

Bath Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee

Minutes: September 18, 2013

Present: Robert Mc Chesney, Steve Balboni, Peter Owen, Sharon Wilbraham, Perian Moore, Kevin Shute, John Swenson, Colleen Fuller, Tink Mitchell

Meeting called to order at 3:00pm

Agenda Issue	Discussion	Actions
July 17th, 2013 minutes	Minutes of previous meeting were approved.	Minutes Accepted
Chairperson's Report	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. New Member, Travis Wolfel, will join the committee at the October meeting 2. Bike Racks- Go with existing design. Place racks at Brackett's and Customs House. Perian suggested getting approval from CH Board. 3. Bike Report Re-Draft. - Robert suggested that we form a committee to review the plan and update as need. 4. Agreed to seek Walk Friendly Community Designation. Currently have Bike Friendly designation. Seemed logical to seek WFC. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Tink will speak with Max Dawson about racks at CH 3. Robert, Sharon, Kevin and Andrew will re draft plan. 4. Perian will pursue WFC status after first of the year.

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Anchor Fair	<p>The ANCHOR (Activity, Nutrition, Community, Health, Outdoor, Relaxation) Fair will be held Saturday, September 28th from 9am-1pm @Bath Freight Shed. Sponsored by Bath Bike/Ped, Main Street Bath, ACCESS Health and the ACE Team.</p> <p>Activities include Story Book walk, guided bike tours, hikes, walks, YOGA, and much, much more.</p> <p>Budget= \$100 Transportation; \$125 Newspaper Ad;\$100 Food; \$100 T-shirts \$100 Signs.</p> <p>Event happens Rain Or Shine!</p>	Committee meets again at the end of the week.
Citizen Involvement Day	CID is Saturday, October 12th 10am -1pm. Robert is looking for volunteers to help cover the display. We will have handouts available and maybe an information sheet in support of a bond for matching DOT Funds for High St. renovations. Materials from Bike Coalition will be available.	
Active Living Survey	Robert handed out a draft of a survey similar to one used in Freeport. The survey is intended to assist the Bike/Ped Committee revise our plan	Read draft and respond to Robert with suggestions
Ex officio reports	Tink is still working on securing a "litter" for use in emergency evacuations in places such as the Whiskeag Trail.	Tink is on it!

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ACE TEAM Meeting	<p>Bike/ Ped and Bath Trails meeting with Jennifer Gunderman-King from Active Community Environments. The program is moving into its 3 year of a 5 year grant. New communities coming on board in the mid coast are Camden and Belfast.</p> <p>Jennifer presented us with a beautiful certificate acknowledging participation , a hand book and soon we will receive 7 posters. AThe posters should arrive in time for the ANCHOR Fair.</p> <p>We are invited to submit and application for a walkability audit, conducted by Dan (?). Only ACE teams may apply and two grants will be awarded. Only two teams Bath and Belfast are eligible so we have a really decent shot at the grant. Recipients must contribute \$500 - \$1000 but it maybe inkind.</p> <p>The Active Community Conference will move from Statewide to several regional conference this year.</p>	
Next Meeting	Wednesday, October 16 th , 3pm @ Bath Parks and Recreation Building	