



MINUTES
MANHATTAN BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Commission Room, City Hall
1101 Poyntz Ave, Manhattan, KS 66502
July 27, 2011

Members Present: Brian Hardeman, Dan Scott, Diane Novak, Joe Edmunds, Michael Wesch, Ben Champion

Members Absent: Brian Johnson, Dave Colburn, Susanne Kufahl

Staff Present: Peter Clark, Design Engineer; Rob Ott, City Engineer

Public Attendance: 1

B. Hardeman called the meeting to order at 4:37 p.m. on July 27, 2011

1. Approve minutes from June 2011.
 - a. J. Edmunds moved to approve the June 2011 minutes with corrections. The motion was seconded by M. Wesch. The motion passed 6-0.
2. Staff Reports
 - a. P. Clark asked D. Scott to report on the July 1st Progressive Dinner. P. Clark reported on the Bicycle Open House and the response it received from the community. He also reported on the Bluemont Corridor Project possibly having bike amenities on N. Manhattan Ave. B. Champion will talk to KSU to solicit city/university funds.
3. Wayfinding Signs
 - a. Wayfinding signs were discussed. The committee agrees with the general idea of the signs but wants to adjust the look (refer to NACTO pg 43). Downtown signage needs to be discussed with the City Managers Office.
4. Intersection Timing
 - a. Intersection signal timing was discussed for bicycles. By increasing the yellow time, bicycles are safer crossing larger intersections on the beltway. B. Hardeman stated that this should be included in policy of the new Bicycle Master Plan.
5. NACTO Endorsement
 - a. The committee likes and wants to endorse the National Association of City Transportation Officials Urban Bikeway Design Guide. B. Champion stated that the Bicycle Advisory Committee should endorse the NACTO Guide as a tool in designating and planning bicycle infrastructure. B. Hardeman called for a vote for J. Lightner to write a letter and the Bicycle Advisory Committee to sign. The vote passed 6-0.
6. Bike Everywhere Map

- a. M. Wesch asked for input on the next version of the Bike Everywhere Map for the next set of printing. B. Hardeman reported that some "A" riders disagree with the color coding. M. Wesch stated that the map is geared for "B" riders. He also stated that he wants to update the KSU side to convey dismount zones better.
- 7. Week of Welcome
 - a. B. Champion reported on the KSU Week of Welcome bike events. He asked that the event be put on the City of Manhattan website.
- 8. Park and Recreation Board Meeting
 - a. P. Clark reported that the Parks and Recreation Board will meet on August 1st to discuss Wildcat Creek Linear Trail Park. The Bicycle Advisory Committee is welcome to attend.

Meeting adjourned at 5:43 pm

Next meeting: August 24, 2011