HUB Burnaby Meeting Minutes-12.MAR.2019

Meeting start- 18:21

In Attendance: Cathy G., Moreno Z., David, F., Debbie R., James S., David E., Edward S.

1. Agenda:

i. Approved with amendments.

2. Meeting Minutes:

- i. February 2019 Meeting Minutes adopted with amendments.
- ii. Edits made by Cathy within February Minutes document:

 Meeting Minutes/2019/HUB Burnaby meeting minutes 2019-02-19.rtf

Motion to approve Moreno; 2nd Debbie

3. Finances:

a. Committee budget

- i. Expended since February; ~70\$ in donations remain.
- ii. New expenses will be paid through donation monies (held by Keith).
- iii. Budget renews to 400\$ on 1 April 2019.

b. Fraser Health's 2019 Vision Zero Community Grants

- i. HUB BBY applied and was successful in securing funding for 5 road safety initiatives totalling 3500\$.
- ii. Projects funded:
 - 1. Safer Intersections—Town Centre Streets; 1200\$
 - 2. Cycling Forums, 5x, Phase-II of TPU; 1000\$
 - 3. Cycling Safety and Network Analysis; 800\$
 - 4. Safer Roundabouts; 250\$
 - 5. Safer Crossings; 250\$

- iii. Funding and project delivery timeline coordinated with HUB financial year (01.APR.2019-31.MAR.2020).
- iv. MZ to administer grant.
- ⇒ MORENO to send grant application with outlines of individual projects to regular HUB BBY members.

4. Community and Campaign Updates:

- a. Gilmore (Diversion & Hwy-1 Overpass)- Design Updates
 - i. Delegation to council on 11.FEB.2019
 - ii. Staff report on design options published 20.FEB.2019; 6 design options with Option F being HUB BBY's recommendation (one-way cycle tracks on both sides of the street).
 - iii. Design options discussed at Planning & Development meeting 28.FEB.2019; P&D committee supported 'Option A- 2015 City Design'.
 - iv. Letter sent to City Council (06.MAR.2019) recommending Option F or amending Option A by adding a northbound cycle lane.
 - v. Burnaby City Council met 11.MAR.2019; council adopted P&D recommendation and approved Option A to close Gilmore cycle gap.

b. BBY Greens Family Ride

- i. Cathy's part of Executive for Burnaby Greens; suggested that a ride is a way for Greens to engage with community.
- ii. Intent is for two rides, one geared towards new cyclists and children (a more accessible ride) and another for people who regularly cycle.
- iii. Rides to be led by Cathy and other interested members.
- iv. Secondary effect to show participants and elected officials what cyclists face (poor cycling infrastructure).
- v. Ride funded through a Neighbourhood Small Grant (NSG).

 \Rightarrow CATHY to apply for an NSG to fund ride; DEBBIE to be second applicant.

c. Roundabout at Still Creek/Costco

- i. Submitted a request for roundabout's design from Moudud Hasan and Doug Louie on 19.FEB.2019.
- ii. Received response from D. Louie that Moudud is leading the project and would give HUB input upon his return from holiday (21.FEB.2019).
- iii. No further responses received as of 12.MAR.2019.
- iv. Arising from the CVG/WUT intersection discussion, the lack of block markings at the Douglas @ Still Creek crossing was raised.
- ⇒ MORENO to resubmit request for roundabout's design sheets to M. Hasan.
- ⇒ MORENO to create start letter for item 4.c.iv in Google Docs and circulate.
- ⇒ DAVID E. to write letter recommending improved intersection design: elephant's feet on eastern side of Douglas; diagonal crossing; or all-directions green for cyclists.

d. Fortis Gas Line Upgrades 2019

- i. Lougheed detour in effect due to gas line installation.
- ii. Detour signage to use foot bridge a few hundred metres east of Bainbridge.
- iii. Next phase of construction (and detour) to impact Lougheed, Holdom to Bainbridge.
- iv. Fortis planning installation of MUP along Broadway, Duthie to Arden.

