



# CITY OF WHEATLAND

## CITY COUNCIL MEETING STAFF REPORT

April 13, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Presentation by Caltrans for Improvements to Highway 65 known as the "Wheatland Donut Hole Project – 03-0H370"

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### **Recommendation**

This item involves a presentation for information only. No action is requested at this time.

### **Background/Discussion**

Caltrans has begun engineering and environmental efforts on a project to resurface Highway 65 through Wheatland known by Caltrans as the "Wheatland Donut Hole Project – 03-0H370" (Project). The Project will involve removing areas of failed pavement, overlaying pavement, replacing most of the pedestrian ramps, improving drainage and new pavement markings.

In addition to the paving work, Caltrans proposes to incorporate certain "Complete Streets" elements by improving bike and pedestrian facilities on the westerly side of the highway between McDevitt Drive and Wheatland Elementary School. The bike/ped improvements would start at the northwesterly intersection at McDevitt Drive and end at the northerly end of Hooper Street. The work will involve the loss of existing on-street parking in that segment.

On September 22, 2020, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 39-20 declaring support for the Project including the construction of enhanced bike/ped improvements described above.

Caltrans Project Manager Andrew Huang, PE, will be giving a presentation on the Project.

### **Fiscal Impact**

As currently proposed, the City would have no obligation to fund the project improvements. However, under the City's maintenance agreement with Caltrans, the City is currently responsible for the maintenance of the sidewalk and landscaping in the Project area. The City would become responsible for maintenance of any new sidewalks, bike facilities and landscaping facilities constructed by the Project.

### **Attachments**

None.