HIGHWAY 52 COALITION

AGENDA

February 27, 2020

6:00 p.m.

Hudson Town Hall
(50 Beach Street)

- 1. Welcome/Introductions
- 2. CDOT Updates
- 3. PEL 101 Presentation (Muller)
- 4. SH52 PEL/ACP Updates
- 5. Urban County Discussion
- 6. Community Reports & Updates
- 7. Next Meeting:
 - Date March 26, 2020
 - Location ?
 - April meeting will be hosted by Dacono
 - Agenda Items for next meeting:



MEETING SUMMARY

Meeting Title: SH 52 Coalition

Meeting Date: February 27, 2020

Meeting Location: Hudson Town Hall (50 Beach Street)

Summary Prepared By: Kelly Maiorana, Project Manager, Muller Engineering

Notes Issue Date: April 30, 2020

The following is our understanding of the subject matter covered in this meeting. If this differs with your understanding, please notify us.

1. Welcome/Introductions

2. CDOT Updates

CDOT provided updates on CDOT projects occurring along SH 52. There were several concerns about the SH 52/CR 59 intersection:

- There was a question if flashing stop signs and rumble strips were going to be installed at this location.
- Coalition asked that CDOT to follow-up on the status of the funding and provide schedule for installation.
- Part of the issue could be a problem with sight distance at this location.
- It seems that users can't get out at this intersection, so they take chances.
- The Coalition would like a response from CDOT at the next Coalition meeting

3. SH 52 PEL/ACP Updates (CDOT)

Chad Hall introduced the project and reviewed the agenda items. He provided an overview of the project limits and schedule.

- Project Team
- Study Area
- Schedule and Milestones
- Project Success
- Project Communication

4. PEL 101 Presentation (Muller)

Kelly Maiorana, SH 52 PEL/ACP Project Manager, reviewed the purpose of a PEL and ACP and discussed the process. Each of the Coalition members were asked for their expectations from the PEL/ACP process which are captured in Table 1 below.

- What is a PEL Study?
- What is an ACP?
- Next Steps after a PEL
- Additional Information

In addition to understanding Coalition expectations, the group discussed ideas for reaching out to the community. The Coalition is interested in the team presenting at smaller community events. These ideas are captured in Table 2 below.

5. Urban County Discussion

- Urban county 200K+
- All municipalities outside the City of Greeley
- CDGB (Block Grant)

6. Community Reports & Updates

- Hudson
 - April 4th Easter Eggs
 - o April 4th Founders Day
- Dacono
 - o East of I-25 & SH 52
 - o 1800 Complex
- Frederick
 - o Frederick Way at SH 52
- Keenesburg
 - Development
- Weld County
 - o Extension of CR 39
- Boulder County
 - SH 7 bus rapid transit PEL
- Ft. Lupton
 - Would like a traffic camera

7. Next Steps

- Updates for SH 52
 - o CDOT website
 - o Email coalition for Technical Team members
 - o Email coalition for community events

8. Next Meeting

- March 26, 2020 Fredericksburg
- April 23, 2020 Dacono
- May 28, 2020 Keenesburg

Table 1. PEL Expectations Activity: Post-it-Note Responses from Coalition

COMMENT	COMMENT INTERPRETATION
Hazmat alternatives	Develop alternatives to consider hazardous materials trucks along corridor
Continued work relationships with other communities	Maintain working relationships communities along the corridor

COMMENT	COMMENT INTERPRETATION	
Future access to grants	Identify future grant opportunities for projects	
One ACP IGA	Prepare one ACP for the corridor	
ROW preservation for ultimate build out!!!	ROW preservation for future transportation projects	
Highway 52 Shoulders	Standard shoulder width throughout the corridor	
Communications that we can pass on to our citizens	Effective project communications that can be shared with interested community members	
Foundation for improving safety and the functional integrity of SH 52	Information to lay the foundation for improving safety and the functional integrity of SH 52	
Prioritize safety issues; Highway 52 safer to travel on; Safety-oriented,	Prioritize safety issues along the corridor	
Make Highway 52 & Glen Creighton safer to cross	Consider safety issues at SH 52 and Glen Creighton	
Collaborative, Inclusive, East & West, Multimodal, Proactive, Prepared for next steps, Holistic (ITS, lighting, etc.), To the right on IAP2 Spectrum	 Develop collaborative process among stakeholders, CDOT, and other involved parties Maintain connectivity between the east and west portions of the corridor Take a proactive and not reactive approach to corridor needs Identify next steps for transportation projects Take a holistic approach to transportation needs Develop a process for public participation to allow for informed decision making 	

Table 2. Communication Ideas from the Coalition

Board Meetings/ Councils (many of these have a camera for tv/web viewing)

