

June 9, 2021 | SLCBAC Meeting Minutes

Present: Blair Tomten (Chair), Eric Kraan (Vice Chair), Alex Degnan (Secretary), Travis Evans, Mike Mikhalev

Others: Helen Peters (SL County Staff), Toby Lowry (SL County Staff), Mercedes Maestas (SL County Health Department), Heidi Goedhart (UDOT), Huge Van Wagner – (WFRC), Donna McAleer (Bike Collective).

5:30 pm Welcome and Introductions

5:35 pm Meeting Minutes

- The May 2021 minutes were unanimously approved. (Travis motions, Eric seconds)

5:40 pm Public Comment

- *Eric Kraan:* Save not Pave was very well attended. It was communicated that we were not supposed to be passing around materials for the committee. Other than that, good event and well attended. – Upcoming: 6 weeks of public comment.
 - If SLCBAC makes a comment letter, it must go to Toby and Helen first, and it will be shared with the mayor.
- *Mike Mikhalev:* Flap Grant has been awarded for redoing the road in upper Mill Canyon. CWC Chair is strongly opposed to having no bike lanes in the current plan. Requesting Mike and Blair to speak at next CWC meeting. Additionally, requesting Mike to join the CWC as a board member.
 - *Helen:* It has been expressed to Central Federal Lands that they want a priority for bike lanes, however there are unknowns on the design currently. Asking for patience.
- *Mike Mikhalev:* Foothills Master Plan has been put on hold until at least October of this year. Plan has been on going for 5+ years. More information regarding the hold will be communicated.

5:45 pm 3900 South (Blair Tomten)

- Blair provided an updated on the 3900 South project.

5:55 pm Count Policy / Ways to be effective as a committee (Helen Peters)

- Helen: Explained ways we can promote biking, our committee, our purpose, etc. while staying within the rules of the County. Cannot purchase and give away certain items, etc.
- Largest impact we can have as a committee is at our City level.
- LCC EIS:

6:05 pm Kearns Project Recap (Blair Tomten, Toby Lowry)

- Blair: Toby, Blair, Hugh, Kris, and Kaylee installed signed created by Bike Utah. Everything was successful.

6:10 pm **Filmed by Bike Discussion** (Alex Parker, Travis Evans)

- *Travis*: Planned for mid August 2021 in Sugarhouse Park. Able to secure \$5k funding from Progressive Leasing. Popcorn and water will be provided. Will also be a bike ride from the Bike Collective to the Park. Working with Kaylee Bell to get a flyer. Once we have the flyer and final approval from the Parks Department, we will go out to shops, etc. to find items for raffles.

6:15 pm **Bike Collective Request for Funding** (Donna McAleer)

- *Donna*: Bikes for Goodwill Program – provide refurbished bikes to people of need. They provide bikes to clients of 30 partners within the state of Utah.
 - 1282 bikes given away in 2019
 - 1382 bikes given away in 2020
 - Asking for \$3,500 to fund more bikes to be refurbished and donated in 2021. Demand increased significantly for bikes in the current year so there is an even higher need.

6:20 pm **Budget Discussion** (Alex Parker)

- \$3,500 for Bike Collective.
 - Travis motions and Mike seconds. Unanimously passed.

6:25 pm **County Updates** (Toby Lowry)

- Golden Spoke Ride coming up
- UTA working on an active transportation plan
 - Focus is expanding first/last mile strategies
- Bike Utah Advocacy Toolkit
- Ranked AT projects as part of \$35M

6:30 pm **Meeting Adjourned**