

# **Springfield Bicycle Advisory Council**

## **Meeting Minutes**

January 11, 2021

Call to Order. The meeting was called to order at 4:30 PM by Chair Ted Sunder.

Roll Call. Members Present: Mike Klemens, Tom Clark, Ted Sunder, Cynthia Thomas, Ben Long, Taylor Sutton, Michael Higgins, Loren Easter. Visitors: Bonnie Drew, Steven Simpson-Black.

Public Comment. None.

### Approval of Agenda

The Agenda was approved.

### Approval of Meeting Minutes

The December minutes were approved.

Bike Park. Loren Easter reported that he was seeking CWLP permission to move forward with work on the Lick Creek trail system. He noted that these off-road trails link to the paved trails system, as recommended under Bicycle Friendly Community. Loren said that the proposed developer for a Legacy Point Sports Complex had included bike parks in its past projects. He will follow up on this possibility with Asst. Mayor Bonnie Drew.

Bike Facility Enhancements. Ben Cole advised that Traffic Engineer TJ Heavisides said that there were no new street projects to report, beyond those discussed prior. Visitor Steven Simpson-Black shared ideas about road diets from the transit perspective, such as taking the 4th lane of an 8-lane street for a bike/bus lane.

Bike Tourism. No report.

Adult Education. No report.

Bicycle Youth Education. No report.

Bike Club Involvement. Ted Sunder reported that Springfield Bicycle Club is brainstorming about ways they might promote bicycling in the spring through community events and other activities.

Old Business. Ted Sunder advised that the Bill Donels Memorial Fund currently has \$400 in hand.

New Business. No new business.

### Adjournment

The Council meeting was adjourned at 5:30 PM. The next BAC meeting will be held on Monday, February 8 at 4:30 PM by Zoom, unless the group agrees to an in-person meeting.

Submitted by Tom Clark, Secretary