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City Council Comment received from Lauren Jarrett

From Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Date Mon 11/18/2024 8:56 AM

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A new comment has been submitted for the Reno City Council Meeting held on: 2024-11-19.

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Item:

D.6 Public Works Staff Report (For Possible Action).

Position:

In Favor

Are they speaking in person?

No, I am submitting a written comment only.

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Dig Studio fully supports the inclusion of lighting improvements along the Truckee River corridor as outlined in the Truckee River Vision Plan. The Vision Plan emphasizes creating safe, welcoming, and accessible spaces for all community members. Enhanced lighting emerged as a top priority during public outreach, underscoring its importance in improving visibility, safety, and usability, particularly during evening hours. The proposed lighting options align seamlessly with the plan's vision and thoughtfully consider the river's unique character. Dig Studio recommends implementing the modern light fixture, which is dark-sky compliant, to minimize light pollution while maintaining safety, functionality, and aligns with the future aesthetic of the corridor. This approach reflects the overall vision of the Truckee River Vision Plan and the recommendations outlined within it. These improvements will significantly enhance the community's experience of the corridor by elevating safety, extending the hours it can be enjoyed, and protection from light pollution. We encourage the Council to support this critical step in revitalizing the Truckee River corridor and bringing the community's vision to life.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

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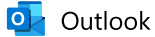
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City Council Comment received from Mary Beth Roselli

From Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Date Mon 11/18/2024 9:46 AM

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Position:

In Favor

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Safety is a big concern on the joint River Trail/ Tahoe-Pyramid Trail. This route is used by many recreational/commuter cyclist and walkers. Concern is for their safety, not only to be seen but to see what is in front of them. It will also hopefully deter the homeless from settling along the route. The lights will encourage more use of the trail.

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City Council Comment received from Michael Ginsburg

From Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Date Mon 11/18/2024 10:00 AM

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Ward 2

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In Favor

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I support the Truckee River Path Lighting project with the traditional bell style light fixture and awarding the contract to Titan Electrical Contracting, Inc. Mike Ginsburg - Chairman City of Reno Parks and Recreation Commision

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City Council Comment received from Jenny Ouyang

From Mikki Huntsman <HuntsmanM@reno.gov>

Date Tue 11/19/2024 11:36 AM

To Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

Contact Info:

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Commenting on behalf of:

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Ward 5

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Item:

D6 Staff report, selection of lighting fixture for Truckee River Path Lighting Project.

Position:

No position stated - Concerned or Neutral

Are they speaking in person?

No, I am submitting a written comment only.

If no, enter comments below:

I am a professor at the University of Nevada Reno, and I conduct research on the effects of light pollution (in particular, light at night) on human and wildlife health. I have read the agenda proposed light fixtures for the Truckee River Path Lighting Project as sent to me by Iris Jehle-Peppard from One Truckee River. I appreciate that the lights are shielded and angled down to minimize negative effects. I would also suggest that since broad spectrum LED lights are proposed, to use longer wavelengths (more red-ish than blueish) to minimize negative effects. This change should have no bearing on cost or functionality and is only changing the color. Most wildlife and human light perception is activated by shorter wavelengths of light, so if longer wavelengths are used, it does not minimize safety or cost, but does addresses the problems associated with light pollution, such as circadian and endocrine disruption. If at all possible, I would also advocate to use motion sensors such that the lights are activated by motion rather than on throughout the night. This change would minimize sky glow and disruptions to breeding animals and plants along the river. Moreover, using motion sensing shouldn't affect humans who are using the path.

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TAHOE-PYRAMID TRAIL

☐ WARD 1 ☐ WARD 2 ☐ WARD 3 ☐ WARD 4 ☐ WARD 5

☒ OTHER RIVER CORRIDOR

DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☒ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM DK

☒ IN FAVOR ☐ IN OPPOSITION ☐ NO POSITION STATED - CONCERNED

COMMENTS: HAPPY TO OFFER SUPPORT OF THIS
PROJECT AWARD TO TITAN ELECTRICAL ON
BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND
THE TRAILS USERS

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☐ WARD 1 ☒ WARD 2 ☐ WARD 3 ☐ WARD 4 ☐ WARD 5
☐ OTHER _____

DO YOU WISH TO SPEAK? YES ☐ NO ☐

AGENDA ITEM D.G

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COMMENTS: Support "dark sky certified"
lighting.

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