

# TRIAD Meeting November 21, 2024

### **Participants:**

### Legislative

- Representative Doglio
- Kevin Snow- LA Rep. Doglio
- Kasey Schiewe- LA Rep. Bateman

### **SCNA**

- John Saunders
- Treacy Duerfeldt
- Gerald Apple

### **City of Olympia**

- Clark Gilman, Councilmember
- Jay Burney, City Manager
- Tim Smith, Interim Community Planning & Development Director
- Mark Russell, Public Works Director
- Sophie Stimson, Transportation Director
- Paul Frailey, Lieutenant, Olympia Police Department
- Joey Jones, Project Engineer, Public Works
- Chelsea Baker van Drood, Parking Services Field Representative
- Dalton Maurer, Code Enforcement
- David Smith, Project Engineer

### **WSP**

- John Matagi- Captain, Special Operations Division
- Mike Chapman- Lieutenant, Special Operations Division

#### **DES**

- Linda Kent, Chief External Affairs Officer
- George Carter III, Assistant Director Buildings & Grounds
- Jo Aiken, Assistant Director Capitol Security & Visitor Services
- Jordan Corneliusen, Deputy Assistant Director Capitol Security & Visitor Services
- Wesley Kirkman, Legislative Campus Modernization, Project Director
- Bill Talley, Parking Manager, Buildings & Grounds
- Jimmy Martin, Legislative Affairs Analyst

## **Meeting Summary**

## **Capitol Campus Security**

- DES Capitol Security and Visitor Services (CSVS) talked about the preparation for after election activities that DES is planning for including election certification.
- WSP mentioned an upcoming rally *Free America* happening on November 30, 2024 on campus.
- The group discussed:
  - Protestors entering the South Capitol neighborhood and how to best approach the issue from a law enforcement and property owner standpoint.
  - Tactics used by law enforcement during protests/
  - Ways homeowners might make their residences less appealing to protestors if they pass through the neighborhood.
- Olympia Police shared information about City of Olympia's voluntary <u>Security Camera</u> <u>Registry</u> to coordinate information if crime is occurring and information may have been caught on home security cameras.

## **Capitol Way Corridor Safety Improvements**

- City of Olympia gave an overview on Capital Way Corridor Improvements, going over actions taken in the short-term and coming up in the long-term to improve safety and travelability to residents.
- The group discussed:
  - Traffic light reconfiguration and data that the city has collected so far for the project.
  - Traffic studies for construction on capitol campus and the average speed of drivers along Capitol Way.

## **Maintaining Neighborhood Character**

- The group discussed:
  - Possible update to City of Olympia codes addressing businesses run out of homes and what the City of Olympia looks for while reviewing these cases.
  - The possibility of giving input this next year on City of Olympia code updates and what that process might look like.
  - Vacant lots and how they are setup in City of Olympia code.

## **Parking**

- DES talked about the improvements to parking signage that were made at the request of South Capitol neighborhood when they last met in September 2024.
- The group discussed:
  - Surrounding visitor/attendee parking for the Governor's Inaugural Ball upcoming in 2025.
  - o The process of obtaining parking passes from the City of Olympia.

## **Legislative Campus Modernization**

- Overview of the projects including Newhouse and Joel Pritchard Library and their status.
- The group discussed:
  - The construction truck routes for contractors and builders during the legislative session.
  - The potential future closure of Water Street during the Joel Pritchard Library renovations.

### **Discussion**

 Discussion surrounding the possible closure of streets during large events on capitol campus.