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TRAFFIC SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES March 13, 2015

In attendance:

Jerry Lehman
Dan Dorrell
Mike Kuntz
Julie Slaughter

Ashland Citizen Representative
Oregon Department of Transportation
Jackson County Roads
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Mike Kuntz called the meeting to order at 9:45 a.m.

Minutes from the February 13, 2015 meeting were approved as submitted.

Jerry Lehman

- I-5 Exit 14 Northbound On ramp – There is now striping on the northbound on ramp. It’s working real well.
- East Main Street Bridge – The deck of the bridge is full of potholes. Mike will send the bridge crew out to check on it. (It was later determined the bridge deck was ODOT’s responsibility. ODOT is aware and will be taking action.)
- Highway 66 – Storm washed out a large section of asphalt on Highway 66 southwest of Neil Creek Bridge. ODOT has been working on it this week.

Catherine Hendrichs

- Medical Center Drive and Barnett Road – There was a rollover accident at this location. She wanted Alex to be aware for pedestrian safety.
- Highway 66 – A resident asked about work being done on Highway 62. Was it an emergency? Citizen was wondering about notification of residents because of possible delays. Mike responded there was no date provided. We would need that in order to provide a correct answer. It may have been after the storm. It would have been emergency repairs. There was also no exact location given. There was a slide below Tyler Creek and Neil Creek Bridge was flooded and completely impassable. Dan responded also that it was probably emergency repairs after the storm. The road washed out under the asphalt to the fog line.

Dan Dorrell

- North Phoenix Road – The road will be closed next Friday through Sunday to prepare for the signal start up. It will be turned on at midnight Sunday night. This is weather dependent.

- Fern Valley Road – Project is going well.
- Sardine Creek Bridge Project – Project is complete. Mike Burch completed speed zone investigation. He established the 85th percentile. They will now meet with Gold Hill citizen representatives to get some speeds changed in the area.
- City of Phoenix – The jurisdictional transfer has been completed City of Phoenix has jurisdiction over a portion of Highway 99 within the City of Phoenix. They will bring their new downtown plan this summer.

Mike Kuntz

- McKee Covered Bridge – Project is now complete and open to pedestrian traffic.

Meeting Adjourned: 10:52 a.m.

Next Meeting: April 10, 2015 9:30 a.m.