned to approve the minutes as presented; seconded by Suzanne Rumohr; motion carried.

Ayes: (4) Chair, Council Member Byrd, Council Member Holland, Lauren Penn, and Suzanne

Rumohr. Nays: (0)

Absent: (1) Vice-Chair, Council Member Beck

Chair, Council Member Byrd then moved on to item D. MC25-024 Staff Memorandum.

B. MC25-022 Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding the Bollard Evaluation.

The item was called by Chair, Council Member Byrd. Dr. Farhan Butt, commenced the presentation. Chair, Council Member Byrd sought to pause this presentation and take up item D. MC25-024 out of order. Upon polling of the Committee, it was agreed to take up item D. MC25-024.

C. MC25-023 Receive a report, hold a discussion and give staff direction regarding moving forward with a two-minute pitch to investigate the cost of returning East Hickory Street to traditional right-side head-in parking.

This item was taken out of order.

D. MC25-024 Staff Memorandum

- 1. Construction Project Information at Shady Oaks
- 2. U.S. 380 Sidepath and Pedestrian Impact
- 3. Quarterly Construction and TRiP Report
- 4. Allowed Use of TRiP Funds

- 5. Increasing Wrapped Equipment Box Locations
- 6. Understanding Stroads
- 7. Walking Audits
- 8. Upcoming Transportation Services Agenda Items
- 9. Upcoming Public Meetings

No direction was provided as the item was for informational purposes only.

At this time, Chair, Council Member Byrd went back to items B. MC 25-022 and C. MC 25-023.

B. MC25-022 Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding the Bollard Evaluation.

Dr. Farhan Butt shared updates regarding the Bollard Evaluation, and discussion followed. No direction was provided as the item was for informational purposes only.

C. MC25-023 Receive a report, hold a discussion and give staff direction regarding moving forward with a two-minute pitch to investigate the cost of returning East Hickory Street to traditional right-side head-in parking.

Council Member Holland motioned to recommend the pitch move forward to City Council as a Work Session Presentation. Seconded by Chair, Council Member Byrd. Motion carried.

Ayes: (3) Chair, Council Member Byrd, Council Member Holland, and Lauren Penn.

Nays: (2) Vice-Chair, Council Member Beck, and Suzanne Rumohr

E. MC25-025 Receive a report, hold a discussion and give staff direction regarding future meeting topics.

Vice-Chair, Council Member Beck motioned to approve the Future Items Matrix. Seconded by Suzanne Rumohr. Motion carried.

Ayes: (5) Chair, Council Member Byrd, Vice-Chair, Council Member Beck, Council Member Holland, Lauren Penn, and Suzanne Rumohr.

Nays: (0)

CONCLUDING ITEMS

Future Items to Bring Forward:

- 1. Citywide Parking Study
- 2. Growing the Bike Bus Programs
- 3. Hickory Creek Crossing Gate Evaluation
- 4. Revising Standards for Collector and Arterial Roads
- 5. Sidepath Work Plan Update
- 6. Understanding Stroads
- 7. Bike Funds Project Criteria
- 8. City of Denton Bus Recommendations
- 9. Corridor Data for Proposed and Prioritized Projects
- 10. US. 380 Pedestrian Signal Position
- 11. Nette Schultz Elementary School Intersection
- 12. Guidelines for Crosswalk Stop and Yield Signs
- 13. Economic Benefits of Bollards
- 14. Stroad Evaluation and Pilot Program
- 15. Sponsorships with Local Businesses

- 16. Streamlining the Implementation of Safety Recommendations
- 17. Quarterly Construction and TRiP Report
- 18. Quarterly Transportation/Mobility Project Status Report
- 19. Quarterly Transportation Services Report
- 20. Annual Total Lane Miles

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Adjournment: 11:46 AM		
APPROVED		
Council Member Byrd Chair	Jazmyn Robles Management Analyst	
Approved on:		

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AGENDA CAPTION

Staff Memorandum

Economic Benefits on Bollards Growing the Bike Bus Program Hickory Creek Crossing Gate Evaluation Nette Schultz Elementary School Intersection U.S. 380 Pedestrian Signal Position Revising Standard for Collector and Arterial Roads



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MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 25, 2025

TO: Mobility Committee

FROM: Cassey Ogden, Deputy City Manager

SUBJECT: Committee Requested Project Updates

This memo provides information and updates from staff relating to updates to the Committee on items of interest discussed in past meetings. The following is a listing and brief staff response to the matters brought forward.

Economic Benefits on Bollards:

Implementing bollards in key locations throughout Denton can significantly enhance public safety and benefit local businesses. By preventing vehicle-related accidents, these protective measures create safer environments for pedestrians and cyclists, encouraging more visitors to local shops and events. Increased foot traffic can lead to higher sales and foster economic growth within the community. Furthermore, strategically placed bollards improve urban planning by clearly defining pedestrian and cycling zones, which can enhance property values and reduce maintenance costs. The aesthetically pleasing arrangement of bollards also contributes to a more attractive cityscape, helping to attract investment and new developments. Overall, effective bollard implementation drives long-term benefits for Denton.

