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HUB Cycling - Langley Local Committee

Meeting Agenda

Date: Wednesday, June 19, 2024, 7:30 pm

Location: Online meeting

Chair: John Evanochko

Attendees: Barry Azvedo, Sarah Kikkert, Michael, Randy Killick, Michael Bennett

1. Welcome & Introductions
2. Minutes for May 15, 2024 were taken as approved since there were no comments from attendees after distribution.
3. Old business
 - a. Langley City update
 - i. Michael, Barry, and John took turns at our table at Community Day. We were located next to the bike valet at the edge of the event but noted signage directing people to the bike valet was poorly located. People who stopped by were interested in the bike valet. We had a survey with paper copies and a QR code. Results not available at meeting date. Got some good engagement on the gap map, which was on display.
 - b. Langley Township update
 - i. Bike racks are to be added at LEC after some consultation with John and Steven - 12 new U-shaped racks coming soon.
 - ii. Glover Road overpass is open. Opened without notice by MOTI therefore we were not able to capitalize on the opening.
 - iii. Motor Vehicle Act (MVA) updated June 3 and includes minimum passing distance for vulnerable road users. HUB provided a letter which Barry edited, which was forwarded to both councils and is to be provided to the school district. To request they inform their employees about the passing distance.
 - iv. MOTI meeting was postponed/cancelled. HUB had asked for feedback to requests for action. John will set up a direct meeting to follow up once he determines who is the appropriate contact at MOTI. Two items to be discussed - signage on Glover Road near Springbrook to alert drivers of the cycling lane continuing on the right, barrier on the Mufford Cres. overpass which blocks



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access to Derek Doubleday Arboretum. The blockage puts cyclists into a dangerous position and we would like it moved.

- v. Bike to School Week - Geraldine hosted at James Kennedy with her class. There was a nice article in the paper about participation. Langley committee provided some money for prizes.
- vi. Ungap the Map - we have the itemized list and ready to submit to HUB where it will get added to their Google Map. Once completed we will use it to prioritize our activities with the TOL and COL.

4. New business

- i. There is a survey currently running with the TOL regarding the complete street project for 216th Street from 88 Ave. to 96 Ave. Barry attended the recent open house. The proposal includes separated bike lanes on both sides of the road and reorienting the intersection of 96th Ave. and 216th St. which will make for a safer crossing. TOL staff would like a letter of support from the local committee.
- ii. With financial support from the local committee, John and Barry attended the Active Transportation Summit hosted by the BC Cycling Coalition and MOTI.. The event was scheduled for 2 days and included lots of informative presentations from many different organizations. It was a positive (hopeful) experience and a good networking opportunity. Expected to run every 2 years.

5. Other business

6. Roundtable discussion

- a. Michael suggested a community bike ride similar to the one recently done by the Surrey/White Rock committee. We only have Sarah with the training required to put on a group ride. She indicated she would be willing to participate as leader but not to plan this summer.
- b. Randy asked about the committee running a bike valet. We don't currently have capacity on the committee to run one.
- c. John noted he had volunteered for the Gran Fondo driving the lead vehicle. The head of the event would like to engage HUB in the family portion of the ride. Lots of participants in the family ride appeared to be from Surrey/Langley.



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- d. Barry spoke to Tammy Liu at TOL regarding the Master Transportation Plan which is going to Council on Monday. Sarah will do an agenda review email.
7. Next meeting date: Wednesday, July 17, 2024 @ 7:30pm
8. Meeting Adjourned 8:59 pm