



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

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 7:30)

A. Transportation Network Companies – Discussion and Possible Action

Presentation by: Leah Bojo, Council Member Riley's Office

B. Lightsey II Subdivision – Discussion and Possible Action

Presentation by: Ross Wilson, PSW

C. Establish Election Subcommittee

6. OLD BUSINESS (7:30 to 7:50)

A. Subcommittee Reports

7. FUTURE BUSINESS (7:50 to 7:55)

A. October - Elections for those serving partial terms

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPDATES (7:55 to 8:00)

- Lightsey II Subdivision to be heard by Planning Commission Tuesday, September 9.
- *Complete Streets Workshop*, September 15, 2014, 6-8pm, Carver Museum Theater, 1185 Angelina Street, Austin, TX 78702

Registration is required. Please register here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/welcoming-everyone-to-austins-streets-a-community-workshop-on-complete-streets-tickets-12837568513>

A workshop featuring facilitators from the National Complete Streets Coalition and Austin's Transportation Department Director to discuss how Austin's policy will be implemented and to provide input.

- [Bicycle Advisory Council](#) meets September 16, 6pm. Location to be determined.
- **Free Webinar on Pedestrian Safety Enforcement Operations**, September 17, 1:00-2:30.

To register, visit <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/306931298>

A webinar to discuss a new guide for conducting effective pedestrian safety enforcement operations. The guide, to be released this summer is entitled *Pedestrian Safety Enforcement Operations: A How-To Guide*.

- [Urban Transportation Commission](#) meets on September 18. Location to be determined.
- **Distracted Driving Ordinance**
Council passed the distracted driving ordinance which PAC made recommendations on. Because of amendments, the law department is still finalizing language. Here is a [draft version](#). The ordinance requires hands-free operation of electronic devices and applies to motor vehicles and bicyclists, but not to pedestrians. The ordinance does not apply to motor vehicles stopped at stop lights which are at a complete stop.
- **Urban Trails Master Plan**
The Council did not hear this item at the August 28/29 meeting. Council will consider this item at the September 25 Council meeting. The draft Plan is [here](#).
- **Survey for Travis County land, water, and transportation plans.** The direct link to the survey is <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/lwtp2014>

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