Growing the Bike Bus Program:

During the April Mobility meeting, the committee requested Staff explore expanding the Bike Bus program currently at Newton Rayzor Elementary School. The Bike Bus program runs as a voluntary effort by the parents at the school. Staff will reach out to Alexander and Rivera Elementary School in the fall to explore potential interest for the Bike Bus program with the PTA at each school. Staff will facilitate and assist if necessary.

Hickory Creek Crossing Gate Evaluation:

During the January Mobility meeting, Committee Member Rumohr requested Staff explore a separate pedestrian crossing gates at the future US 377/Brush Creek/Hickory Creek Rail crossing intersection. Staff has discussed the possibility with the UPRR design consultant, and they will incorporate the exclusive pedestrian/bike gate configuration into the design at Brush Creek/US 377 intersection.

Nette Schultz Elementary School Intersection:

During the April Mobility meeting, Council Member Beck inquired about pedestrian safety at the Nette Schultz Elementary School intersections. Staff have plans to improve the markings, add no

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parking restrictions, and add additional signage to improve the pedestrian crossings along E Windsor Drive before the school starts in the fall. These improvements should provide better visibility for vehicles to see crossing pedestrians at the intersections to safely stop ahead.

U.S. 380 Pedestrian Signal Position:

During the April Mobility meeting, Committee Member Rumohr requested to explore the Malone Street pedestrian signal indication position at the intersection. Staff audited the US 380 at Malone intersection and will be able to adjust the pedestrian indication display before the start of the new school year.

Revising Standard for Collector and Arterial Roads:

Revising the roadway functional classification is essential for improving transportation efficiency and safety. An updated classification will define the purpose of each roadway. enabling city staff to prioritize enhancements and allocate resources effectively, thereby boosting connectivity for vehicles, pedestrians, and cyclists. The revision of functional classifications can address issues such as traffic congestion and accessibility, adapting classifications to reflect recent or projected development patterns, including new categories like Stroads for a more integrated urban approach. The Transportation Services Division (TSD) proactively seeks to amend road classifications in response to development changes, such as adding a major collector for the East Windsor connection and changing a segment of Eagle Drive from an Arterial type to Collector type. The upcoming Mobility Plan update presents an opportunity for TSD staff to make comprehensive revisions. Engaging community stakeholders and conducting thorough data analysis will help improve classifications based on local traffic and safety concerns. By adopting a participatory approach, the staff can refine the roadway classifications and promote a sustainable transportation network that meets the diverse needs of the residents. Staff will continue assessing updates to the roadway classifications as development patterns evolve in Denton.

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1 – Staff Memorandum

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Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff direction regarding future meeting topics.

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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Capital Projects

DCM: Cassey Ogden

DATE: June 25, 2025

SUBJECT

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BACKGROUND

The Future Items Matrix lists future meeting topics based on previous Committee discussion and direction.

DIRECTION

- Approval to Remove Previous Meeting Topics
- Guidance on New Future Meeting Topics

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1 – Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2 – Future Items Matrix

Respectfully submitted: Seth Garcia, PMP Director of Capital Projects

Future Items Matrix
Identified Items of Interest for Future Staff Report Updates or Agenda Item Presentation

	Identified Items of Interest for Future Staff Report Updates or Agenda Item Presentation							
No.	DATE REQUESTED	ITEM	ITEM TYPE	STAFF COMMENTS	REQUEST TO REMOVE			
1	July 26, 2023	Citywide Parking Study	Presentation	Update will be provided when available.				
2	September 25, 2024	Growing the Bike Bus Programs	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on June 25, 2025.	Yes			
3	January 29, 2025	Hickory Creek Crossing Gate Evaluation	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on June 25, 2025.	Yes			
4	February 26, 2025	Revising Standards for Collector and Arterial Roads	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on June 25, 2025.	Yes			
5	February 26, 2025	Sidepath Work Plan Update	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				
6	February 26, 2025	Understanding Stroads	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on May 28, 2025.				
7	March 26, 2025	Bike Funds Project Criteria	Presentation	Update will be provided when available.				
8	March 26, 2025	City of Denton Bus Recommendations	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				
9	March 26, 2025	Corridor Data for Proposed and Prioritized Projects	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				
10	April 30, 2025	U.S. 380 Pedestrian Signal Position	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on June 25, 2025.	Yes			
11	April 30, 2025	Nette Schultz Elementary School Intersection	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on June 25, 2025.	Yes			
12	April 30, 2025	Guidelines for Crosswalk Stop and Yield Signs	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				
13	May 28, 2025	Economic Benefits of Bollards	Staff Memo	Update provided in the Staff Memo on June 25, 2025.	Yes			
14	May 28, 2025	Stroad Evaluation	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				
15	May 28, 2025	Potential Bollard Sponsorships with Local Businesses	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				
16	May 28, 2025	Streamlining the Implementation of Safety Recommendations	Staff Memo	Update will be provided when available.				

Reoccuring Meeting Items

No.	Reoccurence Frequency	ITEM	ITEM TYPE	LAST UPDATE
1	Quarterly	Construction and TRiP Report	Staff Memo	May 28, 2025
2	Quarterly	Transportation/Mobility Project Status Report	Presentation	April 30, 2025
3	Quarterly	Transportation Services Report	Staff Memo	March 26, 2025
4	Annual	Total Lane Miles	Presentation	Update for FY24 provided in the Staff Memo on March 26, 2025.