



**Bethesda TMD Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda**  
**Friday, July 16, 2021 8:00am – 9:00am**  
**Virtual Zoom Meeting**

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<b>8:00</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b>	Matt Keadle
<b>8:05</b>	<b>Approve Minutes</b>	Matt Keadle
<b>8:07</b>	<b>Approve TDM Plans</b>	Brandan Stuckey
<b>8:10</b>	<b>Purple Line Update</b>	Maricela Cordova Purple Line Implementation Manager MCDOT
<b>8:30</b>	<b>Ride On Update</b>	Beverly Le Masters Ride On, MCDOT
<b>8:50</b>	<b>BUP Updates</b>	Kristen Blackmon
<b>8:55</b>	<b>New Business</b>	Matt Keadle
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>	Matt Keadle

**2021 Meeting Dates (remaining):**

**Friday, September 17, 2021, 8:00am - In Person and Virtual Meeting?**

**Friday, November 19, 2021, 8am**

**2022 Meeting Dates:**

**Friday, January 21, 2022, 8:00am**

**Friday, March 18, 2022, 8:00am**

**Friday, May 20, 2022, Bike to Work Day – No Meeting, Bike Event at Woodmont and Bethesda Aves**

**Friday, July 15, 2022, 8:00am**

**Friday, September 16, 2022, 8:00am**

**Friday, November 18, 2022, 8:00am**

**Bethesda Transportation Solutions  
TMD Advisory Committee  
Zoom Meeting on Friday, March 19, 2021  
Minutes**

**Voting Members Present:** Matthew Keadle, Deirdre Robinson, Kathy Krause, Amanda Smith, Meagan Sexton, Danielle Tenney, Michael Catudal, Diane Yochelson, David Storper

**Non-Voting Member Present:** Deborah Michaels, Iftin Thompson, Capt. Sean Gagen, Derrick Harrigan

**Guests Present:** Matthew Folden, Planning Department; Katya Marin, BUP Board

**Staff Present:** Kristen Blackmon, Jeff Burton, Brandan Stuckey, Allison Kemp

### **Welcome**

The meeting was called to order at 8:04 AM. New Committee Members Meagan Sexton and Michael Catudal were introduced. The next Advisory Committee will be canceled because it is Bike to Work Day on the same morning, May 21. The July 16 meeting will be virtual with an update from the County's Purple Line manager.

### **Minutes**

The Committee approved the Minutes from the January 15 Advisory Committee Meeting.

### **Presentations/Updates**

**Listening Session – Urban Loading and Delivery** Iftin Thompson, Matt Folden, Montgomery County Planning.

- The Planning Department selected downtown Bethesda for a study on Urban Loading and Delivery.
- An assessment of current road and curb conditions in downtown Bethesda was conducted by Planning.
- Current conditions – delivery trucks not always using loading docks instead parking in vehicle roadway blocking traffic, delivery trucks sometimes block sidewalks and bike lanes, sometimes the loading docks are blocked by dumpsters, old buildings do not have loading areas.
- Planning has met with stakeholders to gather feedback, similar to what they are doing at this meeting.
- Planning will look at other urban areas to determine best practices.
- Question – Can deliveries be restricted to overnight? Answer – Feedback from delivery and businesses is that receiving company needs to be present to accept deliveries in many cases, so deliveries need to be when businesses have staff working.

- Final report will most likely go to the Planning Board in early July.

Kristen Blackmon informed the Committee that **Bike to Work Day, on May 21** will be hosted at local bicycle shops this year, due to COVID restrictions, with no major event. (BTS usually hosts an event at Woodmont and Bethesda Avenues with table partners and Advisory Committee Members helping as volunteers for the morning event, in place of the usual Committee Meeting.) BTS is working with Commuter Connections and MCDOT to coordinate cyclist shirt pick up at Griffin Cycle and Terrapin Bicycles in Bethesda.

### **Adjourn**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:58 AM.

**Submission for July 16, 2021**

<b>Company</b>	<b>Approx. Employees/Comments</b>	<b>Recommend Approval</b>
1. National Electrical Contractors Association	<b>60 full time employees. 1 part time employee.</b> Transit Benefit of \$125 offered. Provides Subsidized parking. Information on commuting alternatives are posted in break rooms. Employees are working remotely during the pandemic. Office has relocated out of Bethesda TMD.	√