



NOTICE OF AGENDA

PUBLIC MEETING

Transportation Master Plan

March 27, 2017 12:00 PM

City Council Chambers

305 3rd Avenue East Twin Falls, ID 83301

Committee Name

Transportation Master Plan

Committee:

**Brady Dickinson Blaine Patterson Cindy Schmidt Dane Higdem James Pennington John Howard
Kevin Grey Sarah Harris**

Staff:

Mayor Shawn Barigar

Travis Rothweiler

Jackie Fields

Lori Williamson

Rob Ramsey: Civil Science

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

1. Confirmation of quorum
2. Introduction of staff

II. CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. Approval of Minutes from the following meeting (s): January 23, 2017

III. ITEMS OF DISCUSSION:

1. Stakeholder Interview Results
2. Roundtable Topics
3. Existing Traffic Conditions
4. Website
5. Schedule and Next Steps

IV. PUBLIC INPUT AND/OR ITEMS FROM THE COMMISSION/THE PUBLIC/CITY STAFF

V. UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Next public meeting to be scheduled for Monday April 24, 2017

VI. ADJOURN MEETING:

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STAKEHOLDER INTERVIEW REPORT

What is the purpose of the Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan?

The Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan is a tool used by the City of Twin Falls to articulate the transportation vision through 2040, and to provide a basis for effective design, operation, maintenance, and funding of the transportation system. The Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan is part of the City's Comprehensive plan.

Stakeholder Interview Description

Stakeholder interviews were telephone discussions held with individuals that have a significant interest in the Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan. Stakeholder interviews allow the City of Twin Falls to learn about transportation issues from the interviewees' perspective. They are an invaluable tool to help the City of Twin Falls to identify issues to be discussed in future Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan outreach activities. Each telephone interview lasted approximately 30 – 45 minutes.

Interviews were conducted by Lynda Friesz-Martin, Lynda Friesz Public Relations, Inc. 12 interviews were conducted asking the following questions:

- What problem or problems do you see that the Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan needs to solve?
- What opportunities do you want the plan to capture?
- In your words, what exactly do you consider is the most important issue the plan should address?
- What issues do you see as having less importance?
- In your opinion, what do you think is good about the current transportation system?
 - What could be better?
 - Is anything perfect?
- What do you see as major hindrances to this effort?
- Are you able to say what you consider *"must have"*, *"should have"*, *"nice to have"*, *"awesome to have"* at this stage?
- Tell me about your current driving experiences. Are driving conditions too fast, too slow, too busy, etc.?
- Are there specific roads you think need to be wider?
- What are your thoughts on pedestrian, bicycle, and transit accessibility?
- Are there any lessons you have learned from previous transportation plans?
- What are the three things you like most about living here?
- In the future, what is the one thing you would most like to change about your community?
- What are the one or two puzzles the plan must solve?
- Are there any environmental issues the plan should address?
- Is there anything we haven't asked you that we should have asked?

Several re-occurring themes surfaced:

- Blue Lakes Boulevard is congested and left turns should not be allowed
- Twin Falls is not bike and pedestrian friendly
- A designated truck route is needed to get trucks to factories in the southern part of the city
- Public transportation options need to be considered
- Several roads need to be widened

Interviewees liked the following about their community:

