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Homework and Study Guide

To effectively prepare for the July 2019 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.

Snow Removal

At the request of the commission, SnowBuddy will deliver a presentation on their services at the July meeting. Reference materials:

- SnowBuddy Annual Report
- Existing city snow removal practices

Lane Reconfiguration

Public feedback/comment for the <u>Earhart</u>, <u>Traverwood</u>, and <u>Green</u> reconfiguration projects are available for review. All lane reconfiguration projects have been returned to the commission by City Council and the commission will take action on <u>all lane</u> reconfiguration projects at the July meeting. A <u>staff memo</u> in response to Commissioner questions raised at the June meeting is now available.

State of Michigan Crosswalk Law

The State of Michigan Legislative Services Bureau has released <u>House Bill No. 4738</u> which proposes statewide crosswalk law as an amendment to the Michigan Vehicle Code. At the July 17 meeting the Commission will discuss <u>proposed action statements</u>, and reach agreement about which text to move forward for action. Reference materials:

City of Ann Arbor Crosswalk Ordinance.

Vice Chair Elections

Vice Chair Elections for the Transportation Commission will take place at the July 2019 meeting. Please refer to Article 6 of the Commission by-laws.

Energy Commission Rep – Electric Vehicle Subcommittee

The Energy Commission works on various policies and programs targeted at increasing energy efficiency and renewable energy across the community. The Electric Vehicle (EV) Readiness Subcommittee is currently pursuing an EV Readiness Ordinance through city zoning code and is seeking participation from a Transportation Commissioner. The subcommittee meets the first Tuesday of the month from 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Resources:

Protected Mobility Lanes

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- Amazon Robots Using Sidewalks
- Economic Benefits of Bike Lanes
- SPIN Scooters in Ann Arbor and Washington D.C.
- Safety and Separated Bike Lanes
- 2019 Washtenaw County Bicycle Infrastructure Survey Results