

## HUB Maple Ridge/Pitt Meadows meeting September 13, 2018

Attendance: Jenny, Ivan, Jackie

### Notes

#### Past MR/PM events

- Repair Cafe #5 - August 18, 9-2: Memorial Peace Park (with Haney Farmers Market and BIA Summer Garage Sale. Dave nor Chris were available for the bike repair station.
- August 25: Katzie Slough Bike Tour with Watershed Watch Salmon Society (Jackie). Despite the rain about 20 people participated, including Pitt Meadows Mayor John Becker, Councillor and mayoral hopeful Bill Dingwall, as well as Maple Ridge Council candidate Chris Bossley. Great feedback received.

#### Upcoming MR/PM events:

- Upcoming Repair Cafes:
  - #6 - Sept. 15, 10-2: GETI Fest, Memorial Peace Park
  - #7 - Oct. 13, 10-2: Maple Ridge Seniors Activity Centre
  - #8 - Nov. 17, 10-2: Maple Ridge Library (last one of the year)
- Sept. 15, 10 am - 2 pm: GETI Fest. No Cycle Recycle due to insufficient number of volunteers available.
- Sept. 21, noon - 6 pm: BIA's pop-up parks event 224th Street. Jackie will run bike valet.

#### Other:

- Election  
We did not submit our own question for municipal candidates to HUB HQs. Jenny suggested conducting face-to-face interviews with candidates. Further communication with committee members by e-mail to come up with questions and decide on logistics.
- Morningstar/Polygon development at Lougheed and 232nd Street.  
Very unsatisfactory outcome. The developer did not fulfill their promises to our HUB committee (bike lanes throughout the development, and ample opportunity for further feedback), despite the developer requesting, and obtaining, from our HUB committee a letter of support for the project to Mayor and Council. When we asked for update re road design from the City, we were informed that it had already been finalized. Separated bike lanes were planned along Lougheed Highway, but 232nd Street (arterial) would only get a section of bike lane on the west side (downhill), connecting from a 2 meter wide "multi-use path" (= sidewalk) from the north; on the east side (uphill) a 2 meter wide "multi-use path" (sidewalk). The new collector road connecting Lougheed and 232nd will have a 3 m wide bi-directional multi-use path on the north side, with an inconvenient crossing at a crosswalk at the roundabout halfway along the collector road where people on bikes will be required to dismount. The City made a last minute change to the design of 232nd, which will now have a 3 m wide bi-directional multi-use path on the west side extending to the intersection at Cottonwood Drive, and no cycling facilities on the east side. No changes were made to the design of the collector road. Our HUB committee has withdrawn its support from the project.
- Update Translink Major Bike Network and 2019 Cost Share Program (Communications with David Pollock) (Barry) No update.
- Hammond Bike route (Ian) No update

- Maple Ridge bike map(s) (Ian) No update
- Maple Ridge ATAC update (Dave/Kino). No update
- Pitt Meadows ATAC update (Peter J). No update

Annual allowance: \$342.11 (balance as of August 10). Cash donations: Balance \$37.30.