



Shape the Future 2025 - Community Forum Summary Report

Meeting Information:

Meeting Date:	June 25, 2005
Organization Name:	Wilshire Montana Neighborhood Organization (Wil-Mont)
Name of Contact:	Rob Rader
Person (phone #):	RRader@MGM.com
Location:	Reed Park Auditorium
Duration of Meeting:	2 Hours
Number of Participants:	Approximately 60 persons
STF2025 Staff:	Lucy Dyke, Transportation Planning Manager
Representation:	Tony Kim, Associate Planner
City Council and/or Planning Commission:	Mayor Pam O'Connor Councilmember Kevin McKeown
Members Present:	Councilmember Bobby Shriver

General Comments:

This was City staff's second visit to Wil-Mont, at their request, following an initial meeting with the neighborhood organization on March 21, 2005.

A brief presentation was made to the neighborhood organization, including project updates, scheduling and public outreach efforts.

Meeting attendees expressed concern with traffic levels along Lincoln Boulevard and the availability of parking in the Downtown area. Questions were raised regarding the complexities of creating crosswalks and street medians along the borders of Santa Monica and Los Angeles and the need for communication and coordination between the jurisdictions. Discussions were held about preferential and restricted parking zones in the Wil-Mont neighborhood. There was also discussion regarding Santa Monica Place and questions about larger projects requiring Development Agreements.

Follow – Up Issues:

None.