# US 23 Business / South Main Street

Waynesville, NC

# Draft Corridor Report



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### **PROJECT GOALS AND OBJECTIVES**

- Analyze roadway capacity and future travel demand
- Analyze and design intersection improvements
- Analyze and design access from abutting parcels
- Analyze and design pedestrian and bicycle facilities
- Address aesthetics, gateway features
- Obtain community input
- Produce a document that can be used as a blueprint for public

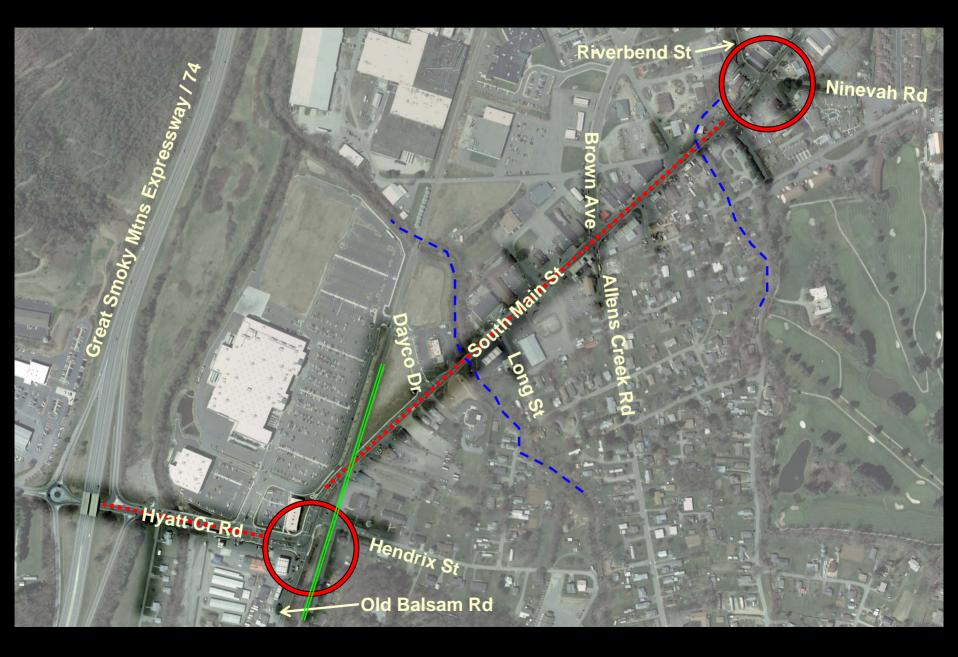
and private sector decisions







### CONTEXT



# THE PROCESS

- Develop a coherent plan for the entire corridor
- Develop a pedestrian-friendly environment
- Research traffic trends and develop a roadway system that accounts for pedestrian and vehicular safety and travel
- Develop principles for stormwater and infrastructure improvements
- Develop better neighborhood connectivity
- Develop a unique streetscape improving the current corridor aesthetic
- Incorporate "Complete Streets" measures







#### TRAFFIC

- Incorporate Left Turn Lanes
- Provide Medians and Safer Travel Lanes
- Street Alignment
- Improve Pedestrian Safety and Traffic Interactions
- Bicycle Lanes



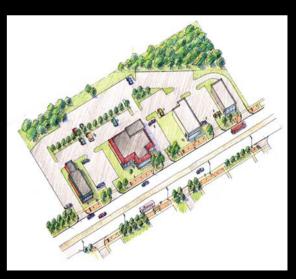




#### PARCELS

- Reconfigure to Compliment Recent LDS
- Consider Pedestrian Orientation
- Consumer focused Retail and Business Opportunities
- Provide for Connectivity between Parcels
- Parcel Orientation Dedicated to Street





#### PEDESTRIAN ACTIVITY

- Improve Edge Conditions
- Provide Sidewalks, Curb & Gutter
- At-Grade RR Crossing
- Sidewalk Planting Strip / Verge
- 2010 Waynesville Comprehensive Pedestrian Plan







