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City updates timing on ONE McKinney 2040 Comprehensive Plan

McKINNEY, Texas (March 3, 2017) – At the Feb. 20 City Council Work Session, City Council reviewed recent transportation planning initiatives and their impact on the completion of the ONE McKinney 2040 Comprehensive Plan Update. During the meeting, City Council discussed the development of the city's Master Thoroughfare Plan with regard to the concept of a new controlled-access facility as an option to address regional mobility pressures and alleviate anticipated future traffic concerns on U.S. 380 (University Drive).

As a key component of the city's Comprehensive Plan, these recent transportation discussions have taken a front seat for consideration by city leaders and community stakeholders. Although the city originally looked forward to adoption of the ONE McKinney 2040 Comprehensive Plan in May of 2017, the city is now refocusing its timing and outreach efforts to allow for additional evaluation of transportation options, continued public outreach and further development of the transportation-related items of the comprehensive plan.

Residents and stakeholders are encouraged to stay engaged with the process and to visit the ONE McKinney 2040 webpage at www.onemckinney2040.com for important updates and announcements. Information related to transportation topics will also continue to be posted on the City of McKinney Transparency webpage at http://www.mckinneytexas.org/1703/Master-Thoroughfare-Plan.

The city's Comprehensive Plan is a statement of the community's vision for McKinney now and for the future. Launched in September 2015, the ONE McKinney 2040 Comprehensive Plan Update is aimed at capturing the community's priorities related to quality of life, and the growth and development of the city.

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About McKinney

McKinney, Texas, is unique by nature. As one of the fastest growing cities in America, McKinney has a current population of more than 168,000. The city was #1 on the list of Best Places to Live in America in 2014, published by *Money* Magazine. Established in 1848, the city is located 30 miles north of Dallas and is the county seat of Collin County. McKinney offers award-winning schools, a vibrant historic downtown, diverse housing options, a robust economy and a uniquely beautiful natural setting, with rolling hills and lush trees. Visit the city's website at www.mckinneytexas.org.

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