



CLARK COUNTY  
STAFF REPORT

DEPARTMENT/DIVISION: Department of Public Works / Transportation Program

DATE: July 29, 2014

REQUEST: Authorize the temporary road closures at NE 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue north of NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street (SR 502), and at NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue both north and south of NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street (SR 502).

CHECK ONE:  Consent  Chief Administrative Officer  Hearing

**PUBLIC WORKS GOALS:**

- Provide safe and efficient transportation systems within Clark County
- Continue responsible stewardship of public funds
- Promote family-wage job creation and economic development to support a thriving community
- Maintain a desirable quality of life
- Improve environmental stewardship and protection of natural resources
- Increase partnerships and foster an engaged, informed community
- Make Public Works a great place to work

**BACKGROUND:** Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) requested approval from Clark County to close segments of NE 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue and NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue as part of the construction of the SR 502 Corridor Widening Project. These closures are necessary to rebuild the NE 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue and NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue intersections with NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street (SR-502).

Details on dates, duration, and detour plans are as follows:

At NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue both north and south of NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street – Road Closure from Friday 8 p.m. to Monday 6 a.m. Signed detour routes will be in place directing southbound traffic on NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue to reconnect to NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street via NE 239<sup>th</sup> Street and NE 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue and northbound traffic on NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue to reconnect to NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street via NE 199<sup>th</sup> Street and NE 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue. The WSDOT current schedule anticipates the closures to occur from August 1, 2014 to August 4, 2014.

At NE 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue north of NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street – Road Closure from Friday 8 p.m. to Monday at 6 a.m. A signed detour route will be in place directing road users to connect back to NE 219<sup>th</sup> Street via NE 239<sup>th</sup> Street and NE 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue. The WSDOT current schedule anticipates the closures to occur from August 8, 2014 to August 11, 2014.

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH:** These closures will be legally noticed as required by RCW 47.48.010. WSDOT and their contractor will be required to notify all effected parties and agencies, and place portable changeable message signs on both ends of the road closure notifying drivers of the closure date at a minimum of three days prior to the closure.

**BUDGET AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:** None

**FISCAL IMPACTS:**  Yes (See Attached Fiscal Impacts Form)  No

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**DISTRIBUTION:** Please return a copy of the approved Staff Report indicating the Board's action to Public Works, Attention Matt Griswold.

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