



Attendees:	Anthony (co-chair), Jeff (co-chair), Karole, Nils, Lucy, Eric S, David F, Kevin M, Dan, Kay, Sophia, Clark, Ivan, Mike V, Cynthia, Monica Total Attendees: 16
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*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 May: Approved

Key Action Items outstanding from last meeting		
1	Jeff	Write up proposals from April 20 and May 4 Assessment rides - <b>done</b>
2	Anthony	July social ride - <b>postponed</b>

4. **Announcements**

- Visit <https://bikehub.ca/> regularly for up-to-date news, <https://bikehub.ca/vancouver-ubc> for LC information
- Follow us on Mastodon [@HUBVancouverUBC@mstdn.ca](https://mstdn.ca/@HUBVancouverUBC), or on Blue Sky [@HUBVancouverUBC.bsky.social](https://bsky.social/@HUBVancouverUBC)
- Adam Hawk has a new [petition calling on CoV staff to improve safety for cycling](#) by following through on the CoV 2017 commitments related to local street bikeways. These changes are within the existing mandate of the City Engineer.
- [Go By Bike Week](#) is coming up Sept 23 to Oct 6. Please register and log your trips to support our advocacy work
- A [Community Bike Ride and Celebration](#) is being organized by HUB Cycling (and sponsored by the CoV) at the Ross Street Gurdwara on October 5th. Volunteers are required, including ride leaders

5. **Events**

- The Musqueam Bike Rally was held Aug 15
- Bike to Shop Guided Rides were held Aug 10 and Aug 24
- Bike the Night was held Sept 14
- The HUB Cycling AGM will be held Sept 21 at 3:30 pm at 312 Main St. A President’s Ride will run from the Patterson St Station in Burnaby, to the AGM, starting at 2 pm. Registration is required for both the AGM and the 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** – Ride reports completed for two rides held in East Vancouver. No assessment rides are scheduled this month..

- **Cycling in Parks** – Jeff for Lisa - Stanley Park Mobility Study final stakeholder meeting postponed; Kits Park path construction; East Park engagement planned
- **Arbutus Greenway** - No update
- **Broadway Subway**- No update
- **Elections** - Kay - Update on reporting decisions that impact Active Transportation, municipal report card to be issued after provincial election
- **East Side Crosscut Greenway** – No update
- **Secure Bike Parking** - Eric - Update presented on activities by the working group, including data on bike parkades, discussions with Easy Park, Translink, and the CoV. Exploring how to improve the process to request bike racks on public streets. See slide presentation for more details
- **Social Rides** - Anthony - No September ride

#### 8. **Deep Dive - CoV Transportation Update to Council (July 24) - Jeff**

- A review of key points from the staff update to Council on transportation initiatives
- Information on supporting plans; mode statistics; safety hotspots; project highlights including the Granville Connector, Drake St., and Bute-Robson Plaza; and timeline for upcoming improvements.
- See the meeting presentation for additional details, and see the full CoV meeting details [here](#), and the staff presentation [here](#).

#### 9. **Consultations Updates**

- Stanley Park Mobility Study Final Stakeholder Meeting postponed to October
- Clark Drive at 10th Ave - two crashes; [our letter with recommendations](#) including signal light timing; CoV response
- 14th Ave Bikeway Improvements - Alder to Arbutus completion by Mid October; Prince Edward to Dumfries timeline TBC; Trafalgar to Arbutus will extend beyond 2027 due to signals
- Kits Park Protected Lanes construction has commenced
- East Park planning process - concept plan due this fall
- Gastown Public Spaces design workshops held. Discussion on pushback from some businesses
- Dunsmuir/Melville Street Project to extend the Dunsmuir protected lanes to Broughton at the Seawall. The CoV has clarified that the block of Dunsmuir from Hornby to Burrard will be protected. We are requesting an extension of the Hastings protected lane one block west to Nicola, to connect to Nicola/Cardero/Georgia bike routes for faster commuters, instead of directing them to the often congested Seawall path. More details in the meeting presentation.
- The CoV has launched Digital Cycling Routes with map layers showing three popular routes (Stanley Park and Downtown; False Creek to Spanish Banks; East Van). The maps are all available [here](#). Questions were raised on wayfinding signs. We support the [Translink Wayfinding Sign standards](#), and have pushed for their inclusion in both the BC Active Transportation Design Guide, and on local projects.
- Granville Connector is progressing, with the north end of the bridge now reopened and construction advancing on Neon St at the north end, and the connection to the Arbutus Greenway at the south end.
- Additional details on all of the above can be found in the presentation.

#### 10. **Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Update - Jeff - no update this month**

#### 11. **HUB Board Update - Jeff - no update this month**

## 12. Local Committee Correspondence

- 37th Ave Bikeway Improvements
- Creekside Drive access to SEnakw
- Intersection improvements on 16th Ave at Wallace St (Lord Byng School). Our letter with recommendations is [here](#).
- Traffic Signal installation is underway at Victoria and 10th
- Cycling Near Pass Incident Tracking System project (SFU Engineering students) is progressing, with a demo operating. The device detects vehicle near pass events, logs distance/location/time, and takes a photo of the vehicle involved.

## 13. Other Business

- A question was raised re the Translink development immediately west of the Canada Line Bridge. We have been involved, and the design includes protected bike lanes along Kent Ave, and a riverfront MUP

**20:05 Meeting adjourned.**

**Our next meeting will be Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024, via Zoom.**