

## Foundation for Ada/Canyon Trail Systems (F.A.C.T.S.)

Minutes of November 29, 2023

Meeting called for 3:00 PM

In attendance:

Officers: Bill Gigray, President; Bill Mullane, Vice President, Karen Silbernagel, Secretary

Directors: Paul Mann, Gary Segers, Bob Hay and Gary Payne

Agency "ex officio": Meg McCarthy, ACHD, Colin Schmidt, Garden City; Kim Warren, city of Meridian; Austin Miller, COMPASS; Steve Noyes, city of Eagle Pathways (ret'd), living in McCall (208-761-9580); John McAllister, LIVE, Scott Koberg

A smattering of Minutes due to lack of sound on the ZOOM recording. I need to consult with Austin and figure out the technique.

Election of Officers, Directors and *ex officio* agency members: Meg McCarthy and Colin Schmidt agreed to serve another term.

Treasurer's report showed \$ 8,631.84 with the expenditure in November to pay the property taxes on the property owned by FACTS.

Much of the discussion centered on buffers, which Paul Mann has been investigating. Meg mentioned that buffers were in place along Boise Avenue as part of the chipseal.

**Mission Statement as revised and updated: To close the gaps on the greenbelt along the Boise River, creating connective pathways from the Lucky Peak Dam to Snake River confluence; and, to promote safe and coherent corridors for active transportation and recreation throughout the valley.**