MEETING NOTES
Redmond Pedestrian and Bicycle Advisory Committee
June 11, 2012 6:30 PM City Hall Trestle Room

ATTENDEES:

Arnie Tomac, Heidi Angle, Glen Buhlmann, Glenn Eades, Wesley Goo, Lorraine Josifek, Evan Morris, Hank Myers, Chris Tomas

MEETING AGENDA

1. **Derby Days 2012:** Lisa Rhodes from the Parks and Recreation Department and Jill Smith from the Planning Department presented on the status of this year's Derby Days and discussed with the Committee how they could get involved. The first thing presented was the event schedule:

    - Friday Evening (6p – 10p): Poker ride (pending discussions with REI) and concert
    - Saturday (10a – 10p): criterium – Swedish Medical Center is now the sponsor, music, food, parade, carnival, Impact Redmond Eco-Fair, fireworks
    - Sunday: Derby Day 5k
    - Other events are put on by the Redmond Rotary and Marymoor Velodrome Association

    In the past, the City Campus on Saturday has been organized into four areas: general, food vendors, kids and Impact Redmond Eco-Fair. Space is a challenge on the City Campus. Each booth is 10 x 10 in size.

    The brand new Redmond Transit, Bike and Parks Map was handed out to the Committee along with its partner Go Green brochure. These will be handed out at Derby Days. The Impact Redmond Eco-Fair has been at Derby Days the last two years and will be there again this year. There will be a Centennial Theme "Going Green for 100 Years".

    The Committee had the following comments:

    - We should be there, but what is the best way to make this happen?
    - Committee could hand out information and find out what people are thinking about walking and biking in Redmond.
    - As part of event could do a survey to get information and comments. Survey could be related to a raffle.

- Committee should be part of Impact Redmond Eco-Fair and tied in with R-TRIP not our own booth.
- Currie Technologies would like to come, show their bikes and raffle off a bike.
- What about valet parking for bikes? In the past girl scouts have done this on Friday and boy scouts on Saturday. Saturday mainly for race bikes.
- Participate in parade?
- At a booth, could provide tips on riding and using a bike, route finding, and how to ride to work and for errands
- Need to set up coverage of volunteers
- Have both Seattle Electric Bike (more high-end) and Currie Technologies at the event showing their electric bikes. This gives people a chance to touch and do.

The following people volunteered for a Derby Days subcommittee (Thanks!): Jim Albers (Primary Contact), Wesley, Glenn E, Lorraine, Lyndon, Glen B. The subcommittee will be coordinating with Jill Smith through Jim Albers as they prepare for the event. Joel will lend support when needed.

2. **City Council Study Session:** The Committee then discussed preparations for the upcoming Council Study Session with the Committee. First of all there was some discussion about the upcoming resolution that will be going to Council to make the Committee officially recognized by the City. In the past the Committee meetings have operated as a monthly community meeting on active transportation in the community. Hank Myers, City Councilmember, was also introduced as a new ex-officio member of the Committee that will be formalized.

   Themes, ideas and people who could speak to each topic at the Study Session were identified and discussed:

   - Be inclusive and have multiple committee members speak, but keep it limited in time and topics
   - Theme – How do we get to being League of American Bicyclists, Gold Level Bicycle Friendly Community?
   - Past and future bike and walk audits - Arnie
   - Getting around Redmond without a car – Heidi
   - Creating a bike culture in school and in the community – Chris
   - Commuting – Wesley
   - Intersections and crossings

   After the meeting Arnie and Joel will meet to work some more on the outline for the Study Session. Results will be presented at the May 9 Committee meeting.

3. **Transportation Master Plan (TMP) Update:** Based on the February Committee meeting City staff incorporated comments directly into on the Active Transportation Program related to projects, including:

   - Removal of Sammamish River Trail Bridge from project list
   - Added the connection from Redmond Way/Old Redmond Rd to the Central Connector, and obtaining a cost estimate

- 156th being split into two projects to reduce overall project cost to be in keeping with program scale. Intersection improvements for cyclists included in project description
- 164th project description includes center median on east side of intersection
- Supportive comments and non-capital related comments will be incorporated as TMP planning continues

A suggestion for NE 150th Ave and 51st St NE pavement marking will be resolved as part of channelization in 2012.

4. **Updates:**

    - Bicycle Guide Map – Map has been printed and copies were provided to the group.
    - Project Updates – None

5. **Other Business:**

    - None