BikeBrampton Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 - 6:30pm - 8:00 pm Virtual Meeting

Attendees: Steve Laidlaw, David Laing, Dayle Laing, Ewa Milewska, Wayne Noble, Meghan Coleman, George Shepperdley

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	2. <u>BikeBrampton participated in school bike safety seminars at Heart Lake SS,</u>
	Ridgeview PS, Conestoga PS, and two sessions each at two schools in Bolton
	St. John the Baptist, Saint John Paul II.
	3. <u>BikeBrampton participated in Bike the Creek 2025</u> .
	a. 11 th year,
	 theme: Biking for all: building connections through cycling
	c. Largest event ever drawing cyclists from all over southern Ontario
	d. Positive feedback
	e. Dayle to send Sonia bike valet instructions for next year's event
BEA Projects	1.
Caledon Update	Wayne reported
	 Wayne has extra H frames for signs if anyone needs,
	2. Velocity is this weekend,
	Caledon Trail closed west of Kennedy for foreseeable future due to
	construction work,
	4. Caledon Trail closed at Airport to Innis Lake for Caledon Day
	5. Ryan Giles is leaving the Town staff
	6. New Costco being built corner of Mayfield and Creditview
EVENTS:	1.
Different Spokes Rides & Workshops	BikeWrx Workshops & Rides, Different Spokes: Registration to attend events
Adjourned 8:00-pm.	Next meeting September 10, 2025 – 6:30-8:00pm.