Flyers into utility bills

Pop-up at community Events –

• National Night Out, Ft. Lupton - August 4th

Libraries

Social media

• Word of Mouth or Next Door





Department of Transportation

SH 52 PEL / ACP Coalition Kick Off Meeting



SH 52 General Information

- Project Team
- Study Area
- Schedule and Milestones
- Project Success
- Project Communication
- PEL (Planning and Environmental Linkages) Study Expectations
 - What is a PEL Study?
 - What is an ACP?
 - Next Steps after a PEL
 - Additional Information



Project Team













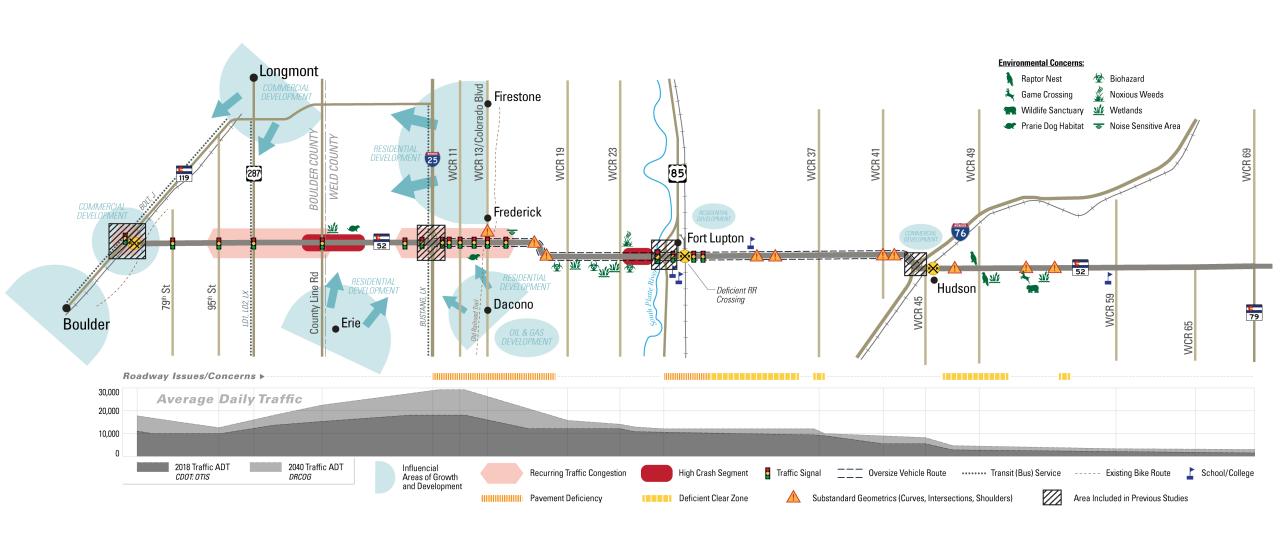






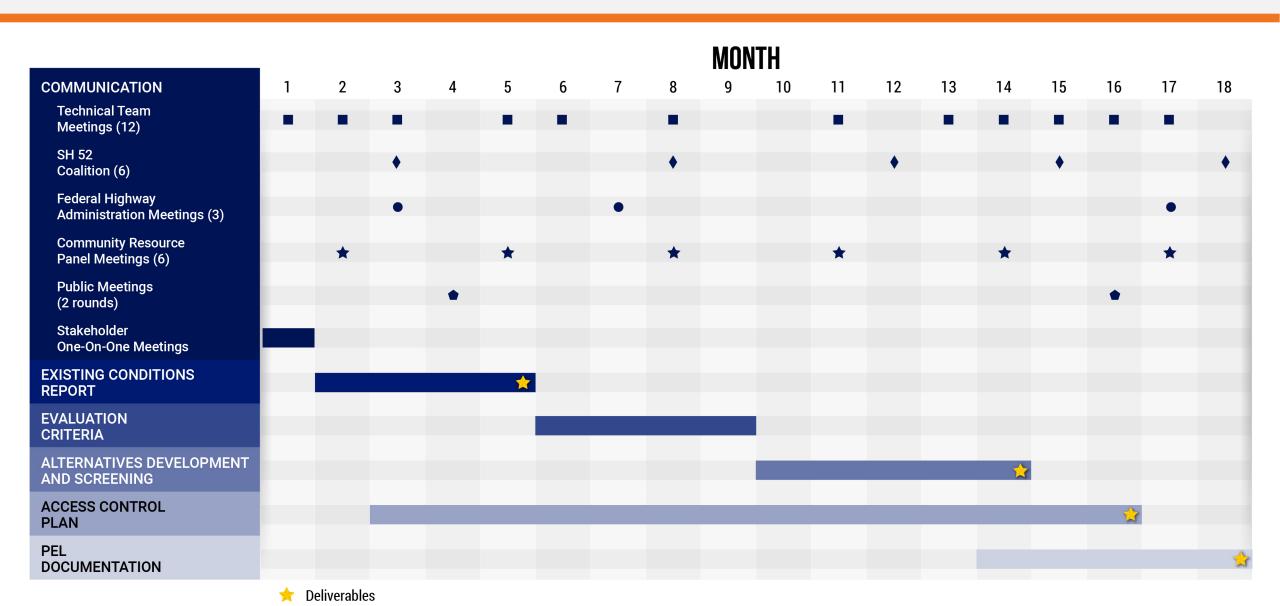


Project Overview SH 119 to SH 79





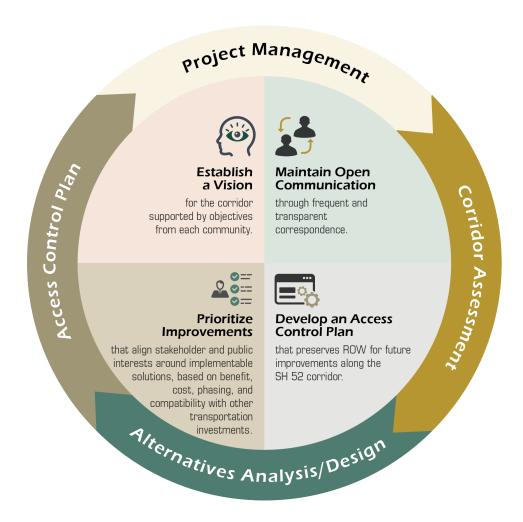
Schedule and Milestones





Project Success

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Communication

- SH 52 Coalition Meetings
- Technical Team Meetings
- Stakeholder One-on-One Meetings
- Community Panel Meetings
- Public Meetings







Coalition Meeting Schedule

Topic	Date *
Kickoff Meeting	February 2020
Purpose & Need and Public Meeting Planning	June 2020
Evaluation Criteria and Alternatives Screening	November 2020
Corridor Projects	March 2021
Updates and Public Meeting Planning	June 2021
Draft PEL	September 2021

*Subject to change



Technical Team Meetings

- Provide Input to the Project Team
- Anticipate 12 Meetings April 2020 to August 2021
- Consist of Municipal and County Governments
- Engage Resource Agencies and other Stakeholders

Corridor Local Agencies

Dacono

Fort Lupton

Hudson

Erie

Frederick

Keenesburg

Boulder County

Weld County



Stakeholder One-on-One Meetings

- One-on-one meetings with Local Stakeholders
- Opportunity for Stakeholders to provide input to the PEL and ACP processes
- Provide a platform to discuss and prioritize transportation issues and project implementation
