

Manchester Bicycle Pedestrian Committee

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: May 6, 2020

Location: <https://join.startmeeting.com/communications2>

In Attendance: Al Centner, Chair, Aileen O'Rourke, Sue Centner, Amy Coleman, Parker Harrison, and Terry Cowman, Clerk

Not in Attendance: Kurt Svetaka, Freddy Cicerchia

Meeting called to order at 7:05 PM

- 1) Minutes from 5/6/20 meeting discussed and approved
- 2) Review of key projects
 - a. Reviewed 2020 Objectives
 - i. Complete streets – next round of projects
 1. Committee to review previous community lists for selection of priorities to endorse
 2. Invite update from DPW on implementation of remaining projects
 - ii. Safe Routes to School program integration
 1. Spring safety presentation on hold
 2. Provided additional online safety materials to Middle School
 3. MBPC nominated for Community Award on June 8
 - iii. Crosswalk safety
 1. Status of downtown projects updated
 2. Review and revise 2015 recommendations to BOS
 - iv. Sidewalk safety
 1. Review DPW's list of sidewalk priorities
 2. Issue thanks to State for sidewalk work on Rt. 127
 - v. Comprehensive Bike Plan - Deferred to next meeting
 - b. Coordination/updates with DIP and Open Space Committees
 - i. No report from DIP
 - ii. OSC – move forward with Hooper Grant application - bike racks at trail heads and mapping of access points, parks, bike stores, benches, etc.
 - c. Bike Festival
 - i. Parks and Recreation events on hold
 - ii. Hooper Fund application – see Open Space coordination above
 - iii. Coordination with Kids' PMC – still on for September, continue discussion
- 3) Updates on community, town committees, government issues related to our agenda
 - a. Discussion of ways town can encourage and support biking and walking as current virus restrictions ease
 - b. Reviewed Chief Fitzgerald's current enforcement plans, application for summer grant, and transfer of SRO to some traffic enforcement
- 4) Set next meeting for June 3, 7:00PM <https://join.startmeeting.com/communications2>

Meeting adjourned at 8:13 PM

Submitted by:

Terry Cowman, Clerk, Manchester Bicycle Pedestrian Committee

Approved by Vote of Committee 6/3/20