

Bicycle Pedestrian Committee
Meeting Minutes
Aug 26, 2019

PRESENT

Dan Lipson, Janelle Peotter, Michael Reade, Judy Mage

Meeting called to order at 7:04pm.

Agenda:

1. Approve minutes
2. Beginning next year, we'll meet 10 times a year (skip Aug and Dec).
3. Action items for future meetings: Let's have one of us write a letter to the editor for NPT.
Brainstorm topics to write about. See [shared spreadsheet](#) .
4. Complete Streets Training this Fall, Mon Sep 30
Mon Sep 30 in main room upstairs in Village Hall, including walk-through. 9 (9:30am) through 3pm.
5. Update on proposed Wallkill River trail to county fairgrounds: Dan will follow up with OSI / Preserve. Wallkill Valley Land Trust administers the use of Jewett farm behind Nyquist/Harcourt preserve – there was a proposal to have a trail there up to Springtown rail-trail bridge.
6. Update on Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) project to install curb cuts and crosswalks on Main Street (Route 299):
Cory Wirthmann building inspector would be able to pull the site plan to find out what the planning board required in terms of sidewalks. Michele can reach out to Cory about this.
Rich could look into it too.
7. Route 44/55: Judy will inquire with Jen Metzger about whether Route 44/55 was required to be safer under the new state legislation.
8. Climate Solutions Summit and Zero Emissions Parade (3pm), Sat Sep 21, 9am-5pm
Encourage cyclists and pedestrians to meet at 3pm to join the parade. Terminate at the atrium at the student union at the closing of the Climate Solutions Summit.
9. Update on arranging meeting with Kevin Cahill about proposed 3-foot passing rule legislation.
 - a. Leadership change creates a political opportunity. Ask if he'd like to send a designated person. Michael will contact him about the 3-foot proposal and invite to the Complete Streets Training.

Adjourned 8:11pm.

Next meeting:

Mon Sep 23

Then

Mon Oct 28

Mon Nov 25

[No Dec meeting]