

San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Citizens' Advisory Council

Engineering, Maintenance, & Safety Committee

MINUTES • Meeting Date: August 28, 2024

REGULAR MEETING

4:00 pm

1 South Van Ness Avenue, 7th Floor Room 7075, Noe Valley Conference Room

SFMTA CITIZENS' ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS

Frank Zepeda, Chair Stephen Cornell John Lisovsky

COUNCIL LIAISON

Christine Silva

COUNCIL SECRETARY

Keka Robinson-Luqman



ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Call to Order

Chair Zepeda called the meeting to order at 4:07 p.m.

2. Roll Call

EMSC members present at Roll Call: John Lisovsky and Frank Zepeda EMSC members absent: Stephen Cornell

3. Announcement of prohibition of sound-producing devices during the meeting.

CAC Secretary Robinson-Lugman made the announcement.

4. Approval of Minutes:

No public comment.

On motion to approve the minutes of June 26, 2024:

ADOPTED: AYES – John Lisovsky and Frank Zepeda ABSENT – Stephen Cornell

5. Report of the Chair (For discussion only)

No report.

No public comment.

6. Public Comment

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Edward Mason stated that for two months, he has been observing, recording, and reporting expired permits on commuter buses. He has also been reporting commuter shuttles with no permits for more than two months. There are commuter buses boarding mid zone, which causes the second bus to overhang into the crosswalk. This causes a myriad of safety issues. These have been observed and reported and nothing has been done to rectify it.



REGULAR CALENDAR

7. Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding Twin Peaks Tunnel Mitigation. Bijan Ahmadzadeh, Deputy Director, Capital Programs and Construction and Sonny Au, Deputy Project Manager, Capital Programs and Construction. Explanatory documents include a slide presentation.)

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Edward Mason asked if there is any vibration that is created by the train going through the subway and if so, does it impact the structure. He asked how the Twin Peaks tunnel would differ from what it was a century ago if it was rebuilt in modern times by the SFMTA in terms of techniques and mitigating timbers rotting due to soil.

8. Council Member Information and Agenda Item Requests. (For discussion only)

None.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Edward Mason suggested a presentation on bus signal preemption.

ADJOURN - The meeting was adjourned at 4:49 p.m.

Submitted by:

Keka Robinson-Luqman SFMTA CAC – Secretary

Next regular meeting: Wednesday, October 23rd at 4pm | Noe Valley Conference Room