

Public Transit Advisory Board (PTAB)

Meeting Minutes

April 13, 2023, 5:30–7:00 p.m.



Call to Order

Ms. Sarah Preskitt called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Roll Call

PTAB Members Present

CB Brady
Peter Hill
Nathaniel Lackey
Ric Nelson
Sarah Preskitt
Michael Williams

Citizens Present

Maija DiSalvo
Melinda Gant
Luis Munoz

PTAB Members Absent

Doug Miller

After the roll call, it was identified that a quorum was present.

Approval of the Agenda

Mr. Peter Hill moved to approve the March 9, 2023, agenda.

Mr. Nathaniel Lackey seconded.

The motion passed without objection.

Public Involvement Announcement

Ms. Sarah Preskitt read the public involvement announcement.

Action/Information Items

A. Minutes of the March 9, 2023, meeting (Action Item)

Mr. Peter Hill moved to approve the minutes of March 9, 2023.

Mr. CB Brady seconded the motion.

The motion passed without objection.

B. Director's Update (Info Item)

Information was provided by Ms. Jamie Acton.

C. PTAB's Core Ideology and Goals (Info Item)

Information was provided by Mr. Bart Rudolph.

D. Transit on the Move (Info item)

Information was provided by Mr. Bart Rudolph.

E. PTAB op-eds

Information was provided by Ms. Sarah Preskitt.

F. Ridership Update (Info Item)

Information was provided by Mr. Nicholas Abugel and Mr. Bart Rudolph.

Public Comments

Public comments received are as follows:

Luis Munoz had multiple questions and was advised to place them in writing to TransitPlanning@muni.org.

Maija DiSalvo said that she was a planner in the Mat-Su area and that she was starting to work on a transit plan for the area. But that essentially she just wanted to introduce herself.

Member Comments

Mr. CB Brady said that he was a transit rider in response to Lewis's question. He also added that he was pleased with the new MStop application, and that the 5-second updates were great

Mr. Michael Williams said that he was a transit rider in response to Lewis's question. He added that he was excited to review Transit on The Move and that he was looking forward to helping with drafting a letter for PTAB op-eds.

Mr. Nathaniel Lackey said that he was a transit rider in response to Lewis's question.

Peter Hill said that he was a transit rider in response to Lewis's question.

Mr. Ric Nelson said that he didn't have any comments for this month.

Ms. Sarah Preskitt said that she was a transit rider in response to Lewis's question. She also added that she was excited that there were some future action items, and that she would send out a poll to the board members shortly.

Adjournment

Mr. Peter Hill moved to adjourn the PTAB meeting of April 13, 2023, at 6:39 PM.

Mr. Nathaniel Lackey seconded.

The motion passed without objection.

The next PTAB meeting will be held on May 11, 2023, from 5:30–7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicholas Abugel
Transit Planning Technician

For details of the board's discussion, please refer to the recording of this meeting on the municipal website at

<http://www.muni.org/Departments/transit/Pages/PublicTransitAdvisoryBoard.aspx>