

RESOLUTION NO. 15-04

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF COVINGTON, KING COUNTY,
WASHINGTON, ADOPTING THE 2016-2021 SIX-
YEAR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT
PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 35.77.010, the City of Covington (the “City”) is required to prepare and adopt a comprehensive transportation improvement program that addresses transportation improvements and needs for the ensuing six calendar years, which is commonly known as the Six-Year Transportation Improvement Program (“TIP”); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 35.77.010, the City is also required to revise and extend its Six-Year TIP annually to ensure that the City has a guide in carrying out a coordinated transportation program; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 35.77 RCW requires that the Six-Year TIP must be consistent with the City’s adopted Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City is further required to conduct a public hearing prior to adopting any revisions or extensions of its Six-Year TIP; and

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2015, the Covington City Council held a public hearing on the revised Six-Year TIP for the years 2016-2021, inclusive; and

WHEREAS, the city council, being satisfied that the revised and extended Six-Year TIP for the years 2016-2021, inclusive, addresses the City’s needs for the ensuing six years and is consistent with the City’s Comprehensive Plan.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON, WASHINGTON, hereby resolves as follows:

1. The Six-Year Transportation Improvement Program (2016-2021) for the City of Covington, as revised and extended for the ensuing calendar year, incorporated herein by its entirety and on file in the Covington City Clerk’s Office, is hereby adopted in its entirety, shall take effect on July 6, 2015, and previous plans shall be amended accordingly.
2. A copy of the adopted Six-Year TIP for the years 2016-2021, together with a copy of this resolution, shall be filed with the Washington State Secretary of Transportation and the Washington State Transportation Improvement Board within thirty (30) days after the adoption of this resolution.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Covington, Washington, in open and regular session this 9th day of June, 2015.



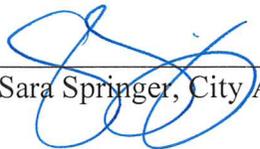
MARGARET HARTO, MAYOR

ATTESTED:



Sharon Scott, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Sara Springer, City Attorney



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**DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS)
TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS (TIP) 2016-2021**

Project Name: City of Covington Six Year Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) 2016-2021

File Number: SEPA15-03

Applicant/Contact: Bob Lindskov, City Engineer
City of Covington, Public Works Department
16720 SE 271st Street, Suite 100
Covington, Washington 98042
253-480-2467

Date of Issuance: June 5, 2015

Project Description: The proposal is a non-project action to adopt the City of Covington's Six Year TIP 2016-2021 by the Covington City Council. This proposal is for the overall Capital Improvement and Transportation Improvement (CIP/TIP) programs within the city in accordance with the requirements of State law as defined in RCW 35.77.010 and 35.36.70A. The proposed 2016-2021 TIP projects are as follows and further described Attachments 1, 2 & 3:

1. **CIP 1127** SE 272nd Street between Jenkins Creek and 185th Place SE
2. **CIP 1201** 204th Avenue SE between SE 272nd Street SE and SE 256th Street
3. **CIP 1086** 164th Avenue SE between SE 264th Street and vicinity SE 269th Street
4. **CIP 1128** SE 272nd Street between 185th Place SE and 192nd Avenue SE
5. **CIP 1063** SE 272nd Street between 160th Avenue SE and 164th Avenue SE
6. **CIP 1056 & CIP 1149** SE 256th Street between 172nd Avenue SE and 180th Avenue SE & 180th Avenue SE between SE 256th Street and SE Wax Road (N)
7. **Town Center 1** SE 276th Street between 168th Place SE and SE Wax Road
8. **Town Center 2** 171st Avenue SE (Main Street between SE 275th Street and SE 276th Street
9. **CIP 1124** 185th Place SE Extension - Wax Road/180th Ave SE to SE 272nd Street

