



PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMISSION AGENDA

Thursday, April 15, 2021, 6:00 pm

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Jackie Thomison (Place 2)
Adelaide Leavens (Place 3)

Kyle Jensen (Place 4)
Angela Self (Place 5)
Steven Ginsberg (Place 6)

Mary Beth Errington (Place 7)
Ben Watson (Chair, Place 8)
Richard Call (Place 9)

Jeremy Williams, Staff Liaison
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- I. Call to Order
 - II. Approval of Meeting Minutes for February 25th, 2020
 - III. Announcements by Commissioners and Staff
 - IV. Presentation re: West 7th Improvements– Ronak Rekani, City of Fort Worth Transportation and Public Works
 - V. Discussion and Action re: Budget Recommendation - Ben Watson, PABAC Chair
 - VI. Presentation re: Transit Moves Fort Worth and Trinity Metro Projects – Chad Edwards, City of Fort Worth Transportation and Public Works
 - VII. Public Presentations
 - VIII. Request for Future Agenda Items
 - IX. Adjourn

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City Secretary for the City of Fort Worth, Texas



PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMISSION

DRAFT MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, February 25, 2021 6:00 pm

Videoconference

Members

Jason Lamers (Place 1)
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I. Call to Order

Jason Lamers	P
Jackie Thomison	P
Adelaide Leavens	A
Kyle Jensen	P
Angela Self	P
Steven Ginsberg	A
Mary Beth Errington	A
Ben Watson	P
Richard Call	P

II. Approval of Meeting Minutes for October 29th, 2020

Approved unanimously.

III. Announcements by Commissioners and Staff

Commissioner Jackie Thomison introduced himself as the newest member of the Commission in Place 2.

IV. Presentation re: Fort Worth High Injury Network - Tanya Brooks and Chelsea St Louis, City of Fort Worth Transportation and Public Works

The Commission previously created a budget recommendation subcommittee to identify the appropriate funding amounts to both maintain the current bicycle/pedestrian network and to implement the Active Transportation Plan. The subcommittee met with staff between PABAC meetings and asked the Transportation Management Division to present to the PABAC the City's pavement marking and striping strategy. Sr. Professional Engineer Quenell Johnson presented the current strategy and a recommendation for future budget cycles. The recommendation for striping under this recommendation would be \$2.63 million per year to maintain the existing striped facilities and \$1.44 million per year to implement 10 projects per year. This information had also been provided to the City Council in December of 2020. It was agreed that the subcommittee would continue to speak to staff regarding a budget recommendation and may be ready to present at the April 2021 meeting.

V. Presentation re: 2020 Pedestrian and Bicycle Crash Data Analysis – Jeremy Williams, City of Fort Worth Transportation and Public Works

Senior Planner Jeremy Williams presented to the Commission their biannual report on pedestrian and bicycle crashes. This presentation covered the bicycle and pedestrian crashes from 2020 and compared the rates over time. Pedestrian crashes have been declining since 2017 however fatalities have maintained to be high. Bicycle crashes and fatalities have gradually increased over time. Mapping the crash data showed that a majority of crashes are happening in Majority Minority Areas as identified in the 2019 Race and Culture Task Force recommendations. He announced that staff will continue to monitor the crash data by the numbers as well as through spatial data. A fatality review group will be created this year to review pedestrian and bicycle fatalities quarterly.

VI. Presentation re: Hemphill and Magnolia Intersection Improvements– Julia Ryan, City of Fort Worth
Transportation and Public Works

Julia Ryan explained the newest installation of green pavement markings at the corner of Hemphill and Magnolia. This small project was a test project by a contractor for a new green material. Julia showed a video of the installation process and indicated that more green lanes could be striped in the future as they increase the visibility of bike lanes, particularly at points of conflicts with motor vehicles.

VII. Citizen Presentations
None.

VIII. Request for Future Agenda Items
The budget recommendation was proposed to take place at the April 2021 meeting.

IX. Adjourn