

## *Memorandum*

**TO:** Mayor and Members of Council  
**FROM:** Greg Caton, City Manager  
Trent Prall, Public Works Director  
**DATE:** July 17, 2020  
**SUBJECT:** Patterson Road Access Control Plan

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The City engaged, in January of 2020, the consulting firm Stolfus and Associates to prepare an Access Control Plan (ACP) for the 7.0-mile Patterson Road corridor within the City limits.

Effective access management is essential in order to optimize the performance of Patterson Road to improve the level of safety, reduce traffic congestion and improve the overall functionality of the corridor. The ACP works to coordinate planning, regulation, and design of access to Patterson Road from adjacent property including future development. The plan involves the systematic control of the location, spacing, design, and operation of driveways, median openings, and street connections to a roadway.

Stolfus and Associates has been working over the course of the past seven months to inventory access points, determine existing and future traffic demands, and perform a safety analysis for Patterson Road. Stolfus has prepared a draft plan and the overall project and elements of the draft plan will be reviewed by City Council at the August 3<sup>rd</sup> Workshop. Additional information about the project, project goals and timeline are included in the attached memo provided by Stolfus and Associates.

*Attachment:*  
*Patterson Road ACP Project Team Memo dated July 16, 2020.*