

Community Focus Statement F: Grow the local economy in a manner consistent with the rural character of Morongo Valley

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Action Statement F.2: Advocate to Caltrans for the preparation of a traffic study to assess the impacts of installing traffic signals, or other traffic calming measures, at key intersections in the business district.

Benchmark: Community leaders have collaborated with Caltrans and identified potential funding options and grants.

Champion: Volunteer group or person or can be identified by the community

Estimated Cost: \$20,000–\$5,000,000

Action	Action Leader	Timeline	Resources
1. Form a traffic committee.	Champion	Months 1 – 3	US Department of Transportation Livability Grants and Programs https://www.transportation.gov/livability/grants-programs
2. Define a project study area and desired project traffic calming goals.	Committee with Morongo Valley Community Services District	Months 1 – 3	
3. Develop a list of goals and potential project ideas specific to Morongo Valley's business district to demonstrate the practical uses and benefits to the community.	Traffic Committee	Months 4 – 10	FHWA Bicycle and Pedestrian Program http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/bicycle_pedestrian/index.cfm
4. Coordinate with Caltrans on State Highway 62 as needed.	Traffic Committee with Caltrans	Month 11	US Department of Agriculture Rural Development Programs & Services http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services
5. Approach the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors with the findings and encourage their support of implementation of traffic calming measures on State Highway 62.	Traffic Committee	Month 12	US Department of Housing and Urban Development Recovery Grant Program http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/recovery
6. Coordinate with Caltrans and the County Department of Public Works to seek grant funding for studies and design.	Traffic Committee	Years 1 - 3	California Department of Transportation http://www.dot.ca.gov/