

April 29, 2019
MEETING OF THE PORT COLBORNE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of the twelfth regular meeting of the Committee Members of the Port Colborne Active Transportation Advisory Committee, held in the Library, Third Floor Library, City Hall, 66 Charlotte Street, Port Colborne April 29, 2019, 5:00 p.m.

The following Committee Members were in attendance:

Committee Members: Ann Kennerly, George McKibbon, Michael Scott, Wade Smith
Council: Councillor Angie Desmarais
Staff: Nicole Halasz, Karen Walsh
Regrets: Tom Harrietha,

1. CALLED TO ORDER: 5:08 p.m.

2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:

Moved by: George McKibbon
Seconded by: Councillor Angie Desmarais

THAT the minutes from the March 18, 2019 be accepted as presented.
CARRIED

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES:

None

4. STAFF REPORT

- Trail safety – invite NRPS to next meeting
- Education – include with Wayfinding signs, what to do if you see someone
- Education – people share the road with all transportation, impaired driving
- MADD – safety piece, training at school, community safety day
- Budget for Maintenance – to maintain the barriers to not allow vehicles, and once they have been removed – replace faster, uniform and all the openings. Identify some of the openings to close them up.
- Take pictures of good spots for biking, as well as bad spots – West Street, Tennessee
- Walking experience, cycling experience
- Establishing suggested routes, promote with Port Colborne, support business cycling day.

- Walking check list
- Ideas for a brochure - badge or certificate I cycle, I walk with the businesses.
- Banner at crosswalk at on Clarence Street & Catharine Street.
- Pedestrian cross walk – King & Clarence Street
- Pop-Up restaurants - how do they effect cycling, and accessibility?
- Air quality monitor – storage area
- Bike Repair Station – Vale & Marina
- Bike Racks – City Hall, Marina, Vale

5. BUSINESS

a) Trail Clean-up Day – Thursday, May 9 at 8:30 a.m. at Seaway Park, bags, glove and safety vest will be supplied. Angie will be supply food. May 14th is the rain day.

b) Community Safety Day – Saturday, May 25

- Mike will be there for Community Safety Day with Marina Information
- Shirts or name tags for ATAC members
- Contest for ATAC logo launch. Announce at Canal Days, ATAC committee will judge.
- Entry form include what Active Transportation includes.

c) Signs on the Trails

- Entry sign and The Great Trail signs along the trail.
- Patty Moss, Butterfly project, expand project to along the friendship trail.

d) Active School Travel

- City will be working with McKay school
- Air Quality measures in the walkabout area. (Hamilton)
- Encourage groups to ride or walk together.

e) Farmer's Market

Dates (May 17 & 31, June 21 & 28 (with Seniors Advisory Council), July 5, 12, 19, 26, and August 9, 16, 23) each week with different information.

f) Work plan

- Working with other departments to discuss with ATAC – example Pop-up patios, planning new subdivision, engineering new roads.
- Ask council to have this committee to be involved in decisions. – memo?

- Need a city policy, - accessibility, seniors, ATAC, transportation committee
- Angie will talked to Scott.
- Will gave you comments about transportation and what happened.

6. NEW BUSINESS

The Uninhabitable Earth: Life after Warming on May 9 & 23

7. INFORMATION/CORRESPONDENCE

none

8. ADJOURNMENT:

Moved by: Wade Smith
Seconded by: George McKibbon

Resolved that we do now adjourn.
CARRIED

Time of adjournment 7:11 p.m.

Next Meeting: Monday, June 17, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.