

TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMISSION

MINUTES

January 28, 2025 5:30 p.m. Santiam Room, City Hall/Virtual

Approved: March 25, 2025

<u>Call to Order</u> 5:31 p.m.

Chair Nolan Streitberger called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

Roll Call

Members present: Chair Nolan Streitberger, Vice-Chair Frankie McCullough, Chuck Kratch, Alex

Rice, Nichole Case, and Daniel Koenig

Members absent: None.

Staff present: Civil Engineer I Andrew Monaco, and Public Works Clerk III Anita Dodd

Others present: Billy McGregor, and Brad Dennis

Elect Chair and Vice Chair

5:31 p.m.

Chuck Kratch made a motion to nominate Frankie McCullough as chair, Nolan Streitberger seconded the motion, and the motion passed the commission 5-0.

Chair McCullough made a motion to nominate Nolan Streitberger as vice-chair, Alex Rice seconded the motion, and the motion passed the commission 5-0.

McCullough began to lead the meeting as the new chair of the Transportation Advisory Commission (TrAC).

Approval of September 24, 2024, minutes

5:33 p.m.

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

Nichole Case entered the meeting after the vote.

Scheduled Business 5:34 p.m.

Civil Engineer I Andrew Monaco introduced the commissioners to a page on the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) website that he visits-yearly to download state crash data to use with the City of Albany network GIS. Monaco's intent is to identify the locations that are high in traffic incidents to provide data for the TrAC to focus on in the future. https://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/Data/Pages/Crash.aspx

Using the Oregon Transportation Safety Data Explorer

https://geo.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=df0b3cdb2f1149d3bd43436bc1dd4eac

Monaco proposed engaging in speed studies for a few different locations in Albany that the City has received multiple phone calls about. After discussion, the commission had no concerns and agreed to conduct the speed studies.

Chair McCullough left the meeting at 6:13 p.m., and Vice-Chair Streitberger acted as chair the remainder of the meeting.

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Rice and Streitberger brought up areas on ODOT right-of-way where additional pedestrian crossings may be warranted. Monaco suggested inviting ODOT to come back to the meeting in the future to further discuss projects on their system.

Business from the Public

6:27 p.m.

Brad Dennis attended the meeting online and spoke regarding the traffic problem in North Albany due to the number of homes being constructed.

Business from the Commission

6:32 p.m.

Kratch revisited a topic that Ron Irish brought up in the past about a roundabout in south Albany, and Monaco said he would research the topic and report back to the commission. Streitberger asked if they could bring police Captain Buck Pearce to ask specific questions about traffic cameras near school zones, and Monaco agreed to contact him. Daniel Koenig introduced themself and told the commission a little about their interests and hobbies.

Business from Staff 6:40 p.m.

Monaco reported back to let the commissioners know the transportation plan they have been talking about for the last several months is getting ready to begin.

Next Meeting Date

The next scheduled meeting is February 25, 2025.

Adjournment 6:43 p.m.

Seeing no further business, Vice-Chair Streitberger adjourned the meeting at 6:43 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Reviewed by,

Signature on file

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Anita Dodd Clerk III Andrew Monaco Engineering Associate I

^{*}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.