

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

**ORDINANCE NO. 979**

An Ordinance Amending and Codifying Provisions Relating to the Multnomah County Bicycle and Pedestrian Citizen Advisory Committee and Repealing Ordinance No. 874

**The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:**

a. On January 30, 1997, by Ordinance No. 874, the Board established the Bicycle and Pedestrian Citizen Advisory Committee (Committee) that represents the interests of bicyclists and pedestrians in promoting alternate modes of transportation. Ordinance No. 874 was not codified.

b. The Board wishes to update provisions relating to the Committee and add them to the Multnomah County Code.

**Multnomah County Ordains as follows:**

**Section 1.** MCC Chapter 3, Board of Commissioners, is amended to add the following:

**§ 3.375\*      *BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE***

**§ 3.375-      *Duties.***

(A) The Bicycle and Pedestrian Citizen Advisory Committee (the Committee) advises the Board and the Transportation Division (Division) on matters involving bicycle and pedestrian transportation. The Committee identifies specific bicycle and pedestrian issues, problems, and opportunities, and assists in evaluating projects for the Bicycle Capital Improvement Plan and the Pedestrian Capital Improvement Plan.

(B) The Committee serves as a source of volunteers for assisting the Division at public events supporting bicycle and pedestrian issues.

(C) The Committee adopts rules consistent with this code and all state and federal laws for its operation.

**§ 3.376 Membership.**

(A) The Committee is composed of a minimum of 7 and a maximum of 14 members and up to five alternates appointed by the Chair upon the approval of the Board.

(B) The Committee represents citizens of Multnomah County interested in bicycle and pedestrian issues from diverse geographical and occupational interests, including but not limited to the City of Gresham; City of Troutdale; City of Wood Village; City of Fairview; Northeast Multnomah County Community Association; Sauvie Island Conservancy; Sauvie Island Grange; unincorporated area of Multnomah County, west of the Willamette River; Citizens for the Preservation of Skyline Ridge; unincorporated area of Multnomah County, west of the Sandy River; Portland Bicycle Advisory Committee; Bicycle Transportation Alliance; Willamette Pedestrian Coalition and Portland Pedestrian Advisory Committee.

(C) Each member is appointed for a term of two years, except the Chair shall retain discretion to stagger terms of appointment as necessary to ensure rotating terms.

(D) Members receive no compensation.

**§ 3.377 Conflict of Interest.**

Any member of the Committee who has a monetary or investment interest in any matter before the Committee must inform the membership of the Committee.

**§ 3.378 Staff.**

The Division provides technical and clerical support for the Committee.

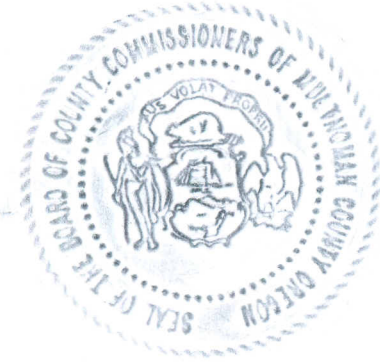
**Section 2.** This ordinance takes effect and Ordinance No. 874 is repealed 30 days after the date of adoption.

FIRST READING:

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March 14, 2002

SECOND READING AND ADOPTION:

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March 21, 2002



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