

# Parking and Transportation Advisory Board Meeting Minutes Tuesday, July 18, 2017

Meeting called to order at 3:38 pm by meeting chair Clayton Harrington.

## **Members present:**

Clayton Harrington  
Carlos Brown  
John Venuti  
Jillian Stafflinger  
William Martin  
Nate Doughty  
Mark Divens

Kevin Harris  
Carissa Etters  
Keith Van Inwegen

## **Members not present:**

Michele Armstrong  
Taylor Jones  
Kathleen Blakenship  
Justin Moses

## **Shared documents:**

PPT Presentation (Clayton)

### **I. Peer Review Questions**

- A. Carlos: The faculty/staff and healthcare headcount are basically the same. I want to make sure we're asking exactly what we're trying to get.
  - 1. Clayton: They're[Kimley Horn] looking for everybody(a headcount of total people), and if you work for both sides, you'd only get counted once
- B. \*What's the goal of these questions?
  - 1. Answer: They[Kimley] has picked our challenged areas and are asking what other universities are doing to combat some of these same challenges.
- C. \*Seems the ADA section is pretty lean, and it should probably be given a space of its own. We[PTAC] want to understand how accessibility issues are being handled more broadly than a shuttle (ie: by building or structure, with a sign, etc.)
- D. \*In regards to the "community interactions" column, the Vice President has an interest in opening VCU up to community; what we do to accommodate the community better interacting with our campus. We should determine what types of initiatives other universities are doing; are they engaging with community organizations?
- E. \*Under "General Info.," I don't know if having the number of daily visitors is better than using "beds". Square footage doesn't tell the whole story.

- F. \*Is it worth asking about the engagement between the two campuses?
  - 1. We need to ask determining questions to see if we should we manage the MCV Campus office separately?
- G. Edits:
  - 1. Permit allocation process for: “Health sciences students” versus “medical.”
  - 2. Chief would like to see more comparative info. on shuttle services and point to point transportation as well as volume.
  - 3. Under “General Info.,” use “beds” versus the “number of daily visitors.”
  - 4. Add more questions relating to public transportation.
  - 5. Add questions to determine if P&T should manage the MCV Campus office separately
- H. *Action item: Clayton will compile edits and pass on to Kimley Horn*

## II. High school graduation review

- A. Process was a success; relocations will likely occur next year.

## III. Reciprocal parking

- A. Carlos: Do we know how many reciprocal parkers we have on campus?
  - 1. I think what we have is fine; we should continue the way we’re currently doing it.
- B. \*I think there are two tiers of people: those who travel multiple times per week (administrators, VPs) and those that travel occasionally; each can be handled separately. Difficult to navigate the when it’s a part of your your job.
  - 1. \*However, I do believe it is moreso an organizational issue.
- C. Chief: Is it a possibility to have Kimley Horn take reciprocal data and do something with the Park Plus model?
  - 1. Clayton: I think what you’re going to find if they do this is that the system is going to code things on a percentage basis. I would question its accuracy.
    - a) *Action item: Clayton to ask Kimley Horn to utilize ParkPlus model for reciprocal parking data.*
- D. \* I believe a lot of students do not use reciprocal parking because they do not know about the benefit.
- E. *Action item: Clayton to pull numbers and job descriptions of users*

## IV. Communication

- A. \* The university’s communications team organized some major initiatives for which there exists a communication need across the university; P&T is critical on the list
  - 1. We looked ahead 18 months to determine what are some of the anticipated milestones & dates/timeframes?

## V. Next meeting

- A. Kimley Horn will be present at next meeting, August 15
- B. Will have a working session on Monday, August 14

1. Will break down each of the topics with timeframes
2. Will invite additional students, P&T reps

**Meeting adjourned at 4:54 pm.**

*\* Indicates interjection by a committee member*