

Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) email stating that the project meets the requirements of the reasonable accessibility for persons with disabilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA):

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Subject: RE: CPP 9999(523) Safe & Accessible evaluation and A-Date notification

Kim,

Based on the response we received from our HQ Office of Civil Rights, FHWA concurs that the project meets the requirements for reasonable accessibility for persons with disabilities under ADA.

The Division office will authorize the ROW and obligate federal funds for the project, but only after the City Council's meeting to approve the final design and ROW acquisition, during which the public would be given the opportunity to comment on the final alignment of project.

Doing it in this order is more than reasonable because 1) it allows FHWA to address the group's concern that they never had an opportunity to comment on the final alignment (including the west side) for the project, and 2) the City Council has to hold the meeting anyway to take their action.

If you still feel a conference call is needed, we'll be happy to participate.

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