

Complete Streets Advisory Council  
December 7, 2023  
10:00am – 12:00pm  
VIA Zoom and In-Person 113D DOTDHO

**Council Members Present**

Alan Krouse  
Lynn Maloney-Mújica\*  
Tara Tolford\*  
Jamie Gaines\*

Jessica Stroope  
Chris Fakouri  
Louis Haywood\*  
Jessica Kemp\*

Cheri Soileau  
John Broemmelsiek  
Laurence Lambert

**Others Present**

Shane Caldwell  
Jessica DeVille\*  
Laura Riggs

Lacey Fish  
Adriane McRae  
Laura Phillips\*

Nancy (FHWA)  
David Worscham

**Call to Order**

Alan Krouse called the meeting to order, and it was determined that a quorum was present.

**Approve Previous Minutes**

Alan entertained a motion to approve the minutes. It was so moved by Jamie Gaines and seconded by Cheri. The minutes were approved.

**General Discussion**

***Complete Streets and Freight Discussion***

An LTRC research project is set to begin around July 2024. An online form/survey was given to rank and prioritize project topics. It was stated to send the survey to Jason Dewey. Other projects include Road Diet Analysis (performance measures/evaluating existing will be included as well as transit (a case study including Government Street)). Later in the year, there will be a project involving multimodal level of service analysis. Updates regarding the continuation of statewide counting will be given at a later date.

***LA VRU Safety Assessment***

The 2023 VRU Safety Assessment as well as the SHSP are available on the DOTD Highway Safety section of DOTD's website. It includes working through data analysis, consulting, and implementing new strategies. It works to encourage the use of pedestrian and bicycle travel. An emerging issue is that the new types of bicycles have complicated the definition of a VRU. There will be work to continue identifying reasons why pedestrians avoid intersections while traveling. This work includes continuous outreach, development of potential non-infrastructure strategies, and site/countermeasure identification. This assessment should provide relevant source options in order to better inform engineering judgment.

***Other Business***

New billboards across the state (tentative)

Funding for rechargeable bike lights in low temp communities. Increased need of lighting is being addressed.

2023 Complete Streets Measures will be presented at the next meeting. There may need to be a virtual vote given that session is starting much earlier than last year.

***Future Meetings:***

- February 15, 2024: 10am – 12pm
- TBD at February meeting

**Adjourned**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by Alan.