

Bicycle Advisory Board - Minutes



Tuesday, March 18, 2025

Hybrid Meeting in the Council Briefing Center and Microsoft Teams Teleconference

Meeting Minutes: Bicycle Advisory Board meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Chair Lauren Pangborn.

Public Comment: Citizens are invited to address the Bicycle Advisory Board on any topic not on the agenda. 3 Minutes each.

- None

Attendance:

- Board Members Present: Lauren Pangborn, Charles Otto Greenwood, Satish Shrestha
- Board Members Not Present: Christina Ramirez, Pablo Monsivais, Brian Falteisek
- *Quorum Present:* No
- Staff Members Present: Tyler Kimbrell

Minutes: Minutes from Tuesday, February 18, 2025 not approved.

Briefing Session:

- **Chair Report** - Lauren Pangborn
 - The Bicycle Advisory Board passed the Maxwell Resolution, which then went to Transportation Commission. They reviewed it, added some thoughts, and provided some informal feedback to the engineers on the project. Some of the changes requested by BAB were implemented in the designs, so there is much more protection along Maxwell. They were able to swap the parking lane and the bike lane for one of the sections that BAB asked for. Lauren thought the resolution was successful and there were some good changes. Lauren hasn't seen the updated designs but has faith that they are better than last time the board saw the designs.
- **Staff Liaison Update** - Tyler Kimbrell
 - Ryan Shea is prepping the first round of bike racks to install in the spring and summer. It includes 50-60 across the city, those will all be ready to go around May or June. Just a reminder, there is the back rack application on the City's website, which are funded through WheelShare funds. Any business or customer of a business can apply.
 - We have scheduled the Mayor's ride, that will be Wednesday, May 14th at 7:30 am from West Central Community Center to City Hall. This coincides with Bike to Work week and month.
 - We'll also be hosting an energizer station at the intersection of Mallon and Howard near the Riverfront Park sign on May 16th. They'll be providing information and will have coffee and donuts.
 - The West Central Infrastructure Project is moving into full design and that is ARPA funded. For final construction, there are a couple projects on the list. The top three projects are Broadway bike lanes, Chestnut greenway, and Elm greenway. There are also some other projects on the list, such as the intersections of Boone and Chestnut, Boone and Elm, and Broadway and Elm.
 - After the conclusion of the workshop, he'd also like to discuss routes for the May mobile meeting with the board members.

Informational, Discussion and/or Action Items:

- Division “Y” to Wandermere Bike Lane Update
 - Presentation provided by: Shea Suski, WSDOT
 - Questions asked and answered.
 - Discussion ensued.

- Ruby Alternatives Recommendation
 - Presentation provided by: Lauren Pangborn/Tyler Kimbrell
 - Questions asked and answered.
 - Discussion ensued.

- BAB 2024 Year-End Report
 - Presentation provided by staff member: Tyler Kimbrell
 - Questions asked and answered.
 - Discussion ensued.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:53 PM.

Next regularly scheduled Bicycle Advisory Board Meeting is on Tuesday, April 15, 2025.