

**MINUTES OF THE
MACON-BIBB PEDESTRIAN SAFETY REVIEW BOARD MEETING
May 20, 2025 – 10:00 AM**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Greg Brown, Chairman, MBC Planning and Zoning
Rachel Hollar Umana, Vice Chair, BWM
Rob Ryals, MBC Facilities Management
Lieutenant Scott Davis, BCSO
Henry Ficklin, MBC Executive Dir. Of Community Affairs
Ron Wildman, Citizen
Jimmie Smith, MBC Health Dept.
Charise Stephens-Merriweather, MBC Small Business

OTHERS PRESENT

Adrianna Beavers, Assistant County Attorney
Greg Boike, MGRC
Kaylee Pritt, BWM
Weston Stroud, MBC Traffic Safety Manager
Honorable Elaine Lucas, MWA
Jesse Fraga, The Telegraph
Lt. Donald Johnson, BCSO
Michael Greenwald, MATS MPO
Liz Fabian, TMN
Sheila Griggs, Deputy Clerk of Commission

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Nigel Floyd, MBC Traffic Engineer
Michael Ryan, Citizen
Major Brad Wolfe, BCSO
David Gowan, Bibb County School District
Myrtle Habersham, AARP

AGENDA

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 10:15 a.m.

2. Approval of Minutes

A 04-15-2025 Meeting Minutes

On motion of Jimmie Smith, seconded by Rachel Urmana and passed unanimously, the minutes from April 15, 2025, were approved.

3. Subcommittee Reports

A Policy and Legislation

Complete Streets Report

Repaving Program and its alignment with Complete Streets Policy

Rachel Umana shared photos of before and after repaving projects on Clayton St., 3rd Ave and Montpelier Ave. She discussed the Repaving Program and reminded the Board that it needs to be in line with the approved Complete Streets Ordinance.

On motion of Rachel Urmana, seconded by Rob Ryals and passed unanimously, the board asked the County Attorney's Office to send notice to the Board of Commissioners reminding them of the Complete Streets Ordinance and ask for inclusion of the policy that governs the Repaving Program.

B Engineering

Traffic Safety Manager Report

Weston Stroud reported that the Urban SDK has been received and 2023 and 2024 SS4A Grants have been approved.

C Enforcement

Capt. Davis provided an update on on-going cases.

D Public Communication

Charise Stephens-Merriweather reported that the Safety Summit is scheduled for Wednesday, June 11, 2025. She is working on the agenda and will get it out in early June.

E Interagency Coordination

The Board has been invited to attend a Mini Community Services Fair at the Terminal Station on May 30, 2025, starting at 10:00 a.m.

4. Old Business

There was no old business discussed.

5. New Business

The Board was reminded that October will be the 10-year anniversary of the Pedestrian Safety Review Board. Greg Brown would like Board members to start thinking of ways to celebrate.

Rachel Urmana reported that there is a YouTube video called "Macon Our Way" and encouraged everyone to view it.

6. Non-Agenda Public Comments

The Honorable Elaine Lucas invited the Board to attend a Public Meeting at Ocmulgee National Park and Preserve on Wednesday, June 4, 2025, starting at 5:30 p.m.

7. Adjournment

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

Respectfully Submitted,

Sheila F. Griggs
Deputy Clerk of Commission