

City of Maple Ridge
ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES

The Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Active Transportation Advisory Committee, held in
Blaney Room at Maple Ridge City Hall, 11995 Haney Place, Maple Ridge, British Columbia, on
Wednesday, June 28, 2017 at 7:00 pm

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Councillor Duncan	Council Liaison
Cpl. Steven Martin	Ridge Meadows RCMP – Traffic Services
Franklin Salguero	Member at Large
Ineke Boekhorst	Downtown Maple Ridge Business Improvement Association
Kino Roy, Vice-Chair	Youth Rep
Paul Yeoman, Chair	Member at Large
Wayne Stevens	Seniors Rep

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT

David Pollock	Staff Liaison / Municipal Engineer
Sunny Schiller	Committee Clerk

REGRETS/ABSENTS

Bijan Naghipour	Member at Large
Dave Rush	Cycling Rep
Susan Carr	School District 42 Rep
Tara Abraham	Fraser Health – MACAI Rep

1. CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS

The Chair called the meeting to order at 7:14 pm.

2. AGENDA ADOPTION

R17-019

It was moved and seconded

That the agenda dated June 28, 2017 be adopted.

CARRIED

3. MINUTES APPROVAL

R17-020

It was moved and seconded

That the minutes dated May 31, 2017 be approved.

CARRIED

4. DELEGATIONS - Nil

5. SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATES

5.1 Cycling on Sidewalks Subcommittee

A draft letter and recommendation to Council regarding cycling on the sidewalks were discussed.

R17-021

It was moved and seconded

THAT the Active Transportation Advisory Committee endorses the ban on the use of bicycles (longboards, inline skates) on any sidewalk, footpath or walkway along the following corridors:

- 224 Street, from North Avenue to 122 Avenue
 - Dewdney Trunk Road, from 222 Street to 227 Street
 - Lougheed Highway, from 222 Street to 227 Street
 - Edge Street, from McIntosh Avenue to Dewdney Trunk Road
- AND THAT Council amend the Highway & Traffic Bylaw No. 6704-2009 accordingly.**

R17-022

AMENDMENT

It was moved and seconded

That the words "(longboards, inline skates)" be removed.

MOTION AS AMENDED CARRIED

R17-023

It was moved and seconded

That the letter from ATAC regarding restricting the use of bicycles on certain streets be forwarded to Council as supporting documentation.

CARRIED

R17-024

It was moved and seconded

That it be recommended to Council that the speed limit on 224th Street be reduced to 30 km between Dewdney Trunk Road and Lougheed Highway.

CARRIED

R17-025

It was moved and seconded

That Item 6.1 2017 & 2018 Committee Work Plan / Strategy be tabled.

CARRIED

6. NEW & UNFINISHED BUSINESS

6.1 2017 & 2018 Committee Work Plan / Strategy

Tabled.

6.2 Requests for Agenda Items

A review of proposed large developments will be added to the next agenda.

6.3 Engineering Update

It was agreed the following amendment would be proposed for Bylaw 6704-2009 if Council supports ATAC resolution R17-021: "That ATAC recommend to Council that Highway & Traffic Bylaw 6704-2009 be amended to allow a person operating a cycle, for the purpose of crossing a highway, cycle through a crosswalk while entering or leaving a multi-use trail on a crosswalk linking portions of the trail to one another or to a highway."

The Staff Liaison shared information on proposed changes to bike lane infrastructure. A safe bike camp for kids will be held over the summer.

7. CORRESPONDENCE

7.1 Letter from Ivan Chow, HUB Cycling re: follow up on lower speed limits on 224th St. presentation and proposal

R17-026

It was moved and seconded

That a letter be sent from ATAC to HUB thanking them for their presentation.

CARRIED

8. QUESTION PERIOD - Nil

9. ROUNDTABLE

It was agreed the next meeting be held Wednesday, September 27.

10. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned at 8:12 pm.


Chair

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