

**City of Miami Beach**  
**Transportation, Parking & Bicycle-Pedestrian Facilities Committee**  
**December 11, 2023, 3:30 pm**  
**Hybrid Meeting / Microsoft Teams & In-Person**

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- I. **Call to Order:** M. Gultanoff, Chair, called meeting to order at 3:35 p.m.
- II. **Rollcall/Attendance:** *Please see attendance sheet for reference.*
- III. **Approval of November 13, 2023 Meeting Minutes:** **Moved by A. Rabin, seconded by M. Edelstein; minutes approved.**
- IV. **Public Comment (2 minutes for each speaker)**
  - **Nora Howell-North Beach Resident:** Expressed concerns with the cancellation of bus route 115; Freebee capacity & wait times. Chair acknowledged resident’s concerns.
- V. **Commission Items (10 Minutes)**
  - **Upcoming Commission Items – Transportation**
    - Resolution to move forward with traffic circle on Prairie Ave. & 34<sup>th</sup> St. Discussion held.
    - Update on evaluation of School Zone speed cameras. Discussion held.
  - **Upcoming Commission Items – Parking**
    - Referral on establishing a new Residential Parking Zone in North Beach. Discussion held.
    - Proposal by Commissioner to negotiate contracts with private parking facilities/operators to supplement parking throughout the city.
    - Upcoming project in lot P63 to plant canopy trees.
    - First Reading: Voluntary Registration of Disabled Parking Permit(s)
- VI. **City Department Items (Transportation, Parking, Public Works, CIP)**
  - **Miami Beach Art Week Postmortem**
    - Chair remarked that the city did very well with traffic management and the Deco Bike stalls were “empty”, meaning that there was high usage during Art Week/Art Basel. Transportation, Parking, PD and Tourism & Culture addressed the committee with actions taken and challenges faced by their respective departments. Discussion held.
    - **E. Dias moved and C. Bolado seconded** motion to draft a LTC with recommendations encourage a multi-modal transportation plan that includes a “Park & Ride” shuttle service from a main off-site parking garage (possibly G6), to include an exclusive bus lane to and from the Convention Center and “Park & Ride” garage location, bicycle valet & storage, and close coordination with neighboring municipalities, specifically the City of Miami, for Art Week/Art Basel 2024. **Motion unanimously passed.**

- **Update from CIP on Projects**
  - CIP addressed the committee and discussions were held on the following topics:
    - Chase Ave. Project
    - West Ave. & Indian Creek Bicycle Path Projects
    - Pedestrian Bridge on McArthur Cswy.
    - Pedestrian area on Ocean Dr.
    - Venetian Island Project
- **Update from Transportation on Trolley Contract and new Bus Stop Shelters**
  - Transportation as well as representatives from OutFront and Pensa addressed the committee and shared presentation slides of proposed new bus shelter designs. Discussion held.

#### VII. **Items Requested by Members**

- **Indian Creek Project FDOT Bike Lane Protection (E. Porcelli, CIP & Trans.)**
  - Transportation & CIP updated the committee and shared images of the ziclas being installed. Discussion held.
- **Follow Up from Sept. 2022 - Dangerous Intersections (Collins Avenue 23-24 Streets) (L. Kolko & Trans.) *Deferred to January 2024 TPBPFC Meeting***
- **Better Bus Network Update and Discussion**
  - Transportation updated the committee. Discussion held.

#### VIII. **Status of Pending TPBPFC Items**

#### IX. **Other Business**

- **2024 TPBPFC Meeting Schedule**
  - Briefly discussed at the top of the meeting.
- **In-Person Meetings Required Beginning January 2024**
  - Briefly discussed at the top of the meeting.

#### X. **Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m.**

**NEXT MEETING: January 8, 2024**