



May 18, 2021

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting of **Tuesday May 18, 2021** was called to order by Chair Henry Mackenroth at 6:00 PM via a virtual Zoom Meeting.

Committee members present included Ray Atkinson, Bob LaSalle, Henry Mackenroth, Tim Morgan, and Ben Simmons, Cedomir Jesic and Tim Wuest.

Staff members present included John Lewis, Public Works Director, Vance Walker, Assistant Public Works Director, and Kim Davis, Senior Administrative Assistant.

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Mr. LaSalle **moved to approve** the minutes of **March 16, 2021**, and it carried **unanimously** by the following vote: Aye: Atkinson, Jesic, LaSalle, Mackenroth, Morgan, and Simmons.

3. AGENDA ANALYSIS

No new business items to add.

4. CITIZEN COMMENTS

Paul Edgar, a citizen of Oregon City, made a comment about his concerns of ODOT closing 99E and diverting the traffic through the Canemah neighborhood.

5. NEW BUSINESS/DISCUSSION ITEM

a. 2021-2023 Transportation Budget and Proposed City Commission Goals

Major points were as follows:

- John Lewis gave an update on the transportation budget. He said the Budget Committee has adopted the 2021-2023 transportation budget.
- John Lewis talked about the City Commission 2021-2023 goals. Mr. Lewis said goal #2 affects the TAC. He said the goal is to prioritize projects in the transportation master plan to maximize safety and connectivity. Mr. Lewis said his hope is to lean on the TAC to help staff share this information with the community. He said the estimated timeline for this was September 2021 through August of 2022.
- Mr. Atkinson wanted to highlight the City Commission's goal #1, which

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promotes diversity, equity and inclusion for a safe, inclusive community and organization. He said he thinks it is important for the TAC to discuss this goal to use DEI framework with a safety lens to make sure person of color communities are prioritized when looking at safety connectivity.

- It was decided that a sub-committee would be formed, to include Mr. Mackenroth, Mr. Morgan, and Mr. Atkinson, along with City Staff, to **continue** discussing the goals of the TAC.



b. 2021 Capitol Roadway Projects

Major points were as follows:

- Mr. Lewis gave an update on the 2021 chip seal and slurry seal projects. He also gave an update on the annual rehabilitation projects.

c. Public Works Report

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- Mr. Walker gave an update on the lighting concerns within the City limits. He said there are three existing PGE power poles on Redland Road that could possibly have lighting added to them. He said Jayson Thornberg is working with PGE to confirm, or deny, whether the poles are suitable for lighting. He said it is up to PGE to make that determination and discretion. Mr. Walker said there are some LED lights at the Transit Center, mixed with high pressure sodium. He said there is a missing light due to vandalism and they are working on getting it replaced. Mr. walker said there is an LED light that is out that will be replaced. Mr. walker said all high-pressure sodium lights at the Transit Center will be replaced with LED lights later in the summer.
- Mr. Lewis said they are still working on the traffic concerns for Frontier Parkway. He said they are still planning on doing traffic counts in the neighborhood.
- Mr. Lewis said we did not receive the grant for the Mcloughlin to Canemah trail. He said they are still looking for another grant for this project.

6. COMMUNICATION

- Bob LaSalle talked about a new development that is going in the Holcomb Neighborhood and how it will affect traffic.

7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- Ray Atkinson mentioned Metro/ODOT'S Regional Mobility Policy Update.
- Ray Atkinson mentioned I-205 **Toll Projects, policies, strategies and performance measures.**



8. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:47 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kimberly Davis
Senior Administrative Assistant