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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Development Services

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DATE: December 18, 2024

SUBJECT

Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding potential bollard uses, benefits, and options the City has for improved cycling and walking.

BACKGROUND

Members of the Mobility Committee have requested staff to provide an overview of bollards and their potential applications within the City of Denton.

Bollards, particularly the traditional candlestick style, serve as important vertical delineators—road fixtures that rise prominently above the pavement. Their primary function is to assist in the separation, guidance, and direction of road users, enhancing safety and flow organization. In this presentation, the term "bollard" will encompass all forms of vertical delineators used in our urban environment.

The City of Denton, like many communities across the nation, utilizes bollards due to their ability to enhance safety, both in real terms and in the perception of safety among users. One of the most significant applications of bollards in Denton is along our protected bikeways, where they create safe zones for cyclists while also managing and separating vehicle traffic. The City has yet to establish uniform standards for the implementation of bollards; currently, the design and placement are determined by the specific needs of each situation, allowing for a tailored approach to urban safety and mobility.

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1 – Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2 – Presentation

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