



City of Columbia, Missouri

Meeting Minutes

Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission

Wednesday, January 21, 2026
7:00 PM

Regular Commission Meeting

Conference Room 1A
City Hall
701 E. Broadway
Columbia, Missouri

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Chair Elke Boyd.

II. INTRODUCTIONS

Members present: Christopher Halsey, Bry Mink, Tom
Heitmann, Carol Elliott, Elke Boyd,

Tyler Swearngin, McKenzie Ortiz

Members absent: Detlef Ritter

Others present: David Kunz, Mitch Skov, Ted Curtis, Janet
Godon, Krista Shouse-Jones

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

McKenzie Ortiz moved to approve; Carol Elliott seconded
Motion passed

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Attachments: [Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission Meeting Agenda 12-17-2025
Minutes for approval.docx](#)

McKenzie Ortiz moved to approve; Tom Heitmann seconded
Motion passed

V. STAFF/COMMISSION REPORTS

A. CoMo to Zero Report

2025 fatalities down from 2024

Safe Streets For All: No FY2025 federal grant funding

MU did receive federal TAP grant

B. Parks & Recreation Report

- i. Feb 12, 2026 Public input meeting for rail banking on Colt Railway in Conference Room 1A at City Hall*
- ii. RFQ for Perche Creek trail phase 2 design and construction*

C. Planning Staff Report

none

D. Commissioner IP Meeting Reports

none

E. Commission Correspondence

Attachments: [2025-12-26 Ped Ord Ltr SIGNED.pdf](#)

There was brief discussion about the previously approved letter to the City Council concerning the proposed pedestrian safety ordinance.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. MoDOT High-priority Unfunded Needs List update

Attachments: [Approved CATSO 2025 Unfunded Needs List 2-25-2025.docx](#)

Commission members to evaluate list for next meeting, suggest 2-4 replacement projects

VII. OLD BUSINESS

A. Improve I70 P4 - Rocheport to Columbia – Council Requested Letter

See link for MoDOT renderings: <https://www.modot.org/projects/improvei70/rocheportcolumbia>

See link for Municipal Agreement: <https://gocolumbiamo.legistar.com/View.ashx?M=F&ID=15025032&GUID=B174E70C-E83A-4416-8F77-DF4201813389>

VIII. OTHER BUSINESS

Intercity Bus Survey:
<https://www.modot.org/statewide-intercity-bus-needs-assessment-survey>
(Deadline January 31,2026)

MoDOT Long-Range Transportation Plan and State Freight & Rail Plan
M<https://modotlrtpsfrp.mysocialpinpoint.com/>

- CoMo to Zero Action Plan and High-Injury Network update:
<https://beheard.como.gov/CoMo-to-Zero-action-plan>

- Business Loop Road Safety Audit: <https://beheard.como.gov/business-loop-rsa>
- Complete streets update: <https://beheard.como.gov/complete-streets>
- BeHeard Ped Safety Ordinance Link.
- <https://beheard.como.gov/pedestrian-safety-ordinance>

IX. GENERAL COMMENTS BY PUBLIC, MEMBERS AND STAFF

None.

X. NEXT MEETING DATE

February 18, 2026

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn by McKenzie, seconded by Tyler Swearngin

Motion passed at 8:30 PM

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