Community Advisory Committee Meeting
August 29, 2017
Meeting Topics

- Introductions
- Project Status Update
- Noise Study
- Design Concept Report – Comments
- *Contents* Environmental Assessment & Mitigation Report
  - Review of Multiple Areas/Sections
- Artist Update
- Upcoming Meetings
- Open Discussion
Project Status Update

- Project Assessment – Approved by ADOT
- Design Concept Report – CAC Review/Comment
- Plan Development – Final Design Plans (2nd of 4 steps)
- Environmental Assessment & Mitigation Report (EAMR) – Under Development
- Noise Study Update
- Other Items
Noise Study Update

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Presentation on Results of Noise Study
Design Concept Report -

- Comments
- Concerns
- Other Items
Contents of Environmental Assessment & Mitigation Report (EAMR)

Section 1.0 - Background
Section 2.0 - Project Purpose and Need
Section 3.0 - Project Setting
Section 4.0 - Proposed Project
Contents of Environmental Assessment & Mitigation Report (EAMR)

Section 5.0 – Environmental Screening
Section 6.0 – EAMR Technical Sections
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### Draft Environmental Assessment & Mitigation Report (EAMR)

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Environmental Screening (Section 5.0)

- Multiple areas of review to identify and consider project activities, regulatory permitting issues/requirements, and other issues/needs associated with the project impacting the environment.

- Findings of these reports and analyses conducted during the environmental screening process are included in the EAMR, as appropriate.

- Each Environmental aspect details existing conditions, potential impacts, mitigation measures and permits necessary for project construction are noted.
Biological (Section 6.1.1)


- General review of existing conditions and potential impacts from project.

- Evaluation of various mitigation measures to be included with project.
Drainage & Clean Water Act (Section 6.1.2)

- A review of area drainage and permitting requirements, included Section 401, 402 and 404 requirements.

- Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination – USACOE Issue

- Evaluation of various mitigation strategies to minimize impact on stream courses.
Floodplain (Section 6.1.3)

- Evaluate potential impacts to floodplains as defined by FEMA and the PCRFCD.

- Project area is also subject to requirements of the PCRFCD floodplain and riparian ordinances.

- Evaluation of various mitigation strategies to minimize impact on floodplains and riparian areas.
Air Quality (Section 6.1.4)

- Evaluates potential impacts related to criteria pollutants as established by the EPA for National Ambient Air Quality Standards

- Project is included in the PAG Transportation Improvements Project List and is in Regional Air Quality Conformity.

- Evaluation of various mitigation strategies to minimize and control dust during project efforts.
Noise (Section 6.1.5)

- Analysis of, and mitigation for, project-related noise impacts are guided by
  - ADOT 2017 Noise Abatement Requirements
    - 66 dBA or greater for residential
    - 71 dBA for commercial
    - An increase of 15 dBA or more from existing
Utilities (Section 6.1.6)

- Identified utilities present in the project area and potential impacts to those utilities.

- Some of the utilities existing along the corridor will require relocation to accommodate project.

- Identified various mitigation strategies to inform customers and minimize utility service interruptions.
Hazardous Materials (Section 6.1.7)

- Evaluates the project impacts relative to potential hazardous materials in the project area.

- A Preliminary Initial Site Assessment (PISA) to review Federal and State hazardous materials databases and included a field survey.

- Identified various mitigation strategies should hazardous materials be encountered during the construction of the project.
Construction (Section 6.1.8)

- Evaluates potential impacts that may result from activities related to project construction, including traffic control, dust control, and construction noise.

- Identified mitigation strategies to be followed, including development of appropriate traffic control plans to maintain access, potential project sequencing, and requirements/control measures for noise and dust issues that will accompany the project construction efforts.
Historic/Cultural Resources (Section 6.1.9)

- Assessment of historic and cultural resources that could be impacted by the project, including Class I (records review) and Class III (pedestrian survey) assessment.

- A Cultural Report was prepared which reflected findings of the assessment.

- Identified mitigation strategies to be followed should cultural resources be encountered during construction of the project.
Visual Resources (Section 6.1.10)

- Assessment of the viewsheds in the project vicinity and an analysis of impacts to viewers and viewsheds.

- The existing conditions and analysis will be documented in the Visual Assessment Report.

- Identified potential impacts and mitigation strategies to be incorporated into the project design.
Neighborhood Impacts (Section 6.1.11)

- Assessments of impacts to the built environment, including neighborhoods, commercial property, and social services, and consistency with local jurisdiction planning.

- Identified mitigation strategies to be followed to minimize impacts on neighborhoods and acquisition of any additional right of way for project construction.
Agency Coordination (Section 7.0)

- Identification of Federal, State and Local Agencies to coordinate with during planning, design, and construction of project, along with current and future efforts associated with each entity.
  - Federal
    - COE, USFWS, FEMA
  - State
    - ADOT, ADEQ, AGFD, ADA, SHPO
  - Local
    - PCRFCD, PCOSC, PCDEQ, RTA
Public Participation (Section 8.0)

- Discussion of the background associated with the Public Participation efforts of the project

- Review of the meetings held to date and topics reviewed/discussed during those sessions.

- Discussion of planned meetings to occur in the future, along with the topics to be reviewed/discussed.
Art Selection Update

- Coordinated by Arts Foundation
- Artist Selected - Robin Riley
Upcoming Meetings

- October – CAC Meeting/EAMR Review

- November – CAC & Public Open House – (6:30 – 7:30 PM)
Kolb Road - Sabino Canyon to Sunrise Drive

Project Cost: 16,027,000
Project Status: Under Design
Completion Date: Design fall 2018/Construction spring 2019
Engineer/Contractor: PSOMAS/TBD

The Pima County Department of Transportation is currently in the planning stage of the reconstruction and widening approximately 1.9 miles of Kolb Road from an existing 2-lane roadway to a 3-lane roadway with multi-use lanes, bike lanes, drainage, landscaping, neighborhood screening and noise mitigation in accordance with the results of a traffic study. The median treatment will be a two-way left turn lane. This project is part of the 1997 Bond- DOT 32.
Open Discussion

- Questions
- Other Concerns
- Next Steps