



Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee

Wednesday, April 24, 2019

At 3:00 PM

at 2 Fairgrounds Road Conference Room, 2 Fairgrounds Road, Nantucket, MA 02554

DRAFT MINUTES

Members Present: Jason Bridges (Chair), Ian Golding (Vice-Chair), Matt Fee (left at 4PM), Harvey Young, Rachel Hobart (Arrived 3:10PM)

Members Absent: Kevin Marshall, Dave Fredericks

Staff Present: Mike Burns, Rob McNeil

Others Present: None

I. Call to Order

- The Chair called meeting to order at 3:02PM

II. Establishment of Quorum

- The Chair declared a quorum present

III. Approval of Agenda

- The agenda was approved by consent.

IV. Public Comment

- None

V. Action / Discussion Items

a. 2020 Long Range Transportation Plan – Proposed bike and pedestrian Improvements

-Mike B described the LRTP projects and asked for comments of the next two meetings.

b. Annual Town Meeting Citizen Bicycle Right of Way Warrant Article

-Harvey Y suggested that for this summer BPAC try to pick a few locations for stop sign removal.

-Matt F agreed.

-Jason B will try to identify five locations for sign removal as a short term stop and then do a study of bike activity locations, path grades and contours, and crashes to identify a trend and other potential locations to address.

-There was consensus to delegate the follow projects:

- Harvey Y and Ian G – identify top locations to remove bike path stop signs.
- Jason B and Rachel H – develop scope for mapping bike activity, field conditions, and crash locations.
- Ian G and Jason B and Kevin M – review bicycle right of way laws

c. On-going Projects:

1. Downtown Sidewalks – Rob M described an approach to establish a work group of historic and accessibility stakeholders to review the sidewalk improvements based on level of historic priority, which would need approval by the Select Board. He mentioned that the Washington St sidewalk will be repaired soon.
2. Intown Bike Path – no discussion
3. Pleasant Street – Mike B suggested BPAC could help with development of an alternatives analysis. Jason B suggested a site visit.
4. Sparks Ave – Mike B mentioned that a MassDOT Complete Streets grant would be applied for by a May 1 deadline.
5. Wauwinet Rd – no discussion.
6. Tom Nevers – no discussion.

VI. Other Business

- There was no other business.

VII. Approval of Minutes

- There were no minutes to accept

VIII. Adjournment

-The meeting was adjourned at 4:08PM

Submitted by:
Mike Burns