

SRPMIC Long Range Transportation Study Community Outreach
Young River People's Council

WHERE: SRPMIC Two Waters Bldg A – Whirlwind Conference Room
DATE: September 23, 2009
TIME: 6:00-7:00pm
ATTENDEES: SRPMIC Youth Council
Esther Moyah, SRPMIC CDD
Jennifer Jack, SRPMIC ECS
Misty Dayzie, ADOT

SUMMARY:

The following comments and concerns were received from SRPMIC Youth Council in regards to the Community's transportation system.

- ⇒ Drivers are not following the speed limit.
- ⇒ Sidewalks are needed next to the smoke shop on McDowell Rd, on Country Club Rd and at the major intersecting roads on the Community. Kids walk in the street because there is no other place to walk.
- ⇒ Flooding occurs on all the major roads.
- ⇒ Drivers are ignoring a newly installed stop sign near Victory Acres 2 (Center and Monterosa).
- ⇒ Drivers do not notice the no right turn on red sign from Longmore Rd onto McDowell Rd. Once a car is stopped at the intersection, it is past the sign.
- ⇒ There is heavy congestion on Chaparral Rd.
- ⇒ Left and right turn lanes are needed at all the major intersections.
- ⇒ Designated bus stops and shelters are needed – children are often waiting on a sharp embankment in the sun or rain.
- ⇒ The Youth Council expressed concern about drivers ignoring the bus stop signs and the students exiting the bus and crossing the roadway. One member mentioned that there was a pedestrian crash due to this behavior. Drivers are ignoring the bus stop signs especially at the intersections (on Alma School in particular).