

Minutes – Kitsap County Non-Motorized Facilities Community Advisory Committee

July 21, 2026 – Kitsap County Public Works Building, Port Orchard

Members Present:

Brian Watson (Chair)
Jessy Osterloh (Vice Chair)
Rick Feeney
Janet Kidd
Nathan Menefee
Scott Satter
Jacob Weber
Deborah Weinmann

Members Absent:

None

Public Works Staff Present:

- David Forte

Guests/Public:

Approval of Previous Minutes:

- March Minutes Approval – Jessy Osterloh moved to approve the March 2026 meeting minutes, Rick Feeney seconded. Minutes were approved without objection.

Public Comment:

Agenda Items:

1. Staff Update

For 2026-27 no staff support to replace Mellisa Mohr, and no new initiatives or projects. However, several current TIP projects have slated grant funding allowing them to move forward including:

South Kitsap: Lund - Harris to Chase median, sidewalks, bike lanes, and roundabout at Harris, and another roundabout at Lund/Chase intersection.

Suquamish: Suquamish/Augusta - South St to Winfred Winfred to South St. add sidewalks and bike lanes. (Grant for ROW, maybe construction)

Kingston: West Kingston Rd - Bridge to Kingston Middle School add bike lane and sidewalk to north side of road. (Completion by 2028)

Raise Grants: Planning level grants for the North Central STO from Lincoln Rd to Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park trailhead, South STO from ferry to Agate Pass bridge, and Suquamish area STO from Highway 305 to Division St.

2. Member Updates:

Rick Feeney commented that Beach Drive remains dangerous sighting recent fatality and vehicle brake failure. Rick noted Key Peninsula has pushed back Cushman Trail 6 years, an important north/south corridor.

Jessy Osterloh shared the Navy shipyard responded to her advocacy for additional covered bike racks by installing more on top of the 850 gate. Jessy stated the State Route 3 Gorst Area Planning and Environmental Linkages (PEL) Study has an online session running from July 14 through August 4, 2026, and an in-person event on July 22.

Brian Watson stated at the September NMFCAC meeting a guest presenter for Disabilities Washington would discuss the need for transient reliant people to have representation on the Kitsap Transit Board. Brian also shared he is partnering with the Sheriff's Office to produce bike safety public awareness content for the Vision Zero Program aimed at completely eliminating traffic-related deaths and serious injuries.

Adjournment:

- The meeting adjourned at 18:58.