



City of Tacoma

Infrastructure, Planning and Sustainability Committee Minutes

747 Market Street, Tacoma, WA 98402, Conference Room 248

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March 08, 2023

4:30 PM

Chair Kristina Walker, Vice Chair Olgy Diaz, John Hines,
Catherine Ushka, Joe Bushnell (alternate)

Call To Order

Chair Walker called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m.

Roll Call

Present: 3 - Hines, Walker and Ushka

Absent: 1 - Diaz

Vice Chair Diaz arrived at 4:36 p.m.

Vice Chair Diaz participated virtually.

Public Comment

There was no Public Comment.

Briefing Items

1. [23-0234](#) 2024 Update to the One Tacoma Comprehensive Plan
[Stephen Atkinson, Principal Planner, Planning and Development Services]

At approximately 4:33 p.m., Stephen Atkinson, Principal Planner, Planning and Development Services, presented the 2024 update to the Comprehensive Plan, including an agenda.

Vice Chair Diaz arrived here, at 4:36 p.m.

Atkinson continued by presenting the regional planning framework; goals of the Washington State Growth Management Act; Vision 2050, noting new items; local additions, noting long-range planning efforts, new programs, and other City of Tacoma initiatives; overarching themes; opportunities, noting level of service standards, equitable distribution of services and facilities, 20-minute neighborhoods, and the Transportation Master Plan; and an update on Comprehensive Plan milestones.

Discussion ensued throughout regarding transportation safety; commercial displacement; engagement with other organizations, such as Metro Parks Tacoma, Tacoma Public Schools, Port of Tacoma, and Joint Base Lewis-McChord; public outreach and engagement; intersection with the Home in Tacoma (HIT) Project and Tacoma 2025; health equity and life expectancy goals; transportation and community safety; and the concept of live-work units.

Topics for Upcoming Meetings

2. [23-0235](#) March 22, 2023-Home In Tacoma Phase 2
April 12, 2023- Tree Code Policy Update
April 26, 2023- Sustainable Tacoma Commission Interviews

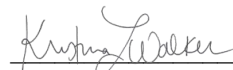
Cathy Sims, Committee Liaison, stated that the next meeting will be on March 22, 2023, and will include an update on the HIT Project Phase 2; the April 12, 2023, meeting will include an update on the tree code policy; the April 26, 2023, meeting will include interviews for the Sustainable Tacoma Commission; and the May 10, 2023, meeting will include updates on the comprehensive waterway plan and the building code.

Other Items of Interest

Chair Walker requested that an update on green schools be added to the Committee's calendar.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:48 p.m.



Kristina Walker, Chair



Katie Foster, City Clerk's Office