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Pedestrian Master Plan*

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SPAB MONTHLY MEETING Minutes March 13, 2024

Location: In Person – City Hall Room L280 Boards and Commissions Room

Location: Virtual Meeting—Microsoft Teams

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Meeting agenda for March 13, 2024

6:00 pm – Welcome, Roll Call – 5 min

- Chris Grgich, Wes Mills, Rohit Ammanamanchi, Fallon Boyle, Emily Davis, Maria Sumner (no), Chelsea Morrison, Emily Szeto, Delaney Lind, Mary-Desiree Kramer, Natasha Riveron, David Frantz (no)

6:05 pm – Public Comment – 5 min

- Ankur commented on Aurora Ave N

6:10 pm – Vision Zero, David Burgess, SDOT – 40 min

- David Burgess presented on Vision Zero
- Question regarding whether autonomous vehicles will be broken into a separate category on the major contributing factors slide.
 - David responded that it potentially fits under mechanical error. Depends on the responding officer and how they report it.
- does SDOT provide stats/data or other info up to federal-level orgs like NTSB for "squeaky wheel" data funnels like funding/funding allocation/project prioritization?
 - Not that David is aware of. There may be some things getting off the ground right now. Local crash reporting goes to Washington State Patrol and then it goes to the federal agencies from there.
- Question about arterial traffic calming.
 - Part of the toolkit and will be rolled out more aggressively in the next three years.
 - An example of something we haven't experimented with yet is roundabouts, but we are interested in using that as a tool.
- 50%+ of fatalities happen at night. Some research showing that night-time crashes are related to increased speeds. Less cars on the road means people drive faster.
- Question about speed cameras and expansion of the program.

The Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board shall advise the City Council, the Mayor and all the offices of the city on matters related to pedestrians and the impacts which actions by the city may have upon the pedestrian environment; and shall have the opportunity to contribute to all aspects of the city's planning insofar as they relate to the pedestrian safety and access.

~City Council Resolution
28791

6:50 pm – Aurora Ave N, Elisabeth Wooton, Brian Dougherty and Marilyn Yim SDOT – 45 min

- Presentation from Elisabeth Wooton, Brian Dougherty and Marilyn Yim
- Question and answer period.
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7:35 pm – Board business - Funding Plan, Seattle Transportation Plan – 15 min

- Vote to send letter on Funding Plan with the discussed changed on letterhead, passed with no objections.
- Table sending something on the STP.
- Discussion on scooter share and suggesting changes to permit language.

7:50 pm – Vote to finalize Annual Report, Vote on Levy Oversight Committee Representative (Delaney Lind has volunteered)

- Vote to finalize Annual Report, passed with no objections. Vote to have Delaney Lind act as the SPAB representative on the Levy Oversight Committee, passed with no objections.

7:55 pm – Public Comment – 5 min

- Jack Whisser commented.
- Doug MacDonald commented.

8:00 pm – Meeting Adjourn

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**Next meeting is April 10, 2024*