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Homework and Study Guide

To effectively prepare for the January 2025 Transportation Commission meeting, please review materials hyperlinked within the meeting agenda.

Additionally, please review materials included and referenced within this study guide. These materials have been compiled to provide background and information to guide Transportation Commission discussion.

Chair and Vice Chair Elections

Officer Elections for the Transportation Commission will take place at the January 2025 meeting. Article 6 of the Commission by-laws state:

6.1 The officers of the Commission shall be a Chair and Vice-Chair. The officers shall be elected each year from among the voting members of the Commission. The officers shall be elected for a one-year term. No member shall serve more than three consecutive full terms in the same office. The term of each officer shall run from March 1 to the last day of February of the following year. Elections of officers shall be held no later than the month before the officers' terms expire.

6.2 The Chair shall preside at all meetings and shall decide points of order and procedure, subject to the provisions of these bylaws. The Chair shall have the privilege of discussing and voting on all matters before the Commission. The Vice-Chair shall assume the duties of the Chair in the Chair's absence.

Please come prepared to cast your vote.

Proposed action: A motion to approve the election of Chair and Vice Chair.

2024 Annual Report

As has been the recent practice of the Transportation Commission, an annual progress report of the Transportation Commission's work over the course of the previous year is developed. Last year's report can be viewed here. Staff has finalized the draft of the 2024 Report – it now includes a message from the Chair and reflects the actions from the December meeting.

Proposed action: A motion to approve the Annual Report

Staff report on coordination with Ann Arbor Public Schools

City staff will present on current collaboration with staff members of Ann Arbor Public Schools. The presentation will include capital projects by the City and AAPS.

There is no proposed action for this information and discussion item.

FY2026 Policy Agenda

The Commission will discuss their recommendations for the City Council Policy Agenda. The City Council Policy Agenda Committee is required to identify items from boards and commissions

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to help prioritize initiatives. Recommendations should be focused on changes in state law or local policy. Additional background and examples:

- FY23 Policy Agenda input from the Transportation Commission
- FY24 Policy Agenda input from the Transportation Commission
- FY25 Policy Agenda input from the Transportation Commission

The attachment in the packet is what was approved by the Transportation Commission last year. It has been common practice to re-use the previous year's document and add, remove, or make changes as deemed appropriate by the Commission.

There is no proposed action at the January meeting. It is anticipated that the policy agenda will be approved by the Commission at the February meeting.

Staff Report and Updates

The monthly engineering and transportation project progress report is included and will be reviewed by staff.