Community Workshop #1

Welcome and Introductions

Dan Harelson, Idaho Transportation Department
Today’s agenda

• Introduce the Pocatello Ave/ I-86B intersection project and provide background information
• Learn your issues and concerns with the project and identify suggested improvements
• Explain next steps in the project

Project overview

ITD’s goal for this project is to:
• Improve safety and traffic flow at the Pocatello Ave/I-84B Intersection
• Involve the community in the design process
Process and schedule

Community workshops are planned for March, Summer 2018 and Winter 2018/2019.

- Range of improvements: Spring 2018
- Preliminary design: Spring/summer 2018
- Final design: Fall 2018
- Construction: 2021

Design Considerations – Current Conditions

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AADT = Annual Average Daily Traffic
DHV = Design Hour Volume
LOS = Level of Service

Current and future traffic volumes support the addition of a signal.
Design Considerations – Current Conditions

Crash History
• 4 crashes between 2007 and 2016 at Pocatello Avenue
• 27 crashes at Fort Hall; 10 with injuries
• 6 crashes at Hillcrest; one with serious injuries

Design Considerations
• Commercial Traffic
• Oversize Vehicles

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CDHV = Commercial Design Hour Volume
Design Considerations — Community Gateway

Community Input

• What is functioning well at the intersection?
• What does not function well at the intersection?
• What intersection improvements would you suggest?
• Do you have any other questions or comments?
Thank you!

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Next meeting:  
Summer 2018