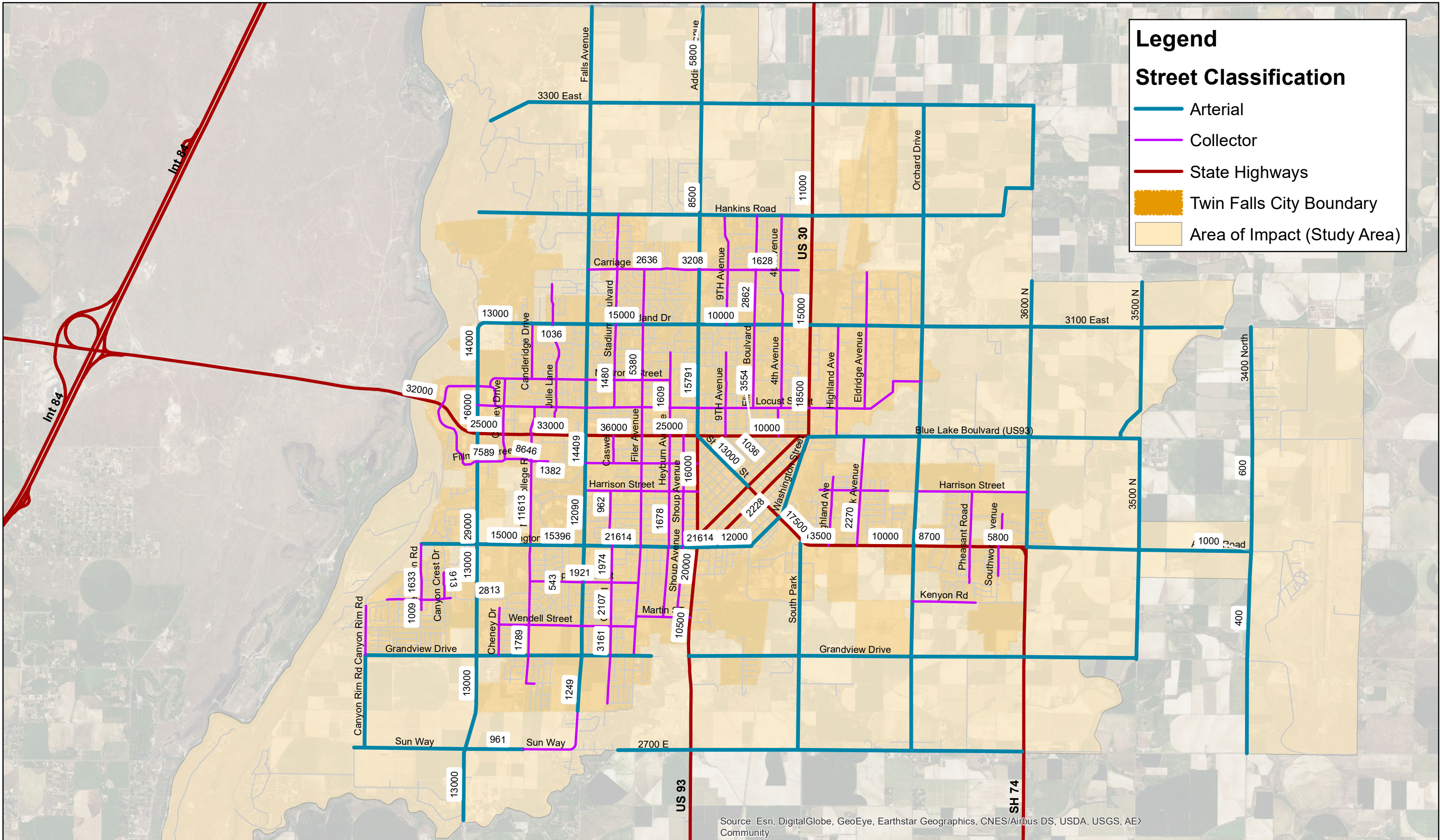
- Easy access to the outdoor recreation

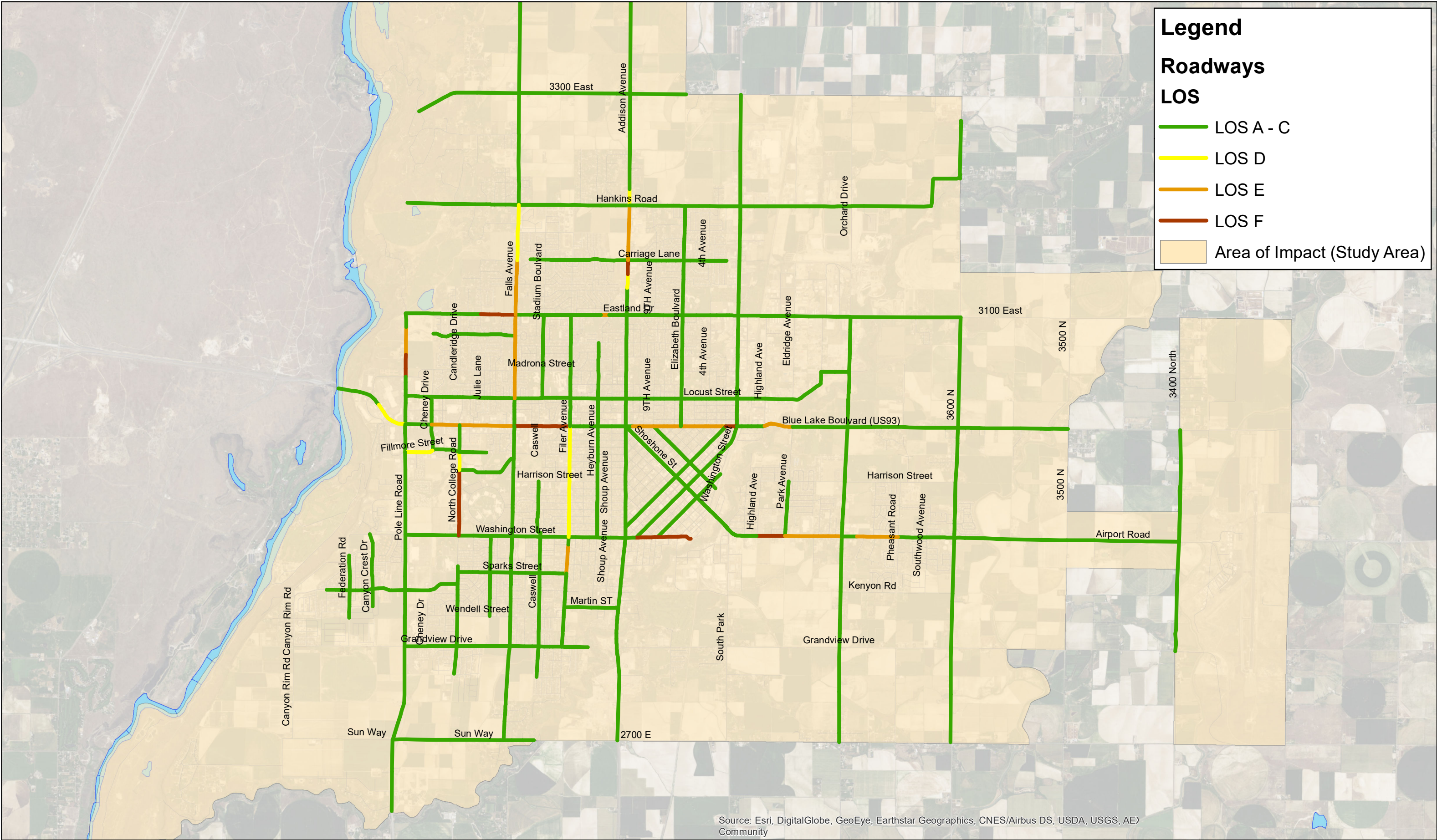


- Easy to get around
- Safe
- Accessible
- Small town feel
- Proactive about gaining citizen input
- Friendly people
- College of Southern Idaho is an asset

