Transportation & Utility Board Example Charters

Noted below are example charters for transportation advisory boards in the region, in addition many communities also have utility commissions or boards; there are few examples of these being combined.

Loveland Transportation Advisory Board

The Transportation Advisory Board advises City Council on matters pertaining to all modes of transportation. The Board reviews and recommends updates to the Transportation Master Plan, considers local and regional transportation matters, reviews and recommend changes to policies related to transportation, and examines the budget and capital improvements plan related to Engineering, Streets and transit. The board also reviews and recommends changes to transportation and transit fee schedule, rates and charges. The board may address other issues as assigned by City Council.

Fort Collins Transportation Board

The Transportation Board advises the Fort Collins City Council on transportation issues. The Board examines issues relating to financing, the development and implementation of master plans pertaining to pedestrian, streets, transit, bicycles, automobiles, congestion, traffic signalization, and transportation facilities, the use of technology, and education of the public and private industry on transportation topics.

The Board acts as a forum for the citizens to express their needs and concerns. The Board coordinates with other city boards and commissions on projects and issues that are of mutual interest. The Transportation Board works with other municipalities in the region to identify and develop solutions to key transportation issues.

Longmont Transportation Advisory Board

The Transportation Advisory Board consists of seven (7) members appointed by City Council to serve three (3) year terms. The primary function of the board is to advise the City Council on all modes of transportation in the City of Longmont. The Transportation Advisory Board reviews local and regional transportation issues and makes recommendations to City Council.

Golden Mobility & Transportation Advisory Board

The Mobility & Transportation Advisory Board was established by City Council in July, 2017 as an advisory board focused on transportation and transit issues within the city.

The board offers a venue to evaluate the relationship between mobility of all types and the economy, sustainability, safety, land use, neighborhood integrity, and emergency response times; and study the importance of transportation access to health care, employment, education, housing, business, and recreational facilities. The board's recommendations contribute to community and neighborhood plans prepared by the Planning Commission and to policy and strategic decisions of City Council.

Englewood Transportation Advisory Committee

The Englewood Transportation Advisory Committee (ETAC) reviews concerns of citizens and businesses regarding transportation and traffic issues. ETAC is made up of Englewood citizens, such as yourself, who volunteer, and are appointed by City Council, to serve on the Committee to promote traffic safety for motorists, pedestrians, and bicyclists commuting in our city. Meeting for a couple of hours bi-monthly, ETAC Members review traffic safety issues that are presented by citizens, businesses, and staff, and then make recommendations that will alleviate "trouble spots". Our Committee meetings are open to the public, and we are happy to meet with you regarding your traffic concerns.

Colorado Springs

Advises City Council on multi-modal transportation systems. Members of the board have an interest or expertise in transportation, and the board has two subcommittees: the Active Transportation Advisory Committee and the Trucking Issues Subcommittee.

Utility Commissions

The following cities have Utility Advisory Boards/Commissions (may be Water and/or Sewer Board) – Englewood*, Golden*, Longmont**, Loveland**, Fort Collins**, Estes Park**, Boulder*.

*Provide water in addition to sewer and/or stormwater

**Provide water, sewer, stormwater, electric

Example Utility Commission Charter

The purpose of the Utilities Commission shall be to serve as an advisory body to City Council on all matters pertaining to the water, waste water, and electric utility operations and services provided by the City.

<u>Region</u>

Centennial – No Board or Commission

Arapahoe County - No Board or Commission

Sheridan - No Board or Commission