



Metro

600 NE Grand Ave.
Portland, OR 97232-2736

Meeting minutes

Meeting: MPAC
Date/time: September 24, 2025
Place: MRC, 600 NE Grand Ave.

Attendees

Commissioner Vince Jones-Dixon, Multnomah County
Council President Elana-Pirtle Guiney, Portland
Councilor Candace Avalos, Portland
Council President Jerry Hinton, Gresham
Mayor Keith Kudrna, Fairview
Executive Director Terri Preeg Riggsby, West Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District
Omar Qutub, Resident of Multnomah County
Commissioner Diana Helm, Clackamas County
Mayor Denyse McGriff, Oregon City
Councilor Brett Sherman, Happy Valley
Commissioner Pam Treece, Washington County
Mayor Beach Pace, Hillsboro
Councilor Allison Tivnon, Beaverton
Mayor Tim Rosner, Sherwood
Board Member Miles Palacios, Tualatin Hills Parks and Recreation District
Luis Nava, Resident of Washington County
Councilor Ty Stober, Vancouver
Dan Eisenbeis, Port of Portland
Councilor Gerritt Rosenthal, Metro
Councilor Mary Nolan, Metro

Absent

Ed Gronke, Resident of Clackamas County
Board Member JT Flowers, TriMet
Deputy Director Kristin Greene, Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development
Councilor Wil Fuentes, Clatsop County
Mayor Brian Hodson, Canby
Mayor Ariel Goodwin, North Plains
Councilor Duncan Hwang, Metro

Council Update

Rosenthal provided the Council Update

Consent Agenda

Consideration of the July 23, 2025 MPAC Meeting Minutes
Motion: Riggsby
Second: Palacios
Motion passed unanimously

Future Vision Update

Jess Zdeb, Metro, provided the update

McGriff asked if there was an equity lens used for choosing the consultant team and how Metro will engage the community.

Rosener asked if Metro will be doing scientific polling.

Buck asked about the equity audit and what data it will be looking at.

Helm asked how MPAC will be engaged in the process and what MPAC's role will be.

Rosener asked if there will be a road show for cities before the plan is ready to be finalized.

Nolan asked Metro staff to share the demographics of the consultant team.

Portland-Vancouver Area Comprehensive Climate Action Plan: Feedback and Comments on Draft Plan

Eliot Rose, Metro, presented.

Avalos asked about including more environmental organizations in the process and offered to make recommendations.

Preeg-Riggsby asked about the combined number of people who participated in the open houses.

Pace asked about local jurisdictional elements in the broad, regional scope. She also noted her concern about how to pay for it, particularly with decreasing federal funding.

Helm asked how the Plan will be implemented and how MPAC will continue to be included in the effort.

Please & Health: The Health Impacts of the Build Environment

Dr. King presented.

Sherman noted that inside the UGB we're building as much as we can, and he asked Dr. King's advice on balancing that with environmental protection for the people who live in these developing areas.

Preeg-Riggsby asked about retrofitting buildings for vulnerable communities that live near highways now.

Treece thanked Dr. King for the presentation and is looking forward to sharing the information with her colleagues.

Tivnon noted that storytelling helps to share data in an engaging way and will be sharing the information with her Beaverton colleagues.

Stover will be sharing the presentation with his staff and will be reaching out to her to invite a similar analysis for Vancouver.

Sherman adjourned the meeting at 7:07 PM

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ramona Perrault". The script is cursive and fluid, with the first name and last name clearly distinguishable.

Ramona Perrault, Committee Legislative Advisor