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**ACHD ADA Advisory Group
Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, March 10th, 2026, 11:00A.M. – 12:00P.M.**

Meeting Link

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Committee Attendance

Member	Committee Role	Meeting Attendance
Jeremy Maxand	Chair	
Danielle Reff	Vice Chair	
Cheryl Bloom	Secretary	
Laine Amoureux	Member	
Melanie Hertling	Member	
Erin Olsen	Member	
Miranda Carson	Member	
Alissa Taysom	Member	
Megan Zusne	Member	
Steven Snow	Member	
Patricia Nilsson	ACHD Commissioner	

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1. Action Items – a quorum of five (5) or more members are required for action items.

- a. November meeting minutes – Jeremy Maxand

2. Committee Advisement

- a. Hillcrest Elementary Safe Routes to School Concept Study – Bella Loera
- b. ACHD Traffic Control & Policy Update – Christy Little
- c. Proximity Actuated Audible Devices Roll-out Update – Sean Kelly

3. Committee Advisement (Old)

- a. Questions and Concerns to ACHD Staff – Sean Kelly

4. Upcoming Meetings

- a. April 6th, 2026 – All Advisory Committee Walk/Roll/Ride (Optional)
- b. May 12th, 2026 – ADA Advisory Committee Meeting

5. Adjournment

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ACHD CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
November 18, 2025
Minutes

Members present:

Jeremy Maxand	Sean Kelly	Commissioner Nilsson
Steven Snow	Tom Law	
Andrew - ASL interpreter	Tom Mercer	
Cheryl Bloom		
Alyssa Taysom		
Melanie Hertling		
Danielle Reff		
Erin Olson		
Karel Olsen		

Quorum is present.

1A: July and September meeting minutes. Karel made a motion to approve and DR seconded. Motion passes unanimously.

1B: vacancy on the committee. Karel Olsen is leaving. Today is her last meeting. 9 years on the committee. Thank you to Karel for all the time and commitment.

Nomination for Miranda Carson to fill the empty position. Erin Olson made the motion, Cheryl seconded. Motion passes unanimously. The nomination moves to the ACHD Board.

1C: Chairman, Vice Chairman and Secretary positions are open for nominations. Cheryl nominates Jeremy Maxand for chairman. Alyssa seconded. Motion carries.

Vice Chairman position — DR has nominated herself, Steven withdraws his name. Cheryl seconds DR nomination. Motion carries.

Secretary - Karel Olsen nominates Cheryl, Steven seconded. Motion carries.

New Slate goes to the Commissioners for approval.

1D: ADAC Calendar for approval. Every other month, Tuesday at 11am. Calendar will be included in the next agenda. Motion to approve by Cheryl, seconded by Commissioner Nilsson. Motion passes.

1E: APS updated push button list. The committee reviewed and approved an updated list of priority intersections for advanced pedestrian signals, which Sean explained had been reformatted to better reflect current projects and future plans. Karel noted the significant

progress made in identifying and improving these intersections since the initiative began.

2A: The committee also discussed the implementation of audible detour devices at two construction sites, with Sean planning to coordinate their installation and organize a field test in the spring. Motion to approve this draft list and send it to Sean to move forward - made by Karel and seconded by Cheryl. Motion passes.

2B. Ryan Fisher, the Safe Sidewalk Coordinator for the Highway District, presented an overview of the Safe Sidewalk program, highlighting common issues like tree roots and sidewalk heaving, and the techniques used to address them, such as concrete replacement, grinding, and slab jacking. He shared fiscal year 2025 highlights, including the replacement of 6,208 linear feet of sidewalk, installation of 1,836 linear feet of new sidewalk, and grinding of 1,077 trip hazards. Ryan also discussed a recent project in Meridian and addressed questions from Jeremy, Alissa, and Melanie about specific sidewalk issues, promising to investigate and address them. Very good presentation.

3: Questions to ACHD Staff: Alyssa Taysom discussed the need to address ADA compliance for the website and documents, as well as public and internal-facing materials. She mentioned that Melody, from the communications department, is leading the project and might present to the group for feedback on testing options. Jeremy suggested connecting with Sean to see if a report or update on ACHD's progress in tackling website accessibility issues would be beneficial.

Karel made a motion to adjourn, Cheryl seconded, Motion carries.

Next meeting is January 13, 2026.

