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Back in late March, you took the time to participate in a Public Meeting for the McKownville Corridor Study. We greatly appreciate your having taken the time to do so. The Public Meeting was by all accounts a success, with several new ideas raised and a lot of local "flavor" on issues introduced into the discussion.

As promised at the meeting, enclosed please find a copy of the draft summary of the proceedings. We hope your sense is that the full range of comments and concerns raised at the Public Meeting is reflected in this document. A considerable number of the concepts and considerations discussed are being worked into the Study effort.

The Study Team and the Steering Committee are continuing their work on the Study; over the next two months, the main emphasis will be on developing concepts and plans to be included in the Implementation Strategy which will be the main product of the Study. At the next Public Meeting, to be held on Monday, July 29th at the Holiday Inn Express on Western Avenue, we will briefly discuss some of the major findings of the Study, have an "open house"-type period during which people can visit a number of stations at which different aspects of the Implementation Strategy will be presented, and once again have some time set aside for breakout group discussions, this time concentrating on "what was missed" and/or other desirable changes to the draft Implementation Strategy. We hope to see you then.

Should the enclosed summary raise any questions or comments, or if you feel that anything was omitted from the summary, please feel free to contact Jan Weston, Town Planner/Study Project Manager at 356-1980/westoni@townofguilderland.org or me at

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Thanks once again for your participation in the March 25 Public Meeting.

Best, Steve Allocco

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