

**Minutes of the 2015 Houston Planning Commission
Major Thoroughfare and Freeway Plan Amendments
Public Hearing
July 16, 2015**

Meeting to be held in
Council Chambers, Public Level, City Hall Annex
2:30 p.m.

Call to order:

Chair, Mark A. Kilkenney, called the meeting to order at 2:49 p.m. with a quorum present.

Mark A. Kilkenney, Chair

M. Sonny Garza

Susan Alleman Absent

Fernando Brave

Kenneth Bohan Absent

Antoine Bryant Absent

Lisa Clark Absent

Algenita Davis Absent

Truman C. Edminster III

James R. Jard Absent

Paul R. Nelson

Linda Porrás-Pirtle

Mike Sikes Absent

Eileen Subinsky Absent

Martha Stein

Blake Tart III

Shaukat Zakaria Arrived at 3:00 pm during agenda item #A1 and
left at 5:30 during agenda item #H1

Mark Mooney for Absent

The Honorable James Noack

Clay Foriester for

The Honorable Grady Prestage

Raymond Anderson for

The Honorable Ed Emmett

EXOFFICIO MEMBERS

Carol A. Lewis

Dale A. Rudick, P.E.

Director's Report

The Director's Report was given by Patrick Walsh, Director, Planning and Development Department.

I. PUBLIC HEARING ON 2015 MAJOR THOROUGHFARE AND FREEWAY PLAN PROPOSED AMMENDMENTS

BGE I Kerry R. Gilbert & Associates

A-1: Cypresswood Drive- Becker Road to US Highway 290

Presenter: Jennifer Wang

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: None

LJA Engineering

B-1: Westmoor Drive-Madden Road to West Airport Boulevard

Presenter: Jennifer Wang

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: None

RVI Planning + Landscape Architecture

C-1: Aragoste Parkway- FM 1485 to Roman Forest Boulevard

Presenter: Jennifer Wang and Peter Boecher

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: None

East Harris County – EHRA on behalf of Harris County Public Infrastructure Dept.

D-1: Adlong Johnson Road – Houston ETJ to E. Lake Houston Parkway

D-2: Wolf Trot Road – E. Lake Houston Parkway to Houston ETJ

D-3: Ramsey Road – Foley Road to E. Lake Houston Parkway

D-4: Lord Road – Adlong Johnson Road to Houston ETJ

D-5: Foley Road – E. Lake Houston Parkway to Houston ETJ

D-6: Miller Wilson Road – Clara Road to Foley Road

D-7: Golf Club Drive – Foley Road to S. Diamondhead Boulevard

D-8: Golf Club Drive – S. Diamondhead Boulevard to Via Dora Drive

D-9: Via Dora Drive – S. Diamondhead Boulevard to Houston ETJ

- D-10:** Crosby Town Center Blvd. – Via Dora Drive to E. Lake Houston Parkway
- D-11:** Street “A” – Via Dora Drive to FM 2100
- D-12:** Miller Road No. 3 – Miller Road No. 1 to San Jacinto River
- D-13:** Miller Road No. 1 – Miller Road No. 3 to Sheldon Road
- D-14:** Wallisville Road – Sheldon Road to San Jacinto River

Presenter: Jennifer Wang and Christopher Brown

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: None

Harris County Public Infrastructure Department

- E-1:** Bauer Road – Montgomery County/Spring Creek to FM 2920
- E-2:** Hopfe Road – FM 2920 to Bauer Road
- E-3:** Mason Road – Hopfe Road to Grand Parkway
- E-4:** Bauer Hockley Road – Mason Road to Mueschke Road
- E-5:** Bauer Road – Bauer Hockley Road to Cumberland Ridge Drive
- E-6:** Barker Cypress Road – Grant Road to FM 2920
- E-7:** **Withdrawn**
- E-8:** Fairfield Place Drive – US 290 to Mound Road
- E-9:** **Withdrawn**
- E-10:** House and Hahl Road – Peek Road to Grand Parkway
- E-11:** Mason Road – Beckendorff Road to Clay Road
- E-12:** Westgreen Boulevard - FM 529 to Kieth Harrow Boulevard
- E-13:** Fallbrook Drive – US 290 to Huffmeister Road
- E-14:** Jackrabbit Road – FM 529 to Highway 6
- E-15:** Cunningham Road – W. Little York Road to FM 529
- E-16:** Teller Boulevard – Louetta Road to Cypresswood Drive
- E-17:** Lauder Road – John F. Kennedy Boulevard to Aldine Westfield Road
- E-18:** E. Little York Road – C.E. King Parkway to John Ralston Road

Presenter: Josie Warren and Fred Mathis

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: Rene Rodriguez (E-4); Steve Sample (E-5, undecided); Dennis Sumbera (E-6, undecided); Candice Rostan and Vlad Morakhovsky (E-14, opposed), Linda Pham (E-14); Heather Williamson (E-15, opposed); Seth Sanders, Charles Allen, Debbie Schnitzius, Tiki Chenier, Cheryl Rogers, Lisa Brown and David Brown (E-16, opposed); Sarah Stuckey (E-17, undecided).

