MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

- 3 year term
- Members shall be residents of the City
- Members shall represent various modes of transportation to include, but not limited to: transit, greenways, automobiles, bikes, pedestrians, etc.
- Members shall possess expertise and interest in the sustainability and development of multimodal transportation and demonstrate willingness to participate actively in Commission efforts.

Vacancy
Was Kim Roney (Transit representative)
Term to expire 7-01-21

CURRENT MEMBERS	TERM EXPIRES	APPOINTED	TERMS	RACE	HOMEOWNER /RENTER	SEX	AREA	OCCUPATION
Rich Lee (at-large representative) 520 New Haw Creek Road, 28806 460-2624 (h) 236-3220 (o) ric.hardlee@live.com	07-01-20	07-25-17 10-11-15	2 1	W	H	M	West	Financial Advisor
Kim Roney (resigned) (represent transit interests) 293 Westwood Place - 28806 450-1099 (h) 707-5211 (o) mskimroney@gmail.com	07-01-21	06-18-19	1 Unexpr.	W	H	F	West	Piano Teacher/ Bartender
Lisabeth Medlock (represent transit interests) 21 Biltmore Ave. unit 302 Asheville, NC 28801 lisabeth.resultsconsulting@gmail.com	07-01-22	08-27-19	1	W	R	F	Central	Self Consultant/Coach
John Stuart Ridout (at large representative) 38 Nixon Terrace - 28805 804-586-5880 (h) 251-6691 (o) ddridout@gmail.com	07-01-20	07-25-17 08-26-14	2 1	W		M	East	Transp Coord- UNC-A
Kenneth Armstrong (represent greenway interests) 44 Highland St. Asheville, NC 28801 kenny@jmteagueengineering.com	07-01-21	08-27-19	Unexp.	W	H	M	North	Transportation Planner JM Teague Engineering & Planning
David Nutter (represent greenway interests) 169 Flint Street - 28801 505-8242 dnutter@aol.com	08-27-22	08-27-19 07-26-16	2	W	H	M	Central	Retired

CURRENT MEMBERS	TERM EXPIRES	APPOINTED	TERMS	RACE	HOMEOWNER /RENTER	SEX	AREA	OCCUPATION
Randy Warren (Bike/Ped interest) 29 Forestdale Dr. Asheville, NC 28803 505-3521 randy@warrencycling.com	07-01-22	08-27-19	1 1*	W	R	M	South	Owner/Coach Warren Cycling
Michael Stratton (represent Bike & Ped interests) 451 Fairview Rd. Asheville, NC 28803 mdstratton1@gmail.com	07-01-21	08-27-19	Unexp.	Hisp.	H	M	East	Real Estate Broker Keller Williams Elite Realty
Patricia Katz (At large seat) 61 Finalee Ave Asheville, NC 28803 pkkatz56@charter.net	07-01-20	08-27-19	Unexp.	W	H	F	Central	Retired landscape architect
Anna Sexton (represent Neighborhood Adv Com) Ex-Officio - Non-Voting Member sexton.aes@gmail.com	When off NAC			W	R	F	West	Planner NAC Rep
Joe Archibald P&Z appted representative Ex-Officio - Non-Voting Member narwhal1@icloud.com	08-14-20	10-03-17	1	W	R	M	North	Architect Woodworker
SACEE Rep.	Open - To Be Reviewed At a Later Date				07-01-16	Ex-Officio - Non-Voting Member		

*Randy Warren reassigned from At-Large seat to Bike/Ped seat 8/27/19

MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION COMMMISSION

Name	Male	Female	Black	White	Other	North	East	South	West	Central	City	County	Renter	Homeowner
Lee	X			X			X				X			
Roney		X		X					X		X			
Katz		X		X						X	X			X
Ridout	X			X			X				X			
Stratton	X				X		X				X			X
Nutter	X			X						X	X			
Warren	X			X				X			X			
Lofland		X		X						X	X			
Armstrong	X			X		X					X			X
Medlock		X		X						X	X		X	