5. Transportation Plan Update (TPU)

a. <u>Deidre Contact and Progress</u>

- Cathy contacted Deidre; expressed interest in HUB's evolvement with TPU Phase-II and expressed concerns that TP is being developed without consultation from HUB.
- ii. Phase-II of TPU is far behind schedule.
- iii. Deidre confirmed that staff will contact us (HUB BBY) when they're ready to engage in consultation.

6. CoB (Staff, Mayor & Council):

- a. Meetings with Councillor Keithly/Mayor Hurley
 - i. Group interested in scheduling another meeting with Mayor Hurley in near-term.
 - ii. Discussion arose of using green chalk to colour crossings at MUPs as part of a guerrilla marketing campaign to improve intersection safety and change CoB policy on non-use of colourised crossings.
- ⇒ CATHY to contact Mayor's office to schedule meeting with Mayor Hurley. Topics: Policy on use of green paint and block markings at intersections, including bylaw for legal recognition of block markings as 'cycle space'.

b. CoB Committees of Council

- i. No notice of updates or member appointments received.
- ⇒ MORENO to request update on committees of council appointments, including HUB BBY advisor seat and report to group before 3 April 2019 Traffic Safety committee meeting.

7. HUB Central:

a. RAC Report

- i. Peter not present to discuss updates.
- ii. Next RAC meeting: 21.MAR.2019

⇒ JAMES S. to attend 21 March 2019 RAC meeting to represent HUB BBY.

8. Other Business

a. BCIT Broadcast Students

- i. Cathy approached by 3 BCIT broadcast students who want to make a 30-second video as HUB BBY PSA; Cathy request idea pitch.
- ii. Unknown if HUB central must approve content or use of branding.
- iii. Students plan to hire actors as cyclist; project due 9 April.
- ⇒ CATHY to float idea of green paint/chalk at MUP intersections for PSA; secure permission to post video to HUB BBY YouTube channel.

b. Rainey's Housing & Transportation Consultation

- i. Jennifer Chutter commissioned by CoB to conduct engagement with citizens on housing issues.
- ii. Rainey will host a consultation at her home on 18.MAR.2019 at 19:00.

c. MUPs in Poor State-of-Repair

- i. Several segments of MUPs identified as in 'poor condition':
 - 1. Deer Lake Parkway, Wayburne to Willingdon
 - 2. CVG, Gilmore to Boundary
 - 3. CVG, Douglas to Winston
- ii. Desire to present to the Parks & Recreation Commission on need to improve conditions of these trail sections.
- \Rightarrow CATHY & DAVID F. to assemble and prioritise a list of path segments in a state of poor repair.
- \Rightarrow ALL MEMBERS requested to take and submit photos of poor-quality paths.

d. Letters from the Public

- i. Letters sent to HUB BBY email reviewed by Cathy, but no standardised procedure exists for responding or redressing concerns.
- ii. Group discussion converged on:
 - 1. Always responding to and thanking sender.
 - 2. Direct sender to forward message to the CoB; HUB to assist writer with CoB's contact information.
 - 3. HUB BBY should monitor letters received for topics, date, and recommended actions.
 - 4. HUB BBY should develop stock responses based on topic area.
- ⇒ Create new folders within Sharefile to store letters from the public, including subfolders with month and year. [action unassigned]
- ⇒ Develop a template response letter that can be modified as necessary. [action unassigned]
- \Rightarrow MORENO to request HUB BBY email account access.

e. Pattullo Bridge Environmental Assessment Consultation

- i. EA consultation by Province underway until 21.MAR.2019.
- ii. Send comments that support separated walking and cycling paths and use of sound barriers between roadway and paths.
- iii. Visit https://www.projects.eao.gov.bc.ca/p/pattullo-bridge-replacement

Meeting adjourned- 20:30

Next HUB BBY Meeting- 09.APR.2019, 18:15-20:15, BCIT SE12, Rm.101Q