



King County

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Meeting Minutes Regional Transit Committee

Councilmembers:

*Dave Upthegrove, Chair
Joe McDermott, Girmay Zahilay
Alternate: Claudia Balducci*

Sound Cities Association:

*Jennifer Robertson, Bellevue, Vice Chair, Bellevue; Bob
Baggett, Auburn; Susan Chang, Shoreline; Leanne Guier,
Pacific; Kim Lisk, Carnation; Ryan McIrvine, Renton; Jon Pascal,
Kirkland; Toni Troutner, Kent
Alternates: Jeralee Anderson, Redmond; Joseph Cimaomo Jr.,
Covington; Dave Hill, Algona; Mary Lou Pauly, Issaquah*

City of Seattle:

*Debora Juarez, Dan Strauss
Alternate: Andrew Lewis*

*Lead Staff: Mary Bourguignon (206-263-3296)
Committee Clerk: Angelica Calderon (206-477-0874)*

3:00 PM

Wednesday, March 17, 2021

Virtual Meeting

DRAFT MINUTES

PUBLIC NOTICE: The Regional Transit Committee meetings will be held virtually until further notice. To help prevent the spread of the COVID 19 virus, the chambers will be closed and all committee members and staff will be participating in the meeting remotely.

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1. **Call to Order**

Chair Upthegrove called the meeting to order at 3:01 p.m.

2. **Roll Call**

Present: 16 - Mr. Baggett, Ms. Chang, Ms. Guier, Ms. Juarez, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Mclrvin, Mr. Pascal, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Robertson, Mr. Strauss, Ms. Troutner, Mr. Zahilay, Ms. Anderson, Mr. Cimaomo Jr., Ms. Balducci and Ms. Pauly

Excused: 1 - Ms. Lisk

3. **Approval of Minutes**

Vice Chair Robertson moved approval of the minutes of the February 17, 2021 meeting. Seeing no objections, the minutes were approved

4. **Chair's Report**

There was no Chair's report.

Vice Chair Robertson thanked everyone for being in today's meeting in this beautiful day, noted the Sound Cities Association looks forward to the discussion on the road restructures and services restoration, noting that this discussion will set the committee for future discussion.

5. **General Manager's Report**

Metro Transit General Manager Terry White reported on the March Services changes, Mobility board members recruitment for Eastlake and briefed on the updated Financial

forecast.

6. Announcements

There were no announcements.

Briefing

7. [Briefing No. 2021-B0043](#)

Response to budget proviso on service restoration and service restructures

Chris O'Claire, the Director of Metro's Mobility Division and Katie Chalmers, Service Planning Supervisor, Metro Transit Department, briefed the committee via PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

8. [Briefing No. 2021-B0044](#)

Metro Connects proposed changes

Tessa McClellan, Government Relations Administrator, Chester Knapp, Project/Program Manager, Capital Division and Erik Rundell, Transportation Planner, Metro Transit Department, briefed the committee via PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

Other Business

There was no further business to come before the committee.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 5:01 p.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____

Clerk's Signature