

BICYCLE COMMITTEE MINUTES

DEC. 5, 2012

PRESENT: Candace Nagle, Mike Peregon, Bill Meadows, Roger Chauvette
ABSENT: Jeff Epstein (excused), Maryann Powers (unexcused)

No public comments

LETTER TO SELECTMEN:

Ambiguous as to what to do next. Look to David Gardner for guidance. Are we on the spring traffic hearing agenda? What should we do to prepare?

Dom (parking dept) is conducting a parking assessment. He is going out at different times during the week to record the number of parking spaces used and vacant. He is also checking whether or not cars using spaces have permits, and if so he is correlating them to the owners home address to see if they are local.

Bill Meadows presented the final draft of the letter of response to the selectmen. Mike Peregon moved to send the final draft to the Board of Selectmen. Motion passed 4-0-1.

BIKE RACKS: TOWN PROPERTY

Bicycle Committee directed the town to use Bicycle Committee budget for the upcoming purchase of bike racks. The VSB money will be used last as it can carry over from one fiscal year to another.

The area where people leave kayaks near the First Landing Park will likely be used to park an amphibious vehicle to be used for emergencies along the breakwater. Our proposed bicycle rack there can still be placed as we can move it to another location later if needed.

ABANDONED BICYCLE POLICY

Mike Peregon presented a first draft of an abandoned bicycle policy allowing the town to remove bicycles left on town racks. Language about what to do with bikes removed was changed from "sold at auction" to "sold, recycled or destroyed." Mike would have David Gardner look it over. Could also check with Daniel or Clay to see if Seashore has similar policy. Mike will work on another draft for next meeting.

MINUTES APPROVED FOR NOV 14, 2012 4-0-1

FUTURE MEETINGS:

Monday, Dec. 17, 2012 at 1:00 pm
Wednesday, Jan. 9, 2013 at 1:00 pm
Bill Meadows out of town Jan 16-29

Meeting adjourned 2:40 pm

Respectfully submitted, Bill Meadows