Sandwich Bikeways & Pedestrian Committee

Date: February 14, 2022  
Time: 6:30 PM  
Address: Sand Hill Community Center, Dewey Ave., Sandwich MA, 02537

Present: Committee Chair: Sean Polay  
Committee Members: Brian Hallas, Daryl Crossman, Peter Marancik, Linda Shelburne, Josh McGuire, John Scott (alternate)  
Town Officials: Paul Tilton, Sam Jensen, Charlie Holden  
Public: Scott McGuire, Mike Morrison (Ride Away Adventures)

Meeting called to order by Polay: 6:31 p.m.

APPROVAL OF PRIOR MEETING MINUTES
- December 13 minutes approved unanimously via voice vote.  
- January 10 minutes approved unanimously via voice vote, one abstention

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND OPEN DISCUSSION
- None

CAPE COD CANAL-SERVICE ROAD CONNECTION FEASIBILITY STUDY
- Polay summarized results of feasibility study survey and comments.  
- Discussion of the comments and potential routes included in the feasibility study.  
- VHB has reached out to state departments re. potential routes within the fish hatchery and Shawme Crowell state forest.

SERVICE ROAD SHARED-USE PATH (SUP) UPDATE
- Tilton: moving towards 100% design. VHB is working with Mass DOT on regular basis and still on schedule.  
- Crossman: Wants to go on record that he supports the concept but still does not support the current design because it does not include crosswalks for each street, and he would like further work done to address that.

SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL UPDATE
- Hallas: working on possible bike rodeo event late April or early May. Has reached out to groups that assisted with previous events including St. Johns Church and Barnstable Sheriff's Office. Safe Routes to School has a curriculum for a bike rodeo that could be used.

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MAPLE SWAMP TRAIL WORK UPDATE AND NEXT STEPS

- Polay: Picnic area at parking lot is on track but State is now concerned that bringing in fill for the skills area at parking lot may not qualify as passive recreational use.
- NEMBA is still working with the Town on adding trails to the network.
- Marancik: options for pump track are still being evaluated, NEMBA and Cape Cod BMX, option in Hyannis is being explored but still interest in identifying a site in Sandwich.

TOWN HALL PEDESTRIAN ACCESS UPDATE

- Jensen: work is paused for the winter.

QUAKER MEETING HOUSE/COTUIT ROAD UPDATE

- Jensen: town is discussing with contractor Stantec possible improvements that would include signal and physical changes at the QMH/Cotuit Rd. intersection.

NEW BUSINESS

- none.

Next meeting: March 14, 2022, 6:30pm, Sand Hill Community Center.
Adjourn: 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by John Scott
Date Approved: March 14, 2022