

BikeBrampton Meeting Minutes

Wednesday May 15, 2024 – 6:30pm – 8:00 pm Virtual Meeting

Attendees: Dayle Laing, David Laing, Barry Lavallee, Wayne Noble, Heidi Berki, George Shepperdley, Lisa Stokes, Steve Laidlaw, Sonia Maset, Cindy Evans, Alina Grzejszczak, Jonathan Wells, Michael T, Enzo, Tracy, Meghan

Meeting started: 6:33pm

Review & approve minutes from last meeting

Indigenous Land Acknowledgment

[April Meeting Minutes](#) - Steve moved to approve. Passed

Brampton City ATAC Update

1. Bike Basics for Kids Courses

- Dayle reported on the issues the city was having in filling up these courses. Part of the problem was in errors on the City's registration site which have now been corrected. Cindy reported she was taking her grandson to the Saturday course.

2. ATAC Update – Discussion about the need for an AT Infrastructure Governance & Planning Framework to help address Council concerns about the implementation of the ATMP and the lack of knowledge some Councillors have about the Highway traffic act in relation to cycling.

Lisa believes there is a need to delegate to Council when the ATAC minutes are reviewed. She is working on a presentation which will be longer than 5 minutes. She will separate into three separate presentations.

Discussion on what should be included in each presentation.

Discussion about lack of planning process related to how changes will be made to ATMP and how to prevent individual Councillors from removing cycling infrastructure within their wards.

Discussion about Inspire Boulevard as an example of how Road Operations makes "on the fly" changes as a result of resident or business complaints.

Discussion about how School Crossing Guards regularly park in the bike lanes.

Actions: Lisa, David, Dayle to divide Lisa's presentation into three parts, Governance, Equity and Plans and prepare Council delegation.

David to send note to Violet Skirten about school crossing guards and the

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bike lane parking issue.

David to raise the Inspire Boulevard issue with Nelson Cadete and follow up with Commissioner Ganesh from previous meeting regarding planning process integrity.

- 3. BikeFest Update** – Discussion about bike rodeo, Alina to arrange, Sonia to assist.
 - 4. Community Rides** – Lisa reported the first ride will happen on Sunday May 26th.
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Regional Update

- 1. Different Spokes** – will be open Saturdays 11-2 & 3-6
There is a need for donated bikes preferably adult size
Workshops will be held on Thursdays
 - 2. Regional Crossrides** – Lisa reported she is making progress working with regional staff on Bovaird crossride timing to synchronize with auto traffic during rush hour. Dummy plates have been installed on some of the buttons. Meeting with Kevin Minaker will be scheduled in September.
 - 3. Bike the Creek**– Dayle provided an update on event organization. Current registrations are over 1,100, which is higher than at this time last year.
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Caledon Update

- 1.** Wayne reported big 2 public meetings on the Caledon Rail Trail went well. There have been meetings with landowners and other stakeholders. Lura consulting has done a good job in keeping naysayers in check and maintaining respectful decorum.
 - 2.** ATMP is being presented to Council June 4th
 - 3.** bike lanes approved on Centreville Creek Rd. from Mayfield to Castlederg Side Rd.
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4. Murals on Caledon Trailway at Cardwell Junction will be formally unveiled June 21st with representatives from the book committee, Town and Province. Plan is to replace some trail gates each year along the Caledon Trailway.
5. Book committee has also funded an additional bike repair stand. 12 stands have now been installed along the trail.
6. Tracks at Inglewood have been removed
7. George will be delegating to Town Council re the Senior 55+ games on June 9th

Deferred Items

1. **Ontario Bike Summit Report** – Apr 3-5th – Lisa, Cindy to report their highlights
2. [Underreported Cyclist and Pedestrian injuries](#) – Steve reported that Staff is working to acquire ER data in addition to police data and present back to ATAC committee, for a more complete picture of cycling injuries in Peel.
3. **City By-law regarding bicycles on sidewalks** has not been changed to reflect ATAC recommendations to change from wheel diameter to age. **Action: Lisa to send Tammi ATAC minutes that include recommended changes to the By-law.**

EVENTS:

Different Spokes Rides & Workshops	BikeWrX Workshops & Rides, Different Spokes: Registration to attend events
ATMP to Caledon Council	June 4 th ,
Senior Games delegation to Caledon Council	June 9 th ,
Velocity	June 15 th . Registration open. Sam Roberts band.
Cardwell Junction Mural official unveiling	June 21 st .
Adjourned 8:00pm.	Next meeting June 12, 2024 – 6:30-8:00pm