Thursday, July 29, 2010

Transportation RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 81

Subject: Approve an ordinance amending Chapter 14-9 of the City Code, to include language related to view obstructions at intersections.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

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Boards and Commission Action: Reviewed by the Urban Transportation Commission.

Section 14-9-2 of the City Code in its present form, does not allow for alternate strategies when addressing view obstructions at intersections in established neighborhoods. The language also limits consideration to fences and does not specifically include other obstructions such as signs and structures. The proposed language is intended to afford discretion to the City Traffic Engineer for developing options for property owners. The proposed ordinance also applies to new projects and developments and includes any improvements at or near an intersection.