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Meeting Minutes - Approved TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

*Consider: Who benefits? Who is burdened?
Who does not have a voice at the table?
How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?*

Wednesday, March 18, 2026

5:00 PM

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Interpretation and Accessibility

Call to Order/Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

Present: 11 - Will Ochowicz; Sean O'Brien; Barbara Harrington-McKinney; Ann E. Kovich; Robbie Webber; Denise N. Jess; Jose Miguel (Pepe) Barros Hoffens; William F. Bremer; Christopher T. McCahill; Harald Kliems and Lynn A. Olson

Excused: 2 - Dina Nina Martinez-Rutherford and Cailey A. Jamison

Approval of Minutes

Bremer moved to approve the minutes of the March 4 meeting, seconded by O'Brien. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Public Comment

1. [92329](#) Public Comment for Items not on the Agenda for the March 18, 2026 Meeting
None

Disclosures and Recusals

None

Consent Agenda

ITEM 2 was pulled from the consent agenda for discussion.

Items to be Considered

- 2.* [92294](#) Authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute an agreement with Bakers Place, LLC for 20-50 parking permits at the South Livingston Street Garage. (District 6)
Parking Finance and Administration Manager Anne Slezak provided verbal reports and, along with TDM Program Coordinator Trent Schultz, was available for questions.
Kliems moved to RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL TO ADOPT - REPORT OF OFFICER, seconded by Ochowicz. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
3. [92330](#) Traffic Signal Priority List Review and Approval
Electrical and Communications Systems Manager David Hansen and Traffic Engineer Jerry Schippa provided verbal reports and, along with Director of Transportation Christof Spieler and Director of Traffic Engineering Yang Tao, were available for questions.
McCahill moved to approve staff recommendations, seconded by Ochowicz. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
4. [92331](#) WisDOT North Stoughton Rd Discussion
Christof Spieler provided verbal reports and was available for questions.
5. [92140](#) Annual Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) Review
Assistant City Engineer Chris Petykowski provided verbal reports and was available for questions.
6. [92332](#) Federal Grant Projects Updates: Pedestrian Plan, AAA Bike Network Plan, and Safe Routes to School Plans
Pedestrian and Bicycle Administrator Kevin Luecke provided verbal reports and, along with Yang Tao, was available for questions.

7. [92333](#) Quarterly Traffic Safety Report
- Lt. David Meinert with MPD provided verbal reports and was available for questions.**
8. [52830](#) Members of the Transportation Commission who are also members of other transportation-related Boards, Committees or Commissions provide relevant updates from those Boards, Committees or Commissions.
- Kliems shared BPW updates:
-Approved plans and specifications for the new traffic signal at Milwaukee/Sprecher**
9. [60440](#) General announcements by the Chair (for information only; not for discussion)
- None**
10. [60439](#) Commission member suggestions for items on future agenda (for information only; not for discussion)
- Kovich provided verbal updates on some of the upcoming items. Please see the attachment in Legistar for other upcoming future agenda items.**

Adjournment

Kliems moved to adjourn, seconded by O'Brien. The meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.