Multimodal Transportation Commission Resource LIst

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE #	DATE SUBMITTED APPLICATION	RESIDENT	RACE	SEX	AREA	Homeowner /Renter	OCCUPATION	Interested in Other Boards
Dennis Wencel 14 Thurland Ave. Asheville, NC 28803 denniswencel@gmail.com	05-15-19	City	W	M	Central	H	President Lift Marketing Group	
Sandy Aldridge 116 Veronica Lane Asheville, NC 28801 919-264-6113 sandykallamaldridge33@gmail.com	06-20-19	City	W	F	North	R	Student at AB-Tech	on CPAC
Shannon Watkins 9 W Raleigh Rd. Asheville, NC 28803 713-2955 shannonmwatkins@gmail.com	06-26-19	City	W	F	South	H	Real Estate Broker Self-employed	
Amy Jones 17 Edgedale Drive Asheville, NC 28804 230-3969 amy@musicallies.com	06-26-19	City	W	F	North	H	Radio Marketing Music Allies	

City of Asheville

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

Application Form

Applicants are strongly urged to attend several meetings of a board prior to applying

Name of board or commission: Multimodal Transportation Commission

Your name: Dennis Wencel Home Phone #: 828-355-1015

Street address: 14 Thurland Avenue City: Asheville Zip Code: 28803

Mailing address (if different): _____

Employer: Lift Marketing Group

Your position: President Office Phone #: 888-834-1123

Resident of City Asheville County Buncombe Race Caucasian* Sex M ✔ F ___ * Age 50 *

Are you a Homeowner or a Renter? * Homeowner

Residence location (check one): Central ✔ North ___ South ___ East ___ West ___

Are you aware of any potential conflicts of interest that may arise during your service on this board (i.e., property interest, business interest, etc.)? If so, please explain: NO _____. Potential conflicts of interest do not preclude appointments.

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I'm applying for the Multimodal Transportation Commission with a special interest in bike and pedestrian issues.

As a committed pedestrian and cyclist, I experience the ups and downs faced by Asheville area motorists, walkers and bikers. I routinely walk, run, bike, hike and drive around town and am encouraged by recent progress and potential future successes.

From 2009 to 2014 I was a member of the Naperville, Illinois Transportation Advisory Board where I got to actively practice the duties Asheville's MMTC requires. I served as its chairman from 2011 to 2014. All transportation issues flowed through the board including pedestrian network development, multi-use path creation, walk-to-school routes, public transportation options, accessibility components and vehicle traffic management. Naperville is a Chicago suburb of 140,000 residents and is dedicated to continued growth of its pedestrian and bicycle transportation network. During the time I served on the board, Naperville earned a variety of bike- and pedestrian-focused awards including: Bicycle Friendly Community Award from the League of American Bicyclists, Pedestrian Protection Award from AAA and the Best Practices Award/Pedestrian Gap Analysis from

Dennis R Wencel

Signature: _____

Date: 5/15/2019

E-Mail: denniswencel@gmail.com

Fax #: _____

Return to:

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E-Mail: sterwilliger@ashevillenc.gov
Telephone: 259-5839
Fax #: 259-5499

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DENNIS WENCEL

14 Thurland Ave • Asheville, NC 28803
denniswencel@gmail.com • 828-355-1015

CAREER SUMMARY

Business builder and manager. Passionate community member with focus on housing, pedestrian and bicycling issues, development and improvement. November, 2016 moved to Asheville, NC.

VOLUNTEER & COMMUNITITY PARTICIPATION

In Asheville: Rathbun House volunteer, Asheville Downtown Association volunteer, Blue Ridge Pride Festival volunteer, Asheville on Bikes volunteer, LEAF Festival volunteer

Before Moving to Asheville: Naperville, IL Transportation Advisory board chairman (2011-2014) and board member (2009-2011), DuPagePads volunteer, Green Earth Institute volunteer, America's Cup Chicago volunteer, Be A Piece of the Solution board member

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

LIFT MARKETING GROUP • *president* • 2008 – Present
Asheville-based marketing firm specializing in online marketing solutions for auto towing, roadside & repair businesses

GREEN MACHINE TOWING • *president* • 2003 – 2008
Naperville, IL-based towing & roadside assistance company

TRAVEL SABBATICAL | 2002

BLATTER BRUNNER • *account director* • 2001
Pittsburgh-based ad agency focused on integrated marketing campaigns including Glaxco SmithKline brands Tagamet, Gaviscon, Tums, Ecotrin and Zippo lighter and watch lines

BUZZ MSP, divine interVentures • *senior program manager* • 2000
Chicago-based marketing services firm for B2B Internet incubator; developed marketing strategy and programs for multiple start-ups

PEAPOD, INC. • *senior marketing manager* • 1997-2000
Chicago-based Internet online grocery shopping and delivery service; led customer acquisition efforts for multiple US markets

