



HUB Langley Meeting Minutes - Jan 21, 2019

Date: Monday, Jan 21, 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, Jeff Rotin, Michelle Truong, Geraldine Jordan.

1. Meeting called to order at 19:00.
2. Welcome and introductions.
3. Minutes of November 2018 adopted.
4. Tony and Michelle were invited to Richard Bulpitt Elementary as part of a greater committee created by HASTeBC with 12 stakeholders to do a walkaround of both school property and off school property on January 18. The group saw the morning drop off routine and discussed ways to make the route safer for all users. The goal is to come up with recommendations and solutions to improve vehicle congestion around the school with the larger goal of it expanding to the rest of the Langley School District. HASTeBC will put together a report and send it to Tony.
5. Tony has made several attempts to meet with Councillor Blair Whitmarsh to give him a recommendation document regarding Carvolth Exchange and how it can be better accessed by active transportation. Tony will continue to follow up.
6. Tony met with Hirod Gill (Manager Engineering Services) from Langley City on January 18. They discussed current city projects and what is coming up. Mr. Gill was receptive to Tony and HUB's approach.

7. ecoDAYS - Tony was contacted by KPU to see if HUB Langley would be interested in participating in ecoDAYS (sustainability fair) on March 7th. The event runs from 11am - 2pm. Committee members were open to attending as it would be a good opportunity for outreach and meeting potential new members.

8. Goals for 2019 - Geraldine stated she would like to help with the writing of a newspaper article. Tony recommended including the deficiencies around cycling infrastructure in Willoughby to be highlighted as an example of what not to do in Brookwood/Fernridge. There was discussion about other advertising means other than Langley Times/Langley Advance. Look at setting up a table at Farmers Markets. Geraldine will contact David Clements at Green Beat (Langley Times) to see about writing a future article.

9. Committee Action Plan - Jeff (HUB Board member) explained the background of the committee action plan. We went through the steps and identified past successes and future goals/priorities. Some of them include:improving the connectivity between transit and biking (i.e. Carvolth), Get more members to help out with organization responsibilities.

10. There was a general discussion of having a Langley bike ride sometime in July. It will be posted on Facebook once a date is known. We all know about the successful Bike the Night and we talked about hosting a ride in Langley. Routes were discussed as were a theme/reason for the ride. Also, a sport/recreational purpose vs. a transportation/city style ride was also discussed. More follow up discussions to take place.

11. Jeff and Tony discussed how the HUB Board and staff can better help local committees. Some ideas brought forward included: better sharing of successes among the local committees. Better coordination between staff and local committees when dealing with local government.

11. Meeting adjourned at 20:30.

12. Next meeting to take place on Tuesday, Feb 19, 2019.