



MINUTES
MANHATTAN BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Harmon Room, City Hall
1101 Poyntz Ave, Manhattan, KS 66502
April 19th, 2012

Members Present: Diane Novak, Brian Hardeman, Dan Scott, Katy Vaughan, Joe Wright & Dave Colburn

Members Absent: Michael Wesch, Ben Champion, Joe Edmunds

Staff Present: Joey Lightner, Bicycle Coordinator

Public Attendance: 0

B. Hardeman called the meeting to order at 4:37 p.m. on April 19th, 2012.

Approval of Minutes:

D. Novak moved to approve the March 2012 minutes with corrections; K. Vaughan seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Staff Reports:

1. J. Lightner reported on Bike Week. A full schedule of events is listed on Bikemanhattan.info. This year will replicate several of last year's events to build a sense of tradition. He also requested that everyone join the Commuter Challenge and attend as many Bike Week events as possible. He suggested that all BAC member be present at the April 24th, 2012 City Commission meeting where Mayor Jim Sherow will proclaim May at Bike Month.
2. J Lightner gave an update on the Moro Bike Boulevard. He stated that all infrastructure features will be installed the week prior to the Mayor's Ride on May 5th, 2012. Additionally, he suggested that all members come to the second reading of the Moro speed ordinance on Tuesday, April 24th, 2012.

K-18 Corridor Study

1. J. Lightner reported on the K-18 Corridor Study. He stated that the Community Planning Department will host an open house on April 19th from 4:00 - 8:00 pm at City Hall. He stated that while the area doesn't support significant mixed use, it would be appropriate to have parks or trails. He encouraged the BAC members to attend the meeting to give feedback.

Work Session

1. The Committee discussed, in depth, the language of policy that should be incorporated into current Comprehensive Plan. After much debate, the committee agreed to that a meeting between the Chair, Vice-Chair and staff would be the most appropriate method of creating a document that can be adopted. The committee also agreed that they would vote of that document at the May, 2012 meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 5:56 pm.

Next Meeting: May 17th, 2012.