

SR-2 Revitalization Committee

City of Airway Heights' Businesses and Concerned Parties 14th Ave Landscape Plan Approved



The City of Airway Heights' City Council has approved the proposed landscaping plan for 14th Ave. south of Highway 2. The plan will be sent out for bids with a hopeful implementation date of late Summer.

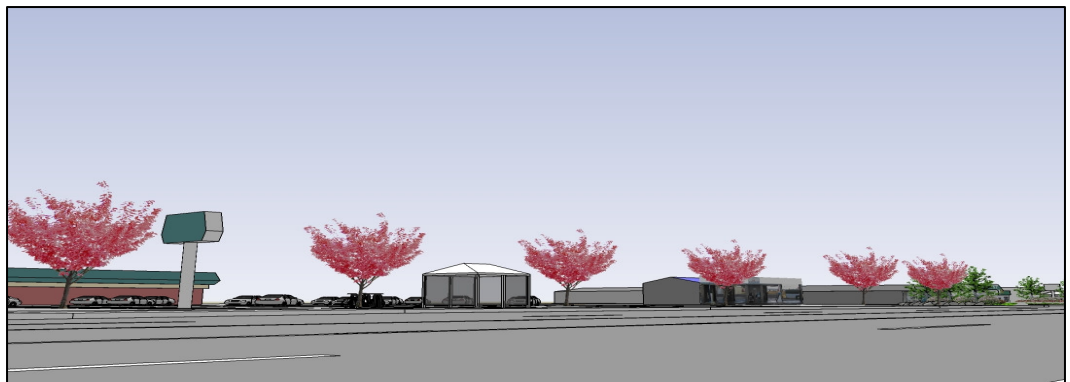
The plan will generally consist of the use of Sergeant Cherry trees amidst an irrigated and sodded grassy area. The corner landscape treatments will utilize smaller tree plantings with some landscape boulders.

The process to get this plan developed and approved was hammered out with the help and cooperation of our local stakeholders that make up a majority of the Highway 2 Revitalization

Committee. Everyone agreed that the "greening" of the corridor was needed, along with several other issues facing the corridor's development, however it was determined that this plan would likely have the biggest impact at this time. Nonetheless, the committee is moving forward in addressing these other issues. The City of Airway Heights and the Revitalization Committee will

continue to work with affected landowners and tenants along the corridor to ensure their concerns are addressed.

Upcoming discussions will include the parking and access problems along the northern parts of the SR-2 corridor from Lundstrom to Russell Sts. Businesses with an interest in seeing this developed properly are encouraged to attend our next meeting.



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Newsletter Date

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Did you know...

The City of Airway Heights is beginning a series of Markets held throughout the year...see next page for details.

Next Meeting

May 22, 2007 3pm

City of Airway Heights

Council Chambers

13120 W. 13th Ave.

Airway Heights, WA

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Or call 244-2552

for more

information

Airway Heights Market Series—Friday Market begins June 1

The City of Airway Heights is in the early stages of developing a host of markets for the upcoming months. The first market in this series will be the **Friday Market** held on alternate Fridays beginning June 1. This Market will have produce and possibly baked goods and other prepared foods for sale. It'll be held along SR-2 and 14th Avenue in Airway Heights from 10am-6pm. With the large commuter traffic that utilizes SR-2 daily and the convenient access to this Market, it's hoped to be a welcomed addition to the community.

In addition to the Friday Markets the City is assisting with the planning of other Markets and Fairs within the City. Tentatively there are planned a July 4th Market, West Plains Flea Market, Antique Fair, Airway Heights Festival, and culminating with a Holiday Market at the end of the year.

Developing the entire market series is a result of the City's newly adopted Comprehensive Plan and the community's desire to see more community events within the City. Please help spread the word of our Market Series and events as they occur throughout the year. If anyone is interested in helping with our efforts to create a more community oriented City please contact the City's Community Development Dept. at 244.2552. We would love your input and assistance.



What's Going On?...

There are a number of new developments and projects happening in the City of Airway Heights and to the East of the City that should help improve the quality of life on the West Plains.

—Of course by now everyone knows that Wal-Mart is constructing a 196,000 square foot Supercenter east of Hayford Rd.

—Numerica Credit Union is beginning groundwork on their new 12,000 square foot store across Hayford Rd. in the city limits of Airway Heights.

—Les Schwab has finalized their plans to begin construction at their new location adjacent to Alton Tires south of Highway 2. They hope to begin construction

sometime in 2007.

—Trudeau Storage is constructing two warehouses approximately 12,000 square foot each along Garfield Rd. directly north from Highway 2.

—Work on the three new bus shelters along Highway 2 is progressing. The contractor has begun installing their irrigation system for the shelter landscaping and new shelters will be installed soon.

—The Yokes Supermarket parking lot received some needed storm water drainage work that will help with the drainage of the parking lot.

New Business:

Celtic Hearts—As confirmed...the new shop that opened up next to Wireless Solutions is Celtic Hearts. They sell a host of gifts and cards for any occasion. Please stop in and say hi to a new member of our business community.

Edward Jones Financial Services—Mr. Ty Barbery has finally got a place to call home within Airway Heights. Although Mr. Barbery will not reside at his new location he will be spending a lot of time there providing sound financial advise to people interested in creating a financial portfolio or plan for retirement.