

PBAC Meeting 6/25/2020 – Minutes

Committee members attending: Amanda Arshan, Dan Rapoport, Perry Jones, Tineke Thio, Leslie Fabello, Laurie Harmon, Lisa Serieyssol

Council liaison: David Cohen

Staff liaison: Deanna Stockton

Member of the public: Andy Hollingsworth

1. Engineering:

- Dept Public Works arranging for mark-outs for Bike Blvd sign locations early next week - signs arrive Friday 6/26
- sidewalk and bike path bids to go out next week
- Spruce St. construction back to work
- progress on Rosedale Rd/Johnson Park - design work
- overall design of Witherspoon St.- Expect to reach out to community in September to take stock on final design
- Washington Road @ Rt 1- shoulder missing due to turn lane (after Alexander Rd construction) - Engineering advised the two lanes without shoulder will stay, Princeton University wants to keep it with no shoulder - PBAC needs to speak up to get shoulder back for safety of bike riders.
 - suggestion to have a bike path to Fisher Place which would be an easier place to cross
- follow process to get a recommendation to Council to present a resolution to Mercer County
- Laurie makes a motion for PBAC to make official resolution to Council to request reinstatement of shoulders on Washington Road. Passed by PBAC - David to follow up after checking with Council -
- Deanna signs letter of support for Montgomery Twp. to continue bike lanes along Cherry Valley Rd markings through to 206 and Princeton Ave

2. David Cohen Bike Parking Ordinance being moved up to August for Rebalancing Streets

3. Bike Blvds through University - - will the signage continue on College Road? Within campus there will not be bike boulevards. Hopefully new wayfinding signage will direct riders to bike boulevards beyond campus.

4. Discussion with Kim Jackson – re: Zagster – in finalizing the new bike map should we keep a placeholder for a replacement to Zagster? - remove references to Zagster! University looking for alternate providers, or may take service in-house. Also considering incentives for students to buy bikes from local shops (Jays/ Kopps). University will be encouraging biking and walking since bussing w/ safe distancing in full enrollment would require more bus capacity than can be undertaken by University.

re: Slow Streets. University supports them and hopes to coordinate signage. Encouraging slow street concepts within and around campus.

5. Slow Streets

- should have used seamless docs instead of Access Princeton for comments
- all comments in "read me" file on google docs, along with block captains and guidelines
- signage for Slow Streets
- need English and Spanish language signs
- reflective tape to be added to signage for bicycles

6. Signage for Bike Boulevards and Slow Streets

- signage suggested by Police - Shared Street due to increased pedestrian and bicycle activity
- need tape to be auto reflective on perimeter of signs
- ask Jim Levine-Arts Council to paint with reflective paint- need to last 100 days
- Tineke to check with Sgt. Murray on what is possible for changes to signage

7. Temporary Bike Lanes

- need to find solutions between temp bike lanes and parking compromise
- change language from "removing parking spaces" to "relocating parking spaces"
- Deanna will bring comments from consultants on Hamilton Wiggins Corridor to next meeting
- Lisa to confirm meeting with Anthony Durante, Michael Baker Int'l, previously worked on NYC Vision Zero Planning

8. Witherspoon Street reconfiguration- Feedback from merchants on CBD - most very happy

9. Bike Map edits:

Other bike routes around town - signage for **Fitness Loops**? Wayfinding? - need to follow up

- **Wiggle** best opportunity will go away if Witherspoon changed to one-way street

- **Hamilton** Bike Lane Corridor

- add new bike boulevards to maps

10. SRTS -School Board - Superintendent of schools pressing for improved routes to school because of bussing and social distancing- DOT looking to bring bike safety education to the curriculum level

11. Bike Blvds pavement markings - do we need volunteers? If Engineering approves. How will traffic be redirected while volunteers are at work? Tineke to put together a map of where pavement markings should go (beginning and stop signs). Identify locations on a map - create a mock up, how much paint, figure a budget, get approval

12. Quaker Rd Ciclovía - David to check with police

13. Check out metal bridge on Littlebrook section of Bike Blvd loop?

14. Meeting adjourned