Eastrail Partners

Regional Advisory Council
Katherine Hollis and Taldi Harrison
January 31, 2020
1. Executive Director Introduction

2. Ongoing Efforts

3. EP Board of Directors and Looking Ahead

4. Questions
Meet Katherine Hollis

Virginia Creeper Trail, a rail-to-trail project in Southern VA, 1997

The Eastrail Partnership
On Going Efforts

Finalize service agreement with RAC members

Current Priorities:
- Full board of directors
- Building relationships – RAC, other stakeholders and future stakeholders
- Develop and implement financial and operational plans
- Draft organizational mission and vision
- Identify opportunities for sponsorships and partnerships
Making EP’S S Board Even Stronger

- **IDENTIFYING** and **RECRUITING** final members
  - Current membership = 17, target membership = 20-22
  - Three new board members added in December: Joan McBride, Sung Yang, John Marchione

- **EVALUATED** current board composition and identified gaps to fill
  - Demographic: more people of color
  - Geographic: more representation from Renton, Redmond, and Woodinville
  - Expertise: diversity, equity, and inclusion; financial management