MINUTES OF SPECIAL HEARING ON ROUTE S-3, TACOMA SPUR

October 4, 1971.

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The Special Hearing on designating Route S-3 as the corridor for the Tacoma Spur was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by Mayor Gordon Johnston in the City Council Chambers.

Council members present on roll call: Corsi, Egan, Finnigan, Herrmann, Maule, Moss, Schroeder and Mayor Johnston. Absent: Jarstad.

Mr. Bob Anderson, City Engineer, reviewed the program established by the State Legislature relative to Urban Arterial Funds, the State T-4 Route and the Bayside Drive, and advised that the route under discussion was to be the connecting link between the T-4 and the Bayside Drive. He then introduced Mr. Robert Myrdal of Tudor Engineering Company.

Mr. Robert Myrdal, Project Manager of Tudor Engineering Company reviewed the traffic patterns in the central business district and also reviewed the three main routes of the City's downtown spur project; these routes being S-1, S-2 and S-3. He concluded his presentation by stating that Tudor Engineering Company recommends that the City adopt the S-3 plan.

The following spoke in favor of Route S-3: Alan Liddle, Architect, 703 Pacific Avenue August vonBoecklin, President of Downtown Tacoma Association Brad Gierke, 323 Borough Road Don J. Brown, Tacoma Area Chamber of Commerce Bud McIver, downtown Tacoma property owner Jerry Geehan, 1216 Karl Johan Road.

After a 10 minute recess, the meeting reconvened at 9:45 P. M.

Transition speaker (neither for or against): Kathryn Haley, 3935 North Mason.

The following spoke against Route S-3: J. W. Anderson, 1208 Sunset Drive Leo Gallagher, Serta Mattress Company Jan Hudak, 1509 North 5th Street Ann Jacobson, 513 North "E" Street Bill Ray, 3207 North 30th Street Tom Oldfield, 3712 North 37th Street Hugh J. Tudor, 1724 North Oakes Street Glenn H. Turner, 5502 South 12th Street William Hocking, 1041 Dock Street William S. Buell, 32 California Street Robert W. Evans, 2218 North Union Avenue.

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105 Minutes of Special Hearing on Route S-3, Tacoma Spur Page 2 After hearing all the proponents, all the oppnents, the review given by the City Engineer and the Engineer from the consultants, Tudor Engineering Company, Mayor Johnston requested that a resolution be brought to Council next week for their consideration. £ Meeting adjourned at 11:20 P. m. JOHNST MAYOR GORDON Catherine Ursich - Deputy City Clerk Attest: P * 1 d ŧ

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