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Sandwich Bikeways & Pedestrian Committee

Date: Mar. 8, 2021
Time: 6:30 PM
Address: Virtual Meeting Via Zoom

Present: Committee Chair: Sean Polay
Committee Members: Daryl Crossman, John Scott, Peter Marancik, Linda Shelburne, Bryan Hallas, Joshua McGuire,
Town Officials: Ralph Vitacco, Paul Tilton, Sam Jensen, Charles Holden
Public: Bill Boles (Cape Cod NEMBA)

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

PRIOR MEETING MINUTES

- Feb. 8 minutes approved unanimously via roll call vote.

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

- Renewal for Polay and Crossman committee positions were approved by Board of Selectman and they have been sworn in. Motion and vote for Sean Polay to serve as new Committee Chair, approved via roll call vote, unanimously (with Polay abstaining).
- For outstanding alternate committee positions Polay will check new talent forms, Mike Dube formerly Cape Cod NEMBA may also be interested.

PUBLIC COMMENTS & OPEN DISCUSSION

- None.

SERVICE ROAD SHARED-USE PATH UPDATE

- Jensen: Mass DOT and VHB are reviewing public comments on the 25% design, next step is securing all right-of-way and working towards 75% design.
- Tilton: Right-of-way process could require some land takings, at Rt. 6/QMHR interchange and at Sandwich Hollows, and process could delay the project somewhat. Delays could also result if public comments result in design changes.

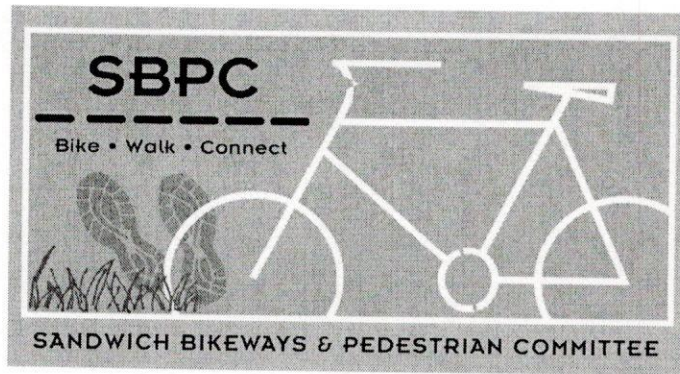
QUAKER MEETING HOUSE/COTUIT ROAD UPDATE

- Jensen: no word yet on Complete Streets grant.

TOWN HALL ACCESS

- Polay asked Tilton if Town can arrange with Mass DOT a walk through with Committee of the Rt. 6A/Tupper Rd. intersection to evaluate pedestrian and bike access and turn lanes, possibly for a future meeting. Tilton indicated he will reach out to DOT.





MAPLE SWAMP UPDATE

- Polay attended NEMBA meeting and no updates from that meeting.
- Bill Boles confirmed no updates, next step is walk through with Town Natural Resources Dept, expressed concern that as summer approaches volunteers lined up to complete the deck project will get busy and may not be available.
- Marancik will contact Dave DeConto re. scheduling the walk through.

OTHER TOPICS

- Polay and Boles: Town Rec. Dept. plans to continue the afterschool mountain bike program again this year. Expect to begin late April/early May with 2 days scheduled each at Oak Ridge School, Shawme Crowell State Forest, and West Barnstable Conservation lands.
- Jensen: Town submitted Shared Streets grant application to Mass DOT for cross walk on QMHR near skate park and short segment of sidewalk between skate park and Center for Active Living. If awarded the work will need to be completed by end of May.

Next meeting: April 12, 2021, 6:30pm.

Adjourn: 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by John Scott

Date Approved: April 12, 2021