



## Staff Report (Updated)

*June 3, 2019 Council Regular Meeting*

### Public Hearing for the Six Year Transportation Improvement Program

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**PURPOSE:** The Six Year Transportation Improvement Program, also known as the 6 Year Street Plan, is updated each year prior to commencement of the Washington State fiscal year of July 1 per the requirements of the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 35.77.010. This year's program is for calendar years 2020 through 2025. Projects that have obligated construction funding are pulled from the list each year.

**UPDATE:** Staff asked for Council's input on the list of projects at the May 20, 2019 workshop. Staff has amended the list with Council's recommended changes as stated below:

- New project added for a pedestrian path on NW 16<sup>th</sup>/Hood/18<sup>th</sup> – Priority 9
- Crown Road has been moved up the list from Priority 31 to Priority 12

An additional Council comment was made regarding inclusion of NW Lacamas Lane intersection safety improvements with the Lake Road – Prior 7 project. Staff suggests that the west terminus of the project includes the intersection safety improvements; therefore, no change is needed to this project.

A public comment was also provided at the workshop. A resident near Woodburn drive asked that the project to complete Woodburn Drive (now shown as Priority 32) be removed from the list, stating that children ride their bikes on this street. Staff would note that this roadway is classified as a collector and is currently in the latest adopted (2012) Transportation Impact Fee (TIF) Study Update. There are no residential driveways allowed on this street, as all homes front side streets. The City has been collecting TIF for this route as well as issuing TIF credits for development construction of this roadway. Since this route has been designed to be the roadway that collects and moves the neighborhood traffic, staff recommends that this project remain on the list.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends Council conduct the public hearing, consider testimony, provide any desired changes to staff and direct the City Attorney to prepare a resolution for the June 17, 2019 Council meeting.