



# COBURG CITY COUNCIL

## ACTION ITEM

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### Transportation Safety Ad Hoc Committee Appointments

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Meeting Date	Staff Contact	Phone	Email
December 12, 2023	Adam Hanks	541-682-7871	Adam.Hanks@ci.coburg.or.us

#### REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Mayor, with consent of Council, appoint four citizens and Council and Planning Commission members and alternates to the Transportation Safety Ad Hoc Committee

#### Suggested Motion

*I move to recommend Mayor Bell appoint 1) \_\_\_\_\_, 2) \_\_\_\_\_, 3) \_\_\_\_\_, &4) \_\_\_\_\_, as well as Alan Wells as an alternate City Councilor and James Bell as an alternate Planning Commissioner to the Transportation Safety Ad Hoc Committee.*

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#### BACKGROUND

City Council adopted resolution 2023-15 creating this Ad-Hoc Committee to seek citizen participation and input regarding transportation system safety issues to assist Council and staff in solutions to improve pedestrian, bicycle and vehicle safety.

The Ad Hoc Committee is charged with analyzing a variety of pedestrian, bicycle and vehicle safety issues identified and presented by staff, reviewing potential mitigation actions and making recommendations to Council on preferred mitigation actions for staff to pursue.

Transportation safety issues may include:

- Pedestrian crossing/safety on both Willamette and Pearl Street
- Pedestrian/bicycle safety lighting
- Vehicle speed limit reviews for Pearl St and citywide residential
- N Willamette & Van Duyn intersection improvements
- Traffic calming options on N Coleman St

Recruitment to fill the four citizen positions opened October 11, 2023 and closed on November 17, 2023. Eight qualified applications were received.

City Council voted at the November 11, 2023 meeting to appoint Councilor Lehmann to serve as the City Council representative on the committee.

Planning Commission voted at November 15, 2023 meeting to appoint Commissioner John Marshall as the Planning Commission representative.  
Mayor Bell with the support of the Council will select and appoint four citizen to the committee.

### **RECOMMENDATION AND ALTERNATIVES**

1. Appoint Alan Wells as a alternative City Council representative and James Bell as a alternative Planning Commissioner representative. Consider remaining applications in the order they were received.

### **BUDGET / FINANCIAL IMPACT**

N/A

### **PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT**

Public Notices to fill these positions were posted multiple times during the recruitment period.

### **NEXT STEPS**

Upon appointments, notification emails will be sent to all applicants. Committee will begin meeting in January of 2024

### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Resolution 2023-15 A resolution creating a transportation Safety Ad Hoc Committee
2. Applications for Transportation Safety Ad Hoc Committee in order recieved:
  - a. Bryan Hamburger
  - b. Brandon Rhodes
  - c. James Bell
  - d. Jean Schapper
  - e. McKenzie Bryant
  - f. Alan Wells
  - g. Michael McDonald
  - h. Vilma McDonald