

Somerville



Pedestrian & Transit Advisory Committee

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February 2025 Meeting Agenda

Somerville Pedestrian & Transit Advisory Committee (PTAC)

Mayor Katjana Ballantyne

Meeting Information

Thursday, February 20, 2025, 6:30-8:00 PM

This meeting will be hybrid:

- **In-person meeting location:** Somerville Public Library, Central Library, 79 Highland Ave.
- **Zoom info to join remotely via computers, tablets, and smartphones:**
 - <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89181225932?pwd=aWpoL2FtaUh3aGdVbHNRWUJmeDRNQTO9>
 - Passcode: 152274
 - Or join by phone:
 - Dial (for higher quality, dial a number based on your current location):
 - US: +1 646 558 8656
 - Webinar ID: 891 8122 5932
 - Passcode: 152274
 - International numbers available: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/kcVy69ROJG>

Members

1. Ted Alexander
2. Ginny Alverson
3. Caroline Bodager
4. Meredith Brown
5. Laura Evans
6. Christopher Ferry
7. Preston Gutelius
8. Satoko Hirai (Digital Communications Officer)
9. Brenda Marvin (Secretary)
10. Steven Mulder
11. Barbara Myers

12. Bianca Norkunas
13. Vitor Pamplona (Vice Chair)
14. Zach Rosenberg
15. Alessandra Seiter (Chair)
16. Robert Stanzel
17. Carole Voulgaris
18. Will Mbah (Ex Officio, City Councilor At Large)
19. Justin Schreiber (Ex Officio, OSPCD Mobility)
20. Katherine White (Ex Officio, OSPCD Mobility)

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Procedural Business (10 Minutes)

- Roll call and guest introductions
- Vote on January draft minutes
- Upcoming meeting logistics:
 - **March:** Virtual-only (most likely)
 - **April and onward:** 101 South St, Boynton Yards
 - **June:** Moving to 6/12

Subcommittee Updates (5 Minutes)

- Community Events
- Design Review
- Special Projects

City Update: Mobility 2024 Key Performance Indicators & Maffa/Mystic Bridge Replacement Project (40 Minutes)

- Mobility staff will present their [2024 Key Performance Indicators \(KPI\) report](#) on mobility and safety in Somerville over the past year.
- Mobility staff will also give a brief overview of MassDOT's ongoing [Maffa Way/Mystic Ave bridge replacement project](#).
 - All are encouraged to attend the [next Somerville-focused public meeting](#) on February 26, 6:00PM, at the Somerville Central Library (79 Highland Ave).

Review PTAC 2024 Annual Report (10 Minutes)

PTAC Enforcement Survey Results (20 Minutes)

- At our January meeting, we voted to administer a survey to gauge PTAC members' views on street safety enforcement and guide our future advocacy. At this meeting, we will present the survey results and discuss next steps.

Other Business (5 Minutes)

- Public comment.

Online Meeting Addendum

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order suspending certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. C. 30A, s. 18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitations on the number of people that may gather in one place, as well as Mayor Curtatone's Declaration of Emergency, dated March 15, 2020, this meeting of the PTAC will be conducted via remote participation. We will post an audio recording, audio-video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of these proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting on the City of Somerville website and local cable access government channels (SCATV).