



Meeting Summary and Action Items

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Subject: 620/2222 Corridor Review

OVERVIEW:

- (1) The current CAMPO 2035 Plan does not provide any “big fix” improvements for 620.
- (2) The current plan is to improve the functionality and efficiency of current infrastructure through the use of a consulting study of every intersection on 620 from Hwy 71 to Hwy 183.
- (3) Given this lack of a “big fix,” the parties are interested in smaller ways to cost-effectively improve safety and mobility in the corridor.

CURRENT PROJECTS:

- (1) **620/2222** – Double right turn from 620 onto 2222; will increase storage distance to 1,200 feet and allow for 50 vehicles to queue vs. 10 vehicles currently. Also, additional striping on Bullick Hollow to improve efficiency of the intersection. (*Project to be let in December 2012; fully funded*)
- (2) **2222/McNeil** – Double left from 2222 onto McNeil (*Project scheduled for letting in April 2014; funding identified, but required ROW acquisition from 3M*)

ACTION ITEMS:

- (1) **City of Austin** to study and look to improve traffic signal at 2222 and River Place given current “cut through” traffic on River Place from 620 onto 2222, which currently significantly backs up 2222.
- (2) **Travis County** to study and prepare conceptual engineering drawings for variations of the Comanche Trail Extension connecting to the existing Steiner Ranch Boulevard.

- (3) **TxDOT** to consider plans to use current shoulder on 620 between Steiner Ranch Road and 2222 (or at least farther back on 620 from 2222 that the current double right turn project contemplates) as another lane of vehicular traffic. To accommodate bicycle traffic, a new, smaller and shallower shoulder could be poured.
- (4) **TxDOT** to consider plans to add an acceleration lane onto 620 from Steiner Ranch Boulevard.
- (5) **TxDOT** to consider plans to add toll overpasses on 620 at Anderson Mill and 2222.
- (6) **TxDOT** to ask its “620 intersection consultant” to add a review of 2222/River Place to his scope of work.
- (7) **TxDOT** to revisit striping on 2222 approach West bound to 620 to see if double left dedicated queuing can be extended.
- (8) **TxDOT** to identify and secure planning money to conduct a corridor study, so that when funds become available with a short window, there are fully planned projects on the shelf that can be implemented.
- (9) **Steiner Ranch Neighborhood Association** to meet with Taylor Morrison re: moving Steiner Ranch Boulevard behind MU #15 and putting in a traffic light there, which is farther away from the existing light at Comanche Trail.