



Attendees: Jeff (Chair), Navdeep (minutes), Matt, Greg, Kay, Chuck, Pete, Ron, Colin, Lisa, David, Daniel, Kelsey, Eric, Angie, Alpha, Stan, Tim, Dan, Lenny, Sam, Anthony, Mike, Shaun, Fiona, Clark, Jim, Enzo, Stuart, Michael

1. Introductions and welcome to new members.

2. Agenda: Approved

3. Minutes from April 2019 meeting: Approved

Key Action Items outstanding from last meeting		
1	Everyone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please use BikeMaps.org to document hazards, near misses, collisions, bike thefts. Also make sure to report infrastructure issues to 311 or the VanConnect app to have them addressed by the City. You can ask for a call back to ensure your issue has been addressed. Ongoing
2	Clark	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finalize NE Greenway assessment ride report. Done, and now approved
3	Stan and Jeff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet with City staff re next steps for Arbutus Greenway planning process. Scheduled for May 30th
4	Everyone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you come across cars stopped in bike lanes, take photo(s) and send to Jeff.

4. Announcements (see bikehub.ca – updated regularly and our wiki at <http://wiki.bikehub.ca>)

- Refer to <https://bikehub.ca/> regularly for up to date news
- HUB Bike to Work Week will be May 27th to June 2nd. Make sure to register your trips as the data we collect supports our advocacy work. BTWW posters were available for pickup at the meeting.
- HUB Bike to Shop Days will be June 1st and 2nd. We have two volunteers to lead a guided ride for the public. Route will be from Creekside Community Centre to Trout Lake Farmer’s Market to Granville Island. There are opportunities for additional volunteers to help out on the ride.

5. Updates from Working Group Leads.

- Contact Jeff (Vancouver@bikehub.ca) if you are interested in joining and/or forming a working group.

ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Updates from Working Groups		
Assessment Rides (Jeff)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment rides are reviews of existing or potential bike routes within the City of Vancouver (CoV). Reports are generated and posted on our wiki. Our reports are used to educate municipal officials and provide them with recommendations. High level of interest was expressed in another assessment ride. 	Jeff - Next assessment ride to be selected and scheduled

Park Board and Seaside South (Lisa)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the past, Park Board staff and Commissioners have focused on “bike to the park”, but not “bike IN the park”: “To, not Through” strategy. We have requested a Park Board motion clarifying this issue (Bikes to AND through). • Letter writing and public campaign launched to encourage elected commissioners to acknowledge the deficiencies in the VanPlay 25-year strategy, and to adopt To AND Through as a design principle. Media have been lined up. • See agenda item for Deep Dive topic for discussion 	All: please send your letter to Park Board Commissioners in support of cycling in parks (link in attachment, plus action letter with the link sent to all committee members)
Arbutus Greenway (Stan)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Former railway line from the Fraser River through to 1st Ave at Granville St. Easy grade through some very scenic areas with easy access to shops and services. • Planning next steps for the working group. • Will meet with the new city transportation engineer assigned to the Arbutus Greenway project. • Signals at King Edward and Arbutus Greenway are still an issue. Awaiting update from CoV. • Bike Symbol signal at SW Marine don’t appear to be properly aligned 	Stan and Jeff to meet with City staff re next steps for Arbutus Greenway planning process.
Cycling Logistics (Sam)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This working group is looking at promoting the adoption of cargo bikes for last km delivery services, focusing on enabling policies as well as infrastructure issues. • Progress report at next meeting 	
East Van Greenway (Clark)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City councilors asked staff to progress planning on a Greenway in East Vancouver. Staff are focusing on a north south link around Renfrew, initially at the north end, but in the future connecting from Burrard Inlet towards the Fraser River. • Assessment ride held; finding was that Lillooet from Hastings to the CVG is an attractive route based on grade, etc. • Report written and now approved; will be sent on to the City of Vancouver 	

6. Deep Dive Topic - Cycling and Parks (Lisa)

- Progress update on working group initiative
- Letter writing campaign
- Van Play long term parks development plan.
- West End Beaches master plan for transportation (Jeff)
- Stanley Park Cycling Plan (2012) – update and prep for meeting with PB staff to review 2019 plans
- Discussion on the next steps in the Cycling and Parks campaign

7. Consultations (Jeff)

- See the email attachment or meeting handout for a list of current consultations, links to more information, and opportunities to submit feedback.
 - o Drake St Bikeway design options. Public Open House June 18th
 - o Granville Connector – Next phase of public consultation coming soon
 - o NACTO Intersection Design Guide released
 - o BC Government Consultations active Clean BC, The BC Active Transportation Strategy, and the BC Active Transportation Design Guide (to be published in July)

8. Communications (Jeff)

- CBC Radio segment on West End Beaches master plan
- DVBIA meeting held and invitation extended to address the DVBIA Policy Council on Active Transportation in the Downtown Core

9. Board Update (Jeff)

- HUB Cycling AGM scheduled for September 14th. Applications open for Board of Director positions.

10. City of Vancouver Transportation Advisory Committee (Lisa)

- The City has announced members appointed to the new Transportation Advisory Council.

11. Regional Advisory Committee (Jeff)

- MoTI Connections Study – MoTI tool released for assessing the priority of route improvement requests
- BC Active Transportation Design Guide – BC wide design guide, consultation underway with HUB reps included, July publication release target
- BC Parkway improvements planned by Translink – consultation held with HUB on traffic management plans during construction, detours, etc
- Translink T2050 Transportation Plan and progress on the Mayor's Vision – Public engagement kicked off

12. Other Business:

- Request to follow up with CoV regarding the gravity barriers along SW Marine which are continually shifted by vehicle traffic. Multiple discussions have been held with the City. Kay has reported issues regularly via Van Connect. This topic will be addressed again in our next meeting with City Engineering staff.

Meeting adjourned at 20:00

20:00-20:30—Working Group small group connections and individual conversations etc

Next meeting: June 18, 2019, Creekside Community Centre