MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Eric Mongan, City Planner

SUBJECT:

COTTAGE GROVE PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE PLAN ADVISORY

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT

DATE:

January 18, 2023

Background

The City of Cottage Grove has received a Transportation Growth Management (TGM) Grant from the Oregon Department of Transportation Department (ODOT) Grant to study the City's current pedestrian and bicycle infrastructure to identify opportunity areas for capital improvements within the existing street/right-of-way system, Development Code amendments, and to establish a complete streets approach to right-of-way development for current and future right-of-ways within the City. Once completed it will be adopted as a refinement plan to the 2015 Transportation Systems Plan and Transportation section of the Cottage Grove Comprehensive Plan.

An Advisory Committee, comprised of representatives from City Council, Planning Commission, Urban Forestry Committee, South Lane School District, Consultants from HDR and ODOT, community stakeholders, and others, will help guide this planning process with the assistance of consultants from HDR and ODOT. The Advisory Committee meetings will begin in February 2023, and be concluded by summer of 2024.

Recommendation

That two City Councilors be appointed to represent the City Council on the Cottage Grove Pedestrian and Bicycle Plan Advisory Committee.

Cost

None

Richard Meyers, City Manager

Eric Mongan, City Planner