

August 6, 2018

CITY COUNCIL STUDY SESSION ITEM

SUBJECT

Bellevue Smart Mobility Interest Statement

STAFF CONTACT(S)

Joyce Nichols, IGR Director, 452-4225

City Manager's Office

Dave Berg, Director, 452-6468

Lacey Jane Wolfe, Transportation Policy Advisor, 452-2055

Transportation Department

POLICY ISSUES

Council has endorsed the Bellevue Smart plan that covers smart city strategies and implementation actions to achieve improved livability, sustainability and resiliency in a world that is increasingly digital, mobile, connected and urban. Transportation is one of six elements in the Bellevue Smart plan, and Bellevue's Smart Mobility Plan represents the implementation strategy for the transportation element. The Plan envisions a transportation system that "moves people smarter, safer, and faster, while providing more choices, better real-time information, lowering emissions and raising efficiencies."

In addition, Council recently adopted its 2018-2020 3-Year Priorities, which state that the City should "advance implementation of the Smart City Strategy, including advanced transportation technology and autonomous, connected, electric and shared vehicle technology."

At the June 18 Study Session, Council discussed key themes and priorities and asked staff to draft an interest statement to guide Council and staff participation on this issue. Council feedback received at the June 18 meeting has been included in the attached draft.

DIRECTION NEEDED FROM COUNCIL

ACTION



DIRECTION



INFORMATION ONLY



No formal action is required at this time. Tonight's discussion will provide Council an opportunity to review the draft Smart Mobility Interest Statement and provide feedback and direction to staff. Pursuant to Council direction action to adopt the Interest Statement will be requested at a future Council meeting.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS

Council has endorsed the Bellevue Smart plan that covers smart city strategies and implementation actions to achieve improved livability, sustainability and resiliency in a world that is increasingly digital, mobile, connected and urban. Transportation is one of six elements in the Bellevue Smart plan, and Bellevue's Smart Mobility Plan (formerly the Intelligent Transportation System Master Plan Update) represents the implementation strategy for the transportation element.

The Bellevue Smart Mobility Plan contains the initiatives to be developed and implemented over the next few years. At the June 18 Study Session, staff presented an update on Bellevue's Smart Mobility Plan and also requested direction from Council on principles and priorities for a Smart Mobility Interest Statement. The draft Smart Mobility Interest Statement (Attachment A) incorporates Council feedback received on June 18.

At tonight's Study Session, staff is requesting feedback and direction on the draft Interest Statement. Pursuant to Council direction, action to adopt the Interest Statement will be requested at a future Council meeting.

OPTIONS

N/A

RECOMMENDATION

N/A

ATTACHMENT(S)

A. Draft Smart Mobility Interest Statement