Meeting adjourned at 1145.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl Bloom
Secretary



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Projects Division

March 2, 2026

To: Commission and Director
ADA Advisory Committee
Bicycle Advisory Committee
Pedestrian Advisory Group

From: Brian McCarthy, Manager of ROW & Project Management

Subject: **Upcoming Public Involvement Meetings and Opportunities for Comment on ACHD Project Designs**

March 2026

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Hillcrest Elementary Safe Routes to School	Bella Loera	Concept	Public input survey period: February 26 – March 13 Click here to comment
Victory Rd, Annett St to Union Pacific Railroad Tracks	EJ Vitta	95%	Public input survey period: March 31 – April 14 Click here to comment



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2027-2031 Five Year Plan (FYP)	Edinson Bautista/Rebecca Phillips		Public input survey period: January 22 – February 19 Click here to comment
Five Mile Rd, Overland Rd to Franklin Rd	Stihles Clark	75%	Public input survey period: January 29 – February 12 Click here to comment
Northwest Boise Transportation Plan	Elie Kawmy	Plan Update	Public input survey period: February 12 – February 26 Click here to comment
Locust Grove Rd, Fairview Ave to Ustick Rd	Elie Kawmy	Concept	Public input survey period: February 26 – March 13 Open house: March 5 th Click here to comment
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Weekly Construction Project Status

February 27, 2026

Please contact Kadee Porter at 208-387-6290 for questions on this report.

Project Name	Contractor	Contract Amount	Completion
ACTIVE PROJECTS			
2026 Maintenance Crack Seal	Rocky Mtn Services	\$1,103,670	December 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Contract was awarded on December 3rd ▶ Notice to proceed will be issued when weather permits, anticipated for March 			
2025 Arterial & Collector Capital Maintenance	Knife River	\$3.8 Million	July 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Project includes work on Hubbard Road between Ten Mile Road and Meridian Road. ▶ Hubbard Road remains closed between Ten Mile Road and Linder Road. ▶ Roadway has been milled and demo of existing facilities is ongoing. ▶ Contractor continued roadway excavation and grade prep this week at Ten Mile headed east. ▶ Contractor completed the City of Kuna utility work, up to Linder. ▶ Contactor has completed the retaining wall on the northwest end of the project. ▶ Irrigation crossings installed. One minor adjustment to a supply pipe needs to be made. 			
2026 Cul-de-Sac Repair	Sunnyridge Construction	\$494,528	August 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-construction conference is scheduled for March 10th ▶ Notice to proceed is anticipated for late March ▶ Project includes work in the following cul-de-sacs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Kingsland Way ○ Shaw Mountain Court ○ W. Bel Air Street ○ Keybridge Drive ○ N. Anchor Avenue ○ 39th Street (four locations) 			
Boise Bridge Improvements	Braun-Jensen, Inc.	\$2,008,000	August 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-construction conference was held on January 30th ▶ Notice to proceed is anticipated for February 9th ▶ Project includes work on the following bridges: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Bethel Court Bridge #2065 – scheduled to start June 17th ○ Healey Bridge #2149 – work began February 9th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Contractor working on substructure repairs ○ Deck work anticipated to start in late March ○ Vista Bridge #2165 – scheduled to start on April 23rd ○ 9th Street Bridge #2204 – scheduled to start on May 14th ○ Veterans Memorial Parkway Bridge #2191 – scheduled to start on May 22nd 			

