

**Pedestrian Master Plan Advisory Group (PMPAG)
Meeting #2**

Seattle Municipal Tower, 700 5th Avenue
16th Floor, Conference Room 1600
June 29, 2007
8:00 – 10:00 am

Agenda

8:00 am Public Comments

8:10 am Group Protocols

Actions: Brief review of recommended changes and endorse.

8:20 am Project Approach and Meeting Schedule

Actions: Review proposed project approach, revise and endorse.
Review list of presentation ideas for future agendas.

8:40 am Project Goals & PMPAG Mission

Actions: Work in groups to review the existing goals of the PMP. Recommend revisions or endorsement. The existing goals are:

- Get more people walking
- Reduce the number and severity of crashes involving pedestrians
- Engage citizens to define the actions needed to make Seattle a more walkable city

To begin shaping the PMPAG mission statement, answer the question: How can the PMPAG further the project goals?

Small groups share their work.

9:20 am Next Steps

9:25 am Issue Update: Creating Livable Cities and Walkable Places

The group will watch part of William H. Whyte's short film, *The Social Life of Small Urban Spaces*, that describes a classic 1980 study of New York City's plazas that started a mini-revolution in urban planning and design. "Through *The Social Life of Small Urban Spaces*...the world could see that through the basic tools of observation and interviews, we can learn an immense amount about how to make our cities more livable. In doing so, Whyte laid the groundwork for a major movement to change the way public spaces are built and planned." (*excerpt from the Project for Public Spaces website*)

10:00 am Adjourn

PMPAG—Please Prepare in Advance:

1. An Issue Update will be a regular PMPAG agenda item. Issue Updates could take the form of a presentation by staff or other member of the PMPAG, an outside speaker, a panel discussion or other material that will help provide the group with a stronger context for our work. Please identify three issues that you would like to hear about through the Issue Updates. Send your recommendations via email or phone to Barbara Gray (Barbara.gray@seattle.gov; 206.615.0872) by Wednesday, June 27 so they can be compiled and discussed at the June 29 meeting.