



Puget Sound Regional Council

Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Date: July 8, 2025

Location: Online/Remote Only

Welcome and Introductions

Gil Cerise, PSRC, welcomed everyone at 10:00 a.m. He took roll call and confirmed the attendance of members and alternates.

Approval of Meeting Summary

The May 13, 2025 BPAC meeting summary was approved.

Discussion: RTP Development - Announcements

Gil Cerise, PSRC, provided updates on various items, including the completion of the Current Transportation System Report and its associated tools, as well as an update on the Regional Transit Access Assessment.

For more information, contact Gil Cerise at GCerise@psrc.org.

Discussion: RTP Development – Current Status and Next Steps

Kelly McGourty, PSRC, briefed the committee on the ongoing work related to the RTP Financial Strategy and outlined the next steps for the active transportation elements of the RTP. This included an overview of the proposed expenditures and revenues for the plan, as well as an outline of the current board discussions addressing the financial gap. Kelly highlighted issues of specific relevance to active transportation, such as the high percentage of regional trail projects with low plan consistency scores and potential future system metrics pedestrian and bicycle travel.

The presentation is provided on the PSRC website [here](#).

For more information, contact Kelly McGourty at KMcGourty@psrc.org.

Roundtable: Announcements of Bicycle/Pedestrian Activities

During the roundtable, the committee received updates and announcements from the following members:

- Victoria Kovacs, City of Kirkland
- Shawn Phelps, Pierce County

- Nathan Howard, Snohomish County

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at approximately 11:00 a.m.

***Members and Alternates Present**

See attached attendance roster for the member or alternate representing each agency/jurisdiction at the meeting; additional alternates present are listed below.

***Alternates, Interested Parties, and PSRC Staff Present**

Aaron Lee, Snohomish County; David Garcia, King County; Jane Green; Kate Fauver, WSDOT; Lindsey Channing, City of Sammamish

PSRC: Gil Cerise, Alexa Leach, Nick Johnson, Kelly McGourty

*All attendees were present via remote participation.

BPAC Attendance Roster (Members and Alternates represented)

Item 2 - Att. A

Date: July 8, 2025 10:00am - 11:00 am

Jurisdiction		Name	Jurisdiction		Name
King County			Snohomish County		
County (2)		Katie Wendel (Roads)	County (1)	x	Nathan Howard (Public Works)
	x	Max Hepp-Buchanan (Parks)			Aaron Lee (Public Works) (Alt.)
		John Vander Sluis (Roads) (Alt.)	Metro City: Everett (1)	x	Klayton Leingang, Public Works
		Peter Dane (Parks) (Alt.)			Alessandra Gonzalez, Everett Transit (Alt.)
Metro City: Seattle (2)		Christiana Farrell	Other Cities/Towns (2)	x	Jesse Hannahs (Marysville)
		David Burgessser (Alt.)			VACANT
		VACANT			VACANT (Alt.)
		VACANT (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Metro City: Bellevue (1)	x	Stela Nikolova	Other Agency Representation		
		Mackenzie Allan (Alt.)	State		
Other Cities/Towns (5)	x	Thomas Valdriz (Issaquah)	WSDOT (2)		Katilin Fauver
	x	Michael Hintze (Redmond)		x	Kenneth Loen
	x	Victoria Kovacs (Kirkland)			Matthew Kenna (Alt.)
		James Webb (Auburn)			Craig Schoenberg (Alt.)
		VACANT	Transit		
		VACANT (Alt.)	Transit agencies (1)		Lauren Squires, King County Metro
		VACANT (Alt.)			Kevin Shively, Sound Transit (Alt.)
		VACANT (Alt.)	Public Health		
		VACANT (Alt.)	County Public Health Agencies (1)		Jennifer Halverson-Kuehn (Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department)
		VACANT (Alt.)			Richard Gelb (Public Health Seattle/King County) (Alt.)
Kitsap County			Tribes		
County (1)		David Forte (Public Works)	Muckleshoot Tribal Cncl (1)		VACANT
	x	Melissa Mohr (Public Works) (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Metro City: Bremerton (1)	x	Nick Ataie	Puyallup Tribe (1)		Robert Barandon
		Gunnar Fridriksson (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Other Cities/Towns (1)		Hannah Boettcher (Bainbridge Island)	Suquamish Tribe (1)		VACANT
		Anthony Burgess (Poulsbo) (Alt.)			VACANT (Alt.)
Pierce County			Tulalip Tribe (1)		VACANT
County (1)	x	Shawn Phelps (Public Works)			VACANT (Alt.)
		Travis Curry (Trails) (Alt.)	NON-VOTING		
Metro City: Tacoma (1)	x	Liz Kaster	King County (1)		Dr. Jocelyn Enabulele (Roni LifeWorks)
		Jennifer Kammerzell (Alt.)	Kitsap County (1)		Brian Watson (BicycleTeacher)
Other Cities/Towns (2)		Jack Ecklund (University Place)	Pierce County (1)		Larry Leveen (ForeverGreen Trails)
		VACANT	Snohomish County (1)		Kristin Kinnamon (Sharing Wheels Comm. Bike Shop/BIKES Club of Snohomish County)
		Michael Kosa (Sumner) (Alt.)	State/Region (1)		David Urbina (Cascade Bicycle Club)
	x	Jeremy Metzler (Edgewood) (Alt.)	At-Large (2)		Phillip Miller (UW Transportation Services)
as of 1/2025					Don Willott (North Kitsap Trails Association)