



## Athens in Motion Commission

Tuesday, April 26, 2022 – 4:00-6:00 pm

Online via ACC WebEx:

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### Present

Lauren Blais	Mark Ebell
Teresa Friedlander	Randy Halstead
Rani Katreeb	Scott Long
Todd Miller	Aaron Redman
Daniel Sizemore	Craig Topple
Blaine Van Note	

### Absent

James Barlament  
Carly Evans

1. **Call to Order**
  - a. Meeting called to order at 4:03 pm.
2. **Public Comments**
  - a. None
3. **Agenda approval**
  - a. Aaron motioned. Mark seconded. Agenda approved.
4. **Approval of Minutes**
  - a. Lauren motioned. Teresa seconded. Minutes approved.
5. **Housekeeping**
  - a. After discussion, we will keep next meeting on Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> (election day)
  - b. Commissioner expiration dates and renewal process
    - i. Aaron, Teresa, and Randy are due – how to proceed/option to renew?
6. **Complete Streets Update (10:59)**
  - a. Next steps – placed on an agenda and voted on in June
  - b.
7. **Greenlife Expo report back (14:32)**
  - a. Smaller crowd than last event, but overall positive feedback. Connected TSPLOST and Athens in Motion with many citizens. Also discussed Vision Zero.
  - b. Discussed obtaining tabling materials for future events.

**8. Park Planning (28:05)**

- a. Steel being erected on Firefly Trail bridge, still on schedule – completion next Winter
- b. Cemetery trail bridge being removed, trail will run beneath – completion set for Fall
- c. Carr’s Creek Greenway extension – working on design

**9. Bike/PED Coordinator (33:15)**

- a. RAISE Grant 2022 update – submitted with a 2.23 benefit to cost ratio, submit planning grants in the future
- b. Notice Of Funding Opportunity – SS4A grant program (Safe Streets 4 All), DCA downtown revitalization grant
- c. GOC meeting – parklet ordinance discussion, main concerns revolve around having parklets that intersect with bike lanes
- d. West Broad Roundabout – public input open through May 11<sup>th</sup>, stakeholder meeting was set to discuss design/impact
- e. Tallassee Rd bridge over CSX bike and pedestrian access GTIB grant – awarded \$750,000
- f. Pavement maintenance project update – 2 bids received, both out of our budget, re-starting process

**10. Communications Logo survey (1:28:14)**

- a. Randy presented the results of the Logo survey
- b. Daniel suggested to revise the logo on the communications/strategy committee level
- c. Teresa motioned to remove the logo from the scope of the Toole contract. Mark seconded. Motion passed.

**11. Corridor committees (1:55:00)**

- a. Atlanta Hwy Corridor – two walking surveys of Mitchell Bridge & Timothy Rd, awaiting recommendations/feedback
- b. Lexington Rd Corridor – developing public input session
- c. Prince Ave Corridor – no updates

**12. AIMC Committees (1:00:07)**

- a. Grants and Data – no updates
- b. Policy and Projects – no updates
- c. Education and Communication – no updates

**13. Other Committees (1:00:00)**

- a. UGA – no updates
- b. Greenway – no updates
- c. TSLPOST 2018 – no updates
- d. TSLPOST 2023 – no updates

**14. Other business (1:00:00)**

- a. Athens in Motion Commission Monthly ride – Friday, April, 29<sup>th</sup> from 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm (meet at Bike Athens)

**15. Adjournment**

- a. Meeting adjourned at 6:03 pm
- b. Next meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm