

City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall 400 La Crosse Street La Crosse. WI 54601

Meeting Minutes

Bicycle-Pedestrian Advisory Committee

Tuesday, June 21, 2016

6:00 PM

3rd Floor Conference Room

Call to Order, Roll Call

Gallager CALLED TO ORDER this Meeting at 6:05 pm.

Present: 5 - Matt Gallager, Patrick Hogan, Robert Young, Jeff Fennie, Martin Gaul

Excused: 2 - Virginia Loehr, Jill Miller

1 16-0587 Approval of May 17, 2016 Minutes

Attachments: Minutes

Gaul made a motion, Young seconded, that these Minutes be APPROVED. The motion carried by voice vote.

Agenda Items:

2 Review Bicycle & Pedestrian Master Plan's Engineering Benchmarks - Gallager and Staff

Staff briefly reviewed section of benchmark spreadsheet regarding engineering.

3 Update Progress on Capital Improvement Projects

Gallager went over projects included in a resolution requesting funding in the Capital Improvement Program approved last year. The road diet on Clinton Street will not go forward this year and will need to be rebid in the winter to go ahead in 2017. The Board of Public Works approved streetscape design standards in the Spring. The rectangular rapid flashing beacon (RRFB) is ready to be installed at Pine & West. Neighborhoods requested RRFBs on Rose St., Caledonia St., Myrick Park Lane, and Campbell Rd. Gallager and staff will meet to update spreadsheet of CIP projects and available funding.

4 Introduce Bicycle Route Mapping Project Collaboration with UW-L

Jim Longhurst proposed a GIS project with UW-L professor Niti Mishra to update the La Crosse Area Bicycle Map. Longhurst and Mishra are looking for support and inclusion as a standing item on the BPAC's agenda. While trails and lanes are not up for interpretation, the BPAC may offer input on the streets marked "suitable for bicycles."

5 Discuss Monitor Street Apron and Goose Green Trail

Councilmember Johnson provided some history on the Goose Green Trail. The trail would help to split up a superblock and funding is available in 2017 for it. Planners will negotiate easements with property owners. WBF ride with the mayor July 27th will survey the site. Gallager is planning on installing road diet on Monitor Street this summer.

6 Discuss State Coordination on Neighborhood Greenways

Francis Schelfout shared scope changes on Jackson Street, including the project's extension to 23rd Street. DOT can cover expenses of treatment at 17th and Jackson. BPAC agreed that planning for the 22nd Street Neighborhood Greenway should be scheduled soon to take advantage of DOT's work there as well. Planning Dept. can do workshop, but consultant may be necessary to do do drawings. City may also hire consultant to come up with interim solutions at King and West.

Next Meeting Date/Agenda Items

Next meeting will be Tuesday, August 16th at 6pm. Agenda items may include mapping update, project funding update, and 22nd Street Neighborhood Greenway planning discussion. Remaining E's possilble to discuss include education, enforcement, or encouragement.

Adjournment

Hogan made a motion, Gaul seconded, that this Meeting be ADJOURNED at 7:36 pm. The motion was carried by a voice vote.

Notice is further given that members of other governmental bodies may be present at the above scheduled meeting to gather information about a subject over which they have decision-making responsibility.

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