- 20 Meetings to occur in first quarter of PEL Study



Community Resource Panel Meeting

- Six meetings scheduled for the duration of the Project.
- Will be reserved for focus group updates, HOA meetings, Council briefings, Board updates etc.







Public Meetings



- Two rounds of Public Meetings
- Present existing conditions and Purpose and Need
- Present alternatives and recommendations



What is a Planning and Environmental Linkages (PEL) Study

- Develop a vision for corridor
- Establish Existing Conditions
- Define Purpose and Need
- Develop and Evaluate Alternatives
- Prioritize projects and identify funding opportunities





Outcomes to expect from a PEL Study



Developed vision for the corridor

Understanding of Existing Conditions

ROW Identification

Support and input from the public

Potential Improvements with stakeholder input

Foundation for a NEPA Evaluation in the near future



What is an Access Control Plan (ACP)

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- Help regulate access on SH 52
- Communication tool for CDOT and Local Agencies
- Identified future right-of-way (ROW) needs
- Encourages mobility and safety when considering the future development
- Provide guidance for land developers



Next steps after the PEL study

- Transition from PEL to NEPA
- Determining preferred alternative
- Detailed study of environmental resources
- Completion of environmental permitting
- Detailed design





Additional Resources

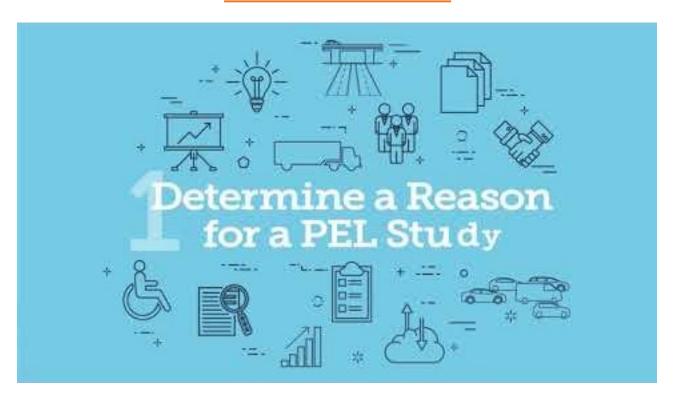
CDOT PEL Handbook

https://www.codot.gov/programs/environmental/planning-env-link-program/pel-handbook-january-2016/view

CDOT PEL Video:

https://www.codot.gov/programs/environm
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CDOT PEL Video





Thank You

