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Arapahoe County hosting Bike and Pedestrian Master Plan Meetings *Community invited to attend open houses April 4 and 6*

LITTLETON, CO – Arapahoe County has been working on the development of a Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan since May 2016 and has inventoried existing conditions, developed vision and goals and conducted extensive public outreach to inform the development of a draft bicycle and pedestrian network for the County.

The final plan will result in a comprehensive system of on-street and trail facilities that safely connects neighborhoods and destinations and encourages walking and bicycling for travel and recreation. The plan covers both the incorporated and unincorporated portions of the County and is being developed in close coordination with all local municipalities. The final plan will serve as a guide for constructing bicycle and pedestrian network improvements over time.

The second round of public meetings will be held April 4 and 6 to present the comprehensive vision for on-street bicycle facilities, sidewalks and trails across the County. The draft network is based on public input from the project's online public commenting tool, an online survey, a Telephone Town Hall (June 2016), public meetings (December 2016) and outreach at special events. The draft bicycle and pedestrian network builds on existing plans from local municipalities to ensure continuity and to create a comprehensive vision for the County.

We need to hear from you – the users of the bicycle and pedestrian facilities in the County - to ensure the draft bicycle and pedestrian network meets your needs and the community's vision. The project team will refine the network for incorporation into the final plan after the public meetings and create a phased implementation plan. After the draft plan is reviewed by the public, the final plan will be presented to the Board of County Commissioners for adoption.

Two public meetings will be held in April, each providing the same content.

Western Arapahoe County Public Meeting

Tuesday, April 4

5 – 7 p.m.

Carson Nature Center, 3000 W. Carson Dr., Littleton 80120

Eastern Arapahoe County Public Meeting

Thursday, April 6

5 – 7 p.m.

Arapahoe County Fairgrounds, 25690 E. Quincy Ave., Aurora, CO 80016

Visit www.arapahoebikeped.com to learn more about the project, to view past meeting materials, and to join the project mailing list. We have had great community input to date, and we hope that you will continue to participate in the process.

For specific Arapahoe County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan project information, please contact the County's project manager, Ray Winn, Arapahoe County Open Spaces, at rwinn@arapahoegov.com or 720-874-6551.

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