

Bicycle Advisory Board - Minutes

March 19, 2024

City Hall Lilac Conference Room

Meeting Minutes: Meeting called to order at 6:02 PM by Grant Shipley

Attendance:

- *Board Members Present* Grant Shipley (Chair), Charles Greenwood, Pablo Monsivais, Taylor Stevens, Brian Falteisek, Lauren Pangborn, Aren Murcar,
- *Board Members Not Present:* Christina Ramirez, Karim Habib,
- *Quorum Present:* Yes
- *Staff Members Present:* Ryan Shea, Tyler Kimbrell, Ryan Benzie

Public Comment:

Jeff Sevela commented on recent changes to Northwest Blvd and Euclid Ave.

Briefing Session:

Minutes from the February 20, 2024 meeting approved as amended.

1. Liaison Report - CTAB

- None

2. Liaison Report - PCTS

- Pablo Monsivais reported that at the last PCTS meeting, Council Member Kitty Klitzke gave an update on an ongoing study of transit stop and crossing collisions, Kevin Picanco gave an update on the six-year comprehensive street program, and Clint Harris gave an update on street department activities including repairs and sweeping.

3. Chair Report -

- Grant Shipley reminded everyone that May is Bike Everywhere Month and he encouraged members to bike the Children of the Sun trail. The board discussed the changing definition of bicycles with advances in e-bike technology.

4. Staff Report

- Ryan Shea reported that the age of the Youth Bicycle Advisory Board member is being updated through City Council to the ages of 16-22.
- Ryan Shea and Tyler Kimbrell gave an update on the pedestrian path portion of the Fiske trumpet for the North-South Corridor.
- Ryan Shea gave an update on bike thefts in Spokane. He reported on a study that estimates that one in four bike thefts are unreported.
- Ryan Shea reported that staff is moving forward on ordering bike lockers for City Hall. Board discussion ensued.

Workshops:

1. Bike Priority Network Update

- Presentation provided by Tyler Kimbrell
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued

Note: Minutes are summarized by staff. A recording of the meeting is on file with Planning Services.

2. Centers and Corridors Update

- Presentation provided by Tyler Kimbrell
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued

3. May Roving Meeting Planning

- Presentation provided by Ryan Shea
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued

Lauren Pangborn moved to select the East Central route for the May Roving Meeting, Grant Shipley seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

4. Bike Friendly Application Questions

- Presentation provided by Ryan Shea
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued

Meeting Adjourned at 7:27 PM

Next Bicycle Advisory Board Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, April 16, 2024