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Northwest Mobility Study

- F-1:** W. Little York Road – US 290 to Fairbanks N. Houston Road

- F-2:** Fairbanks N. Houston Road – Beltway 8 to US 290
- F-3:** Fallbrook Drive – Beltway 8 to IH 45
- F-4:** SH 249 – Beltway 8 to IH 45
- F-5:** Breen Drive – N. Houston Rosslyn Road to SH 249
- F-6:** W. Mount Houston Rd. – N. Houston Rosslyn Rd. to W. Montgomery Rd.
- F-7:** Veterans Memorial Drive – SH 249 to IH 45
- F-8:** Rosslyn Road (Crestvale) – W. Gulf Bank Road to West Road
- F-9:** Rosslyn Rd. (Cebra/Carver/Crestvale) – Pinemont Dr. to W. Gulf Bank Rd.
- F-10:** N. Houston Rosslyn Road – W. Little York Road to Antoine Drive
- F-11:** Victory Drive – Alabonson Road to W. Little York Road
- F-12:** Mangum Road – Watonga Boulevard to W. 43rd Street
- F-13:** Rosslyn Road – Judiway Street to W. 43rd Street
- F-14:** W. 43rd Street – TC Jester Boulevard to Ella Boulevard
- F-15:** W. 43rd Street – Ella Boulevard to N. Shepherd Drive
- F-16:** W. Tidwell Road – N. Shepherd Drive to IH 45
- F-17:** W. Crosstimbers Street – N. Shepherd Drive to IH 45
- F-18:** Yale Street – IH 610 to W. Crosstimbers Street
- F-19:** N. Main Street – IH 610 to W. Crosstimbers Street
- F-20:** Derrington Road – Windfern Road to Fairbanks N. Houston Road
- F-21:** Windfern Road – Beltway 8 to US 290
- F-22:** Elsie Lane – Beltway 8 to Fairbanks N. Houston Road
- F-23:** Rodney Ray Boulevard – Windfern Road to Fairbanks N. Houston Road
- F-24:** Phillipine Street – Beltway 8 to Windfern Road
- F-25:** Woodland Oaks Drive – Breen Drive to W. Little York Road
- F-26:** Fairbanks White Oak Road – Fairbanks N Houston Road to Hollister Road
- F-27:** Guhn Road – Fairbanks White Oak Road to US 290
- F-28:** Seton Lake Drive – SH 249 to Old Bammel N. Houston Road
- F-29:** Old Bammel N. Houston Road – SH 249 to Bammel N. Houston Road
- F-30:** Aldine Western Road – Veterans Memorial Drive to Ella Boulevard
- F-31:** Ann Louise Road – Essie Road to Beltway 8
- F-32:** Old Foltin Road – Essie Road to SH 249
- F-33:** Frick Road – Antoine Drive to Veterans Memorial Drive
- F-34:** Chippewa Boulevard – N. Houston Rosslyn Road to SH 249
- F-35:** Upland Willow Avenue – SH 249 to Veterans Memorial Drive
- F-36:** Northville Street – Veterans Memorial Drive to IH 45
- F-37:** Blue Bell Road – Veterans Memorial Drive to IH 45
- F-38:** Alabonson Road – N. Houston Rosslyn Road to W. Little York Road
- F-39:** Langfield Road – W. Tidwell Road to W. Little York Road
- F-40:** Burlington N. Drive – Langfield Road to N. Houston Rosslyn Road
- F-41:** Dewalt Street – W. Montgomery Road to IH 45
- F-42:** De Priest Street – De Walt Street to W. Montgomery Road
- F-43:** De Soto Street – Antoine Drive to Wheatley Street
- F-44:** Creekmont Drive – Antoine Drive to Wheatley Street
- F-45:** Mangum Road – W. 43rd Street to Creekmont Drive
- F-46:** Oak Forest Drive – W. 34th Street to Pinemont Drive
- F-47:** Wakefield Drive/ 38th Street – TC Jester Boulevard to Yale Street

- F-48:** Alba Road – W. 43rd Street to IH 610
- F-49:** Victoria Drive – Yale Street to IH 45
- F-50:** Stokes Street – Airline Drive to Fulton Street

Presenter: Amar Mohite

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: Eileen Egan (F-3, F-4, F-5, F-6, Alternative for F-10, F-11, F-25, F-26, F-34, F-38, F-39, F-40, F-43, F-44, supportive); Alicia Nuzzie (F-14, opposed and F-46, F-47, undecided); Shawn Anne Spear, Samarjeet Baines and Beth Wiedower Jackson (F-15, opposed).

