City of Kelso

Welcomes the Washington State Transportation Commission

April 21, 2015
Recent Project

• West Main Realignment
  – Corridor Study identified project scope

• Phase 1 complete.
  – Approximate $10m final cost

• Funding sources
  – Sources
  – STP(U)
  – TIB – UAC
  – WSDOT Quick Response Grant
West Main Re-Alignment

Before

After
CHAP Program - N. Kelso Drive

04/14/2015

[Images of the road condition before and after, indicating improvement]
Current Design Project

- West Main Revitalization
Project Description

• Improves 850 feet of West Main Street
  – New sidewalks
  – Enhanced crosswalks
  – New pavement
  – Pedestrian scale lighting
  – Water quality facilities for treating stormwater

• Converts remaining portion of W. Main Street between 3rd Avenue and Cowlitz Way into pedestrian-friendly retail corridor

• Continuation of the streetscape improvements installed through the W. Main Realignment Project
Funding

• Project cost estimate -- $1,025,000

• Secured funding
  – Kelso CDBG Program Income (NICER)
  – Kelso Trans Ben Dist
  – Federal Surface Transportation Program
  – County Rural Public Facilities Grants

• Design work has commenced; City awarded contract to OTAK in Q1 2015.
CROSSWALK / INTERSECTION TREATMENT

- Unit Pavers or Stamped, Colored Concrete
- White Piano Striping
- Scored Concrete

WEST MAIN STREET: Streetscape Design

- Curb Extensions
- Pedestrian Scale Lighting
- Angled Parking
- Enhanced Landscaping at Corner
- Special Intersection Treatment
- Parallel Parking
- 10’ Width Sidewalk
- Street Trees in Wells
- Paved Median
Current Shovel Ready Project – Yew St.

Existing conditions
Previous Funding Attempts

- TIP
- TIB
- Federal
- UAC
- APP
- STP (U)

Currently on PWAA short list
Project Information

Completely reconstructs 1300 feet of roadway adding:

- Sidewalks for both sides
- Complete storm drainage facilities
Future Major Projects

- West Main Phase 2. 4\textsuperscript{th} Ave to Ocean Beach Hwy.
  - Estimate $6m-$7m
- South Kelso railroad grade separation.
  - Estimate $25m
Talley Way Corridor Improvements

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- Replaces aging bridge near 432 Interchange.
- $14.5m construction
TALLEY WAY CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION STUDY

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Note: Final Talley Way Alignment depends on numerous factors, including the airport separation and the replacement or widening of the Talley Way Bridge.
Kelso needs continuing legislative support of these important programs:

- Public Works Assistance Account
- Transportation Improvement Board
Questions?