



City of Ann Arbor

Meeting Minutes - Draft

Transportation Commission

301 E. Huron St.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
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Wednesday, May 20, 2020

7:00 PM

Electronic Meeting

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[20-0718](#) Homework and Study Guide May 2020

Received and Filed

CALL TO ORDER (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

Molly Kleinman called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL (KAYLA COLEMAN)

Kayla Coleman called the roll.

Non-voting Commission members: Tom Crawford, Steve Dolen, Raymond Hess

Non-voting Commission members absent: Sergeant Bill Clock, Liz Margolis, Ben Stupka

Attending staff, presenters and guest speakers: Missy Stults

Present: 11 - Linda Diane Feldt, Bradley Parsons, Timothy Hull, Julie Boland, Molly Kleinman, Kathy Griswold, Tim Sanderson, Wendy Woods, Deanna Lernihan, James Summers, and Bret Hautamaki

Absent: 1 - Matt Carpenter

[20-0710](#) Transportation Commission Roster

Received and Filed

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

20-0681 February 2020 Meeting Minutes

A motion was made by Parsons, seconded by Boland, that the Consent Agenda be Approved by the Commission and the Minutes forwarded to the City Council and should be returned by 6/15/2020. On a unanimous voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT - 3 MINUTES PER SPEAKER (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

No verbal comments provided.

20-0702 Public Communications

Received and Filed

INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

A2Zero Update (MISSY STULTS)

Commissioner questions and comments included:

- *Where to find the latest version of the plan?*
- *Energy efficient home improvements*
- *Transit improvements*
- *CO2 emissions*
- *Land use/Density*

DDA Parking/Curbside Management Update (LINDA DIANE FELDT)

Commissioner questions and comments included:

- *ADA parking space quantity determinations - parking lot/parking structure, on-street*
- *Lawsuit re: ADA ramps coming off of city sidewalks*
- *Handicap parking considerations for outdoor dining proposals*
- *Coordination with Commission on Disability Issues*

Healthy Streets (RAYMOND HESS)

Commissioner questions and comments included:

- *Implementation - time frame, notification process*
- *Input process - knowledge/access, peer-community comparison, support threshold, A2 Fix It*
- *Systematic approaches/alternatives – e.g., density, # youth, known cut-through streets, traffic calming program participation, staff expertise*
- *Speed limit reduction*
- *Washington Street*
- *E-bikes*
- *Sidewalks and vegetation*
- *Arterial streets*
- *Enforcement*
- *Pedestrian signal - “recalls,” leading pedestrian intervals*

20-0723

Healthy Streets Materials

Received and Filed**BUSINESS**

Micro-Mobility Committee Appointment - Summers (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

A motion was made by Feldt, seconded by Woods, that Jim Summers' appointment to the Micro-Mobility Committee be Approved. On a unanimous voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

Micro-Mobility Committee Update (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

Chair Kleinman and Commissioner Summers shared an update on the recent activities of the Micro-Mobility Committee.

20-0680

Micro-Mobility Committee Materials

Received and Filed

Seventh Street Committee Update (LINDA DIANE FELDT AND JULIE BOLAND)

Commissioner Feldt and Commissioner Boland shared an update on the recent activities of the Seventh Street Process Committee.

20-0676

Seventh Street Process Committee Materials

Received and Filed

Comprehensive Transportation Plan Supplemental Work (RAYMOND HESS)

20-0706 Comprehensive Transportation Plan Supplemental Work

Commissioner questions and comments included:

- *Additional expenditure/current financial state*
- *In-house vs. consultant services (expertise, capacity, timeline)*

A motion was made by Parsons, seconded by Boland, that City of Ann Arbor staff complete the work outlined in the "Resolution to Appropriate \$21,700 from General Fund to Fund Additional Tasks Associated with the Comprehensive Transportation Plan Update Project and to Approve an Amendment to the Professional Services Agreement with Sam Schwartz Consulting, LLC (\$373,370)" and that this recommendation be forwarded to the City Council and should be returned by 6/15/2020. On a unanimous voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

Transportation Commission Communications and Engagement (JULIE BOLAND)(15 MINUTES)

Referred to the Transportation Commission due back on 6/17/2020

Effective Committee Work (KAYLA COLEMAN)

20-0728 Committee Work History

Referred to the Transportation Commission due back on 6/17/2020

STAFF REPORT AND UPDATES (RAYMOND HESS)**20-0685** Transportation Project Updates March-April-May 2020

Reviewed and Filed

20-0690 Sidewalk Gap Prioritization Update 11-27-19

Received and Filed

[20-0696](#) Streetlight Update 4-6-20

Received and Filed

[20-0722](#) Crosswalk Improvements Materials

Received and Filed

[20-0714](#) Transportation Commission Calendar

Received and Filed

LIAISON REPORTS (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

Commissioner questions and comments included:

- *Commission on Disability Issues: HB4738 Crosswalk Law*
- *AAATA Citizen Advisory Committee: Detroit to Ann Arbor route, RTA millage (postponed)*
- *Planning Commission: Jackson Rd. development - sidewalk gap improvements, traffic signal*
- *City Council: seeking additional Council representative for the Transportation Commission, crosswalk lighting*

COMMISSION MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

Commissioner questions and comments included:

- *Welcome Bret Hautamaki!*
- *Congratulations to Kleinman and Parsons - reappointed to serve on the Transportation Commission*

NEXT AGENDA ITEMS

- *Transportation Budget discussion*
- *How speed limits are set*

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, June 17, 2020, 7:00 p.m. Zoom details to be provided.

ADJOURNMENT (MOLLY KLEINMAN)

The meeting was adjourned unanimously at 9:23 p.m.