

City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall 400 La Crosse Street La Crosse. WI 54601

Meeting Minutes

Bicycle-Pedestrian Advisory Committee

Tuesday, April 25, 2017 6:00 PM 3rd Floor Conference Room

Call to Order, Roll Call

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

1 <u>17-0465</u> Approval of February 21, 2017 Minutes

Attachments: Hyperlink

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

Agenda Items:

2 17-0525 Summary of survey on infrastructure re: Safe Routes to School - Loehr

<u>Attachments:</u> Combined Reports

Schools survey parents and students alternating years on modes of travel; all schools did the survey this fall. Top 3 concerns were: 1) amount of traffic; 2) safety of intersections and crossings; and 3) tie: distance, weather or climate, and speed of traffic. Intern noticed a mismatch between distance and mode of travel. Staff offered to compare plan with parent feedback.

3 <u>17-0526</u> Approval of typical section concepts for 6th St. reconstruction between

Badger and State Streets, considering options for bike & parking lanes

Attachments: Cross Section

Staff asked about trees; Gallager said there is not room for tree boxes in the boulevard, but could possible include tree boxes in curb extensions. Can't do anything about WTC's curb extensions.

Young made a motion, Gaul seconded, that the 6th Street Typical Cross Section be ENDORSED with deference to bicycle and pedestrian traffic. The motion carried by voice vote.

4 Discuss People For Bikes' Network Analysis Tool

Network analysis tool is based on OpenStreetMap. Staff requested assistance to make map of La Crosse up to date with bike infrastructure; suggested gathering to work on it together. Jim Longhurst suggested weekend of Midwest Active Transportation Conference (5/19).

5 Discuss Open Streets during Bike Fest

Staff has been working with Carolyn Dvorak on Open Streets event on Sunday, September for La Crosse Area Bicycle Festival. Proposed route goes from Cameron Park along 5th Ave. and Main St. to Burns Park.

6 Schedule Bike Boulevard Design Workshops

Current Hwy 53 Corridor Planning Process includes Avon St., so BPAC should address that soon (May); previously discussed doing 22nd St because of upcoming Jackson St. planning, so that could be next (Jul.); Farnham St. could be separate or together with 22nd St. (Jul. or Sep.). Longhurst suggested coinciding 22nd and/or Farnham Bike Blvd. planning with Holy Trinity - Longfellow Neighborhood Association meeting, 3rd Monday of the month.

7 Discuss Bike & Ped Counts

Logan High School Interact could help with counts; Longhurst and Miller could help get volunteers before 5/18.

8 Next Meeting Date/Agenda Items

Next regular meeting will be Tuesday, June 20th @ 6 pm. Agenda items may include revisiting schedule due to membership changes. Tuesday, May 23rd @ 6 pm to be Avon St. Bike Blvd. planning meeting at a location nearby, possible Logan Middle School.

Adjournment

Hogan made a motion, Young seconded, that this Meeting be ADJOURNED at 6:49 pm. The motion 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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