

April 11, 2023 - Design Review Meeting #12



Meeting Summary

Project: Arlington Avenue Bridges	Date: April 11, 2023, 1 PM
Topic: Design Review Committee – Meeting #12 • Utility Updates • Environmental Updates/Commitments • 60% Review Comments / 90% Design Updates • Schedule	Location: Virtual - Microsoft Teams Conference Call

Participants

Judy Tortelli – RTC Project Manager	Michael Dulude - RTC
Matt Brezina – City of Reno Parks and Rec	Doug Maloy - RTC Engineering Manager
David Hutchinson - City of Reno Traffic	Barb Santner – Stantec
Kurt Dietrich – City of Reno	Jeffrey Grob – Stantec
Joe Coudriet – City of Reno Hydraulics	John L'Etoile – NDOT, Landscape & Aesthetics
Tim Hendricks – City of Reno, Manager Street Maintenance	Robbie Coomes – Jacobs Bridge Lead
Eric Scheetz – Washoe County TRFMA	
Peter Fleischmann- FHWA	Manville Strand – Jacobs Roadway Design
Julie Trumpoldt – Jacobs, Roadway Design	Paul Brown, NV Energy
Steve Lewis – AT&T	Dale Keller - RTC Director of Engineering
Calvin Black – Jacobs, Hydraulic Modeling	Sara Going - RTC
Kelly Webster – NV Energy, Gas	Khalil Wilson - City of Reno Engineering Manager
Theresa Jones – City of Reno	Eric Yount– NDOT Hydraulics
Chief Dave Cochran - Reno Fire	Kelly Petersdorf – City of Reno Andrew Stanford - City of Reno, Operation & Maintenance

DRC Members not in attendance:

Kerrie Koski - City of Reno, City Engineer	Chad Matty – FHWA, Bridge Engineer
Trina Magoon - City of Reno	Kayla Dowty - CTWCD
Kaci Stansbury – Jacobs Project Manager	Andrea Gutierrez - FHWA
Emilee Edginton – Jacobs	Jim Clarke - Jacobs
Travis Truhill - City of Reno, Maintenance	Joe Couto - PSREC
Ryan Bird – City of Reno	Jason Mortensen - Charter
Bryan Heller – City of Reno	Armando Grajeda - Charter
Laura Meyer – Jacobs Environmental	Rex Dalen - Charter
Benjamin Eide-Hughes - NV Energy, Electric	Clifford Cooper – AT&T
Chris Young – NDOT, Environmental	Phil Braum - Zayo

John L'Etoile – NDOT, Landscape & Aesthetics	Manuel Valencia - Zayo
Jessen Mortensen – NDOT Bridge	Steve Volk - TMWA
Dan Doenges – RTC Director of Planning	Becca Epstein – TMWA
Brandon Jacome - Verizon	Thomas Speer - TMWA
Nicole Felley - Verizon	Brad Enea, Century Link / Lumen
Phil Kanegsberg - NDOT	Marlo Shelton, Lumen
Kayann Jongasma, Jacobs, Drainage	Megan Burner – CoR, Arts Culture & Events

Attachments:

Arlington Avenue Bridges Aesthetic Stakeholder Working Group #12 PowerPoint Slides

Discussion Items

1. Introduction
 - a. Judy Tortelli welcomed the group and started the 12th design review meeting.
2. Utility Coordination
 - a. Judy is preparing letters for the utility companies
 - b. Kaci will provide utility specific information for individual letters and will get sent out next week
3. Environmental Update and Commitments
 - a. Section 408 for overall project to be submitted next week; there are a few updates being made to the hydraulic model based on CTWCD review
 - b. NDEP 401 Certification - Preplanning meeting scheduled for 4/13 with Zack Carter – Geotechnical Boring
4. 60% Review Comments
 - a. City of Reno provided this morning
 - i. Fire truck turning movements still owed to City
 - (Kaci provided AutoTurn movements to Khalil with DRAFT design exception memo on 4/15)
 - ii. Drainage specific review meeting requested by Teresa; Joe and Teresa have not provided any comments yet; hope to provide by 4/18
 - iii. Will coordinate discipline specific comment review mtgs with City, Khalil thinks Park specific meeting may also be necessary
 - iv. Joe C. asked about Kayak Park, if specific report for; Judy explained RTC hired them directly, they are catching up, need survey when water levels allow, will catch up at 90% submittal
 - v. Joe C. asked about Kayak Park timing and contractor; Judy explained RTC will include the Kayak Park plans as part of the Arlington Project and work will be done at the same time by the same contractor.
 - vi. Khalil asked about review of bridges – does CoR need to hire a review consultant?
 - Jessen at NDOT has reviewed, and will continue to review
 - Independent QC of bridge final design is part of Jacobs rigorous QC process
 - b. TRFMA
 - i. Eric Scheetz: The project is NOT financially partnered with TRFMA
 - ii. TRFMA has just providing reviews and comments
 - iii. Teresa and Joe from CoR, and Judy/RTC, requested comments on 60% submittal from TRFMA
 - c. NDOT
 - i. John L'Etoile needs a new link to download the plans (old one expired) (Robbie sent 4/11 after the meeting)
 - ii. Will provide comments in 1 week
5. 90% Design Updates

- a. Formliner
 - i. Robbie asked if Public Art Input is still desired, if so we need to reach out to Megan Berner (City of Reno)
 - ii. Judy responded Yes, we have discussed formliner internally and Barb S. will reach out to begin coordination with Megan
 - iii. Judy is requesting formliner decision by the end of the year (90% submittal beginning of October)
 - iv. Judy says to keep the center pier formliner we have rendered, this will provide a baseline for the public artists to coordinate with.
 - v. Artists need to have formliner experience; invite Vicki Scuri, Siteworks, (who did formliners for Meadowood Mall Interchange
 - vi. Graffiti coating is required (no color); works well on Virginia Street Bridge
 - b. Utilities and Lighting Design In Progress
 - c. Bridge Design
 - i. Railing needs to be removal (Matt Brezenia wants it removable for floods)
 - ii. Structural details all in progress
 - d. Trees
 - i. Meeting with City of Reno arborist on 4/13
 - ii. Judy reminded team that the tree comments need to be included on the 60% review comment log
6. Schedule Update
- a. Judy putting together the next public meeting presentation; will meet with City of Reno, NDOT, and FHWA with draft presentation for review comment at end of April;
 - b. Presentation posted mid/late May for 30 days minimum
 - c. May 9th DRC will include review of design exceptions and drainage concepts (provided to DRC members on 5/2)
 - d. '25 - '26 construction
 - e. Kaci reported that the next public meeting will be in April as a virtual meeting.
 - f. Kaci said the agency coordination meeting will also be held in April.
 - g. The 90% is scheduled to be submitted beginning of October 2023.
7. Mid-Block Crossing
- a. Sara Going's review comment; will set up meeting to discuss with City of Reno, David Hutchinson and Kurt Dietrich
8. Traffic Report
- a. Sharan has updated to include verbiage about pedestrian circulation based on 30% review comments.
 - b. Will resubmit to CoR and NDOT once mid-block crossing option is determined.

Meeting started at 1:00 PM

Meeting Adjourned at 2:00 PM