

MONTPELIER TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

minutes

SEPTEMBER 4, 2018

6:00PM – 8:00PM

Memorial Room, City Hall

Members Present: Chris Loyer, Stephen Falbel, Anthony Mennona, Jennifer Gordon, Dan Costin, Heather Voisin, Celia Riechel, Constantinos Stivaros, Jonathan Harries

City Staff: Kevin Casey, Department of Planning

City Council: Dona Bate

Others: Kelly Stoddard-Poor (AARP)

Meeting opened by Chair Gordon at 6:00PM

Public Comment – None

Agenda – Chair Gordon proposed modifying the agenda to the following:

1. Kelly Stoddard-Poor, AARP Presentation
2. One Taylor Street proposal – email comment by Eve Jacobs-Carnahan (Jenn)
3. Bike lane size regulations and maintenance
4. Updates

MOTION to approve modified agenda by Chris seconded by Constantinos; all in favor

Approve August 2018 Minutes – **MOTION** to approve August minutes was moved by

AARP Presentation – Kelly Standard-Poor provided a presentation on livable communities and complete streets. A video on the Bethel Better Block project was played and key aspects and outcomes were traffic from 27 MPH to 15 MPH and cut noise levels in half. Kelly noted there may be funding opportunities for Montpelier. AARP provided funding for the Bethel Better Block.

Eve Jacobs-Carnahan Email – The concern raised surrounded the parking areas in the multi modal transit at One Taylor Street and the possibility to modify the amount of parking. It was noted that the project lender had conditions on the amount of parking and that the timing to consider adjusting this has passed. **ACTION:** Anthony will reach out to Downstreet Housing to request consideration to periodically re-evaluate the amount of parking spaces needed.

How to Define Bike Lanes – Anthony discussed some areas that were not meeting minimal bike lane standards. It was agreed that the Complete Streets Document would guide this and that specific areas should be brought to the attention of Public Works. **ACTION:** Chris would research cost information on the “See, Click, Fix” app.

Updates – Bike racks in front of Asiana and Shaw’s, Traffic calming and DPW updates were provided by Corey of DPW in written form on the City website. ATF covered bike parking application was discussed. **ACTION:** Constantinos to provide verbiage for an intro to the ATF application.

ACTION: Constantinos to confirm with City that the ATF application is on the City website.

ACTION: Celia to send FPF post on 9/12 regarding ATF application; Heather on 9/19 and Dan on 9/26

Meeting Closed – The meeting was ADJOURNED at 7:29 by unanimous consent

Respectfully submitted by Jonathan Harries