



WASATCH FRONT REGIONAL COUNCIL

**MINUTES
ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

June 10, 2020

A meeting of the Active Transportation Committee was held on Wednesday, April 8, 2020, 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:

	MEMBERS AND ALTERNATES:	ATC REPRESENTATIVES AND OTHERS PRESENT:
NO	Kenneth Braegger, Member (Willard - Box Elder County)	Becka Rolff, SLC Transportation
NO	Kevin Jeppsen, Alternate (Perry - Box Elder County)	David Foster, Alta Planning
NO	Katie Witt, Member (Kaysville - Davis County)	Nathan Peterson, Intermountain Healthcare
YES	Jo Sjoblom, Member (South Weber - Davis County)	Chris Wiltsie, Bike Utah
YES	Daryl Ballantyne, Member (Morgan County)	Evan Curtis, UT State Planning
NO	Robert McConnell, Alternate (Morgan County)	Jeff Oyler, Davis County
NO	Troy Walker, Member (Draper - Salt Lake County)	Kent Andersen, Davis County
NO	Jeff Silvestrini, Member (Millcreek - Salt Lake County)	Dave Iltis, Cycling Utah
YES	Dirk Burton, Alternate (West Jordan - Salt Lake County)	Peter Tang, UDOT
YES	Thomas "KJ" Karjola, Member (Stockton - Tooele County)	Sarah Hodson, Get Healthy Utah
NO	Justin Brady, Alternate (Tooele City)	Kim Clausing, Tooele Co Health
NO	Michelle Kaufusi, Member (Provo - Utah County)	Helen Peters, Salt Lake County
NO	Norm Searle, Member (Riverdale - Weber County)	Kayla Kinkead, Utah Transit Authority
YES	Richard Hyer, Member (Ogden - Weber County)	Mark Bradley, Brigham City
YES	Heidi Goedhart, Member (Utah Dept of Transportation)	Mercedes Maestas, Salt Lake County
YES	Ben Huot, Member (Utah Department of Transportation)	Angelo Papastamos, UDOT
NO	Andrea Olson, Alternate (Utah Dept of Transportation)	Jim Price and Shauna Mecham, MAG
YES	Laura Hanson, Member (Utah Transit Authority)	Steve Call, FHWA
	NON-VOTING MEMBERS:	Tim Harpst, Horrocks Engineering
YES	Crys Lee, Member (Bike Utah)	Travis Olsen, Weber County
YES	Brett McCliff, Member (Utah Department of Health)	Mark Watterson,
WFRC Staff: Hugh Van Wagenen, Alex Roy, Andrew Gruber, Rosie Hernandez, Megan Townsend, Bert Granberg, Bill Hereth, LaNiece Davenport, Lauren Victor, Ned Hacker, Katie Gerard, Nicole Proulx, Jory Johner, Ted Knowlton, Joshua Reynolds, Andrea Pearson		Lars Anderson,
		Roland Stanger,
		Trent Thatcher,

1. Introductions and Consent Agenda [00:00:04]

Mayor Jo Sjoblom, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:49 a.m. and welcomed committee members and guests. Introductions were made via roll call.

1a. ACTION: Approval of Minutes [00:06:06]

Mayor Sjoblom entertained a motion to approve the minutes of the Active Transportation Committee meeting held on April 8, 2020. A motion was made by Mayor Troy Walker and seconded by Jeff Oyler, Davis County, that the minutes be approved without changes. The affirmative motion carried unanimously.

2. Chair Report [00:03:40]

Mayor Sjoblom stated that the pandemic has definitely created opportunities for more active transportation in our region and opened the meeting up for discussion and comments regarding the impact that the COVID-19 restrictions have had on active transportation in our communities.

3. Public Comment [00:06:57]

Mayor Sjoblom opened the meeting for public comment. There were no comments.

4. More People Biking and Walking [00:07:19]

Hugh Van Wagenen, WFRC, gave an overview of people biking and walking based on Strava data, trail counts around the Wasatch Front, and bicycle sales. Mr. Van Wagenen presented a video of trail etiquette - the link will be disseminated to the members - and posed the following question for discussion, “How do we enable the “new normal” to be better than the “old normal”?”

5. SLC Stay Safe, Stay Active! Streets [00:27:11]

Dan Bergenthal, Salt Lake City Transportation, gave an overview of the *Stay Safe, Stay Active! Streets* program that has been developed during the pandemic to give people more room to travel and recreate outside.

6. E-bike Regulation [01:06:06]

Jason Curry, with Utah Division of Forestry, Fire, and State Lands, will give an overview of e-bike regulation within the State. Mr. Curry provided a handout that covers the information presented that will be disseminated to the members.

7. Outdoor Recreation Grant Awards [00:46:56]

Pitt Grewe, Director at the Utah Office of Outdoor Recreation, presented the 2020 Outdoor Recreation Grant recipients.

8. Wasatch Bike Plan Map [01:19:09]

Nicole Proulx, WFRC, demonstrated the interactive map of the Wasatch Bike Plan (WBP). The WBP, in collaboration with Bike Utah, tracks the communities that have adopted an active transportation plan that meets the Active Transportation Plan Standards.

9. Agency/City/County Program Updates [01:30:38]

Mayor Sjoblom asked if there were any updates that anyone would like to share. There were none.

10. Other Business [01:30:50]

Mayor Sjoblom reminded the group that the next ATC meeting is scheduled for August 12, 2020.

11. Adjournment [01:31:04]

Mayor Sjoblom asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Richard Hyer made a motion to adjourn, and Councilmember Daryl Ballantyne seconded. The affirmative vote was unanimous. The meeting ended at 11:20am.

A recording of this meeting, as well as meeting materials, may be found on the WFRC website at www.wfrc.org