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Heights –Northside Mobility Study

- G-1:** E. TC Jester Boulevard – W. 11th Street to IH 610
- G-2:** Durham Drive – IH 10 to W. 20th Street
- G-3:** Shepherd Drive – IH 10 to W. 11th Street
- G-4:** Heights Boulevard – IH 10 to W 20th Street
- G-5:** Studewood Street – N. Main Street to White Oak Drive
- G-6:** Airline Drive – W. Cavalcade Street to N. Main Street
- G-7:** W. Cavalcade – Airline Drive to IH 45
- G-8:** Patton Street – Airline Drive to IH 45
- G-9:** Patton Street – IH 45 to Fulton Street
- G-10:** Patton Street – Fulton Street to Irvington Boulevard
- G-11:** E. 11th Street – Studewood Street to Michaux Street
- G-12:** Pecore Street – Michaux Street to N. Main Street
- G-13:** W. 6th Street – Shepherd Drive to Yale Street
- G-14:** W. 6th Street – Yale Street to Heights Boulevard
- G-15:** White Oak Drive – Heights Boulevard to Studewood Street
- G-16:** White Oak Drive – Studewood Street to IH 45
- G-17:** Quitman Street – IH 45 to Fulton Street
- G-18:** Quitman Street – Fulton Street to Elysian Street
- G-19:** Quitman Street – Elysian Street to Jensen Drive
- G-20:** Hogan Street – IH 45 to Cochran Street
- G-21:** Lorraine Street – Cochran Street to Hardy Street
- G-22:** Lorraine Street – Jensen Drive to Eastex Freeway
- G-23:** Fulton Street – Boundary Street to Hogan Street
- G-24:** Fulton Street – Hogan Street to Burnett Street
- G-25:** San Jacinto Street (Fulton Street) – Burnett Street to IH 10
- G-26:** Hardy Street – IH 610 to Harrington Street
- G-27:** Elysian Street – IH 610 to Harrington Street
- G-28:** Seamist Drive – W. 18th Street to W. 11th Street
- G-29:** Kansas Street – Hempstead Highway to TC Jester Boulevard
- G-30:** Bevis Street – IH 610 to E. TC Jester Boulevard
- G-31:** Beall Street – W. 14th Street to W. 24th Street

- G-32:** W. 24th Street – Ella Boulevard to Yale Street
- G-33:** W. 19th Street – W. 20th Street to Heights Boulevard
- G-34:** W. 14th Street – Beall Street to N. Main Street
- G-35:** Link Road – IH 610 to Airline Drive
- G-36:** Link Road – Airline Drive to Fulton Street
- G-37:** Watson Street – Pecore Street to Usener Street
- G-38:** North Street – Houston Avenue to N. Main Street
- G-39:** **Withdrawn**
- G-40:** McKee Street – IH 10 to Lyons Avenue
- G-41:** Hardy Street – IH 10 to Lyons Avenue
- G-42:** Lyons Avenue – McKee Street to Elysian Street

Presenter: Amar Mohite

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: Anibeth Turcios (G-8, G-9, G-10; supportive); Matthew Wylie (G-38, opposed).

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Inner West Loop Mobility Study

- H-1:** Dunlavy Street – Richmond Avenue to Allen Parkway
- H-2:** Sawyer Street – Crockett Street to Washington Avenue
- H-3:** Shepherd Drive – Dickson Street to IH 10
- H-4:** Durham Drive – Dickson Street to Washington Avenue
- H-5:** W. Alabama Street – Wesleyan Street to Spur 527
- H-6:** Lovett Boulevard – Montrose Boulevard to Commonwealth Street
- H-7:** Commonwealth Street – Lovett Boulevard to Westheimer Road
- H-8:** Yoakum Boulevard – Westheimer Road to Richmond Avenue

Presenter: Amar Mohite

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speakers: Emily Ziemba, Jake Mase, Mary Needham, Caroline Garry, Benjamin Garry, Paul Terry, Timothy Morton, Claire Morton, Kate Morton. Renee McNiel, Amber Pappas (H-1; supportive), Zakcq Lockrem, Claude Anello (H-2, supportive).

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Texas Medical Center Mobility Study

- I-1:** Dryden Road – Main Street to Fannin Street
- I-2:** Fannin Street – S Braeswood Boulevard to Greenbriar Drive
- I-3:** Hermann Drive – Main Street to Almeda Road
- I-4:** MacGregor Drive – Almeda Road to SH 288

I-5: Holcombe Blvd. – SH 288 to S. Braeswood Boulevard/N. MacGregor Way

Presenter: Amar Mohite

The public hearing was opened and closed.

Speaker: Greg Alger (I-5).

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

III. EXCUSE THE ABSENCE OF COMMISSIONER PORRAS-PIRTLE.

Commissioner Porras-Pirtle present no Commission action required.

IV. ADJOURNMENT


There being no further business, Chair, Mark A. Kilkenney, adjourned the meeting at 6:07 p.m.

Motion: Edminster Second: Tartt

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None


Mark A. Kilkenney, Chair


Patrick Walsh, Secretary