

Tillamook County Public Works

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To: Tillamook County Board of Commissioners

201 Laurel Avenue Tillamook, OR 97141

Subject: Necarney City Road Traffic Counts. Revision 1

Tillamook County Public Works installed traffic tube counters on Necarney City Road, Garey Street and Sandpiper Lane. Counts were taken from July 19th to July 25th and from August 1st to August 15th.

Findings:



Posted Speed: 35mph, Average Speed: 34.2 mph. 85th% Speed: 39.3mph



Posted Speed: 35mph, Average Speed: 29.8 mph. 85th% Speed: 35.2mph

Traffic counters were located immediately north of the main entrance (Garey Steet) and west of the main entrance to the park (Sandpiper Lane) to better determine the impact of the park on traffic.



Existing Conditions

Average Daily Traffic based on counts taken on Necarney City Road/ Garey Street north of the park entrance:

- Weekday 1575
- Weekend 1750

Traffic data suggests that up to 460 vehicle trips (both directions) are related to the entrance to the park during the weekend and 410 during the weekday.

Percent of possible traffic related to the state park in comparison to the Average Daily Traffic on Necarney City Road/Garey Street:

Weekday: 26%Weekend: 26%

Potential Impacts

The addition of 94 campsites will add another 70-120 vehicles per day (not sorted by weekday/weekend). Percent increase to the Average Daily Traffic on Necarney City Road/Garey Street due to the addition of the 94 campsites:

Weekday: 4.4% - 7.6%Weekend: 4.0% - 6.9%

No data was collected on the number of vehicles or pedestrians using the road due to limitations of data collectors.

You have a right to ride your bicycle on Oregon's roads, streets and highways. In Oregon, a bicycle is legally considered to be a vehicle. When riding your bicycle on a road, you have the same rights and duties as people who are driving cars. With a few exceptions, the rules of the road for people driving apply to you. Consult the <u>Oregon Driver Manual</u> to become familiar with these rules.

https://www.oregon.gov/odot/dmv/pages/online_bicycle_manual/section_1.aspx_States:

Sincerely,

Chris Laity, Director