#### INFRASTRUCTURE

- Provide Curb and Gutter
- Stream Amenities & Protection
- Bridge Repair / Replacement
- Overhead Utility Coordination







#### LAND USE & ECONOMICS

- Developable Parcel Configurations
- Mixed-Use Development In Alignment With LDS
- Generate Businesses to Support Surrounding Neighborhoods







#### AESTHETICS

- Provide a Distinct Image Placemaking
- Corridor & Town Gateway
- Uniform Landscape Elements
- Pedestrian Amenities





# **DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINES**

Town of Waynesville Land Development Standards - 2011 SHARED PARKING – Shared Parking to Reduce Curb Cuts STREET FRONTAGE – Streetscape Success, Pedestrian Comfort BICYCLE LANES – Provide Dedicated Travel Lanes LANDSCAPE EASEMENT – Landscape Standards / Streetscape Pattern PEDESTRIAN ELEMENTS – Pedestrian Amenities







**GENERAL PARAMETERS** 

- 2035 Build-Out Year
- Used 2% Truck Percentage
- All Left & Right Turn Lanes 100' Minimum Storage
- 11' Wide Travel Lanes
- 5' Bicycle Lanes
- 2' Curb & Gutter
- 14' Medians, 3' @ Turn Lanes
- ROW To Provide Minimum 5' Clear Space or 15' Pedestrian Zone
- No On-Street Parking
- Alignment With Town Street Classification & Design –

**Boulevard / Commercial Street** 

### **CONCEPT 1**

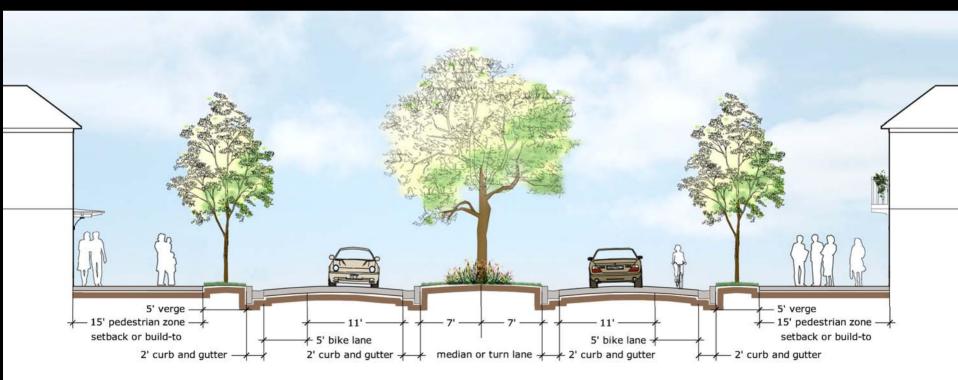


### CONCEPT 2



STANDARD ROAD SECTIONS

94' ROW, 2 Lanes, 2 Bike Lanes



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106' ROW, 4 Lanes, 2 Bike Lanes