Table 1 — Stakeholders Interviewed

DATE/TIME	ORGANIZATION	CONTACT INFORMATION
March 2, 2017 – 10 am	Kenny Stagemeyer Falls Brand	208-733-0980 kenny@falsbrand.com
March 3, 2017 – 10 am	Zeze Rwasama CSI Refugee Program	208-736-2166 zrwasama@refugeecenter.csi.edu
March 3, 2017 – 11 am	Brad Willis Southern Idaho Economic Development	208-420-0314 bradw@southernidaho.org
March 3, 2017 – 1 pm	Brady Dickenson Twin Falls School District	208-733-6900 dickinsonbr@tfsd.org
March 3, 2017 – 2 pm	Lynn Baird and Jim Holm Trans IV	208-736-2133 transiv@cablone.net
March 14, 2017 – 2 pm	Shell Howard Magic Valley Trails	208-736-2190 ext 3886 mtnwater@outlook.com
March 16, 2017 – 9 am	Brian Lancaster, Dave Burgess, and Melissa Beck	208-733-4062 bylancaster@twinfallshd.org
March 16, 2017 – 10 am	Janette Roe Twin Falls Senior Center	208-734-5084 jroe@tfseniorcenter.com
March 17, 2017 – 9 am	Jim Munn and Doug Maughan CSI Safety CSI Public Information Officer	208-732-6262 jmun@csi.edu dmaughan@csi.edu
March 17, 2017 – 10 am	Dane Higdem Glanbia USA	208-735-4664 dhigdem@glanbiausa.com
March 27, 2017 – 10 am	Lisa Hollibaugh Director of Operations	208-814-0010 LisaHo@slhs.org

