



City of Columbia, Missouri

Meeting Minutes

Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

7:00 PM

City Hall
701 E. Broadway
Conference Room 1B

I. CALL TO ORDER

Staff: Mitch Skov, Leah Christian, Janet Godon

Guests: Grant Miller, MU Journalism School student
Called to Order by Chair Lawrence Simonson at 7:01PM

Present: 8 - Elke Boyd, Dan Harder, Cathryn Jost, Jason Patrie, Lawrence Simonson, Karin Loftin, Ann Marie Gortmaker and Nicholas Knoth

Absent: 1 - Andrew Sommer

Non-Voting: 1 - Janet Godon

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve: Jason Patrie
Second: Karin Loftin
Motion passed unanimously

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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Motion: Elke Boyd
Second: Nicholas Knoth
Motion passed unanimously

IV. STAFF/COMMISSION REPORTS

- a. Janet Godon - Get About Columbia update
 - i. Status update on the Shepard to Rollins Trail project
 - a) It passed at City Council meeting
 - ii. Update on the MKT bridge replacement project
 - a) Bridge 8 is set in place
 - b) Bridge 7 is getting started
- b. Recreation Trail Program (RTP) 2018 Grant Application scope change
 - i. Changed from the Perche Creek Trail Phase I to the Hinkson Creek Trail: Stephens Lake Park to Clark Lane
 - ii. Change is due to an ongoing abatement project between Columbia City Utilities and the Missouri Department of

Natural Resources

- iii. Staff should receive notification in July regarding funding from the RTP grant.
- iv. Both trail projects are part of the planned 30-mile loop

c. Mitch Skov

- i. CATSO Coordinating Committee meeting is tomorrow (Thursday, February 22)
- ii. At the MODOT Planning Meeting earlier in February, CATSO staff learned that the MoDOT cost share program that was previously suspended has been reinstated
- iii. 50% cost share between MoDOT and localities
- iv. Roundabouts and other projects are eligible for this funding

d. Leah Christian - Update on the Master Plan

- i. The timeline of the Master Plan is forthcoming and the commission will be asked to review it
- ii. Suggestions to add or remove of sidewalks should be made and properly vetted

V. ADA Sidewalk Transition Plan – Allison Anderson, Public Works Department

- a. Allison Anderson spoke to the commission about ADA Sidewalk Transition Plan for Columbia this year
 - i. Inventory all sidewalks and right-ways for meeting of ADA standards
 - ii. Improve sidewalks and curb ramps to meet ADA standards
 - iii. Intersection Improvement Projects to fill in sidewalk gaps, asphalt overlays
 - iv. Begin in the city proper first in the summer
 - v. Rank the projects
 - vi. Asked for feedback from the commission
 - vii. Discussion led by Lawrence Simonson included developing required standards for these improvements
 - a) Accountability of Developers where deficiencies exist
 - b) Addition of Audible Pedestrian Signals
 - c) The cost of these improvements and funding availability
 - d) The Ballenger Road (Clark Lane to Mexico-Gravel Road) Improvements

VI. OLD BUSINESS

Sidewalk Master Plan

Leah will bring more information next meeting

VII. GENERAL COMMENTS BY PUBLIC, MEMBERS AND STAFF

Consider audible pedestrian signals and vibratory signals for all sidewalk intersection

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn - Elke Boyd

Second - Cathy Jost

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM

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