



**MINUTES**  
**ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**  
 April 13, 2022

A meeting of the Active Transportation Committee was held on Wednesday, April 13, 2022, at 9:30 am, via remote connection due to the safety restrictions put in place by the Utah Governor's Office, in response to COVID-19 concerns, in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The following were present:

PRESENT	MEMBERS AND ALTERNATES	ATC REPRESENTATIVES AND OTHERS PRESENT
No	Travis Mote, Member (Willard - Box Elder County)	Ann Granato
No	Kevin Jeppsen, Alternate (Perry - Box Elder County)	Aric Manning
Yes	Joy Petro, Member (Layton - Davis County)	Bret Millburn
No	Brandon Stanger, Member (Clinton - Davis County)	Brittney Ward
Yes	Blaine Fackrell, Member (Morgan County)	Carrie Bennett
No	Robert McConnell, Alternate (Morgan County)	Chris Wiltsie
Yes	Troy Walker, Member (Draper - Salt Lake County)	Clint Campbell – UTA
No	Jeff Silvestrini, Alternate (Millcreek - Salt Lake County)	Dakota Froisland
Yes	Dirk Burton, Member (West Jordan - Salt Lake County)	Hannah Karmondy
No	Neil Critchlow, Alternate (Grantsville - Tooele County)	Helen Peters
Yes	Maresa Manzione, Member (Tooele City - Tooele County)	Jeff Oyler
Yes	Braden Mitchell, Member (Riverdale - Weber County)	KJ Kennedy
No	Richard Hyer, Member (Ogden City - Weber County)	Mark Bradley
Yes	Mark Johnson, Member (Lehi - Utah County)	Mercedes Maestas
Yes	Heidi Goedhart, Member (Utah Dept of Transportation)	Morgan Hadden – Get Healthy Utah
No	Andrea Olson, Alternate (Utah Dept of Transportation)	Neda Kiana
No	Russ Fox, Member (Utah Transit Authority)	Neil Critchlow
<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>NON-VOTING MEMBERS</b>	Peter Tang – UDOT Region 2
No	Jenn Oxborrow, Member (Bike Utah)	Ryan Beck
Yes	Brett McIff, Member (Utah Department of Health)	Sarah Kinnison
<b>WFRC STAFF</b>		Scott Shea
Andrea Pearson	Mikala Jordan	Stephanie Tomlin
Ben Wuthrich	Miranda Jones Cox	Tim Harpst
Hugh Van Wagenen	Ned Hacker	Travis Olsen
Jory Johner	Nikki Navio	
Marcia White	Rosie Hernandez	
Megan Townsend	Ted Knowlton	
Michael Sobchak		

**1. Roll Call and Consent Agenda [00:00:01]**

Mayor Troy Walker, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:32 am. He stated that he will be available until 10:00 am. At that time, he will turn the meeting over to Mayor Joy Petro, Vice Chair, who will proceed with the meeting.

**a. ACTION: Approval of Minutes [00:10:59]**

Mayor Walker entertained a motion to approve the minutes of the Active Transportation Committee meeting held on [February 9, 2022](#). A motion was made by Mayor Petro, seconded by Commissioner Blaine Fackrell, that the minutes be approved without changes. The affirmative motion carried unanimously.

**2. Chair Report**

**a. \$40 from Legislature for paved pathways [00:03:16]**

Mayor Walker reported that this historic state investment from the Legislature in active transportation will require a 20 percent match, resulting in at least \$48 million being spent on active transportation projects throughout Utah. Added to last year's \$42 million in state commitment including local match, that equates to \$90 million over the past two years. He stated that if other local and federal funding are included, Utah is making a truly historic investment of well over \$100 million in active transportation.

**b. May is Bike Month – what is happening in your community? [00:04:55]**

Mayor Walker opened this time to the group and gave members an opportunity to share what their communities are doing in celebration of Bike month.

**3. Public Comment [00:11:40]**

Mayor Walker opened the meeting for public comment. There were none.

**4. ACTION: 2022 Active Transportation Committee Focus Areas [00:12:00]**

Hugh Van Wagenen, WFRC, displayed the draft 2022 Active Transportation Focus Areas that were discussed at the February meeting. Mr. Van Wagenen has incorporated the feedback from that discussion, and other suggestions, into the new set of focus areas. [00:13:28] Mayor Walker requested a motion to approve the updated [2022 Active Transportation Focus Areas](#) as presented. Mayor Petro made the motion to approve, seconded by Mayor Travis Mote. The affirmative vote was unanimous.

**5. The Golden Spoke: 100+ miles of trails connecting Provo to Ogden [00:14:15]  
(Goal 3: Educate)**

Mr. Van Wagenen gave an overview of the [Golden Spoke](#) trail network and the [Golden Spoke](#) ride event happening on May 14, 2022.

[00:25:44] Mayor Walker excused himself from the meeting and asked Mayor Petro, Vice Chair, to proceed. Mayor Petro presided over the meeting at this point.

**6. ParkRx Utah introduction [00:26:35]  
(Goal 3: Educate)**

Sarah Kinnison introduced the Committee to [ParkRx Utah](#), a free program that prescribes nature as a medicine for individuals to manage their health care.

**7. Transportation Land Use Connection (TLC) awards (Goal 1: Plan) [00:47:37]**

Megan Townsend, WFRC, presented the most recent Transportation Land Use Connection [awarded projects](#) related to active transportation.

**Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) overview (Goal 2: Build) [00:57:19]**

Mr. Van Wagenen gave an overview of the active transportation-related [applications](#) being recommended for funding by the Transportation Coordinating Committee Technical Advisory Committee.

**8. Other Business [01:09:39]**

**a. WFRC Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) Update**

Jory Johner, WFRC, gave a brief update on the [Regional Transportation Plan](#) process. He reported that WFRC staff is in the process of reviewing the draft 2023-2050 Regional Transportation Plan phased by need, and invited the group to provide feedback on this interactive map: <https://wfr.org/rtp-2023-needs-phase-map>.

**b. Next meeting: June 8, 2022 [01:16:06]** Mayor Petro reported that the next meeting will be held on June 8, 2022, and encouraged everyone to attend in person.

**9. Adjournment [01:17:44]**

Mayor Petro asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mayor Dirk Burton made a motion to adjourn, the motion was seconded, and the affirmative vote was unanimous. The meeting ended at 10:50 am.

Upcoming Events:

- *Transportation Coordinating Committee (Trans Com), April 14*
- *Utah Bike Summit, April 19*
- *Regional Growth Committee Technical Advisory Committees (RGC TAC), April 20*
- *National Bike to School Day, May 4*
- *Golden Spoke Bike Ride, May 14*
- *Regional Growth Committee (RGC), May 19*
- *Wasatch Front Regional Council (WFRC), May 26*
- *Joint Policy Advisory Committee (JPAC), June 2*
- *World Bike Day, June 3*
- *National Trails Day, June 4*

A recording of this meeting, as well as meeting materials, may be found on the WFRC website at [www.wfrc.org](http://www.wfrc.org)