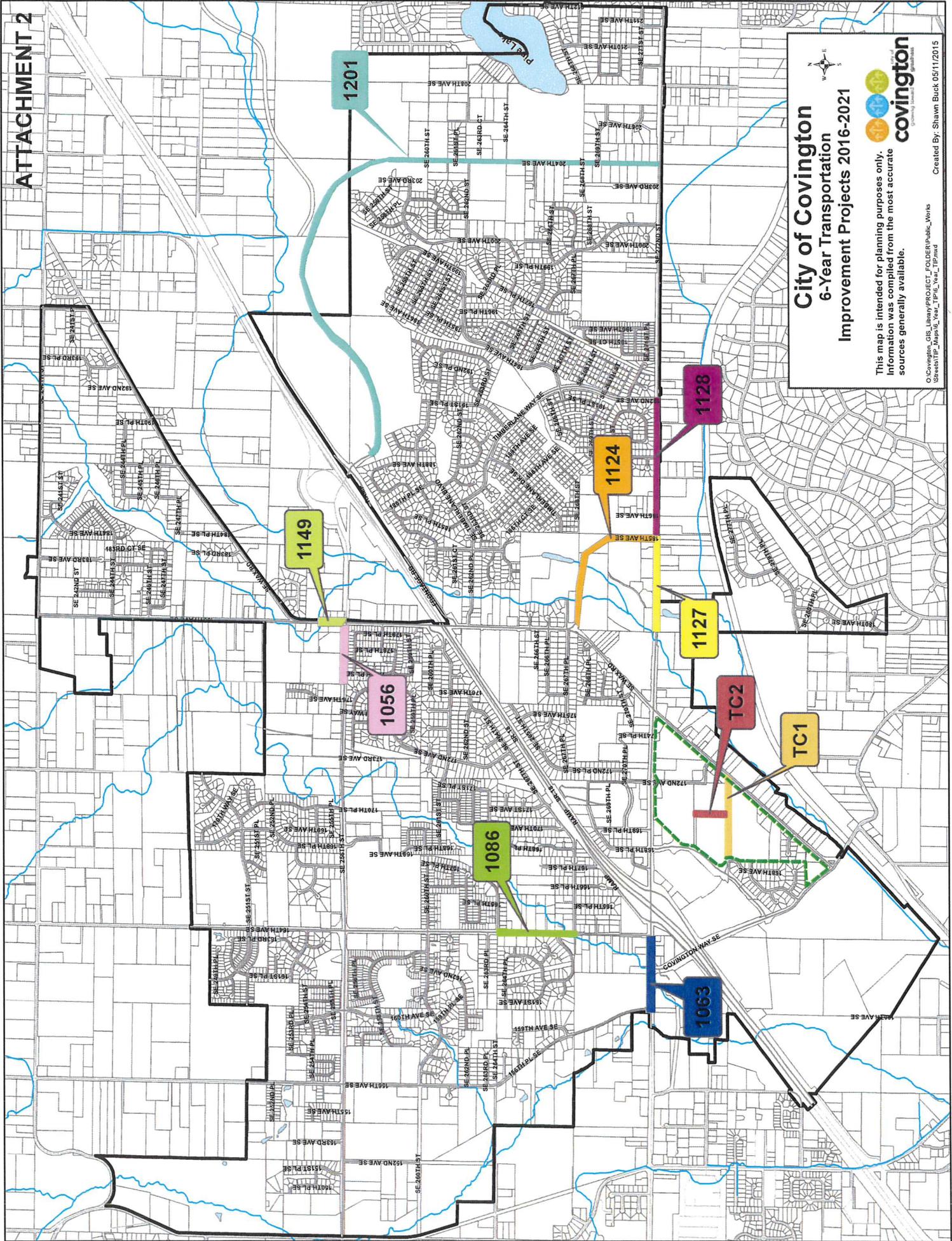
Documents Reviewed: City's Comprehensive Plan, Adopted December 2002, and as amended, 6-Year TIP 2016-2021 and description of TIP/CIP (Attachments 1, 2 & 3), and other information on file with the lead agency.

Responsible Official/Lead Agency: Richard Hart, Community Development Director
City of Covington SEPA Official
16720 SE 271st Street, Suite 100
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253-480-2441

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-350. The comment period is 14 calendar days and ends **June 19, 2015 at 5 PM.**

Comments and Appeals Notice: *Comments and appeals on this DNS may be submitted by first class mail or delivered to the responsible official at the above lead agency address. Any notice of appeals must be filed in writing, with the required filing fee paid in cash or check and received within 14 calendar days of the end of the comment period at Covington City Hall Offices, i.e. by July 6, 2015 at 5 PM (extended due to holiday). You must make specific factual objections, identify error, harm suffered, or identify anticipated relief sought and raise specific issues in the statement of appeal. Contact the Community Development Department at Covington City Hall to read or to ask about the procedures for SEPA appeals.*

Signature of Responsible Official: Richard Hart Date: 5-28-15



City of Covington
6-Year Transportation
Improvement Projects 2016-2021



This map is intended for planning purposes only. Information was compiled from the most accurate sources generally available.

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City of Covington
2016-2021 6 Year TIP
Project Descriptions

Capital Improvement Project Priorities

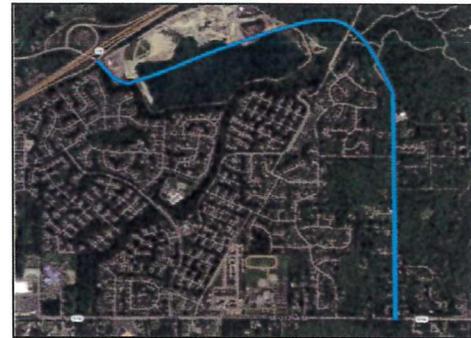
1. **CIP 1127 SE 272nd Street between Jenkins Creek and 185th Place SE**

This project is to widen and reconstruct a portion of SE 272nd Street between Jenkins Creek and 185th Place SE. This project will include the crossing of Jenkins Creek with a new structure for the stream, widening the street from 2-lanes to 5-lanes including curb and gutter, 8' sidewalks, access control features, landscaping and provisions for u-turns.



