

MEETING MINUTES

HUB Cycling Richmond

Time: 7:00 PM Wednesday, June 24, 2015

Place: Meeting Room - Vancity Community Branch,
#130-6020 Blundell Road, Richmond

Call to Order: 7:07 PM

In attendance: Derek, Belinda, Nancy, Carlos, Stephen, Debbie, Don, Colin,
Stephen, Linda McPhail

Approval of Minutes dated May 25, 2015: Approved

Derek welcomed guest Linda McPhail, Richmond Counsellor

1. **Community Awareness**

- Update on Steveston Salmon Festival crowd control request
 - Volunteers: Don, Nancy, Rob Holland, George
- **Metro Vancouver Transportation and Transit Plebiscite**
 - There will be individual community results
 - HUB has drafted a message, no matter the outcome, based on consensus
 - Continue to work on Ungap the Map

2. **Bike Education**

- Update from Don MacArthur
 - Education of children - Richmond is putting in more money for cycle training (doubled)
 - Scout - Don has been in touch but unsure of status
 - Colin to follow up with Scout to see how to collaborate better
 - Colin suggested look ahead to finding instructors and look to private schools for support
 - Colin - suggested members look at Parent Advisory Council

3. **Bike to Work Week (last week of October)**

- Potential sponsor support by Vancity for fall BTWW in Richmond (Sanjit is the branch manager)

- Details are being worked out - Colin will look into how sponsorship works with Vancity
- City of Richmond supports the Canada Line BTWW station - Joan indicated that they were hoping the city would start and business would jump onboard to support. This has not happened
- Logistics (tent, location) - talked about Thompson Community Centre and City Hall - talked about pros and cons of each (Thompson on good intersection of two routes)
- Volunteers required
- Vancity has also asked if we could host another table here at the branch

4. **Cycling gaps and priorities**

- Ungap the Map
 - Working with municipalities, province, Translink
 - Colin displayed spreadsheet of routes, gaps, infrastructure
 - Public works and Planning Committee - Linda suggested the data be ready before fall.
- Ash Street route (Parkside Route) - Williams to Granville. Need to cross Blundell. Cycle button will be installed. Garden City park (a path has been created). City has not completed anything further at this time. City waiting to acquire some land to complete another path to complete the circuit. Derek has asked Joan to see if the City can widen the path and on Albert to put a ramp down to Albert.
- Francis will remain a pedestrian crossing light - with cycle box

5. **Richmond HUB Membership**

- Sanjit of Vancity: would like to get more of her employees involved in cycling to this branch. She has postponed this request to the end of the summer
- Linda complimented the community involvement

6. **Other Topics**

- A letter concerning Garden City bike route (Costco area). Joan replied. There is a temporary plan. It is a “mishmash of jurisdiction” - path on west side will be used as temporary diversion.
- City Bike meeting - told the talk about the Minoru project. The discussion has been delayed until October. Prior notification will be provided to HUB.
- Derek requested committee members draw out the routes they take to get to destination they need to get to

Meeting Adjourned 8:25 PM

Next Meeting: September 23, 2015 at 7 PM