

TRANSPORTATION CLASS FINAL PRESENTATIONS AND COMMUNITY COMMENT/CRITIQUE

December 7, 2017. 2:00-4:00pm.
Planning Studio, Room 374
EWU Riverpoint Campus
668 N. Riverpoint

Instructor Dick Winchell PhD, FAICP, and 17 planning students.
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Sustainable Transportation (2012) was used as textbook, context, and guide for student learning of transportation issues and systems, starting with sustainability, pedestrians, and moving toward bicycles, transit, and finally automobile transportation systems. The emphasis and the North Spokane Corridor (NSC) application is based upon empowerment and engagement of the public in transportation decision-making, and the use of placemaking including the power of ten and charrette planning processes to support community input and guidance in NSC decision-making for the Children of the Sun Trail and final design of the remaining portions of the NSC.

Students will present their detailed mapping, analysis, and alternatives including placemaking activities for the NSC around three key transportation issues identified by the EWU NSC Process and citizen input:

- 1) Illinois Avenue including a trail and park or natural overlook and possible crossing of the NSC to the Beacon Hill area;
- 2) Beacon Hill trails, connectors, and rest area to link current and potential recreation and open space resources with natural areas, placemaking, and existing facilities; and
- 3) the connection of parks, schools, residential areas and community facilities across neighborhoods in Whitman, Hillyard, Bemiss and Minnehaha neighborhoods.

Community leaders and community members are invited to hear the presentations and provide comment/critiques.

Each Group will make a presentation followed by comment and discussion. This work will be used along with comments and input, in neighborhood placemaking charrettes and Children of the Sun Trail "type, size and location" charrettes to be held starting in February, 2018.

Some or all of the Student Presentations will be recorded and available on the EWU Website, (NSC Places) along with a written description of the projects. For more information contact Kylee Jones kjones84@eagles.ewu.edu