



May 8, 2006

Dear Property Owner,

We would like to invite you to the second set of neighborhood meetings (Set B) for the planning phase of the Steptoe Street Extension Community Project. The meetings will be held on Wednesday, May 17 and Thursday, May 18, 2006 from 7:00 – 9:00 PM in Rooms E and F of the Three Rivers Convention Center at 7016 W. Grandridge Blvd. in Kennewick. Please choose the evening that works best for you.

The purpose of the meetings is to provide an opportunity for residents along the Steptoe Street extension project area to view and discuss potential roadway options under consideration by the Cities of Kennewick and Richland. The options under consideration were developed as 10% design possibilities based on suggestions and comments from residents attending the previous neighborhood meetings (Set A) or writing to the comments page of the project website (www.steptoestreet.com), or leaving a message on the information line (539-9035).

The meeting agenda is as follows:

7:00 PM – 7:45 PM Open House – Opportunity to visit each of the five stations focused on topic areas: *Noise, Lighting/Visual, Right of Way/Traffic, Environmental, and Potential Roadway Designs*. Project team members will be at each station to answer questions and record information discussed. Attendees are also encouraged to record their comments or questions on a comment board at each station.

7:45 PM – 8:15 PM There will be a brief, 5 minute presentation relative to each of the stations. Please hold questions and ask them at the stations during the open house again at 8:15 PM.

8:15 PM – 9:00 PM Open House – Opportunity to visit each of the five stations and ask questions.

This is a conceptual (10% complete) design meeting and only one of many opportunities that will be provided for you to participate in the planning phase of this project during 2006.

If you have any questions, please call the Steptoe Street Extension Project Information Line at 539-9035 or visit the project web-site at www.steptoestreet.com.

Sincerely,

Steve Plummer,
City of Kennewick Project Engineer