#### SOUTH MAIN STREET @ NINEVAH ROAD / RIVERBEND STREET



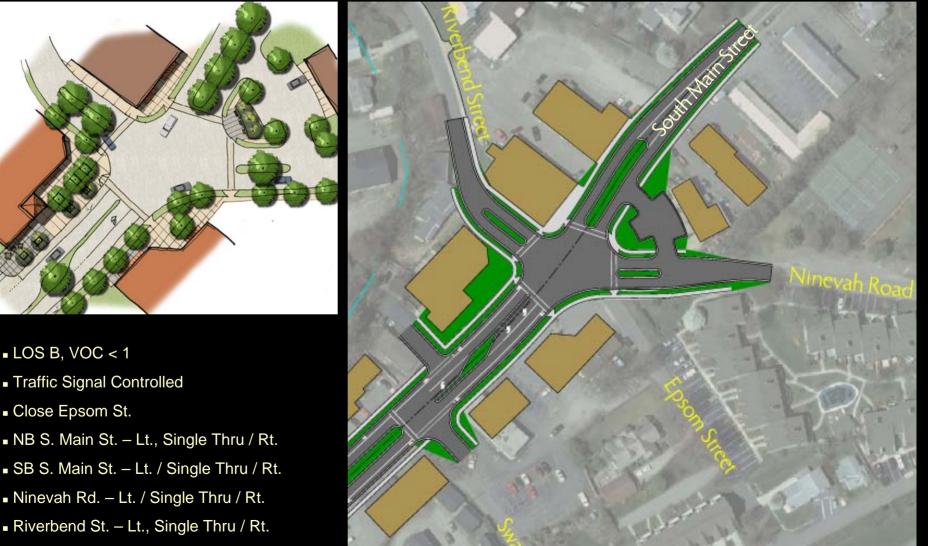
#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS**

- South Main St. ADT 11,500 vehicles
- Ninevah Rd. ADT 2,000 vehicles
- Riverbend St. ADT 500 vehicles
- Level of Service "B" (LOS)
- Volume To Capacity Ratio of Less Than 1 (VOC)
- Overall Intersection Operation
  - > LOS A AM Peak Hour
  - > LOS A PM Peak Hour



#### CONCEPT 1

#### South Main Street @ Ninevah Road / Riverbend Street



Begin/End Designated Bike Lane

#### CONCEPT 2

#### South Main Street @ Ninevah Road / Riverbend Street



- LOS B, VOC > 1
- Roundabout Controlled
- Close Epsom St. Thru
- NB S. Main St. Single
- SB S. Main St. Single
- Ninevah Rd. Single
- Riverbend St. Single
- Begin/End Designated Bike Lane



#### SOUTH MAIN STREET @ ALLENS CREEK ROAD / BROWN AVENUE





#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS**

- South Main St. ADT 12,000 vehicles
- Allens Creek Rd. ADT 4,300 vehicles
- Brown Ave. ADT 5,800 vehicles
- Level of Service "C" (LOS)
- Angled Intersection
- Volume To Capacity Ratio of Less Than 1 (VOC)
- Overall Intersection Operation
  - > LOS B AM Peak Hour
  - LOS C PM Peak Hour

#### CONCEPT 1

#### South Main Street @ Allens Creek Rd / Brown Ave



- LOS B, VOC < 1
- Traffic Signal Controlled
- NB S. Main St. Lt., Single Thru / Rt.
- SB S. Main St. Lt., Single Thru / Rt.
- Brown Ave. Lt., Single Thru, Rt.
- Allens Creek Rd. Lt., Single Thru, Rt.

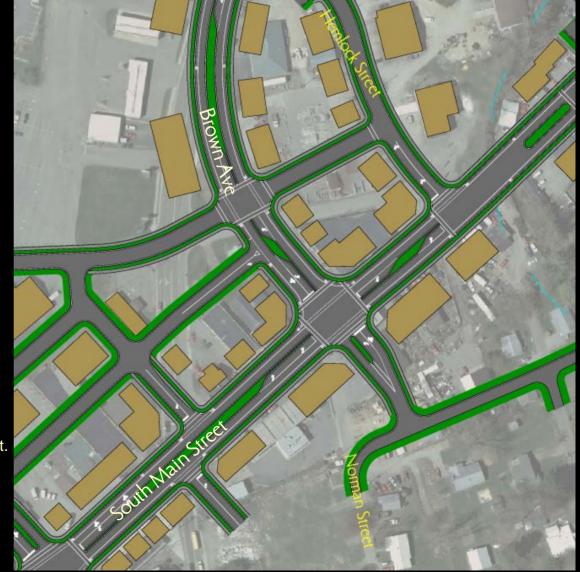


#### CONCEPT 2

South Main Street @ Brown Ave.



