

MEETING MINUTES

December 19, 2018 SMILE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

1. Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Scott Kelly, Transportation Committee Chair.

Eleven others in attendance; Charles Kingsley, Denis Bush, Ryan Fox, Elaine O'Keefe, Brad Nostrand, Cat Nostrand, Nancy Dickinson, Lynn, Andrew Holtz, Binnie, and Bob Burkholder

2. Speed Bumps in Sellwood

Kelly reviewed PBOT's proposed Phase 1 speed bump proposal and process, including public outreach and survey.

Based on PBOT's criteria, the following streets were identified as possible locations for speed bumps in a first phase.

- 11th Ave. between Lexington and Linn
- 9th Ave. between Lexington and Linn
- Miller St. between 7th and 13th
- Nehalem St. between 6th and 13th
- Umatilla St. between 6th and 13th
- Linn St. between 9th and 13th

The committee voted unanimously to recommend the SMILE Board endorse the proposal and process outlined by PBOT. [Note: At their meeting later the same night the SMILE Board voted unanimously to endorse the process].

3. Future agenda items.

The committee discussed potential specific recommendations SMILE might make to Trimet and PBOT to improve transit, specifically with regards to crossing the Sellwood Bridge. Ideas included:

- Facilitating the 99 Bus movement with bus-advance signals or lanes on Tacoma St.;
- Restricting or partially restricting right turns from southbound 13th at Tacoma to facilitate getting the 99 Bus across the intersection.
- Extend hours of the 99 Bus;
- Eliminate alternating the 70 Bus between 17th and 13th Avenues to make it more predictable.

It was suggested a joint informal brainstorming session be coordinated with Trimet and PBOT to discuss these and other issues to improve transit in the neighborhood.

4. Future agenda items.

Transit improvements

5. The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.