



**PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COUNCIL
AUGUST 4, 2014 – 6:00 PM
ONE TEXAS CENTER, 8th FLOOR, CONFERENCE ROOM 8A
505 BARTON SPRINGS ROAD
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78704**

REVISED AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

1. INTRODUCTIONS (6:00 to 6:05)

2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL (6:05 to 6:08)

The first 3 speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (6:08 to 6:10)

4. STAFF AND COMMISSION BRIEFINGS (6:10 to 6:15)

- A. Bicycle Advisory Council / Urban Transportation Commission**
- B. Surgeon General's Call to Action on Walking**

5. NEW BUSINESS (6:15 to 7:35)

A. Urban Rail Update – Briefing

Presentation by: John-Michael Cortez, Capital Metro

B. South Shore Central Update – Discussion and Possible Action

Presentation by: Katie Mulholland, Planning and Development Review

C. CTG Walkability Assessment Results – Briefing

Presentation by: Pamela Larson and Leah Hilton, Planning and Development Review

6. OLD BUSINESS (7:35 to 8:00)

A. Proposed Subcommittee on Right of Way Obstructions – Discussion and Possible Action

Presentation by: Delfin Salazar, PAC Full Member

B. Subcommittee Reports

C. Follow-Up on Complete Streets Recommendations

7. FUTURE BUSINESS (8:00 to 8:05)

A. Establish Election Subcommittee

B. Elections for those serving partial terms

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPDATES (8:00 to 8:10)

- Summer meeting locations:
 - Sept. 8: Little Walnut Creek Branch Library, 835 W Rundberg Lane or One Texas Center 8th Floor
(NOTE: This meeting has been scheduled for September 8 because of the Labor Day Holiday). The
- Land Development Code recommendations submitted to CodeNEXT.
http://www.austintexas.gov/sites/default/files/files/Planning/CodeNEXT/PAC_BAC_CodeNEXT_Recommendations.pdf
- Distracted Driving Study Group submitted recommendations to Council on July 28. The recommendations do not include pedestrians. The item is slated to be considered by Council on August 7, item 110.
 - 110. [Approve a resolution directing the City Manager to draft an ordinance related to distracted driving.](#)
(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Mike Martinez CO 1: Council Member Laura Morrison CO 2: Council Member Chris Riley)
Council Resolution can be read [here](#).
- Traffic Safety Symposium: Discuss with state and local agencies and advocacy groups ways to create safer roadways in Austin. Speaker sign-ups, 5:30-6:30pm. Public comment, 6:25-7:45pm. *Palmer Events Center, 900 Barton Springs Rd. Free.*
www.austinconventioncenter.com.
- Lightsey 2 Subdivision going before [Planning Commission](#) on August 12. Developer proposing to connect street through (as per Code requirement) but is facing neighborhood opposition.
- [Urban Transportation Commission](#) meets on August 12. Location to be determined.
- [Bicycle Advisory Council](#) meets August 19, 6pm. Location to be determined.

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Staff has the ability to enable remote access attendance.

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