Project Name	Contractor	Contract Amount	Completion
Chinden Blvd & 43 rd St Pedestrian Improvements, Garden City	Moreno & Nelson	\$540,972	July 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-construction conference is scheduled for March 5th ▶ Notice to proceed is anticipated for April. 			
Eagle Road, Lake Hazel to Amity Lake Hazel & Eagle Road Intersection	Knife River	\$19.8 Million	March 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Eagle Road was opened to one lane in each direction on December 23rd ▶ Signal at Eagle and Lake Hazel was activated on January 28th ▶ Sidewalk and other minor work ongoing ▶ Landscaping ongoing 			
Eagle Road, Lake Hazel to Amity Landscape & Irrigation	Clearwater Landscapes	\$579,876	May 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Preconstruction meeting was held January 9th ▶ Work started February 2nd ▶ Starting at 3290 E. Amity ▶ Installing fence on basins ▶ Topsoil and irrigation being installed 			
FY23 Roadway and ADA Improvements Part 1	Idaho Materials & Construction	\$4,395,578	June 2027
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-construction conference was held February 18th ▶ Notice to proceed is anticipated for March ▶ Project includes work on the following segments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Edgewood Lane, Hill Road to Floating Feather Road <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Work is anticipated to begin March 2nd. ▪ Edgewood Lane will be closed during construction. ▪ Work is anticipated to be complete by the end of May. ○ Goldenrod Avenue, west end to Cloverdale Road <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Work is anticipated to begin May 26th ○ Allumbaugh Street, Douglas Street to Fairmont Street <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Work will begin after the project on Liberty Street, Douglas to Denton is complete. 			
FY24 Roadway and ADA Improvements, Boise	Capital Paving, Co	\$4,448,961.79	November 2027
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-construction conference is scheduled for March 6 ▶ Notice to proceed is anticipated for March ▶ Project includes work on the following segments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Americana Blvd, Ann Morrison Park Blvd to Shoreline Dr ○ Shoreline Dr, Americana Blvd to Fairview Ave ○ Eisenman Rd, Gowen Rd to 2000' South ○ Eisenman Rd, Freight St to I-84 			
Liberty Street, Douglas St to Denton St	CSC, LLC	\$1.8 Million	October 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Utility work started in advance of construction and is on-going. ▶ Liberty Street is closed to northbound traffic between Douglas Street and Denton Street. ▶ Liberty Street is open to one-lane, one-way traffic in the southbound direction between Douglas Street and Denton Street. ▶ The asphalt has been milled off the east side of the road. ▶ Seepage beds, City of Boise sewer work, storm sewer pipe and irrigation pipe are on-going. 			

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Linder Rd, SH-44 to Floating Feather and Linder Rd / Floating Feather Roundabout	Granite Excavation	\$10.1 Million	November 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Speed calming measures have been installed ▶ Linder Road will be closed November 18th through mid-March 2026 ▶ Linder Rd <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Excavation ongoing ○ Conduits for lighting ongoing ▶ Foothills Bridge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dewatering setup ○ Deck placed February 19th ○ Diversion wall ongoing ▶ Dry Creek Bridge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ East side complete ○ Shoe fly being installed to allow access to east side ○ Starting west side ○ Footings ongoing ▶ Utilities: Relocations continuing for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Idaho Power - complete ○ Intermountain Gas – ongoing ○ Veolia – up to Briar Rock ○ Fiber utilities - 			
Locust Grove & Palermo Pedestrian Improvements	JCG Excavation	\$178,478	May 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-Construction Conference is TBD ▶ Notice to Proceed is anticipated for early April 			
Munger Road Bridges #1005 & #2001	Blue Sky Construction	\$1.6 Million	June 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Munger Road closed during bridge replacement. ▶ Speed bumps have been installed in the adjacent neighborhoods. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Speed trailer added ▶ Dewatering measures installed ▶ South bridge removed ▶ South Bridge precast placed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Forming footings and wingwalls ▶ Installing Bridge #2001 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Excavated ○ Placing precast week of the February 23rd 			
Pavement Preservation and ADA (2022) Phase 3	Idaho Materials & Construction	\$2.3 Million	June 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Project includes work on the following segments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Resseguie Street, 16th Street to 9th Street <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PROJECT WORK: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mainline pipe work is complete on Resseguie Street. ○ Sidewalk and roadway improvements will resume in the spring. UTILITY WORK: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Veolia's work is complete. ○ Intermountain Gas will lower the gas line, anticipated to begin the week of March 16th ○ Fort Street, 16th Street to 15th Street <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PROJECT WORK: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mainline pipe work is complete on Fort Street ○ Sidewalk and roadway improvements will resume in the spring. UTILITY WORK: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Veolia's work is complete. ○ 15th Street, Fort Street to Resseguie Street <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sidewalk and roadway improvements will resume in the spring. 			

