

**City of Rancho Cordova
Special City Council Meeting**

Tuesday, March 29, 2005

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Cooley called the meeting to order at 5:37 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Council Members Budge, McGarvey, Sander, Skoglund, and Mayor Cooley

Staff Present: Gaebler, Junker, Abhar, Olea-Moger, Lindgren

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

1. Public Comment – Items Not on the Agenda

None

Study Session

2. **Subject:** Total Community Pathway Connectivity System
Recommendation: Conduct study session.

OUTCOMES: Participants discussed adequacy of general approach to pathway system for the Draft City Trails and Bikeway Plan, the gaps or additional improvements to be added to the pathway system, and what might be included in the Capital Improvement Plan. The group had strong preference for grade separations in crossings for bike paths. Also, agreement was reached to use the acronym of PTOS for Parks, Trails, and Open Space standards rather than OSPT (Open Space, Parks & Trails).

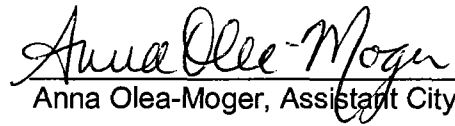
3. **Subject:** Traffic and Transit Circulation Plan and Roadway Fee Nexus Study
Recommendation: Receive staff report on traffic and transit circulation elements of the General Plan and direct staff to prepare a Draft Transportation Master Plan that will serve as the basis for the Traffic Impact Mitigation Fee study for new developments.

OUTCOMES: Participants discussed service level of roadway system, proposed roadway sizing, grade separation locations, and intersections with special treatment. The pros and cons of changing the proposed roadway service level classification from Service Level E to Service Level D were reviewed. Until the intersection impact from such a change is presented, no definitive conclusion was reached. The group agreed that Elk Grove /El Dorado County connector route is crucial to traffic and transit circulation mitigation to the traffic impact from new development. The City will pursue collaborating with the City of Folsom, City of Elk Grove, Sacramento County, and El Dorado County on this project.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 10:47 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Anna Olea-Moger, Assistant City Clerk