



**Design Concept Report (DCR) and Environmental Overview (EO)  
Project Newsletter**

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**Project Kickoff**

In 2013, the City of Prescott and ADOT conducted the [Sundog Connector Corridor Study](#). This project follows up that study by preparing a conceptual design for further consideration.

On May 10th our project's Technical Advisory Team and chosen consultant, AECOM, met to kickoff this project and identify critical community stakeholders.

Stakeholders identified for this project include representatives from HOAs, local planning agencies, community and affinity interest groups, emergency response, and area businesses.

**Why We Engage Stakeholders in Our Planning Process**

**Provide Expertise**

Stakeholders are a wealth of knowledge about current processes, historical information, and industry insight.

**Reduce and Uncover Risks and Challenges**

Identifying obstacles and developing a mitigation plan will dramatically increase the success of our project. Involving knowledgeable stakeholders during this process will help.

**Increase Project Success**

Getting buy-in by engaging stakeholders early and often, we have a better chance of meeting needs and expectations of the design concept.

**Q: What is a Design Concept Report?**

**A:** A DCR

records the design concepts for major aspects of the project that might be worth developing as detailed designs. This DCR will take place over the next 18 months.

**Fast Facts**

**2 Ends Constructed:**

- Year 2000 @ E SR 69 near Home Depot
- Year 2010 @ Prescott Lakes Parkway

**Study Area:** 3.5 total mi.

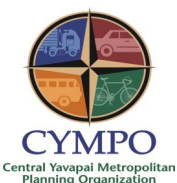
**Public Involvement**

Stakeholders and the public are different subsets and require different communication strategies. To help engage and educate the public, CYMPO and AECOM will hold two public meetings and provide frequent information and updates through various means including social media, direct mail, this newsletter and more. Stay Tuned!

**Anticipated Project Timeline**

Work Effort	Schedule
CYMPO selects AECOM as project consultant	April 2021
Project Kick-off	May 10, 2022
AECOM publishes and distributes Public Involvement Plan to CYMPO	May 2022
Traffic Counts	May 2022
Stakeholder Workshop #1	June 2022
Existing & Future Conditions Analysis (Task 2)	May - August 2022
<b>Public Outreach Meeting #1 (Purpose and Need)</b>	August 2022 (End of Summer)
Alternatives Development & Evaluation (Task 3)	September 2022 – March 2023
Stakeholder Workshop #2	November 2022
<b>Public Outreach Meeting #2 (Alternatives and Recommended)</b>	February 2023
Project Technical Advisory Committee (STAC) Concurrence on Recommended Alternative	March 2023
Prepare Draft and Final DCR and EO	April –September 2023
Draft DCR and EO / Agency Concurrence on the Preferred	June 2023
Final DCR and EO	September 2023
Present Preferred Alternative to CYMPO Executive Board	September 2023

*\*Any changes to the timeline will be communicated as soon as possible*



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