

Hello,

My name is Victor Musselman and I live in southwest Portland within the boundary of the Ashcreek Neighborhood Association. I would like to comment on the importance of a couple projects proposed in the Portland Transportation Systems Plan.

I would suggest that it is imperative that three projects be moved from the “unconstrained” list to the “constrained” list: Project 90064, West Portland SW Capitol Hwy. and Barbur Blvd; project 90011, SW 64<sup>th</sup> and Barbur Blvd.; and project 90033, the commercial centers of Garden Home and Multnomah Village. I also think it would be much more cost effective if project 90033 was re-scoped to remove the proposed construction of sidewalks and storm water drainage systems along SW Garden Home Rd. between SW 45<sup>th</sup> Ave. and SW Multnomah Blvd and replace with walkable ditches-to-swales. These improvements were identified in an agreement between PBOT and the Ashcreek Neighborhood Association on June 13, 2012.

One final request is that you give very strong consideration to re-configuring the intersection of SW garden Home Rd. and Multnomah Blvd and adding a traffic light. This intersection is very dangerous and growing more and more congested.

Thank you for your time and consideration reading my comments! I sincerely believe the improvements I have suggested will make a safer and more liveable area in SW Portland.

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