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## Multnomah County Bicycle and Pedestrian Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 9, 2021, 6:30pm - 8:30pm - Virtual Meeting/Zoom

**Time indicators (0:00:00) reference the meeting recording located in Dropbox at this link: [Dropbox Meeting Recordings](#)**

- ✓ = Attended
- e = Excused Absence
- u = Unexcused Absence

	Members	Guests	Staff/Presenter
u	Carolyn Briggs	Megan Moser, Bike Works by p:ear	MaryJo Andersen
e	Caroline Crisp		Oscar Rincones
✓	Clint Culpepper		Karin Jong-Mee Garber
✓	Dean Derek		Mike Pullen
✓	Sarah Erlund		Steve Litchfield
✓	Art Graves		
✓	Andrew Holtz		
✓	Joel Huggman		
e	Ken Lanteigne		
✓	Greg Olson		
e	Gary Purvine		
e	Michael Rubenstein		
✓	John Russell		
✓	Susan Watt		
✓	AJ Zelada		

## Welcome and Introductions

Participants used the chat feature to introduce themselves and participate in the ice breaker, which was in honor of Black Music Month, and asked everyone to name their favorite black artist and song or album in chat.

MaryJo started the meeting with a recognition of Juneteenth and a description of what the Holiday represents. Afterwards, Andrew Holtz and MaryJo Andersen welcomed participants and started the meeting.

## Public Comment - 0:04:10

Susan Watt shared her experience with a business doing remodeling that in the process closed off the sidewalk and routed folks onto the street. No signage was available warning people or automobiles of the sidewalk closure ahead of time. The unsafe routing caused people to walk into the travel lane of a busy street. (This is in the City of Portland/PBOT jurisdiction.)

Susan was curious about who to contact and asked for comments and suggestions (0:06:12)

0:06:25

Suggestions were provided by participants, including:

<https://pdxreporter.org/>

503-823-SAFE

Standards that PBOT and contractors are supposed to follow, including TPAR (Temporary Pedestrian Access Route): <https://www.portlandoregon.gov/transportation/article/648243>

## Chair Report - Andrew Holtz - 0:10:58

Andrew Holtz shared a report on an improvement that was supposed to come in as part of the COMP plan update regarding dump trucks on rural county roads going to landfills masquerading as farms.

He shared his experience in Northwest Springville with a video (0:11:35; [link here](#)) and discussion.

Complaints have not been addressed, MaryJo suggested Andrew follow-up on possible escalation of complaint with Mike Pullen (0:16:45). Mike Pullen will email Adam Barber (0:19:54) to address the delay in response.

## Meeting Minutes Approval - All - 01:23:50

Susan Watt moved to approve the minutes and it was seconded by Joel Huffman (01:23:55). The group approved the meeting minutes.

## DCS Equity and Work Culture - Karin Jong-Mee Garber, Multnomah County - 0:23:40

Karin Garber provided the group with a presentation about equity and culture change work being done at the county.

She followed the presentation with an opportunity for questions and comments (0:43:20).

## **Morrison Paint Update - Mike Pullen & Steve Litchfield, Multnomah County - 0:53:44**

Mike Pullen and Steve Litchfield (Jacobs Engineering) provided the group with updates to the Morrison Bridge Paint Project (0:54:15).

Mike and Steve provided an opportunity for questions and comments after their presentation (1:06:53).

Mike Pullen will be sending information about minority contractors that participated in bidding to share with the group (1:16:55)..

## **Staff Updates – MaryJo Andersen, Multnomah County - 01:25:00**

MaryJo shared information on the following topics with the committee:

- Membership updates (renewals, resignations, list of current members)
- Sara Erlund, Caroline Crisp and Clint Culpepper will be not be renewing their memberships.
- Others will receive a renewal request next Spring
- There are 12 members currently participating
- New planner - Eve Nilenders - will be working on the shuttle projects. Has been working at TriMet as a service planner.
- Membership Update
- July - no meeting (suggestion, not group activity) - go for a walk or bike ride - Gateway Green!
- August - tour of 238th Project (How do we list on website/MaryJo will decide)
- No Juneteenth activity - haven't heard back from Beyond Black
- SRTS updates - Summer school

## **Open Share/Project Updates/Other Business - 01:33:55**

AJ Zelada shared a letter with the group proposing to the ODA Advisory Committee that they invite BPCAC and the larger OBPCAC to a joint meeting to discuss all the issues from the beginning of the HCRH to the end of it.

A copy of this letter is available in the Dropbox link for this meeting (listed below).

### **Links Mentioned in Meeting**

[Historic Columbia River Highway State Trail](#)

[Dropbox link for this meeting](#)

Next Regular Meeting: September 1, 2021