

Macalester-Groveland Community Council
Transportation Committee
May 22, 2023

Attendees: Jack Fei (Secretary), David Pasiuk, Spencer Ludtke, Kensey Lipstreuer, Regina Purins, Lynn Ihlenfeldt, Art Punyko, Brian Martinson (Chair), Cameron Cole, Deb Burns, Katherine Cairns, Gene Johnson, Alexa Golemo (Staff).

1. April Meeting Minutes Approved

2. St Paul Bicycle Plan (Brian Martinson)

- Major Update to St Paul Bicycle Plan
- Shift away from Cycling as Recreation to Transportation with off-street trails.

3. Fairview Avenue Mill and Overlay (Jack Fei)

- St Paul is doing mill and overlay on Fairview from Randolph Avenue south.
- Randolph project includes replacing the traffic light at Fairview
- Crossings in Highland Streets will alternatively have bump outs and medians.
- Fairview North of Randolph put on 3 lane road diet.
- <https://www.stpaul.gov/projects/public-works/pw2023fairviewresurfacing>.

4. Walking Audit (Lynn Ihlenfeldt)

- Walk Audit will proceed despite lack of grant funding.
- Intra-block and Inter-block walking.
- Lack of shoveling compliance during winter is an issue.
- Bus stops and Commercial Intersections need focus.

5. Updates/Announcements

- We plan to schedule a joint meeting with HDC and UPDC on Cretin. Need to include public transit to reduce demand.
- Spencer on the May 11, HDC Transportation Information Fair
- Katherine on her advocacy work for ADA accessible parking on Summit Ave in MG.
- Final hearing and City Council voted 6-1 for Summit Avenue Regional Trail.
- Dr. Fan and team “Transportation Experience of Underserved Communities”, from the Humphrey School of Public Affairs

Monday, June 26th 6:30 p.m.