

**COLORADO RIVERFRONT COMMISSION
245-0045**

Urban Trails Committee

**Minutes
October 9, 2001**

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 7:30pm by co-chair, Jamie Lummis. Those present from the Committee were:

Jamie Lummis	Judy Craddock
Diana Cort	Janet Hollingsworth
John Halvorson	Bill Findlay
Robert Traylor	

Also present were George Miller, Shawn Cooper and Michele Rohrbach.

Approval of Minutes

John motioned to approve the September minutes, Janet second. Motion passed.

Announcements

Judy asked about Jamie Vaida letter of support. (Michele will draft letter).

Jamie asked if Pat Kennedy was going to seminar in Tucson? Michele said he couldn't make it.

Jamie asked if anyone made the October 3rd Redlands meeting. No one from UTC or RFC were able to attend. George said there was a large turn out with major interest in 1st and Grand and to Fruita. Mostly repeat of previous meeting.

Jamie reminded everyone that Clark would be attending the RFC meeting next week.

There were no further announcements.

Old Business

Urban Trails Master Plan Revision: Tomorrow Jamie, Ken and Robert will be meeting with the County Planning staff and then on Thursday they will be meeting with the City Planning staff. George has gotten maps to City staff. Jamie thanked him. Jamie asked if

anyone had ideas or comments as to how to do presentation. Robert asked if all UTC to attend joint meeting in November.

John asked what the outcome would be. Jamie explained how City could adopt but County will only approve. Jamie wants to ask both to accept and adopt new UTC map.

Jamie said tomorrow and next day will be asking staffs for their input and how to present at joint meeting.

Shawn commented that the joint meeting would be a public hearing. Jamie asked if everyone would mind doing a regular UTC meeting at the joint meeting in November. Group likes idea. Judy asked what exactly would be presented. She thinks it's really important that everyone there knows how long the process has been going on and what was involved to get the map to where it is now. Discussed canal and recent negative happenings and concerns by canal companies.

Jim Grisier talked to Jamie about past minutes and concrete trail on canals. Jamie stated that concrete was not what UTC was looking for. Next step is to get recommendations to City to have a different set of standards from what is regularly used on non-canal trails.

John asked what would be asked of the County at the meeting tomorrow. Especially since a group of volunteers have taken the time to gather the information and believe this is what's best for the public.

Shawn explained how the 201 works with current development. Group talked about what's included in 201 and what's outside those boundaries but still part of the UTC's jurisdiction.

Judy asked if UTC members should get others to attend meeting in November. Jamie said yes. Will email everyone with date and time when we know what it is.

Jamie asked if everyone has priority list for Jody. Not really. Jamie will talk to Ken to get clarification as to what Ken and Jody really are looking for in the lists.

There was no further old business.

New Business

There was no new business.

Public Comment

Shawn encouraged group to stay involved in the Riverside Bypass planning. Another is F ½, 29 Road and D Road. Robert suggested meeting with Jody to get contact person for each project. Jamie asked all UTC members to email City Council and request roundabouts on G Road (that is if they believe in them).

Shawn talked about long range planning on circulation plan (joint meeting with City and County). Shawn realized while driving home from the meeting that there was no discussion of trails and pedestrian walkways. Shawn said circulation planning is more or less to refine the MPO plan.

Michele reminded everyone about RFC social in December and the RFC retreat being a bus tour in early spring.

Jamie asked if UTC wants to do a retreat. Robert and Jamie will further discuss.

Adjournment - Meeting adjourned at 8:50pm.