

# Special Meeting

## Spokane Plan Commission Transportation Sub-Committee

April 11, 2023

City Council Briefing Center

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, Raychel Callary, Eve McMenemy, Charlene Kay, Kris Neely
- **Subcommittee Members Not Present:** Jennifer Soto, Michelle Pappas, Mike Tresidder, Paul Kropp,
- **Non-Voting Subcommittee Members Present:** Council Member Jonathan Bingle
- **Quorum Present:** Yes
- **Staff Members Present:** Colin Quinn-Hurst, Jackie Churchill, Kevin Picanco, Tyler Kimbrell

Public Comment: None

### Briefing Session:

Minutes from the March 7, 2023 meeting motioned by Eve McMenemy, seconded by Rachel Callary Approved unanimously.

#### 1. Chair Report - Clifford Winger

- Clifford Winger brought up the snow removal discussion from last meeting and mentioned that Minneapolis Minnesota does not pile snow up on sidewalks. Snow blocking sidewalks is a safety issue. Colin Quinn-Hurst responded that there is a snow removal policy in Spokane, but staffing and operational issues have prevented full implementation. Additional funding streams are being explored to improve snow removal operations.

#### 2. Secretary Report - Colin Quinn-Hurst

- Colin Quinn-Hurst reported that Safe Streets for All Grant has some updated requirements for the grant which will be presented to the PCTS.

#### 3. Council Liaison Report - Johnathan Bingle

- None

#### 4. Stakeholders Report -

- Rachel Callary, Citizen-at-Large, reported that Lime Scooters and bikes are blocking sidewalks and creating issues with accessibility and rules for parking need to be enforced.
- Kris Neely, Plan Commission (PC), mentioned San Francisco as a good example a city that has dealt with scooters causing.
- Charles Hansen, Whitman Neighborhood Council, PeTT Committee - none
- Eve McMenemy. Spokane Regional Transportation Council (SRTC) reported that there will be a Board meeting on Thursday regarding transportation performance related to infrastructure. And the Safe Streets for All project will soon kick off.
- Samantha Hennessy, Spokane Regional Health District- none

**Workshops/Presentations:**

**1. 2023-2029 Six-Year Comprehensive Streets Program**

- Presentation provided by Kevin Picanco
- Questions asked and answered
- Discussion ensued
- Motion:
  - **Mary Winkes motioned to recommend that the 2023-2029 Six-Year Street Year Project to go to Plan Commission as presented. Kris Neely seconded. Motion passed unanimously.**

**Meeting Adjourned at 10:11 AM**

Next Plan Commission Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 2, 2023