DRAFT – Urban Trails Committee – July 14, 2021 Minutes

Present: Diana Rooney (Co-Chair), Abe Herman, Eric Mocko, Andrew Gingerich (RTPO), David Thornton, Steve Meyer, Ross Mittelman (MCPH), Ellen Bannon, Valerie Dobbs, Dani Acosta, and Bella Vaz.

Ms. Vara Kusal was also present.

Steven Meyer called the meeting to order at 5:37pm.

Approval of minutes from the June 9, 2021 meeting.

Ross M. motioned to motioned to approve minutes, Abe H. seconded the motion, the minutes were approved 6-0. (Voting members: Abe H., Andrew G., Steven M., Ross M., Ellen B., and Valerie D.)

Introductions

Introductions from new UTC members Valerie Dobbs and Ellen Banon.

Updates/Action Items

Update from Horizon Drive BID grant proposal

Ms. Vara Kusal presented an update on the Horizon Drive BID grant proposal.

Status update of detour route signage for 1st Street and Grand Ave

Diana R. provided an update on this project.

Mobility Hub Update

Andrew G. provided an update on the mobility hub grant.

Walking Audit Discussion

Dave T. gave a brief overview of the walking audit and suggested August 5 morning for the date, as well as introduced potential routes for the audit. Eric M. suggested route option #3 around the potential mobility hub. There was support voiced for route #3 with the addition of crossing Ute and Pitkin and walking back up 4th or 5th Streets. (Walk west on Ute and Pitkin).

7:30am, meet at City Market on 1st Street.

Other Business

Crosby Ave Grant Update

Eric M. provided an update on the Crosby Ave grant and that the decision has not been made and should hear more in about a month.

South Rim and Redlands Parkway

Eric M. solicited input on an intersection construction project at S Rim Drive and Redlands Parkway.

Members should provide suggestions to Eric M.

Wayfinding Signage at Las Colonias

Diana R. brought up improvements at Las Colonias park. Dave T. said he could invite Ken Sherbenou and Rob Davis to the next UTC meeting.

Steve M. moved to end the meeting. Andrew G. seconded the motion. The meeting ended at 7:00pm.