



Minutes

of the Provincetown Bicycle Committee's **Regular Meeting** on **Thursday, October 10, 2019 at 2:00 PM** at the Maushope Community Room, 44 Harry Kemp Way, Provincetown.

Present: Rik Ahlberg, Roger Chauvette, Andrew Kinder, Tracy Kachtick-Anders

Absent: Max Cliggott-Perlt, Karen Cappotto

Staff: None

Public: None

1. Rik called the meeting to order t 2 PM
2. Public Statements - None
3. New Business:
 - a. PeopleForBikes Annual Bike Survey (flyer attached): <http://bikept.org/survey2019>
 - i. Rik said we need to get at least 50 responses to the survey for the results to be used by People for Bikes in next year's City Ratings. He said there have been about 170 clicks through to the survey, but there's no way to tell if the survey was completed.
4. Committee Business
 - a. Committee Membership – Discussed the process for appointment renewals and that part-time residents are eligible for the open alternate position
 - b. Approve minutes - None
 - c. Traffic Hearing Requests (attached). Discussed the proposals that will go before the Select Board on November 4. Rik said he will present and would welcome anyone else to join in if they haven't experienced a traffic hearing yet.
5. Project Updates
 - a. Accessible bicycle program & bike storage (Tracy) – Tracy said the storage unit she had hoped to get is no longer available but the DPW is willing to locate a container at their facility for winter storage. Rik received notice that the Better Bike Share grants are open for proposals and we may want to try again this season. (link: <http://bikept.org/bbs-grants>)
 - b. Tags for trees – Tracy said she will have the new “no bikes on trees” tags for the next meeting
 - c. Outer Cape Bike Master Plan implementation
 - i. Discussed the Cape Cod Commission Route 6 bike lane study report (attached) and the recent articles in the Provincetown Independent on the Wellfleet DCR trail extension project.
 - d. Bike Racks & Repair Stations (Rik) <http://bikept.org/map>
 - i. Request for air pump at East End playground – Andrew suggested installing a full repair station if the budget will allow for it. Everyone in attendance agreed. Rik said he will get quote for both so we can order at the MAPC discount price if we buy it before the end of this calendar year.

- ii. Roger suggested meeting w Far Land about suggested bike racks for in front of their store. Rik said he will send previous recommendations along via email.
 - iii. Rik said Cass Benson from Harbor Lounge had been in touch asking where we get the silver inverted-U racks. He said he pointed her to the Saris web site and suggested she apply for the bike rack grant program if the racks will be available for public use (grant program: <https://bikeprovincetown.org/bikerackgrant>)
 - iv. Roger suggested we consider finding an alternative bike parking scheme for Joe Coffee / Curaleaf.
 - e. [Shank Painter Rd. planning process](#) (Steve) – No update
 - f. Conwell Street bike lanes & sidewalk (Steve) – No update
6. Upcoming Schedule (see calendar: <https://bikept.org/calendar>)
- a. **Next regular meeting:** Thursday, November 14, 2 PM @ Maushope Common Room, 44 Harry Kemp Way
 - b. **Traffic Hearing:** Monday, November 4, 5 PM in the Judge Welsh Room at Town Hall
 - c. **Light Bright Bike Ride:** Tuesday, December 31, 4:30 PM @ Library
7. Closing Member Statements:
- a. Andrew said he will not be able to attend the November committee meeting.
 - b. Rik asked if anyone would like a Light Bright Bike Ride tee. Roger said he would like a long sleeve in size XL.
8. Adjourn – Andrew moved to adjourn; Tracy seconded. Adjourned at 2:40 PM.

Rik Ahlberg, Chair

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