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Speed Mitigation and Pedestrian Safety Improvements Phase 1	Gaia Earthsmithing	\$344,753.80	September 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Pre-Construction Conference is TBD ▶ Notice to Proceed is anticipated for March 			
State Street and Pierce Park Lane	Capital Paving Company	\$10.2 Million	June 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Utility relocation work is complete for the first phase of work. ▶ Traffic calming plan has been implemented in the neighborhoods north of State Street ▶ Traffic has been shifted to the south so the Contractor can construct the north side of State Street. ▶ Left turns have been eliminated through the work zone. ▶ Hertford Way is scheduled to be closed the week of Spring Break, March 16th – 22nd for roadway excavation and asphalt paving. ▶ Contractor excavating for curb, gutter, sidewalk, and roadway on the east side of Pierce Park. ▶ Concrete for sidewalk, curb, and gutter is complete on the east leg for this phase and on-going at the intersection and on the west leg. ▶ Asphalt paving is anticipated to be complete for this phase in mid-March. ▶ Concrete paving was completed for this phase on February 12th. ▶ The traffic swap to the second phase of the project is anticipated for late March or early April. ▶ Work is weather dependent. 			
Trestlewood Basin #1406 Expansion and Revegetation	Falvey's Earthworks	\$301,336	September 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Work began January 5th ▶ Excavation complete ▶ Underground work ongoing ▶ Irrigation being installed 			
Ustick Rd, Black Cat Rd to Ten Mile Rd	Capital Paving Company	\$12.6 Million	February 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Black Cat remains closed south of Ustick Rd ▶ Concrete paving section and sidewalk placements remain. ▶ City of Meridian sewer and water line installation is complete. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Water Control Vault commissioning work is ongoing. ▶ Underground Electrical work and signal pole bases are complete. ▶ Final remaining sections of concrete median islands, curb and gutter/sidewalk, along the eastern portion of Ustick, starting next week. 			
Ustick Rd, Ten Mile Rd to Linder Rd	LaRiviere, Inc	\$9.9 Million	October 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Ustick Road closure started December 1st <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Message boards, traffic calming throughout the adjacent neighborhoods, etc. have been installed. ▶ Roadway milling/removal is complete for a portion of Ustick. ▶ Contractor has completed setting the bypass pipe down Five Mile Creek. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Contactor continues excavating/backfilling from the east for the retaining wall along Five Mile Creek. ○ Contractor continues setting baskets for the bottom lift(s) of the retaining wall. ▶ Work on the City of Meridian sewer install and bypass at Glennfield Way and Ustick continues. ▶ Clearing and grubbing work is ongoing. ▶ Utility relocations are ongoing. 			

SUBSTANTIALLY COMPLETED PROJECTS

Project Name	Contract Amount	Completion
Eagle Rd. & State Street Phase 1	\$4.6 Million	Substantial 03/27/2025
Garden St and Alpine St Railroad Crossing	\$147,292	Substantial 05/30/2025
Overland Road and Linder Road Overpass Phase 1	\$2.3 Million	Substantial 10/23/2025
Eagle Road & State Street, Phase 2	\$4.8 Million	Substantial 10/24/2025
2025 Meridian Downtown Pavement & Ped Improvements	\$7.8 Million	Substantial 11/25/2025
2025 Maintenance Crack Seal	\$799,700	Substantial 02/20/2026

