

SRCC GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING (www.srccatx.org)

Tuesday, February 18, 2025, 7:00 PM

Zoom Meeting: Click [here](#) to register

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AGENDA

*Sign up or renew your membership at www.srccatx.org. There is a 28-day holding period before you can make/second motions or vote. For questions: membership@srccatx.org. **If attending by Zoom, please register at least 24 hours in advance.***

1. 7:00 Welcome and Announcements

Presenter: Vice President Robin Sanders (5 min)

2. 7:05 Approve Minutes from previous meetings

Vote on motion to approve minutes from January 21, 2024 GM Meeting. Meeting minutes available at: www.srccatx.org. **(5 min)**

3. 7:10 Treasurer's Report

All reports available upon request: treasurer@srccatx.org

Presenter: Treasurer, Will Andrews (5 min)

4. 7:15 Membership Report

Members must pay dues to participate in SRCC business and actions, such as voting and making motions. Try the subscription option for automatic annual renewals. *Presenter: SRCC Membership, Mary Janecek-Friedman (5 min)*

5. 7:20 Reports from Standing Committee Chairs

a) Planning and Zoning; b) Historic Preservation; c) Finance; d) Mobility; e) Public Safety; f) Parks and Environment; g) Schools; h) Communications (10 min)

6. 7:30 Reports from Area Coordinators and Group Representatives

a) TECHS CAT; b) ANC; c) SCC; d) EROC; e) GSRC NPCT; f) SCWAB; g) St. Edward's (10 min)

7. 7:40 Update regarding Filling Vacancies

Presenter: Ruth Casares (5 min)

GENERAL BUSINESS ITEMS

8. 7:45 Public Safety [VOTE ANTICIPATED]

Resending January 2020 SRCC letter requesting revisions to City's fireworks permit to enhance public safety and decrease wildfire risk. The original letter is [here](#). Proposed transmittal letter reads as follows:

Dear Mayor and Council,

Attached to this letter is South River City Citizens' January 10, 2020, letter requesting improvements to the City's fireworks permitting process. We are not aware of any responsive action taken to address our concerns.

We write today reiterating our request that you revise the permitting process to reduce the risk of wildfires. Neighborhood safety continues to be threatened and replacement cost for damaged structures has dramatically increased in recent years.

Please take these reasonable steps to make the city safer by proceeding with the improvements requested years ago. Thank you for your consideration and prompt action.

*signed,
Pres. SRCC*

Presenters: Thomas Groce and David Swann (10 min)

9. 7:55 Parks and Environment Committee

Beautification of parkland near West Live Oak and Congress Ave. using wildflowers. Mr. Epstein's summary of principles and presentation [here](#).
Presenter: Guest speaker Adam Epstein (10 min)

8:05 Mobility and Transportation [Related Items]

10. Austin Transit Partners (ATP) Presentation regarding Project Connect light rail proposal. Presentation by Austin Transit Partners (ATP) team members regarding Project Connect light rail proposal.

Presenter: ATP introduced by Mark Thompson (15 min)

11. SRCC Proposed Comments in response to DEIS [VOTE]

The Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for Project Connect light rail proposal has been released and ATP is accepting public comment through March 11, 2025. While SRCC Mobility encourages members to participate in the public comment process and information-sharing events on an individual basis, tonight's topic is adoption of principles for SRCC's comments in response to DEIS.

Presenter: Mark Thompson (15 min)

The DEIS, along with a summary, may be found on the following website:
<https://www.atptx.org/milestones/austin-light-rail-progress-update/>

These [proposed comments pertaining solely to South Congress Ave.](#) have been unanimously approved by SRCC Executive Committee.

These [proposed additional comments pertaining solely to the elevated bridge on Riverside Dr.](#) are presented by neighbors on or near Riverside.

Here is a [schematic](#) of the proposed elevated bridge.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming meetings:

GM Mar. 18, Apr. 15, May 20, June 17, Aug. 19, Sept. 16, Oct. 21, Dec. 16

EC Mar. 4, Apr. 1, May 6, June 3, Aug. 5, Sep. 2, Oct. 7, Dec. 2

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH: contact Tom Groce, SRCC Public Safety
Chair at: tgroce71@gmail.com

If you have questions about using the Neighborhood ListServ:

<https://groups.io/g/SouthRiverAustin>

Check crime reports and statistics here:

https://www.krimelabb.com/basic/view/v_welcome.php

The next **General Membership** meeting is **March 18, 2025**

The next **Executive Committee** meeting is **March 4, 2025**

Frequently used acronyms:

ACF: Austin Community Fund

ANC: Austin Neighborhood Council

BoA: Board of Adjustment

CDC: Community Development Corporation

EROC: East Riverside/Oltorf Combined Contact Team

FLUM: Future Land Use Map

GSRC NPCT: Greater South River City Neighborhood Planning Contact
Team

NCCD: Neighborhood Conservation Combining District

NHPA: National Historic Preservation Act

NPCT: Neighborhood Planning Contact Team

PC: Planning Commission

PUD: Planned Unit Development

SCC: South Central Coalition of neighborhood associations

SF: Single Family zoning category

TECHS CAT: Travis Early College High School Campus Architectural Team

ZAP: Zoning and Platting

*Agenda Prepared by Robin Sanders, vicepresident@srccatx.org. Please
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