



HUB Langley Meeting Minutes - Mar 18, 2019

Date: Monday, Mar 18, 2019

Location: Murray Creek Room, Township of Langley Civic Facility
20338 – 65 Avenue, Langley, BC V2Y 3J1

Chair: Tony Bisig

Minutes: Mitchell Nurse

Attendees: Tony Bisig, Mitchell Nurse, Sarah Kikkert, Michelle Truong,
Stanley Yntema, Sara Hill, Angela Sosnoski.

1. Meeting called to order at 19:00.
2. Welcome and introductions.
3. Minutes of February 2019 adopted.
4. KPU EcoDays - Tony, Aaron, Michelle, and Sara attended. Tony described the overall setup and he felt it wasn't a great event. There were multiple doors so people may miss booths by exiting doors before walking through the whole event. There was less foot traffic than anticipated, however, we now have a good contact at KPU for future communication.
5. Yorkson Middle School - One of the Richard Bulpitt delegates (Julie) contacted Tony to discuss cycling related topics at Yorkson Middle School. Tony with her and the principle of the school. A Learn 2 Ride program was discussed as well as a helmet fitment activity. Funding options were discussed and they may have thought that HUB could potentially fund a program. Tony advised that we have no money for these types of activities and suggested approaching the PAC. There may also be funding from the Township for the Ride the Road program.
6. Langley Times Article - An article highlighting the work of HUB Langley has been published and linked on the Facebook page. Geraldine had originally written an 800 word article, however, it was edited down to 400 words for space.

7. Metro Vancouver Video - Metro Vancouver wanted to produce a video showcasing the Township and their cycling infrastructure (ungapthemap), however, Tony convinced them to talk about the 20/20 Infrastructure Challenge. Video will be shot on April 3rd around 210 St and 96 Ave.

8. NACTO Workshop - Everyone who attended thought it was a great workshop, but there were a lot of interjections and sidebars from people who thought things don't apply to their particular municipality. However, it is a highly recommended workshop and hopefully it will be put on again next year.

9. Social Rides - Sarah contacted "My North Langley" through their Facebook page and they immediately replied that they would certainly support any social ride through advertising it on their page. The committee discussed having an evening ride vs a weekend ride. A Family-oriented meet and greet may be the best option. One where a location is given and it is up to the individual to get there without having to organize a ride. Plan for end of April to meet at Willoughby Town Centre or a public park/playground.

10. Active Transportation Strategy - The province is putting together an Active Transportation Strategy and is seeking input by putting out questions to the public one at a time. The second question is now up.

11. HUB Langley Volunteer opportunity document - Mitch will upload the document prior to the next meeting to drive traffic to the page.

12. Carvolth Exchange meeting - Tony, Geraldine, and Mitch sat down with Paul Cordeiro, James Sun, Tammy Liu, Al Neufeld, Ramin Seifi, and Blair Whitmarsh to discuss potential improvements to Carvolth Exchange. Much of the area is on MOTI property so Township staff will contact the province to see if some of the discussion points can be actioned (such as painting the MUP and building another access ramp to the pedestrian/cycling bridge from the North). A few items seemed to be no big deal to complete and can be put on the operations schedule to have completed (including converting a gate to a bollard).

13. Subdivision and Development Servicing Bylaw meeting - Following the Carvolth Exchange meeting, Tony, Geraldine, and Mitch met with Paul Cordeiro, James Sun, and Tammy Liu to discuss the cross sections and road design in the bylaw. Mr. Cordeiro provided us with a draft of an update to the bylaw to include protected bike lanes on identified bicycle routes throughout the Township. The draft was disseminated to the committee as well as HUB Downtown for input. Mr. Cordeiro wanted us to look over it and provide any amendments within a week in order to get this to Council for approval so that all new developments would have to follow the new bylaw. Overall, this is a great step towards safe cycling infrastructure in the Township.

13. Bike to Work Week - The committee will be setting up a station at Carvolth Exchange in the afternoon to catch the end of day commuters.

14. Bike to School Week - Posters will be getting distributed to schools.

15. Meeting adjourned at 20:30.

16. Next meeting to take place on Monday, April 15th, 2019 at 19:00.