



A Salt Lake County Board that meets the second Wednesday of the month; 5:30 – 7:00 pm; please join us virtually using Webex (www.webex.com); meeting number (access code) 146 820 0986; meeting password mGefpuaH538 or dial in 213-306-3065 United States Toll (Los Angeles) 602-666-0783 United States Toll (Phoenix)

SLCBAC Executive Committee

Blair Tomten, Chair ~ Millcreek

Eric Kraan, Vice Chair ~ Cottonwood Heights

Alex Parker, Treasurer ~ Sandy

Excused - Mike Mikhalev, Secretary ~ Millcreek

SLCBAC Committee Members

Dixie Harris ~ Draper

Alex Degnan ~ Salt Lake City

Ja'rell Watts ~ Murray

Jill Jensen ~ Salt Lake City

Travis Evans ~ Riverton

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Agenda – Wednesday, December 9, 2020

- 5:30 **Welcome and Introductions**
- Toby Lowry, Transportation Planner and GIS Analyst
 - All attended except for those highlighted on the left.
- 5:35 **Approval of Minutes**
- November 2020
 - Unanimously approved minutes
- 5:35 **Public Comment** (Limited to 2 minutes per comment)
- Blair has opened it up to public comment.
 - Helen noted that she will help Toby figure out the email chain
 - Eric Kraan: As of two weeks ago, he cycled through Holiday and note that the signs were missed or not approved. The County was supposed to take care of that. Helen noted that she will reach out to Holladay and get a contact.
 - Helen: Anything to report from UDOT or Wasatch Front?
 - Where the River Meets the Road webinar: Blair listened in and noted that public was very impressed how people worked together to get that completed.
 - Heidi (UDOT) – As they are unable to host in person events, they will be continuing to host webinars throughout the year (see Move Utah website).
 - Helen noted she received positive feedback from that first webinar as well
 - Hugh – Tomorrow is the deadline for applications for projects for next funding year. Hugh will report back about what came in and what is being considered from that group.
- 5:40 **County Updates** (Helen Peters)
- ^ mostly noted above.
- 5:45 **Voice of the Cyclist** (Alex Parker)

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- Reminder that the strategy here is to put a plan in place to advocate for cycles more and
- Alex has about 35 organizations/cycling groups (outside of facebook) that we can start with. Alex also has a draft email
- Second step: Blair is looking into surveys in order to hear from the cyclists in the County. Suggested that Toby (with GIS) can help with a survey.
 - Heidi: Is this a “click and fix” type survey or a way to add comment/feedback/questions/ etc.
 - Blair: This was for the public to be able to consolidate the voices into one place for cycling concerns. Advocacy in general.
 - Possibility to share a “click and fix” platform with UDOT.
- Next Step is to design signs, which Alex Degnan has been tasked with. As of today, there are no updates with signage. This is a task for next week. (Travis will get an estimate on costs as soon as we have a design).

6:00 Review of 2020 Accomplishments
(Blair Tomten)

- A lot has changed due to COVID
- Bobsled signs were placed (paid for with 2019 budget)
- Fix-it stations was installed (paid for with 2019 budget)
- It has been a very big year for biking and active transportation, even though it was a hard year for the committee and everyone in general with COVID
- Dixie traveled to New York to work in a hospital during the Spring, the height of COVID in NY.

- SLCBAC is still going with all our members!
- 6:10 Discussion of 2021 Goals and Action Items** (Blair Tomten)
- Blair: Bike infrastructure is increasing, and people are realizing that active transportation is important to citizens.
 - We plan to keep going with the Voice of the Cyclist
 - Have a day where we ride around at a Committee and actively hand out bike lights to people that are riding without lights.
 - Film by Bike – plan to hold this event in 2021
 - Have all committee members come up with a goal/action item for 2021 (by Jan 2021 meeting).
 - Bike Audits
 - Travis: Introduce ourselves at our local City Council meetings
 - Helen: Asked Heidi or Hugh if they have any goals/suggestions for SLCBAC
 - Heidi: This committee has a good platform to do more education and public outreach.
 - Hugh: When new connections are made to regional trails and transit .. how does the general public get aware of that.. Example: the Gardner Village trax station connection to the Jordan River Parkway. How are we letting people know about this? Mark it? Etc. Tossed this out for SLCBAC to consider.

6:20 Executive Committee Elections – January 2021 (Blair Tomten)

- Blair: These elections will be held during the next meeting. Nominations process between now and the January meeting. Reachout to Helen or Toby for nominations. Nominations can also be taken from the floor next meeting.

6:20 Budget Discussion & January Agenda Items (Alex Parker)

- Cycling Utah Request
- Cycling Utah Request has been edited to \$2,211 and approved.
 - Eric Kraan the sole vote against
- Request for SLCBAC pop-up tent to be used for events (\$800) has been held for use, pending Helen.
- 2021 Budget was passed. The amount will be communicated in January

6:30 Adjourn meeting

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