



Surrey – White Rock Committee

Meeting Minutes

Thursday, January 19, 2023

7:30 PM to 9:00 PM

Google Meet Teleconference

Attendees and intros:	Tim Yzerman, John Evanochko (member of the Cross Canada Cycling Tour Society and Langley HUB LC), Bruce Kleeberger, John Burgess, Manjeet, Edward Dillon (joined at 7:43 pm, president of the Fraser Valley chapter of the Cross Canada Cycling Tour Society)
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Meeting started at 7:35 pm

Minutes from the last meeting approved.

Action items are bold

Post elections White Rock Delegation: Bruce and Tim attended. They had 5 minutes, then one councilor said that there are no good places to bike in White Rock, and maybe we should start teaching the kids. Tim clarified that HUB isn't teaching White Rock kids in schools, because White Rock isn't paying for it, Surrey schools get it because the City of Surrey pays for it.

Discussion about how much the program costs.

Bruce to call HUB education to find out how much it costs, how many schools have signed up for it, and how many schools could they actually serve.

Bruce has applied to do a delegation to the Surrey council like they did in White Rock.

Tim - no vision zero application was made. Surrey Engineering was at first supportive of the idea and asked for a list of projects. Surrey Engineering then said that they would like to do a bike route, but the cost was going to be way too high, so they dropped that idea. They weren't interested in applying for funding to do anything else on the list. Surrey Engineering suggested that we reach out to First Nations or to HUB to do other cycling programs.

Tim reached out to HUB education to do Adult education classes, but they want to do things at Trout Lake, because they can keep bikes there for the program.

John B connected via email with the BC Cycling Coalition to suggest they apply.

John B. suggested that we start considering projects that would fall within the 20K range to get together an application for next year. Good idea

President of the Surrey Rotary Club - they want to do a Surrey Rotary bike day. They want it to be an annual event, have also partnered with the City of Surrey. Event is open to the public. Expected participation of 50 to 200 people. May 6th.

Tim to meet with Val on Thursday Questions:

Who is paying for this?

What kind of city support do you have?

How do people sign up?

What kind of insurance do they have/who is providing it?

Are you able/willing to close roads?

Feb 20th family day ride. Barnston Island. **Bruce** will make a poster and update the waiver. **Alaina** will advertise and handle registrations.

Everyone please provide feedback on Surrey 2023 budget

2022 success form completed

2023 action planning form completed

Obj 1 - host family bike rides - aim for 2. Alaina and Bruce to lead

Obj 2 - apply for vision zero grant. John to lead others to support as needed.

Obj 3 - build the relationship with City Councillors and mayors (Surrey and White Rock).

BC Transportation Minister Lunch

Approved **Tim** to attend and use \$85 from LC budget.

84 ave feedback

Right turn lanes

Tim sent a list of locations to the City of Surrey about right turn lanes where bike lanes become a right turn lane, or shared lane that becomes a right turn lane, it's actually illegal for cyclists to right straight through, but the cycling infrastructure encourages that.

Tim to reach out to HUB to see what infrastructure looks like in other municipalities.

Planning Feedback

64 ave - **Alaina** to take photos and submit a request to bring back the bike lane for the block east of 176 St.

John E shared 36th ave in south Langley is a bike route favoured by cyclists, but not a dedicated bike route by Langley or Surrey.

Tim to touch base with Surrey to find out what the plans are for 196 street between 36 ave and 32 ave, and is it possible to put a MUP or cycle lane in on 36 ave to connect with proposed MUP from Langley from 200 st to 196 st so that MUP can connect to 192 St MUP.

Meeting finished at 9:00 PM.