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The 35W Solutions Alliance Meeting

Thursday, February 13, 2025

Richfield City Hall, Bartholomew Room, 6700 Portland Ave S

Minutes

Members and Guests Present

John Bermel, Renee Christianson, Lisa Freese, Joe Gladke, Debbie Goettel, Sean Hayford Oleary, Mary Liz Holberg, Steve Huser, Matt Johnson, Zach Johnson, Dan Kealey, Erin Laberee, Kim Larson, Michelle Leonard, Dwayne Lowman, Nicole Morris, Joe Powers, Mark Ray, Heidi Scholl, Megan Thiefoldt, Seng Thongvanh, Britta Torkelson, Rob Vanasek, Tom Wolf, Wendy Wulff

Call to Order

Vice Chair Kealey called the meeting to order at 7:36 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

Motion made and seconded to approve the January 9, 2025 meeting minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

Alliance Supported Advocacy Projects

Motion made and seconded to authorize the Chair to fund up to \$1,200 on the project. Motion carried unanimously. Motion made and seconded to approve the revised 2025 Legislative Agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

Crash Data State Law Change Impacts

Dr. Nichole Morris, University of Minnesota, presented on crash data importance and law change impacts.

Legislative Update

Rob Vanasek provided a legislative update.

Project Updates

 I-35/County Road 50 – Dakota County submitted a diverging diamond layout and are working through the second phase of design.

Potential Future Agenda Items

- Orange Line (March)
- Regional Solicitation (May)
- Transportation Legislative Leaders

Next Meeting

The next Alliance meeting will be held March 13, 2025.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9 a.m.