



CITY OF ALBANY
TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMISSION

MINUTES

Tuesday, February 27, 2024, 5:30 p.m.
Santiam Room, City Hall/Virtual
Approved: March 26, 2024

Call to Order

5:29 p.m.

Chair Nolan Streitberger called the meeting to order at 5:29 p.m.

Roll Call

Members present: Chair Nolan Streitberger, Frankie McCullough, Chuck Kratch, Mark Siddall, Nichole Case

Members absent: Lacy Ramirez (excused), Terry Virnig

Staff present: Transportation Systems Analyst Ron Irish, Engineering Associate I Andrew Monaco, Public Works Clerk III Anita Dodd

Others present: Billy McGregor, AAMPO, Daniel Koenig

Approval January 23, 2024, Minutes

5:30 p.m.

Chuck Kratch made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Frankie McCullough seconded the motion, and the motion passed the commission 5-0.

Scheduled Business

5:31 p.m.

Introduction of New Member:

Transportation Systems Analyst Ron Irish introduced new member Nichole Case.

Potential Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacons (RRFB) Locations:

Chair Streitberger discussed the details of the Transportation Advisory Commission field trip that was held on February 21, 2024. Ron Irish gave a summary of the RRFB project to bring Nichole Case up to date and stated the goal of the discussion is to decide which locations they feel are most urgent and pass on their recommendation to the city council. The commissioners adjusted the priority of several of the RRFB locations proposed by staff and asked that the revised list be forwarded to the city council for their consideration.

Continuation of Street Funding Discussion:

Irish reported back to the commission about Public Works Director Chris Bailey's presentation to the city council. Director Bailey introduced two funding options, and city staff and the council are now researching those options to investigate how they would like to move forward.

Business from Commission

None.

Business from the Public

6:18 p.m.

Daniel Koenig asked the commission "what work is being done to expand public transit in Albany?" Billy McGregor from the Albany Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (AAMPO) chimed in as he has been involved in the local funding discussion and had some feedback for Koenig. McGregor stated they have received a grant recently and will be applying for more as funding is the only thing holding the city back from expansion. Irish suggested inviting Barry Hoffman to a future TAC meeting to make a presentation regarding Koenig's question.

Next Meeting Date

The next scheduled meeting is March 26, 2024.

Adjournment

Seeing no further business, the chair adjourned the meeting at 6:31 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Reviewed by,

Signature on file

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Anita Dodd
Clerk III

Ron Irish
Transportation Systems Analyst

**Documents discussed at the meeting that are not in the agenda packet are archived in the record. The documents are available by emailing cityclerk@albanyoregon.gov.*