

Spokane PC Transportation Sub-Committee Minutes

May 3, 2022

Webex Meeting

Meeting Minutes: Meeting called to order at 9:00 AM by Clifford Winger

Attendance:

- Subcommittee Members Present: Clifford Winger (Chair), Mary Winkes (Vice Chair), Charles Hansen, Paul Kropp, Raychel Callary, Charlene Kay, Cindy Green, Jennifer Soto, Rhonda Young
- Subcommittee Members Not Present: Todd Beyreuther, Mike Tresidder, Eve McMenamy, Michelle Pappas
- Non-Voting Subcommittee Members Present: Council Member Jonathan Bingle
- *Quorum Present: yes*
- Staff Members Present: Shauna Harshman, Colin Quinn-Hurst, Stephanie Bishop, Nicolette Ocheltree, Kevin Picanco, Inga Note

Public Comment:

None

Briefing Session:

Minutes from the March 1, 2022 meeting approved unanimously.

Clifford Winger motioned to approve and amend the agenda to add an item to the agenda to discuss meeting in person at the next meeting. Paul Kropp seconded the motion. Motion carries.

1. Chair Report - Clifford Winger

- Mr. Winger commented that a public service announcement regarding the parking of the lime scooters/bikes could serve to encourage people to park them properly. Colin Quinn-Hurst added that the city can communicate with Lime and ask them to communicate with the users and tell them how to park scooters without blocking the sidewalks.

2. Secretary Report - Colin Quinn-Hurst

- The Transit Oriented Frameworks Study was adopted for guidance by City Council last night.
- Bike lanes will be put in on Post Street between Buckeye and Garland.
- The Division Connects Study is wrapping up in the next few months.
- May is Bike Month, and May 20 is National Bike to work day. More events can be found on the Spokane Bicycle Club website.

3. Council Liaison Report - Johnathan Bingle

- CM Bingle reported that the Transit Oriented Framework Study was adopted last night. Additionally, CMs Bingle and Cathcart went on a walking tour in the Logan Neighborhood to see where the City Line will go and potential sites from increased residential density.

4. Stakeholders Report -

- Raychel Callary, Lilac Services for the Blind, is grateful for the collaboration around sidewalk accessibility and is happy to work together towards improvement.
- Charles Hansen, Pedestrian Transportation and Traffic (PeTT) Committee stated that PeTT met last week and decided which items the CTAB will work on for the upcoming year.
- Char Kay, Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT), reported that RCW 47.24 was passed. The legislature requires new projects to include complete streets that include

access for all types of transportation including pedestrian. Additionally, WSDOT is responding to the HEAL Act which includes an environmental justice component. WSDOT is holding public meetings regarding the updated plan.

- Paul Kropp, Neighborhood Alliance - Joined the equity planning work group at SRTC.
- Cindy Green, Health District - Cindy is also on the equity planning work group at SRTC.
- Jennifer Soto, District 81 - Jennifer is new to the department and position, replacing John Van Sant who retired. She advised that speed cameras will be installed at 37th/Regal for Ferris High School and Adams Elementary.
- Rhonda Young, Bicycle Advisory Board, stated that the BAB has been working on planning studies and grant submissions.
- Shauna Harshman, CTAB and Traffic Calming, reported that City Council approved Cycle 10, which is a list of projects, including studies of transportation problem areas within neighborhoods.
 - Also, the neighborhood street murals pilot program will be led by Spokane Arts and the program will last three years.
 - COPS will be responsible for moving speed radar signs moving forward.
 - Districtwide kick off traffic calming workshops will begin at the end of May.
 - Will send out the 2-year project list generated by CTAB

Workshops/Presentations:

1. TIB Complete Street Grant

- Presentation provided by Inga Note
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued

2. Shared-Use Path Considerations in High Volume Locations

- Presentation provided by Colin Quinn-Hurst
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued

Meeting Adjourned at 10:37 AM

Next Plan Commission Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, June 7, 2022