## New Paltz Bicycle Pedestrian Committee

Minutes: March 28, 2016 \* Village Hall \* 7:00—9:00 p.m.

Present: Peter Kaufman, Dan Lipson, Judy Mage, Rebecca Minas, Justin Myers, Tom Rocco, Pamela St. John Guest: Joe Lingeman

Meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m.

Acceptance of February 22, 2016 minutes

There were two motions made at this meeting

1. The BPC passed the following motion unanimously:

We recommend that the Village place sharrows on the following streets:

Manheim Road from H.W. DuBois up to the Main Entrance of SUNY New Paltz Plattekill Road from Manheim to Mainstreet Hasbrouck Road from Plattekill to Rt. 208 North Front Street from Main Street to the Walkill Rail Trail Crossing

We request that the Village DPW follow the NACTO specifications for the placement of these sharrows: <u>http://nacto.org/publication/urban-bikeway-design-guide/bikeway-signing-marking/shared-lane-markings/</u>

2. The BPC passed the following motion unanimously:

We recommend that the signage on South Putt Corners Road consist of signs W11-1 &

W11-2 (http://mutcd.fhwa.dot.gov/htm/2009/part9/part9b.htm). Ideally, we would favor

a single post with these two signs stacked one above the other. Signage would be at

both ends of South Putt Corners Road and in both directions.

We recommend that the shoulders be marked periodically with a bicycle and pedestrian stencil to remind motorists that the shoulder is not a lane for driving, passing, stopping, or parking.

We recommend the the School Zone designation be activated with the proper signage

and flashing warning lights.

## **Action Items for Next Meeting**

- **Night-time Visibility Campaign**: Peter will inquire with the Town about the possibility of buying reflectors and selling them at the Earth Day Events
- **In-Street Crosswalk Signs**: Tom R. Wil inquire about the signs in the Village; Dan L. will inquire about the one near the Ridge Apartments on Manheim Road
- Route 299 Shoulders: Justin M. agreed to write a letter in support of this project
- Earth Day on Huguenot Street and Farm Fest at SUNY New Paltz: Dan L. will ask the Dowds about getting a table for Earth Day.
- **Surplus Bicycle Racks**: Judy M. will inquire about placing a rack at the post office; Pamela will inquire about a rack in the Convenient Deli Plaza; Tom R. will inquire about the abandoned bikes on the rack in the Plattekill parking lot

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Next meeting: April 18, 2016, Village Hall, 7:00-9:00 p.m.