HUB Vancouver/UBC Local Committee AGENDA

Date: Tues January 18, 2022

Time: 6:30-8:00pm Note: This will be a web meeting, using Zoom web conferencing. Log in and/or dial in details are as follows:

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Please join us up to 15 minutes prior to the meeting start Please enter your name so we know who you are. Please mute your phone or computer microphone when not speaking. Thanks! Please use the text chat feature to ask questions, comment, and so on. The meeting presentation will be available on our wiki <u>HERE</u> for those not logged in to the web meeting

1. **Introductions**, and new member welcome.

2. Agenda - questions on the draft agenda, and any additions to the agenda (2 min)

3. Minutes from Nov and Action Items review (3 min)

Key Action Items outstanding from last meeting			
1	Everyone	Please report infrastructure issues through the Van Connect App or to 311 or to have them addressed by the City. Ongoing	
2	Jeff	Finalize and submit Stanley Park Assessment Ride Report. Report revised; awaiting Park Board staff meeting to present	
3	Jeff	Finalize CVG Assessment Ride report. Completed, presentation pending meeting with CoV staff	
4	Philippe	Plan and hold Ontario Bikeway assessment ride – Ride held, and report being drafted	

4. Announcements (5 min):

- Refer to https://bikehub.ca/ regularly for up-to-date news
- The Van Connect smartphone app now supports reporting bike lane hazards, potholes, debris, and other issues. Please report bike lanes requiring maintenance, particularly with debris and flooding as we continue through winter.
- At the end of our regular meeting, at 8 pm, we intend to have several Zoom breakout rooms set up, for some of our working groups. Access will be direct from the main meeting, with no need to log in separately. This will be an opportunity for smaller group discussions. You can choose which breakout room to join, if any. More details will be provided in the meeting.

5. Local Committee Planning for 2022 (15 min):

- Resumption of in-person meetings still to be determined
- Election of our local committee chair planned for our February LC meeting.
- We maintain a Priority Gap List, and a Gap Map. We have updated our gap list over the past several months. We are working to combine our Gap List with the assessed cycling routes, and launch a new web application to view the gaps on a map. A prototype map can be seen <u>here</u>.
- Each year we prepare an annual action plan that lays out our Local Committee priorities. It is due by the end of March, the end of the fiscal year at HUB Cycling. We have some ideas for you to consider (see the presentation), including guest speakers you may like to hear from. Please put your thoughts in the text chat.

- 6. <u>Updates from Working Group Leads (15 minutes total)</u>. A reminder that this is to be an update for the whole committee, not a problem-solving session. Working Groups are encouraged to meet in between our monthly meetings. Use the chat box to connect with working group leaders if you would like to join them. There will also be some breakout rooms available at the end of this meeting for smaller discussions.
 - Assessment Rides Jeff/Philippe/Mike V The CVG assessment ride report was completed. Meeting planned with CoV staff to discuss incorporating our recommendations into current plans for CVG improvements. The Stanley Park Drive assessment ride report was reviewed and is being held pending a meeting with Park Board staff to present it. An assessment ride was held along the Ontario Bikeway (1st Ave to Kent Ave) Opportunities for future assessment rides, weather permitting.
 - **Cycling in Parks** Lisa (lead) Summary report issued on the engagement sessions held by Park Board staff on path options to and through Kits Beach Park. More details in the presentation. John Hendry Park Renewal Plan preliminary engagement held, more details in the presentation.
 - Arbutus Greenway Stan (lead) Progress update
 - Cargo Bikes and Freight Sam (lead) Progress update.
 - **Broadway Subway** Jeff regular notifications of construction impacts being received. Traffic Advisory Group formed by the project team and the CoV with our local committee invited to participate. The Broadway Plan process continues, with additional meetings held with planning staff and our committee, but no movement yet on including cycling infrastructure along Broadway.
 - **NE Quadrant Greenway** Clark (lead) Progress update. CoV has advised that public engagement is planned for February on the improvements to the Portside Greenway.

7. Consultations – Jeff (45 minutes)

- There have been 16 public consultations we are following that have been updated since our last meeting. Please see the attachment. Some highlights:
- <u>Bute St Greenway</u> Consultation held on a proposed Shore to Shore greenway, with new public plazas. More details in the presentation.
- <u>Kits Beach Park</u> Consultation held on <u>new path options</u>. We support the separate cycle path parallel to Cornwall from Balsam to Yew. We recommend option E from Yew to Arbutus, to provide access to key park destinations. We support a separate path along Arbutus to McNichol. We urge the Park Board to not omit section 4, as this will leave people cycling on the legacy gravel path near the beach. A proper connection is required to Ogden, and we urge the CoV to complete a protected lane along the north side of Ogden. More details in the presentation.
- John Hendry Park Renewal Plan launched. This park includes a section of the BC Parkway, a key active transportation connection. More details in the presentation.
- <u>Richards St Bikeway</u> construction has been completed, including the crossing of Pacific. New protected lanes constructed on Pacific Blvd connecting to Richards.
- <u>Smithe St Bikeway</u> construction has been completed (rapid implementation)
- Ontario improvements with vehicle diversions and realigned bike lane near completion at 16th.
 We continue to advocate for traffic diversions between 49th and 57th.
- <u>St George Rainway</u>. Design Concepts presented as part of the third round of public engagement. Preferred design concepts planned for spring 2022
- <u>Imagine West End Waterfront</u> a neighbourhood planning process covering the parks and local street network. Phase 3 public engagement sessions planned to run January to June
- <u>Chilco Water Supply Tunnel</u> A 5-year construction project is commencing, with a tunnel under Stanley Park. More details in the presentation.
- <u>10th Avenue Improvements</u> Phase 2 of the Health Precinct paths completed
- <u>Vancouver Transport Pricing</u> study underway, part of the CoV Climate Emergency Action Plan
- <u>Ontario Greenway</u> Improvements planned at 1st Ave. Requests made for traffic calming from 49th to 57th.
- Portside Greenway Improvements- public engagement planned for Feb. Greenway plan here.

8. HUB Cycling Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) – Jeff - no update this month

9. Local Committee Correspondence – Jeff

- Granville Loops (south side)
- Georgia Street

10. Board Update - Jeff - no update this month

- 11. Other Business (5 minutes) Any topics missed out when we prepared this agenda?
 - What would you like to ask about?
 - What would you like to see as Deep Dive topics for upcoming meetings?