

TOWN OF CARRBORO

Transportation Advisory Board

301 West Main Street, Carrboro, North Carolina 27510

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, 2017

Transportation Advisory Board Comments re: Comprehensive Transportation Plan

The Transportation Advisory Board discussed the draft Comprehensive Transportation Plan at the both the January 19th and February 2nd, 2017 meetings. The TAB would like to submit the following comments to the public record:

- E. Main Street from Rosemary to Weaver/Roberson please consider changing crosssection of this road so that it shows two vehicle travel lanes, a center turn lane, and protected bike lanes.
 - The current highway CTP shows that its current cross-section is adequate for the 2040 capacity. The bike and multiuse CTP shows the Campus to Campus Connector along E. Main from Roberson to Lloyd as the only improvement.
- Hillsborough Road from W. Main to N. Greensboro please consider changing the crosssection to show narrower vehicle travel lanes and protected bike lanes. This roadway is heavily travelled by bikes and pedestrians, including many children going to and from Carrboro Elementary.
 - The current highway CTP show that its current cross-section is more than adequate for the 2040 volume. In fact, the Volume over Capacity is only .3 (4,000 vehicles for a capacity of 11,600). This indicates that there is plenty of roadway here to dedicate to bicycles.
- Please consider adding an off-road multiuse path from Carrboro to Hillsborough along Old 86.
- Consider adding an off-road north-south connection from central Carrboro to Chapel Hill High School/Smith Middle School

Transportation Advisory Board Chair

Date