DRAFTFCB • *account executive* • 1994-1997
Chicago-based ad agency focused on integrated-marketing solutions for PACCAR Parts Division and Chicago Association of Pediatric AIDS

EDUCATION

BA, Diederich College of Communications, Marquette University

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Name of board or commission: Multimodal Transportation Commission

Your name: Sandy Aldridge Home Phone #: 919-264-6113

Street address: 116 Veronica Lane City: Asheville Zip Code: 28801

Mailing address (if different): _____

Employer: (Student at AB-Tech

Your position: _____ Office Phone #: _____

Resident of City Asheville County Buncombe Race W * Sex M ___ F ✓ * Age 52 *

Are you a Homeowner or a Renter? Renter

Residence location (check one): Central ____ North ✓ South ____ East ____ West ____

Are you aware of any potential conflicts of interest that may arise during your service on this board (i.e., property interest, business interest, etc.)? If so, please explain: No

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My two main areas of expertise are in the areas of transit, and bike/ped. I've been a customer using the transit system for 2 years. Along with that, I've been an Asheville City pedestrian for 7 years. In addition, I've worked with Barbara Mee, Asheville DOT, to increase the level of walkability in our city by installing more crosswalks, for increased safety. Lastly, I promise to be a very active participant for the multimodal committee.

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E-Mail: sterwilliger@ashevillenc.gov
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Signature: Sandy Aldridge

Date: 6-20-19

E-Mail: Sandykallamaldridge33@gmail.com

Fax #: _____

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Name of board or commission: Multimodal Transportation Committee

Your name: Shannon Watkins Home Phone #: 8287132955

Street address: 9 W RALEIGH RD City: ASHEVILLE Zip Code: 28803-

Mailing address (if different): same

Employer: Self-employed real estate broker

Your position: Real Estate Broker Office Phone #:

Resident of City Yes County No Race White * Sex M___ F ✔ * Age 37 *

Are you a Homeowner or a Renter? * Homeowner

Residence location (check one): Central ____ North ____ South ✔ East ✔ West ____

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Expertise: I am very organized, great at communication in both written and verbal forms, and very driven to succeed and finish projects. I am loyal and dedicated and have a strong desire to help my community. I am very aware of current events and I like to help educate others about our local, national and international events.
Education: BA from UNC-Asheville
Experience: 10 years of experience in the legal field in Asheville, including paralegal work of 3 years at Buncombe County Social Services, 3 years at the US Attorney's Office (paid internship), and 4 years in Construction Litigation at Van Winkle Law Firm and Smith Terry & Johnson.
I have been a licensed real estate broker for 9 years, 6 of the last years as a full time agent. My research experience and knowledge of software and tools would be a good asset to the commission.
Reasons for Interest: I love the City of Asheville. I am a graduate of UNC-Asheville and a local to the area. I have decided that now is the time to become more involved in local government to help make a difference. I want to help ensure that the city helps local people with transportation needs because that is a big barrier to services that they need.

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Signature: Shannon M. Watkins

Date: 6/26/2019

E-Mail: shannonmwatkins@gmail.com

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Name of board or commission: Multimodal Transportation Commission

Your name: Amy Jones Home Phone #: 8282303969

Street address: 17 Edgedale Drive City: AVL Zip Code: 28804

Mailing address (if different): _____

Employer: Music Allies

Your position: Radio Marketing Office Phone #: _____

Resident of City AVL County BUN Race W * Sex M ___ F ✔ * Age 45 *

Are you a Homeowner or a Renter? * Homeowner

Residence location (check one): Central ___ North ✔ South ___ East ___ West ___

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I have lived in Asheville for 23 years and have been a huge proponent of our natural spaces. I'm a business owner, a mother and an active community member. Mountain biking is easy to do here and a ton of fun with hundreds of miles of paths to enjoy, but cycling to town, just a few miles from my house, often treacherous. I have two teenagers now and they are cyclists too but rarely are we on bikes on Beaverdam because it's just so scary. I know this is true for lots of other neighborhoods in our city as well. If we say we are this outdoor mecca, this town of beer, art, and families and all this connection to nature why have we waited to so long to make all of this more accessible by anything but cars?

I would use this position to explore that question deeper and support ideas that work for our city to do better in this area.

Thanks for your time,

Amy Jones

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Signature: Amy Jones

Date: June 26, 2019

E-Mail: amy@musicallies.com

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