- LOS B / C
- Traffic Signal Controlled
- Shift Brown Ave. North 300', 90° Intersection
- NB S. Main St. Lt. (200' Storage), Single Thru, Rt.
- SB S. Main St. Lt., Single Thru / Rt.
- Brown Ave. Lt., Potential Thru / Rt.
- Norman St. New Connection / Development Rd.



#### CONCEPT 2

#### South Main Street @ Allens Creek Rd.



- LOS B / C
- Traffic Signal Controlled
- Shift Allens Creek Rd. South 300'
- NB S. Main St. Lt., Single Thru, Rt.
- SB S. Main St. Lt. (125' Storage), Single Thru
- Allens Creek Rd. Lt., Thru / Rt.
- 90° Intersection Aligns with George Drive



#### SOUTH MAIN STREET @ DAYCO DRIVE / HARDEE'S



#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS**

- South Main St. ADT 12,500 vehicles
- Old Town Bank Private Development Road
- Level of Service "C" (LOS)
- Volume To Capacity Ratio of Less Than 1 (VOC)
- Overall Intersection Operation
  - > LOS A AM Peak Hour
  - > LOS B PM Peak Hour



#### CONCEPT 1

#### South Main Street @ Dayco Drive / Hardee's



- LOS B, VOC < 1
- Traffic Signal Controlled
- NB S. Main St. Lt., Double Thru / Rt.
- SB S. Main St. Lt. / Double Thru / Rt.
- Dayco Dr. Lt. / Single Thru / Rt.
- Old Town Bank Access Lt., Single Thru / Rt.



#### CONCEPT 2

### South Main Street @ Dayco Drive / Hardee's



- LOS C, VOC < 1
- Roundabout Controlled
- NB S. Main St. Double
- SB S. Main St. Double
- Dayco Dr. Double
- Old Town Bank Access Double



#### SOUTH MAIN STREET @ OLD BALSAM ROAD/HYATT CREEK ROAD





#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS**

- South Main St. ADT 14,500 vehicles
- Old Balsam Rd. ADT 8,500 vehicles
- Hyatt Creek Rd. ADT 14,800 vehicles
- Level of Service "B" (LOS)
- Volume To Capacity Ratio of Less Than 1 (VOC)
- Overall Intersection Operation
  - LOS B AM Peak Hour
  - > LOS B PM Peak Hour

#### Concept 1 & 2

#### South Main Street @ Hyatt Creek Rd



- LOS C , VOC < 1
- Traffic Signal Controlled
- SB S. Main St. Rt., Single Thru / Rt.
- Old Balsam Rd. Left, Single Thru
- Hyatt Creek Rd. Double Left, Right (Each 200' Storage)
- Begin/End Designated Bike Lane



#### HYATT CREEK ROAD @ TOWN CENTER LOOP





- Hyatt Creek Rd. ADT 15,400 vehicles
- Level of Service "C" (LOS)
- Volume To Capacity Ratio of Less Than 1 (VOC)
- Overall Intersection Operation
  - LOS A AM Peak Hour
  - LOS B PM Peak Hour



#### Concept 1 & 2

#### Hyatt Creek Rd @ Town Center Loop

- LOS B, VOC < 1
- Traffic Signal Controlled
- EB Hyatt Creek Rd. Single Left (200' Storage),
  Single Thru / Right (DROP 1 LEFT LANE)
- WB Hyatt Creek Rd. Left, Thru, Thru / Right
- Waynesville Commons Access Left / Thru, Right
- Gas Station Left, Thru / Right



# **CORRIDOR CONCLUSIONS**

### **Project Schedule:**

- 1. Project Interview, Kick-Off Meeting and Work Sessions July 28, 2011
- 2. Site Analysis, Programming and Use Patterns 6 Weeks
- 3. Work Session #1 Charette #1 September 21/22, 2011
- 4. Refinement of Alternatives 5 Weeks
- 5. Stakeholder Meeting / Planning Board End December
- 6. Preparation of Refined Master Plan and Corridor Study 6 Weeks
- 7. Final Corridor Study Presentation End February / Beginning March