

REPORT OF BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

January 23, 2018 - 3:00 PM

City Conference Room, City-County Building
1515 Strongs Avenue Stevens Point, WI 54481

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bill Fehrenbach, Mike O'Meara, Trevor Roark, and Theresa Yonash

EXCUSED: Anne Rogalski

STAFF PRESENT: Kyle Kearns (Associate Planner)

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1. Call to Order
2. Persons who wish to address the committee for up to three (3) minutes on a non-agenda item*

Consideration and Possible Action on the Following:

3. Minutes and Actions from the December 6, 2017 and January 4, 2018 meetings.
4. Staff Update
5. Discuss goals and objectives for the upcoming year.
6. Schedule next meeting.
7. Adjourn.

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1. Call to Order.

Chair Trevor Roark called the meeting to order at 3:05 PM.

2. Persons who wish to address committee for up to three (3) minutes on a non-agenda item.*

Chair Trevor Roark notified the group of a new festival called Babblers Bike Fest happening on April 27. Trevor also mentioned that Cycling Without Age has two Trishaws funded, hoping for a third to be funded. Jan 31 purchase date planned.

Bill Fehrenbach mentioned that Morning Rotary planning Membership Info Night at PABS with PABS program is Feb 8 (evening).

3. Minutes and Actions from the December 6, 2017 and January 4, 2018 meetings.

Motion by Bill Fehrenbach, seconded by Michael O'Meara, to approve the minutes from the December and January meetings; Motion Carried 3-0-0.

4. Staff Update (TAP Grant, etc.)

George Acker and Kyle have talked about Isadore Street. UWSP has held preliminary meetings. Negotiations with Toole Design Group regarding TAP grant have stalled as the projected cost is over twice what was budgeted. Kyle Kearns recommend future agenda item on Isadore Street and TAP grant and invite Scott Beduhn to share information.

5. Goals and Objectives for the upcoming year.

The following goals were suggested by various BPAC members and were agreeable to all:

Educational:

- Host 3rd Annual BPAC Open House
- Educate the public on bike share in coordination with UWSP and SPIN bike share program
- Support & promote Bicycle Benefits (business memberships)

- Further progress Safe Routes to Schools in conjunction with the SP School District

Evaluation/Policy:

- Fall Bike/Ped count
- Assisted with implementation of TAP Grant project.
- Finalize bike parking ordinance
- Monitor Comprehensive Plan drafts
- Review & recommend curb ramp compliance
- Crosswalk improvements
- Recommend Playing Out program policy
- Recommend downtown corridor enhancements
- Recommend adoption of NACTO guides resolution

Encouragement:

- Promote & support Cycling Without Age program
- Collaborate for possible new winter walking venue

Engineering:

- New downtown bicycle corral
- PASER safety metric prioritization

Enforcement:

- Yield & Save Lives Campaign (crosswalk education and enforcement)

6. Schedule next meeting.

Meeting previously scheduled for February 6, 2018 at 3:00 PM.

7. Adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 4:12 PM.