Arapahoe County seeks community input to prioritize projects to improve bicycle and pedestrian access to the South Platte River

Proposed recommendations based on South Platte Connections Survey findings

Littleton, CO – The South Platte Working Group is hosting two public meetings to share proposed projects that will improve bicycle and pedestrian access to the South Platte River/Mary Carter Greenway Trail. Community members are invited to attend to learn more about the projects and give feedback on priorities.

The South Platte Connections Survey focused on seven locations where access to the South Platte is difficult today, including:

- Dartmouth
- Hampden
- Oxford
- Federal
- Bellevue
- Bowles
- Mineral

The proposed project list includes intersection improvements, new trail connections, additional signage, traffic calming features, safer crosswalks and over/underpasses. The projects are based on survey results gathered last year. The public meetings will occur:

**Wednesday, January 30, 2019**
5:30-7 p.m.
- **Englewood Civic Center – Community Room (2nd Floor)**
  1000 Englewood Parkway
  Englewood, CO 80110

**Thursday, January 31, 2019**
5:30-7 p.m.
- **Carson Nature Center**
  3000 West Carson Drive
  Littleton, CO 80120
Funded by the Arapahoe County Open Space Sales and Use Tax, the study seeks to understand local challenges, needs and visions for accessing the South Platte River/Mary Carter Greenway Trail and what improvements would be most beneficial. Additional information about the study is located on the project website at www.southplatteconnections.com.

The South Platte Working Group, a partnership between Arapahoe County, the cities of Englewood, Littleton and Sheridan, and South Suburban Park and Recreation District, is dedicated to increasing and enhancing the recreational value of the corridor; preserving natural areas, wildlife habitat, and water quality; encouraging opportunities for education and interpretive activities and contributing to the economic well-being of Arapahoe County. To learn more about the work of the South Platte Working Group, please visit http://arapahoegov.com/469/South-Platte-Working-Group.

For more information about the South Platte Connections Study or to sign up for project updates, please visit www.southplatteconnections.com.