

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION



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Regular Meeting
~Minutes~

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Thursday
January 8, 2026

4:00 PM

Council Chambers
206 E. Third Street

Calabretta called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sarah Tucker, Chair; Ben Calabretta, Tanya Denison, Mary DuPree, Joel Hamilton, Mike McGahan, Steve Mills, Bob Sanders
OTHERS: Kristy Click, Sage McCetich
STAFF: Alisa Anderson, Scott Bontrager, Jennifer Fleischman, Luke Hajda, Mike Ray

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Election of Officers for 2026 (ACTION ITEM)

The Commission will need to nominate officers for 2026.

Tucker offered to serve as Chair and Denison expressed interest in serving as Vice Chair.

DuPree moved to elect Sarah Tucker as Chair and Tanya Denison as Vice Chair. The motion was seconded by McGahan. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Unanimous (8). Nays: None. Abstentions: None. Motion carried.

2. Approval of Minutes from December 11, 2025 (ACTION ITEM)

Presentation of minutes for approval.

Sanders moved for approval of the minutes as written, seconded by Mills. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Calabretta, DuPree, Hamilton, Mills, Sanders (5). Nays: None. Abstentions: Denison, McGahan, Tucker (3). Motion carried.

3. Public Comment

Members of the public may speak to the Commission regarding matters NOT on the agenda or currently pending before the Commission. Please state your name and city of residence for the record and limit remarks to three (3) minutes.

Sage McCetich, Moscow, introduced himself as a new City Council member.

James Laker, Moscow, reported his concerns about visibility on A St, specifically west of the intersection at Cherry St. There was a short discussion about some potential solutions and the scope of the problem.

4. LHTAC Grant Applications (ACTION ITEM) – Alisa Anderson/Scott Bontrager

The City will be preparing two new Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) grant applications which are due to the Local Highway Technical Assistance Council (LHTAC) at the end of January 2026. Staff from the Grants and Engineering Divisions will present details on the two projects.

Alisa Anderson, Grants Manager, introduced the grant program as described above and reviewed a few projects that have been submitted successfully in the past. Luke Hajda, Civil Engineer, provided a brief presentation on the two proposed projects that will be applied for at the end of January.

The project on South Mountain View Road will include a shared use path in addition to a bike lane. Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) is currently working through the pre-planning stages and study for a lighted

signal at the intersection of Mountain View Rd and Troy Hwy. Replacement approaches to the coffee stand along the east side of Mountain View Road will be included with the proposed project. The project proposed for the updated pedestrian crossing at Sixth St will be a great safety feature for all pedestrians and especially students.

Tucker moved to endorse the two proposed Transportation Alternative Program grant applications as discussed, seconded by DuPree. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Unanimous (8). Nays: None. Abstentions: None. Motion carried.

REPORTS

Anderson informed the Commission that the proposed South Main St Underpass project has become will not continue has originally planned and staff will be suggesting a project modification from Council in the next week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

- *The next regular Transportation Commission meeting is scheduled for February 12th, 2026.*

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 PM



Sarah Tucker, Chair

12 March 2026
Date