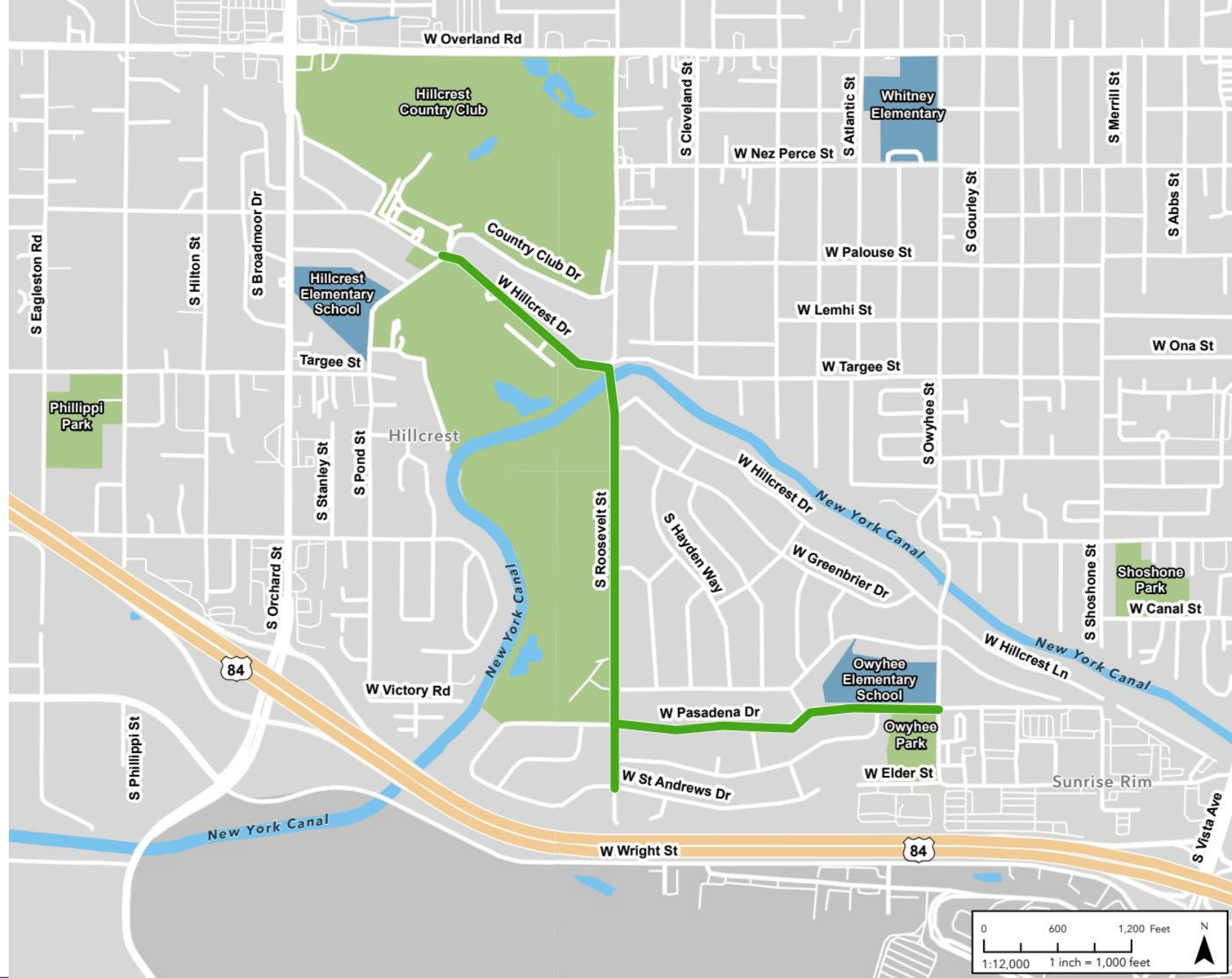


Hillcrest Elementary SRTS Concept Study

Bella Loera, Transportation Planner

Project Location

- Hillcrest Dr, Pond St to Roosevelt St
- Roosevelt St, St Andrews Dr to Hillcrest Dr
- Pasadena Dr, Roosevelt St to Owyhee St



Key Intersections

- Pond St/Hillcrest Dr/Country Club Dr
- Hillcrest Dr/Roosevelt St/Targee St



Project Origins

- Boise School District's #1 and #3 priority requests
- Closure of Owyhee Elementary has prompted students to move to Hillcrest Elementary necessitating safe walking and biking facilities along the corridor
- Inadequate or non-existent pedestrian and bicycle facilities throughout project area



Pond St/Hillcrest Dr/Country Club Dr Intersection



- Unusual configuration
- Blind spots
- Confusion from drivers on who is turning where