2. **CIP 1201 204th Avenue SE between SE 272nd Street SE and SE 259th Street**

The new roadway connection will provide overall benefits to the citywide street system by providing more options for vehicles traveling between SE 272nd Street and SR 18. This collector arterial will be widened to two 12-foot lanes, one 14-foot turn lane/median, and two 5-foot wide bike lanes. Each side of the roadway will also include a curb, a gutter, a 5-foot landscape buffer, and a 5-foot sidewalk.



3. **CIP 1086 164th Avenue SE between SE 264th Street and vicinity SE 269th Street**

This project will install a 5' separated walkway on the east side of 164th Avenue SE between SE 264th Street and just south of SE 269th Street. This project will also install a drainage swale with underdrainage to convey and treat surface water. Once completed, this will provide a continuous separated walkway/sidewalk from Kentwood High School to the Covington Library.



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4. **CIP 1128 SE 272nd Street between 185th Place SE and 192nd Avenue SE**

This project is to widen and reconstruct a portion of SE 272nd Street between 185th Place SE and 192nd Avenue SE. This project will widen the street from 2-lanes to 5-lanes including curb and gutter, 8' sidewalks, access control features, landscaping and provisions for u-turns.



5. **CIP 1063 SE 272nd Street between 160th Avenue SE and 164th Avenue SE**

This project provides for design and future construction of additional turn lanes, channelization, and signal modifications. Widening SE 272nd Street will require modifications to the existing stream crossing at the intersection. Project length is 800 feet. Construct street section consistent with the existing SR 516 section including illumination, landscaping, 10' wide sidewalks with street trees in planting wells.



6. **CIP 1056 SE 256th Street between 172nd Avenue SE and 180th Avenue SE**
CIP 1149 180th Avenue SE between SE 256th Street and SE Wax Road (N)

Portions of these two larger CIP projects (see map) are being combined to provide improvements adjacent to the new fire station at SE 256th Street and 180th Avenue SE. The improvements will include widening the north side of SE 256th Street from 180th Avenue SE to 176th Avenue SE to match the section at 168th Avenue SE. The frontage along 180th Avenue SE will be widened from the intersection to Crestwood Elementary School.



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7. **Town Center 1 SE 276th Street between 168th Place SE and SE Wax Road**

This is a new route; new alignment roadway that will support the Town Center vision and meet the Town Center Design Guidelines. The schedule of these projects will be primarily driven by development and may be constructed in portions.



8. **Town Center 2 171st Avenue SE (Main Street) between SE 275th Street and SE 276th Street**

This is a new route; new alignment roadway that will support the Town Center vision and meet the Town Center Design Guidelines. The schedule of these projects will be primarily driven by development and may be constructed in portions.



9. **CIP 1124 185th Place SE Extension - Wax Road/180th Ave SE to SE 272nd Street**

This project connects SE Wax Road/180th Avenue SE to SE 272nd Street via a new route and alignment designated as 185th Place SE. The street section will consist of a 3-lane urban arterial standard with curb, gutter and 8' sidewalks, landscaping strips, illumination and stormwater infrastructure. The project will also include crossing Jenkins Creek. The actual route and alignment will be determined during design.



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1. **CIP 1029 Citywide Intersection Safety Project – 10 Locations**

This project is part of the WSDOT City Safety Program that is focused on intersection safety. The project will do safety improvements to 10 locations throughout the city. These improvements vary at each location but may include rechannelization, adding warning beacons and pavement markings; improving sight distance, and crosswalks; upgrading signs, sidewalks and ADA access points. The intersections are SE 272nd Street / 168th Place SE, SE 272nd Street / 172nd Place SE, 168th Place SE / 169th Place SE, SE 270th Place / 174th Avenue SE, SE 256th Street / 180th Avenue SE, SE 267th Street / 192nd Avenue SE, SE 261st Street / 180th Avenue SE, SE 268th Street / 164th Avenue SE, SE Wax Road / 180th Ave SE and SE 256th / 170th Ave. SE. This project is fully funded and scheduled to be completed in 2014.



2. **CIP 1014 Jenkins Creek Park between SE 267th Place and SE 268th Street**

This is a non-motorized transportation project that will construct a multiuse trail between SE 267th Place and SE 268th Street through Jenkins Creek Park. This project will replace the pedestrian bridge that was washed out from a storm and once again connect neighborhoods to Jenkins Creek Elementary as well as provide ADA and bike access to and from the downtown core.

