Light rail turns to college

Clark College’s board of directors held a meeting in late May to discuss a possible light rail line to its campus. The board was split on the issue, with some members concerned about potential safety issues for students and others worrying about the cost. Despite their concerns, the board eventually voted in favor of the plan.

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Focus on commuters

Local leaders have been pushing for the development of a light rail line to connect Clark County with the downtown area. Commissioner Betty Sue Morris and other local officials have been advocates for the project, which would include stops at both Clark College and downtown Vancouver.

However, some residents are concerned about the impact of increased traffic on the area. The proposed route would traverse busy streets, which could cause disruptions for commuters and students.

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