



Inter-Neighborhood Cooperation-

September 5, 2013

Mr. Don Hunt, Executive Director, Colorado Department of Transportation
The Honorable Michael B. Hancock, Mayor, City and County of Denver

Re: I-70 Re-route Study

Dear Mayor Hancock and CDOT Executive Director Hunt:

Established in 1975, Inter-Neighborhood Cooperation (INC) is a city-wide network with current membership of 97 Registered Neighborhood Organizations. INC's mission is to advocate for Denver citizens by bringing together, informing and empowering Denver neighborhood organizations to actively engage in addressing City issues.

Inter-Neighborhood Cooperation has been following the I-70 EIS process with interest for several years, and supports community engagement in determining the best future direction for I-70. Presentations made to INC and communications from nearby neighborhoods have raised questions as to whether or not a re-route of I-70 along the alignment of I-76 and I-270 has been fully studied as a possible alternative.

INC's delegation has voted to request that a I-70 re-route option along the I-76 and I-270 path be given a thorough study as part of an EIS or Supplemental EIS, and that a comprehensive Health Impact Assessment be conducted and its results considered in the final decision.

Although INC has taken no position as to the best alternative for I-70, considerable ongoing community interest in fully exploring this reroute option should be acknowledged and appropriately considered.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter that is of great importance to the northern portion of Denver and to the metro region generally.

Respectfully,

Cc: Kirk Webb, Colorado Department of Transportation, Region 6
INC Executive Committee