

# City of Flagstaff

Rio de Flag Flood Control  
Project Update September 15, 2020





# Project Update



- **US Army Corps of Engineers**
- **Project Design**
- **Real Estate**
- **BNSF Railway**
- **Public Involvement**



# USACE



- **Project Construction – Phase I**

- US Army Corps – Agency Technical Review Submittal
  - ADOT Comments – Army Providing a response to ADOT Comments received
  - Next Submittal to be released upon final US Army Corps review

- **Project Schedule**

- US Army Corps & City of Flagstaff combined effort
- Contract Award - 2021

- **Project Team Meeting**

- City and Army Corps Project Leadership Meeting
  - Colonel Julie A. Balten and Mayor Evans



# Project Design



- **USACE and their Design Consultant**

- Agency Technical – All team comments are being reconciled by US Army Corps
- Next submittal - **September**

- **City Utility and Franchise Utility Designs**

- Public Utility design – ADEQ Approval To Construct certification
- Stakeholder's Utility Relocations – ADOT



# Real Estate



- **City's consultant (SWI) is developing exhibits and documents for the Army Corps' review.**
  - Segment map and tract register
- **Draft Real Estate schedule currently under review with the Army Corps.**
  - Corps and City working to tighten and finalize timeline
- **Real Estate process will follow Army Corps guidelines and procedures.**



# BNSF Railway



## Project Coordination with BSNF

- Phase I design is reviewed and comments have been provided.
- **Construction and Maintenance Agreement – Phase I**
  - Defines roles and responsibilities, construction operating procedures, real estate agreement, utility relocations.
  - Draft under review by BNSF.
- **Railroad Undercrossing – Phase II**
  - BNSF is evaluating the in-line bridge option for the undercrossing regarding constructability, risk, and operational impacts.
- **Construction and Maintenance Agreements – Future Council Action**
- **October 6 Executive Meeting**



# Public Involvement



- **Development of Project exhibits**
  - Illustrate completed improvements.
- **Upper Reach site walk with Navajo Drive property owners – Flood Wall section**
  - Where is the wall located, how high is the wall in different areas, how close is the walk to private property.
  - Week of September 28th
- **Public Meeting – October**
  - Project status update on design and construction.
  - Share illustrations with the public.



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