



# City of Ann Arbor

## Formal Minutes

### Transportation Commission

301 E. Huron St.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48104  
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Wednesday, February 20, 2019

7:00 PM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Second floor, City Council Chambers

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[19-0291](#) Homework and Study Guide February 2019

**Received and Filed**

**CALL TO ORDER (LINDA DIANE FELDT)**

*Linda Diane Feldt called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in the Guy C. Larcom, Jr. Building, 2nd Floor Council Chambers, 301 E. Huron Street.*

**ROLL CALL (KAYLA COLEMAN)**

*Kayla Coleman called the roll.*

*Non-voting Commission members: Raymond Hess*

*Non-voting Commission members absent: Sergeant Bill Clock, Steve Dolen, Howard Lazarus, Liz Margolis, Matt Webb*

*Attending staff, presenters and guest speakers: Eli Cooper, Cynthia Redinger*

**Present:** 6 - Linda Diane Feldt, Cyrus Naheedy, Bradley Parsons, Scott Trudeau, Timothy Hull, and Julie Boland

**Absent:** 5 - Michael Firn, Robert Gordon, Kyra Sims, Molly Kleinman, and Kathy Griswold

**APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA (LINDA DIANE FELDT)**

**A motion was made by Parsons, seconded by Trudeau, that the Consent Agenda be Approved. On a unanimous voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.**

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

**19-0292** Transportation Commission Meeting Minutes 1-16-2019

**A motion was made by Parsons, seconded by Trudeau, that the Minutes be Approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council and should be returned by 3/18/2019. On an unanimous voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.**

**PUBLIC COMMENT - 3 MINUTES PER SPEAKER (LINDA DIANE FELDT)**

*No public comments were made.*

**INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION**

Quiet Zone Assessment - Ann Arbor Railroad Presentation and Q&A (ELI COOPER)

*Commissioner comments and questions:*

- Impacts for future high speed rail*
- Opportunity to maximize safety - horn & gate improvements*
- Dampen train horn?*
- Amtrak crossings not included?*
- Opportunity to combine projects with future road improvement projects*

**19-0383** Quiet Zone Assessment - Ann Arbor Railroad Presentation

**Received and Filed**

Road Diet Evaluations Presentation and Q&A (CYNTHIA REDINGER)

*Commissioner comments and questions:*

- Earhart - bike traffic accommodations*
- Logistics of protected bike lanes near bus stop locations*
- Liberty - Interest in long term solutions*
- Support for these proposals*
- Need better solution for bikes on Platt*
- Sidewalks for bikes should be last resort*
- Request for community education about road diets*

**19-0298** Road Diet Evaluations

**Received and Filed**

**19-0385** 2019 Lane Conversion (Road Diet) Presentation

**Received and Filed****BUSINESS**

Micro-Mobility Committee Update (SCOTT TRUDEAU AND MOLLY KLEINMAN)

*Update on committee activities provided by Scott Trudeau*

**19-0242** Micro-Mobility Committee Meeting Notes 2/4/19

**Received and Filed**

**19-0239** Public Meeting Calendar - Micro-Mobility Committee

*Meeting date adjusted to March 11.*

**Received and Filed**

New Councilmember Orientation and Discussion (LINDA DIANE FELDT)

*Update provided by Linda Diane Feldt.*

**19-0293** New Council Member Orientation and Introduction Overview

**Received and Filed**

Six Es Exercise: Education, Enforcement, Engineering, Encouragement, Evaluation, and Equity (LINDA DIANE FELDT)

*Update provided by Linda Diane Feldt.*

*Commissioner comments and questions included:*

*-Timeline for 6Es discussion*

*-Timeline for Transportation Master Plan Update*

**19-0294** Six Es Exercise

**Received and Filed****STAFF REPORT AND UPDATES (RAYMOND HESS)**

**19-0290** Transportation Project Updates February 2019

*Interest in community feedback about advisory bike lanes.*

*Commission comments and questions included:*

- Difficulty matching risk categories with existing design*
- Coding for signage seems to be inconsistent*
- Difference between "insufficient data" and "under review" categories*

**Received and Filed**

**19-0295** Response to Council Resolution R-18-497

**Received and Filed**

**LIAISON REPORTS (LINDA DIANE FELDT)****19-0309** Ann Arbor Public Schools Update 2-20-19

**Received and Filed**

**COMMISSION MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS (LINDA DIANE FELDT)**

*No commissioner communications were provided.*

**NEXT AGENDA ITEMS**

- Six Es discussion*
- Administrator update*
- CIP Committee report (meeting scheduled March 6 at 12pm, 1st floor North Conference Room)*
- Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) grant awards*
- Ann Arbor Station*

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, March 20; 7:00 p.m. in second floor Council Chambers at City Hall (301 E. Huron Street)

**ADJOURNMENT (LINDA DIANE FELDT)**

*The meeting was adjourned unanimously at 8:37 p.m.*