

Ypsilanti Non-Motorized Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
Thursday, June 1, 2017

1. Call to order – The meeting was brought to order at 7:10pm, June 1, 2017 at the Ypsilanti District Library, 229 West Michigan Avenue. Committee members attending were Tony Bedogne, Martha Cleary Cathie Kinzel, Bob Krzewinski and Sarah Walsh.
2. Introductions
 - a. Audience participation/public input – None.
3. General business
 - a. Agenda approval – A motion was made by Sarah, seconded by Tony, to accept the agenda, passing unanimously.
 - b. Approval of May meeting minutes - A motion was made by Martha, seconded by Sarah, to approve the May meeting minutes, passing unanimously.
4. Old & continuing business
 - a. 2017 Committee priorities
 - Bike lanes – Complete bike lane on Forest and extend the West Cross bike lane from Wallace Street to the western City limit – Bike lane on Forest between Prospect and Norris should be painted soon. No update on West Cross.
 - I-94/Huron non-motorized improvements – No new updates.
 - Border To Border (B2B) Trail – Trail re-route through Riverside Park & Water Street, Ypsilanti Trail completion master plan – Additional B2B directional signs have been delivered to City Public Services and EMU for placement. Also B2B directional pavement markings have been painted on EMU B2B segments.
 - Walk Friendly & Bike Friendly Community applications submitted – WFC deadline June 15 – BFC deadline August 17 – Once the WFC application has been submitted, work will resume on the BFC application.
 - Pedestrian safety signage (including radar speed readout signs) – No new updates.
 - Sidewalks - Washtenaw Avenue – Fill gaps and bring up to standards sidewalks on both sides of the road from Oakwood Street to Hewitt Road – No new updates.
 - Accessibility in City parks – No new updates.
 - b. City Non-Motorized Plan Update – June 28th public input session – Depot Town Freighthouse – 7pm – The Freighthouse Café area has been reserved. Tony will have a PowerPoint presentation on the Plan. Martha will contact to the DDA about attending and Bob will contact the Mayor and Washtenaw County Parks & Recreation Commission about attending with B2B Trail updates/input. Also it may be good to have the Washtenaw Area Transportation Study (WATS) staff attend. There will be a short meeting on June 14th at the Parish House at 7pm to further plan the events and agenda for the June 28th session.
 - c. Traffic calming – Depot Town, Congress Street – Stop for pedestrians signs are back up on Congress by the Rutherford Pool.
 - d. MDOT improvements (pedestrian signage-curb cuts) – Tony gave an update of Planning Commission actions at the May Commission meeting on a resolution from the Commission to City Council recommending MDOT actions.
 - e. Bike Bus Walk Week report (May 14-20) – Bob gave a report on activities.
5. New Business
 - a. Planning Department update – No new updates.
6. Work Session – Walk Friendly Community application – A work session was held on completing the application.
7. Other Items – Announcements – The Ypsi Bike Co-Op is having regular bike repair sessions from 9am to 1pm at the Saturday Depot Town Farmers Markets.
8. Adjournment - A motion was made by Tony, seconded by Sarah, to adjourn the meeting, passing unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 8:45pm with the next meeting being Thursday, July 6, at the downtown Library.