



APPROVED MINUTES

Bicycle and Pedestrian Sub-Committee Urban Transportation Commission Meeting Minutes

**Regular Meeting
27 September 2010**

The Bicycle and Pedestrian Sub-Committee of the Urban Transportation Commission convened in a regular meeting on 27, September, 2010 at the One Texas Center Building, located at 505 Barton Spring Road, Suite 800, Austin, Texas.

Sub-Committee Members in Attendance:

Eileen Schaubert - Chair
Allen Demling
Sheila Holbrook-White

Sub-Committee Members Absent:

None

Staff in Attendance:

Joana Perez

1. CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Schaubert called the Sub-committee meeting to order at 6:08 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from the meeting of 06/28/2010 will be reviewed at the next meeting.

3. CITIZENS COMMUNICATIONS - GENERAL

Mr. Tommy Eden and Ms. Amy Babich, citizens participated in the discussion. Ms. Babich provided a spreadsheet with information on bicyclist and pedestrians injuries and deaths, and asked for an updated report from APD to include pedestrian counts.

4. OLD BUSINESS

a. Austin Complete Streets – Discussion and Possible Action

Commissioner Schaubert has spoken with a representative of Bike Texas who would like to model and introduce the Complete Streets language. The subcommittee will allow her to work on it. No action taken.

b. Sidewalk Resolution – Discussion and Possible Action

Commissioner Holbrook-White would like to set up a conference call with people from the Washington, D.C. area to discuss several topics, including the possibility of having an intern work with the subcommittee to assist with some research. The conference call will be posted as a public meeting. Possible dates include October 18th, October 25th, or November 15th. Commissioner Holbrook-white will add some data to the Sidewalk Resolution and will provide it via email to the subcommittee. No action taken.

5. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Bike parking needs assessment.

The subcommittee will revisit the issue of bicycle parking and how the requests for bicycle racks are being sent to the city and to whom. A request to check the bicycle codes and if additional meters will be added for bicycle parking will be sent to the City's Bicycle Program.

No action taken.

6. STAFF AND COMMISSIONERS REPORTS

- a. None

7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. Set up a meeting with Transportation Director Robert Spillar to discuss sidewalks on Burnet Road.
- b. Conference call with Washington, D.C. people. This will be set up by Commissioner Holbrook-White and posted as a public meeting. The date will depend on availability.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Schaubert adjourned the meeting at 7:15 p.m. without objection.

Eileen Schaubert, Commissioner
Bicycle and Pedestrian Subcommittee Chair

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