



City of Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 22.

**AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT
PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING OF: FEBRUARY 25, 2010**

DEPARTMENT: PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT
DIRECTOR: M. MARCO WHEELER

☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

SUBJECT: DIR-37289 - DIRECTOR'S BUSINESS - PUBLIC HEARING - Presentation by the Planning & Development Department regarding the Complete Street initiative.

NO ACTION REQUIRED

PROTESTS RECEIVED BEFORE:

Planning Commission Mtg.

City Council Meeting

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APPROVALS RECEIVED BEFORE:

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RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends APPROVAL.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Conditions (Not Applicable) and Staff Report
2. Resolution Adopting Complete Streets Policy
3. Submitted after Meeting - PowerPoint Presentation by Staff

Motion made by KEEN ELLSWORTH to Approve

Passed For: 7; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0

GLENN TROWBRIDGE, VICKI QUINN, BYRON GOYNES, RICHARD TRUESDELL, KEEN ELLSWORTH, STEVEN EVANS, GUS FLANGAS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)

Minutes:

CHAIR TRUESDELL declared the Public Hearing open.

JIM MARSHALL, Planning and Development, provided a brief PowerPoint Presentation on the Complete Street Initiative, and provided an update on the Resolution that will come before the City Council on March 17, 2010.

MR. MARSHALL stated that staff is integrating the Complete Street concept into the streets standards, walkability and community plans. This will be the mechanism staff will use to plan and provide recommendations for capital improvement projects. He stated that other cities have already adopted these policies and standards. Funding is available through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).

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TODD FARLOW, Las Vegas resident, stated that older neighborhoods have smaller streets and no sidewalks, which causes a safety issue for pedestrians.

CHAIR TRUESDELL remarked that, even though this item does not require an action, he would entertain a motion for support as this goes forward to the City Council. The Complete Streets initiative offers a wonderful opportunity to give staff further direction to provide an easier way to look at individual conditions and requirements.

CHAIR TRUESDELL declared the Public Hearing closed.