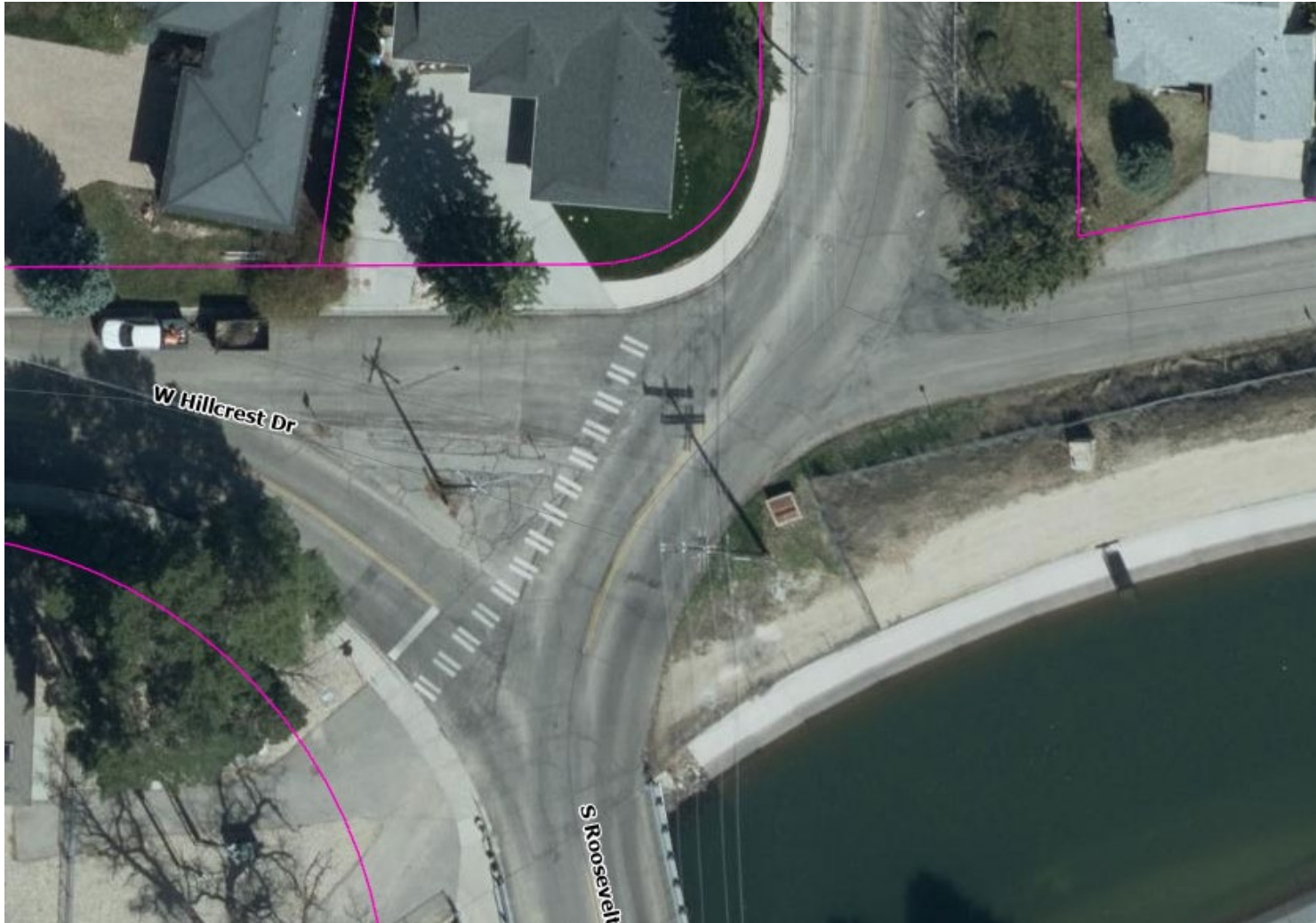
Hillcrest Dr



- 4' sidewalks
- No bike facilities
- On street parking
- Landscaping encroaches upon sidewalk at times



Hillcrest Dr/Roosevelt St/Targee St



- Unusual configuration
- Power poll in the middle of Hillcrest Dr
- Blind spot on Roosevelt
- Fast moving vehicles
- Inadequate pedestrian facilities and no bicycle facilities



Roosevelt St



- Power polls in the middle of the sidewalk throughout the corridor
- No bike facilities
- On street parking that is not utilized
- Sidewalk only on the west side



Pasadena St



- No bicycle or pedestrian facilities for the majority of the corridor
- Sidewalk adjacent to the old Owyhee Elementary School
- On street parking



Improvements

- Completing the pedestrian network by filling sidewalk gaps and repairing existing damaged/deficient/non-compliant sidewalks
- Evaluation of all existing pedestrian ramps to be consistent with ACHD and ADA standards.
- Evaluation of bicycle facilities that meets an acceptable Level of Traffic Stress standard for bikes (LTS 1 or 2)
- Identification and recommendation of potential speed mitigation/traffic calming improvements
- Evaluation of additional signalized pedestrian crossing opportunities on Roosevelt St between St Andrews Dr and Hillcrest Dr.



All Advisory Drive



- **Monday, April 6th at 5:00 PM**
- Taking vans
- Meeting at Hillcrest Elementary
- Feel free to ride along, bike alongside us, or check out the corridor on your own time
- RSVP by March 23rd



Questions





Policy Changes and Temporary Traffic Control Company Updates

Information Briefing

Christy Little

Manager, Development Services

Questions