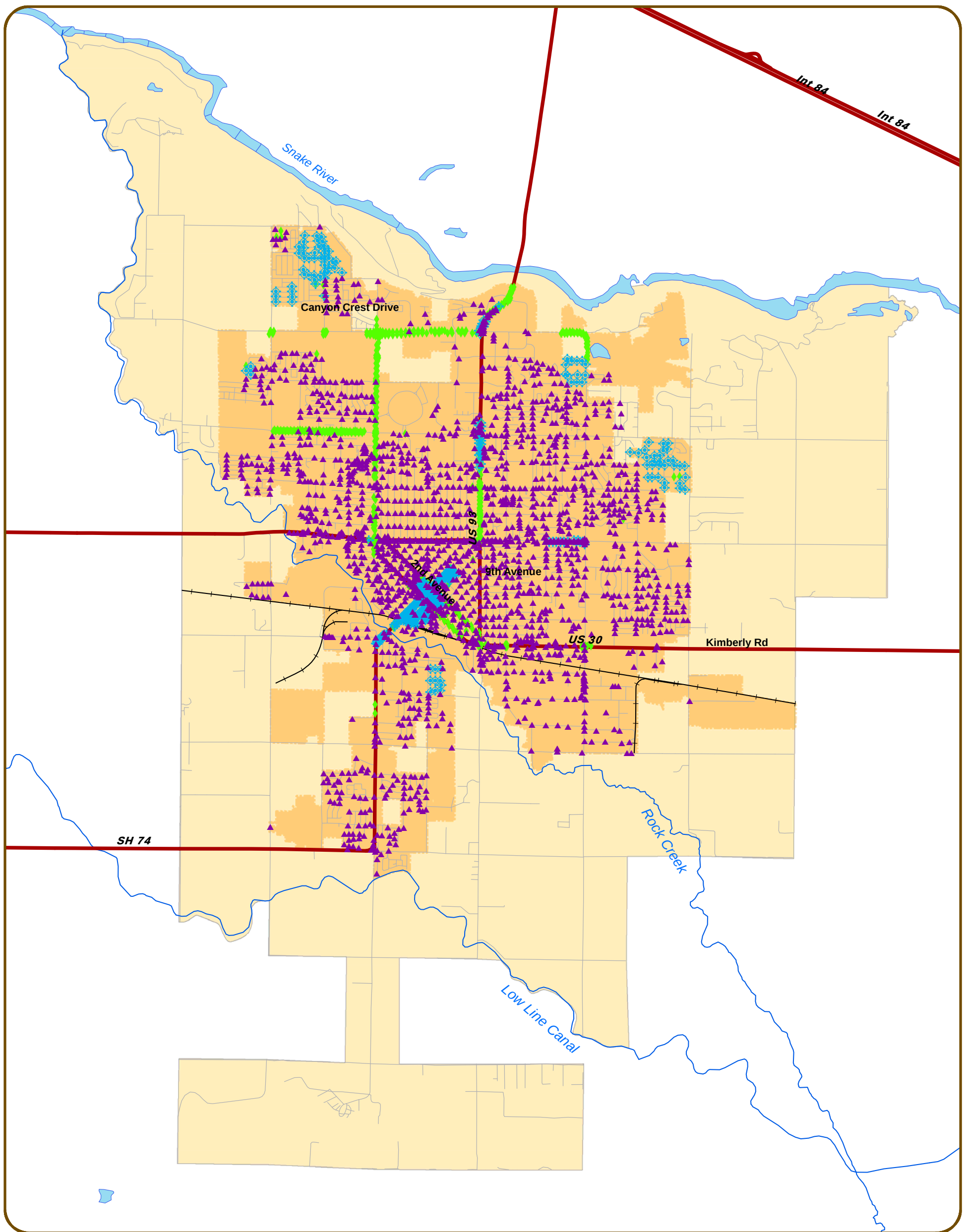




Twin Falls City

Transportation Master Plan

Existing Street Lighting





IPCOLights

DecorativeLights

CityStreetLights

Legend



State Highways

Twin Falls City Boundary

Area of Impact (Study Area)





Level of Service A



Level of Service B



Level of Service C



Level of Service D



Level of Service E



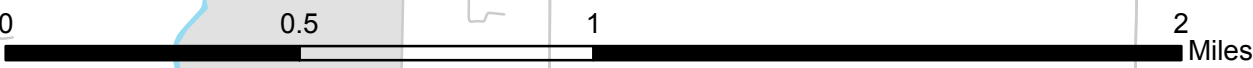
Level of Service F

City of Twin Falls, ID
Asset - Sidewalks

Sidewalks

Type

- Asphalt
- Concrete
- Paver
- Roads
- Water
- Twin Falls City



trans map

3366 Riverside Dr Ste 103 | Upper Arlington, Ohio 43221
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Members in attendance: Dickinson, Schmidt, Pennington, Howard, Grey, Harris

Staff in attendance: Rothweiler, Fields, Wonderlich, Vitek, Williamson

Consultant: Rob Ramsey from Civil Science

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

1. Confirmation of quorum
2. Introduction of staff

II. CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. No previous minutes for Approval

III. ITEMS OF DISCUSSION:

1. Introduction of Committee Members/Staff
2. Confirmation of Regular Meeting Schedule
3. Review of Idaho Open Meetings Act- City Attorney Fritz Wonderlich
4. Review of City Policy of Transparency- City Manager Travis Rothweiler
5. Brief-Overview of the contract, general outline of the Plan's development
6. Roundtable composition-ideas for who should be invited and other comments on outreach

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Jackie Fields spoke to the committee; the committee introduced themselves their occupations and their interest in being there. Jackie then introduced the staff. There was also discussion on the meeting day and time for the meeting, unanimous decision was to have this meeting every fourth Monday from 12-1.

Fritz Wonderlich City Attorney discussed the public meeting law with the committee.

Travis Rothweiler City Manager discussed transparency and the state legal requirements & penalties that could be associated with open meeting laws with the committee; he referenced Resolution No. 1912, which is the Transparency in City Government Resolution.

Rob Ramsey from Civil Science spoke to the committee and explained his role; Rob handed out a brief outline of the Twin Falls Transportation Master Plan and discussed this with the committee.

The committee talk about Public outreach, such as Stakeholder interviews; there were several suggestions as to whom they could call on for some interest for this project. There was also discussion on Community interests and whom they could call on for this project. Rob provided a handout with a general outline for the Transportation Master Plan. A copy of the outline is attached.

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