

# Vancouver-UBC Committee Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, May 21st,, 2024 18:30-20:00

Meeting held virtually via Zoom web meeting

'	Attendees:	Anthony (co-chair), Jeff (co-chair), Tim P, Eric S, Colin S, Kevin M, Mike V, Nathan N, Quentin, Melanie C, Clark, Lisa S, Tim S, Andrew Leung, Genevieve, Sanne, Antje
		Total Attendees: (17)

Please use the Van311 app to report infrastructure issues relating to cycling on dedicated bike lanes or on other streets. Please use BikeMaps.org to document hazards, near misses, collisions, and bike thefts.

- 1. Land acknowledgement, introductions, and welcome to new members
- 2. Agenda: Approved, additional sub-item for safe parking report added
- 3. Minutes from Apr: Approved

Ke	y Action Items o	utstanding from last meeting
1	Jeff	Assessment rides planned, held, ride notes available (x2) <b>Done</b>
2	Anthony	April social ride held, May social ride planned <b>Done</b>

#### 4. Announcements

- Visit <a href="https://bikehub.ca/">https://bikehub.ca/</a>/ regularly for up-to-date news,
   <a href="https://bikehub.ca/vancouver-ubc">https://bikehub.ca/vancouver-ubc</a> for LC information
- Follow us on Mastodon <u>@HUBVancouverUBC@mstdn.ca</u>, or on Blue Sky <u>@HUBVancouverUBC.bsky.social</u>
- Adam Hawk has a new <u>petition calling on CoV staff to improve safety for cycling</u> by following through on the CoV 2017 commitments related to local street bikeways. These changes are within the existing mandate of the City Engineer.
- The BCCC Active Transportation Summit will be held, June 18-19 in New Westminster

## 5. **Upcoming Events**

• May 26th, 1pm\_social ride

# 6. VULC Groups.io

• Many people are on "special notice only", quick recap of discussions that might have been missed. Members have the option of receiving and being able to initiate discussion threads.

#### 7. Updates from Working Group Leads

- Assessment Rides Jeff/Anthony We have resumed assessment rides with two rides in East Vancouver. Ride notes are now being completed, leading to letters to the City on these routes. More details later in the meeting.
- Cycling in Parks Lisa Brief update
- Arbutus Greenway No update
- Broadway Subway- No update
- Elections No update
- East Side Crosscut Greenway No update

- Secure Bike Parking Eric Bike theft heat map with Translink bike parkade locations, VPD crime stats charts and map. Easy Park parkade map. Discussions with VPD, Easy Park, Translink. Planned discussions with BIAs relating to Bike to Shop and bike parking. More participants welcome
- Social Rides Anthony May 26th ride details

## 8. Short snippets

- **State of Cycling Update** Anthony. Discussion of various points raised in updated analysis of state of cycling 1.0 (see slides). Discussion on the SoC classification system, and the criteria used.
- West End Waterfront Plan Anthony. Discussion of torpedoing of plan, but adoption of return of 2-way motor vehicle traffic west of Denman on Beach Ave
- Concord Pacific NEFC plan update / video Anthony. See slides.
- Various infrastructure updates (Seawall, Pacific Blvd) Anthony. See slides.
- No right turn on red update Anthony. Metro Vancouver campaign not proceeding with municipalities. HUB to push individual cities.

#### 9. Assessment Rides - Jeff

- What we observed on two different assessment rides, discussion on our proposals to the City
  - Lillooet St
  - Skeena St.
  - Kerr Bikeway
  - Earles Bikeway
  - Slocan Bikeway
- See slides for more details

### 10. Consultations / City of Vancouver Updates

- No updates to consultations from April
- Upcoming consultations expected:
  - o Portside greenway (Q2/Q3)
  - Granville Street Planning (Entertainment district), Broadway Public Realm: Q2/Q3
  - o Burrard Slopes Park: Q3
  - o Kent Ave, downtown cycling network/Melville extension: Q4
- Additional details on all of these can be found in the presentation.

## 11. Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Update - Jeff

- Additional changes proposed for MVA
  - o Neighbourhood local street 30 km/h default speed limit
  - o Pedestrian Advance (LPI) crossing signal, and to include cycles in this regulation
  - o Update to mandatory helmet law

## 12. HUB Board Update - no update this month

## 13. Local Committee Correspondence

- Bike Room Access for Pacific Centre employees, EasyPark, CoV (Jeff, ongoing meetings)
- Request for meeting with PB commissioners re: Stanley Park Mobility Study

## 20:03 Meeting adjourned. Working Group discussions held in breakout rooms

Our next meeting will be June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024, and is planned to be a hybrid in-person/online.