

**MINUTES OF THE
MACON-BIBB PEDESTRIAN SAFETY REVIEW BOARD MEETING
June 16, 2026 – 10:00 AM**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Greg Brown, Chairman, MBC Planning and Zoning
Kaylee Pritt, BWM
Rob Ryals, Dir., Facilities Management
Lieutenant Scott Davis, BCSO
Henry Ficklin, Exec. Dir. Of Community Affairs
Ron Wildman, Citizen
Myrtle Habersham, AARP
Lt. Donald Johnson, BCSO
Charise Stephens-Merriweather, Dir., Small Business
Nigel Floyd, MBC Traffic Engineer

OTHERS PRESENT

Anna Kersey-Weckstein, MBCAO
Hart Eidleman, MBC P&Z
Greg Boike, MGRC
Robert Belew, MBC Facilities
Weston Stroud, MBC Traffic Safety Manager
Sheila Griggs, Deputy Clerk of Commission
Keisha Walton, Citizen
W.J. Walton, Citizen
Brad Belo, Citizen
Charity Lucas, BWM
Mike Greenwald, MATS MPO
Bo Bagley, MBCAO Intern

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Major Brad Wolfe, BCSO
David Gowan, Bibb County School District
Dr. Jimmie Smith, MBC Health Dept.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m.

2. Approval of Minutes

A 03-17-2026 Meeting Minutes

On motion of Dr. Ficklin, seconded by Rob Ryals, and passed unanimously, minutes from March 17, 2026, were approved.

3. Subcommittee Reports

A Policy and Legislation

Kaylee Pruitt will provide a report at the next meeting.

Complete Streets Report

B Engineering

Nigel Floyd reported that speed bumps have been purchased and due to the fact that the public works department is very busy he is seeking contractors for installation. For the time being, temporary speed bumps have been installed.

Traffic Safety Manager Report

Accepting the Safe Streets For All Grant (SS4A) has been approved by the Commission.

A crosswalk from City Hall to Rosa Parks Park will require a handicap curb cut installed first. Engineering is working on it.

C Enforcement

Cap. Davis reported that he will provide a comparison of the last six months at the next meeting. He also reported that the Sheriff's Office has added bike safety information to their website.

D Public Communication

Charise Stephens-Merriweather reported that there will be a back-to-school safe route to school festival in August. More information will be provided and shared with the Board.

This year's Safety Summit is scheduled for Thursday, October 1, 2026.

This was voted on during the February 17, 2026, meeting. Myrtle Haversham, Dr. Ficklin and Weston Stroud have volunteered to help with the event.

E Interagency Coordination

Charise reported that there are plans for a Homeless Outreach in the month of July. She is still trying to confirm a date. Brad Belo (citizen) informed the Board that St. Mary's has a similar event every Sunday and this would be a good time to provide bands and education to those in attendance.

4. Old Business

A Honoring Michael Ryan - update

Greg Brown reported that he has been in contact with Mrs. Ryan. PSRB has available funds in the budget, and they plan to use some of it for the plaque. The details of the plaque and when to present something to Mrs. Ryan are still up for discussion.

5. Non-Agenda Public Comments

Brad Belo spoke to the Board regarding seven pedestrian fatalities and potential issues that might be the cause of them.

Keisha Walton spoke to the Board about her son who was killed on Hawkinsville Road while cycling to work. This road has a history of fatal pedestrian collisions. She asked the Board to make improvements where possible.

6. Adjournment

Before adjournment, the Board discussed appointing a Vice Chair to the PSRB. All members were asked to think it over and discussion will continue at the next meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:05 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sheila F. Griggs
Deputy Clerk of Commission