



City of Columbia, Missouri

Meeting Minutes

Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission

Wednesday, June 21, 2017
7:00 PM

City Hall Conference
Room 1B, 701 East
Broadway

I. CALL TO ORDER

Staff: Mitch Skov, Janet Godon, Leah Christian

Guests: Richard Stone (Lead Traffic Engineer for Columbia Public Works)

The meeting was called to order by: Acting Chair Boyd at 7:05pm

Present: 6 - Elke Boyd, Dan Harder, Lawrence Simonson, Janet Godon, Karin Loftin and Ann Marie Gortmaker

Absent: 4 - Gregory Ahrens, Cathryn Jost, Jason Patrie and Arthur Pollard

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

No amendments to the agenda were made

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Draft BPC Minutes

Attachments: [DRAFT BPC Minutes 4-19-2017](#)

Loftin moved to accept minutes, Gortmaker seconded. Passed unanimously.

IV. STAFF/COMMISSION REPORTS

A. Staff report/information - Mitch Skov, Leah Christian

Christian: There is an Active Transportation Summit on August 11 in Jefferson City. They are still looking for speakers

B. GetAbout Columbia - Staff

Godon: Shared the new GetAbout Bike Map.
Parks and Recreation did not get the grant they applied for to have the Trail Guide maps printed and translated into Spanish.

Parks and Recreation did not get the Hominy Creek trailhead grant near St. Charles Rd. that they applied for.

V. OLD BUSINESS

A. Route 763/Rangeline-Creasy Springs/Business Loop roundabouts – discussion

Stone: Discussed with MoDOT the concern the commission has had that the roundabouts are not bicycle friendly. On 763/Rangeline roundabout there is room to get a bicycle lane through the straight portion of the intersection but there are concerns with motorists ignoring the bike lane. Discussed that curb lines may need to be changed to accommodate people on bikes. Discussed concern for the lack of sidewalk on the south bound lane. No action taken at this time.

B. Disabilities Commission Update

Gortmaker will be looking to organize a guided tour of roundabouts by bike/foot to discuss safety treatments.

Stone mentioned that there are four intersections that will be receiving audible cross signals as soon as staff can get to them.

Disabilities Commission was given a demonstration on PedNet's new wheelchair bike and they're excited to see it in use.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. Letter of support for Vision Zero implementation plan, etc.

Simonson ask if the commission would be in favor of a letter of support to Council. Loftin moved to proceed with writing a letter in draft format and to bring the letter to the July meeting for approval. Gortmaker seconded. Passed unanimously.

VII. GENERAL COMMENTS BY PUBLIC, MEMBERS AND STAFF

None

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Loftin and seconded by Simonson. Motion passed. Meeting Adjourned at 8:22pm

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