



Homework and Study Guide

To effectively prepare for the February 2023 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.

Public Communication

The following communications to the Transportation Commission email account have been received over the past course of the past month:

- Attached: Request from Brooks St. residents for no sidewalk across from existing sidewalk and reasons why (*message 2*)
- Earhart Village Homes Association
- Diet Huron Parkway; don't widen roads
- Attached: Request from Brooks St. residents for no sidewalk across from existing sidewalk and reasons why (*message 1*)
- Plow for protected bike lanes
- Winter bike lane maintenance
- Please do not add lanes and increase speeds on a city road
- East Medical Center Drive Bridge (*message 2*)
- The bridge at East Medical Center Drive
- East Medical Center Drive Bridge (*message 1*)

Transportation Commission Annual Report 2022

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. Included in the packet is the final draft report for calendar year 2022. The Commission is encouraged to review the document and provide suggestions on changes before approval.

Proposed action: A motion to approve the Annual Report

FY23 Policy Agenda Input

The Commission is encouraged to finalize their recommendations for the Fiscal Year 2024 (FY24) City Council Policy Agenda. As previously reported, the [City Council Policy Agenda Committee](#) is required to identify items from boards and commissions to help prioritize initiatives. Recommendations should be focused around changes in state law or local policy.

Proposed action: A motion to approve the Transportation Commission FY 2024 Policy Agenda Recommendations (as included in the packet)

**Earhart Project Update**

City staff will give a presentation on the current plans for the Earhart project which includes repaving, stormwater improvements, lane reconfigurations, roundabouts, protected bike lanes, and sidewalks. More information about the project can be found at the project website: <https://www.a2gov.org/earhart>

Pavement Condition Dashboard Overview

The City has a new pavement condition dashboard which shows pavement condition, active road and utility projects, road bond projects, and upcoming street and utility projects. Staff will give a demonstration of this new tool. More information about and access to the tool can be found here:

<https://www.a2gov.org/news/pages/article.aspx?i=869>

City Organization and Transportation Issues Overview

With new Commissioners, staff and the Chair thought it would be advantageous to give a quick overview of the different departments that handle transportation issues. A memo, which in part addressed this issue, was produced for City Council back in 2019 and can be viewed here:

<http://a2gov.legistar.com/LegislationDetail.aspx?ID=4269900&GUID=CE9B882A-8200-4AC2-A299-2D190F9260C0&Options=&Search=> (see pages 2-3 of the memo).

Additionally, included in the packet is a one page high level (non-exhaustive) synopsis of different departments that handle transportation related issues.

Staff Report and Updates

The monthly transportation progress report is included. Also included is a quarterly bicyclist/pedestrian crash report produced by the Ann Arbor Police Department for the fourth quarter of calendar year 2022. This information will be shared on a regular basis with the Transportation Commission when it becomes available.
