



## Puget Sound Regional Council

### **Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee Meeting Summary**

**Date: May 14, 2024**

**Location: Online/Remote Only**

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#### **Welcome and Introductions**

Sarah Gutschow, PSRC, welcomed everyone at 10:00 a.m. She then took a roll call and confirmed members and alternates that were present. Sarah also shared that this will be her last meeting at BPAC, as she has taken another job opportunity. During the transition, Gil Cerise ([gcerise@psrc.org](mailto:gcerise@psrc.org)) will be the point of contact for BPAC.

#### **Approval of Meeting Summary**

The summary for the March 12, 2024 BPAC meeting was approved.

#### **Discussion: PSRC Transportation Planning Committee Updates**

Sarah Gutschow, PSRC, introduced Gil Cerise, PSRC, to provide an overview of PSRC's review and assessment of transportation planning advisory committees at PSRC. Gil shared the results of the review which included a reduction from eight standing transportation committees to five.

Sarah then shared a draft BPAC operating procedures that included updates to the committee purpose and work program, informed by committee feedback from the March meeting. The committee operating procedures, including membership and meeting cadence, should align with committee purpose and work program. She shared proposed updates to membership, meeting cadence, and other operating procedures features. Membership updates were aligned to reflect updated population figures for regional representative committee seats and the ability to fill committee seats (e.g., ongoing vacancies) across all membership categories. The committee provided feedback on the proposal which reduced the committee voting membership from 31 to 28. PSRC will review committee feedback on the operating procedures and bring them back to the committee at their next meeting.

*For more information, contact Gil Cerise at [GCerise@psrc.org](mailto:GCerise@psrc.org)*

#### **Discussion: Regional Transportation Plan (2026-2050) Development Process**

Gil Cerise, PSRC, provided an overview of the requirements and content of the Regional Transportation Plan as well as preparing for the development of the Regional Transportation Plan (2026-2050). He provided an overview of PSRC's engagement with

the Transportation Policy Board to-date and plans for future engagement in the development of this plan.

The presentation is available on the PSRC website [here](#).

For more information, contact Gil Cerise at [GCerise@psrc.org](mailto:GCerise@psrc.org)

### **Discussion: Pedestrian/Bicycle Facility Data Analyses in the RTP**

Sarah Gutschow, PSRC, shared an update on PSRC's pedestrian and bicycle facility inventory. She initiated a discussion with the committee on potential analyses of the regional facility inventory data and what to highlight from that inventory update. Committee members provided comments on a variety of topics, including the potential to highlight all ages and abilities and/or bicycle level of stress. PSRC will continue this discussion at the July meeting.

The presentation is available on the PSRC website [here](#).

For more information, contact Gil Cerise at [GCerise@psrc.org](mailto:GCerise@psrc.org)

### **Roundtable: Announcements of Bicycle/Pedestrian Activities**

There was not enough time for a roundtable discussion.

### **Adjourn**

The meeting adjourned at approximately 11:30 a.m.

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### **\*Members and Alternates Present**

See attached attendance roster for the member or alternate representing each agency/jurisdiction at the meeting; additional alternates present are listed below.

### **\*Alternates, Interested Parties, and PSRC Staff Present**

Francesca Liburdy; Genevieve Rigler, WSDOT; Josh Mueller, City of Redmond; Rashid Dolor, Community Transit; Rose Weiker, City of Sammamish; Sherman Goong, City of Bothell

PSRC: Alexa Leach, Gil Cerise, Sarah Gutschow, Nick Johnson, Jean Kim

*\*All attendees were present via remote participation.*

# BPAC Attendance Roster (Members and Alternates represented)

Date: May 14, 2024 10:00am - 11:30 am

Jurisdiction		Name	Jurisdiction		Name
<b>King County</b>			<b>Snohomish County</b>		
County (2)	x	John Vander Sluis (Roads)	County (1)	x	Aaron Lee (Public Works)
		Peter Dane (Parks)			VACANT (Alt.)
		Jennifer Knauer (Roads) (Alt.)	Metro City: Everett (1)		Dan Enrico
	x	Max Hepp-Buchanan (Parks) (Alt.)		x	Sarah Superville (Alt.)
Metro City: Seattle (1)		David Burgess	Other Cities/Towns (2)		Jesse Hannahs (Marysville)
	x	Christiana Farrell (Alt.)			VACANT
Metro City: Bellevue (1)	x	Stela Nikolova			VACANT (Alt.)
		Mackenzie Allan (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Other Cities/Towns (6)	x	Thomas Valdriz (Issaquah)	<b>Other Agency Representation</b>		
		Kent Vaughan (Kenmore)	<b>State</b>		
			Urban Mobility/Access or Multimodal Planning (1)		Zack Howard (WSDOT)
	x	James Henderson (North Bend)			Matthew Kenna (Alt.)
	x	Victoria Kovacs (Kirkland)	NW and Olympic Regions (1)	x	Kenneth Loen
	x	Erik Preston (Kent)			Genevieve Rigler (Alt.)
		James Webb (Auburn)	<b>Transit</b>		
		VACANT (Alt.)	Regional Transit - ST (1)		VACANT
		VACANT (Alt.)			Janine Sawyer (Alt.)
		VACANT (Alt.)	Local Transit (2)		Vacant
	VACANT (Alt.)			VACANT	
	VACANT (Alt.)			Yana Aria, Community Transit (Alt.)	
	VACANT (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)	
<b>Kitsap County</b>			<b>Public Health</b>		
County (1)	x	David Forte (Public Works)	Public Health (2)		Jennifer Halverson-Kuehn (Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department)
		Melissa Mohr (Public Works) (Alt.)			Vacant
Metro City: Bremerton (1)	x	Nick Ataie			VACANT (Alt.)
		Gunnar Fridriksson (Alt.)		Richard Gelb (Public Health Seattle/King County) (Alt.)	
Other Cities/Towns (1)		Chris Wierzbicki (Bainbridge Island)	<b>Tribes</b>		
		Anthony Burgess (Poulsbo) (Alt.)		Muckleshoot Tribal Cncl (1)	
<b>Pierce County</b>					VACANT (Alt.)
County (1)	x	Shawn Phelps (Public Works)	Puyallup Tribe (1)		Robert Barandon
		Tiffany Odell (Trails) (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Metro City: Tacoma (1)	x	Liz Kaster	Suquamish Tribe (1)		VACANT
		Jennifer Kammerzell (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Other Cities/Towns (2)		Jack Ecklund (University Place)	<b>NON-VOTING</b>		
		VACANT	King County (1)	x	Dr. Jocelyn Enabulele (Roni LifeWorks)
		Michael Kosa (Sumner) (Alt.)	Kitsap County (1)		Brian Watson (BicycleTeacher)
	x	Jeremy Metzler (Edgewood) (Alt.)	Pierce County (1)		Larry Leveen (ForeverGreen Trails)
		Snohomish County (1)	x	Kristin Kinnamon (Sharing Wheels Comm. Bike Shop/BIKES Club of Snohomish County)	
		State/Region (1)		Vicky Clarke (Cascade Bicycle Club)	
		At-Large (2)		Phillip Miller (UW Transportation Services)	
			x	Don Willott (North Kitsap Trails Association)	

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