

Maple Ridge/Pitt Meadows HUB Meeting Minutes
March 11/21 - 7:00 pm - Zoom Virtual Meeting

Attendees: Jackie Chow, Ivan Chow, Michael Nelson, Janet Dwillies, Sigrun Gilmour

Minutes of previous meeting approved

Agenda for this meeting - addition of presentation to Yennadon School

4. Old Business

4.1 **TTAC PM** - Skip

TAC MR - Skip

4.2 **20 in 20** - Maple Ridge Quick Fix List

Spread Sheet sent to City - list received back with City's comments.
Jackie would like to followup on the following matters:

1. Surface Treatment - Intersections along 128th/Abernethy MUP between 210th and 232nd - would like green paint added. Response: green paint can't be added on shared crossings. Suggest separate pedestrian and (green) bike crossing.
2. Signage - Maple Meadows Way @ Stewart Crescent - pedestrian crosswalk signs were not replaced by pedestrian/bike crossing signs. Issue reminder.
8. Signage - Intersections along Abernethy/128th between 210 and 232nd - would like bike lights. Response: City does not use bicycle signal heads. Suggest to consider changing practice to help mitigate danger to MUP users traveling in direction opposite to expectation.
9. Intersection Modification - Maple Meadows @ Stewart Crescent - replace bollards with flex posts. Response: flex posts are not the City's accepted standard. Suggest to consider making flex posts the City's accepted standard because of known danger of bollards on MUPs.
18. Signage - Laity St. and Dewdney Trunk Road - install "no right turn on red" - Does not meet the 'no right turn on red' requirement. Send relevant guidelines/examples.
25. Surface Treatment - Lougheed Hwy/216 St. Intersection n/w corner- add green paint at entrance and exit of gas station. Response: not the City's current practice. Suggest to consider making this standard practice.
26. Surface Treatment - 216 St./Donovan Ave - put green paint along 216 St. east side at Donovan. Response: not the City's current practice. Send examples to the City.

4.3 **HUB Delegation/Presentation to Council** - deferred to next month.

4.4 **Regional Greenways/Trails** - Jackie will work with Jenny to make a map to show City which trail connections we would like to see improved.

4.5 **Website** - Janet to send some pictures to Ivan.

Navdeep suggested adding:

- A paragraph stating that Ridge Meadows Local Committee operates on unceded territories of Kwantlen, Katzie and Kwikwetlem First Nations (Ivan to check what First Nations land we operate on - is it just Katzie?).
- a paragraph regarding diversity. - We agree on this.
- Suggested name change - the Committee decided on “HUB Cycling - Ridge Meadows”.

Ready to launch website.

4.6 **MOTI-Hwy 7 Widening Project** - Jeff Leigh is scheduled to have a brief meeting with Minister of State for Infrastructure Bowinn Ma, hopefully to be followed by another meeting which should include local HUB committee members.

4.7 **Action Plan for 2021** - Picked 3 Objectives as noted in the Plan to be submitted.

Add the following to the 3 Objectives:

- Make joining HUB more prevalent on the website - Ivan suggests that people can join on different levels - not necessary to participate in all meetings.
- Team Building - organize a ride and picnic or pizza meeting.
- Organize meetings with other groups.
- Each of us to collect names to add to our mailchimp list.
- Suggest to HUB HQs to prepare letter for bike shops to hand out to new e-bike owners to encourage safe use and proper etiquette on trails.

4.8 **Maple Ridge Bike Map and TransLink Map** - Committee has 240 Maps - Bike shops got 80 maps. Jackie to drop off maps to Sigrun to hand out.

4.9 **Kay Teschke Presentation to City Engineering** - Cycling safety researcher Kay is willing to give a lunchtime presentation to the City. Date has yet to be determined.

4.10 **Earth Day** - Our suggested routes have been incorporated into the Earth Day website.

4.11 **Motherload** - Jackie had meeting with Kirk of Maple Ridge Climate Hub:

- screening will be available online at people’s convenience any time May 28 - May 30 preceding Bike to Work Week (May 31 to June 4).
- possible Panel Discussion May 31 - Peter and Jenny possible panel members?
- Considering professionally made short introductory videos (Christina Waschko), pending grant funding, also to be used for Maple Ridge Climate Hub's and our local committee's websites.

- Advertise via Social Media.

5. **New Business**

5.1 Presentation by Ivan to Yennadon Active School Transport, subcommittee of PAC.

- Overwhelming concerns for traffic congestion and safety.
- City aware of this and will work on this in the future
- Ongoing.

6. **Financial Report** - Jackie paid LC's share of the Motherload screening to Maple Ridge Climate Hub (\$165, the remainder of our 2020-2021 annual allowance) and submitted our expense claim for the year.