

Council President Cynthia D. Borrego, MPA, District 5

Dear District 5 Community Members,

I am following up on the flyer I recently sent you regarding the Complete Streets Planning Study on Taylor Ranch/Golf Course Road, between Montaño Road and Westside Boulevard. I created the Taylor Ranch-Golf Course Complete Street Study and allocated \$118,000 through City Council Resolution-20-118, to craft viable community solutions for this District 5 primary corridor. Working with the Mid-Region Council of Government has been my pleasure and an interagency working group has been formed to include the City of Albuquerque's Department of Municipal Development, the City Department of Parks and Recreation, The County of Bernalillo, The City of Rio Rancho, The Albuquerque Metropolitan Flood Control Authority and The New Mexico Department of Transportation. With your input and the expertise of this interagency committee we will be able to inventory Taylor Ranch-Golf Course Rd.'s existing conditions, identify safety concerns, document gaps in the pedestrian and bicycle networks, and present recommendations for future roadway improvements, as well as recommend character enhancements along the corridor.

I would encourage you to participate in the study's public meetings on August 5th and October 21st, and may I also express my gratitude in advance for any input you may provide (for details, go to: https://www.cabq.gov/council/find-your-councilor/district-5/complete-streets-planning-study-on-taylor-ranch-road-and-golf-course-road). As your City Council District 5 Councilor and neighbor, I am well aware of a number of traffic safety and congestion hazards pertaining to traffic on Taylor Ranch/Golf Course Rd. and throughout District 5. Also, having served many years as a professional planner, I am cognizant of the great potential Golf Course Rd. offers to exemplify an important community corridor, one that efficiently moves traffic and provides a link for cyclists and pedestrians to stroll along and connect to the unique park and open spaces found in Council District 5.

Thank you for all you do for your neighborhood and I look forward to working with you on furthering the wonderful community that is our Northwest Mesa.

Albuquerque City Council President

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