



MEETING NOTES

Redmond Pedestrian and Bicycle Advisory Committee

March 11, 2013 6:30 PM City Hall Trestle Room

ATTENDEES:

Wesley Goo, Evan Morris, Bertha Eades, Glen Eades, Lorraine Josifek, Arnie Tomac, Heidi Angel, Chris Thomas, Colin Worsley, Hank Myers

CITY STAFF: Doug Krueger, Peter Dane

MEETING AGENDA

1. **Rules of Procedure:** Members and staff incorporated final comments into the Rules of Procedure. Per Resolution 1377, the PBAC Rules of Procedure are established.
2. **2013 Events:** Numerous bike events are just around the corner. Staff asked for input on PBAC involvement and interests for this year's Bike Bash and Derby Days.
 - a. Bike Bash
Following last year's success, the Economic Development/Transportation Demand Management group will host the Bike Bash again during the afternoon on Bike to Work Day (May 17, 2013) at the City Hall campus. Members enjoyed the event last year and wanted to see many of the same elements, including information on bicycling like the City bicycle map and food. An area for improvement is to include Redmond area bicycle shops.
 - b. Derby Days
Members would like PBAC to participate in Derby Days again this year. The event will be held the weekend of July 13-14. There was support for all the bicycle information provided but concern about the lack of walking materials.

PBAC also wondered what the Bike to School Day event (by Cascade Bicycle Club) is and if PBAC should be involved. This event encourages students to ride to work (with parents if student is in Elementary School), Staff will follow up with our outreach coordinators to find out about participation by Redmond schools. More information can be found at <http://www.cbcef.org/bts/index.html>.

3. **TED Video:** PBAC member Evan Morris provided a TED video for the group to watch discussing the importance of end user feedback (like PBAC) in shaping transportation

infrastructure.

This sparked a discussion on connectivity, with PBAC strongly supporting new efforts to identify neighborhood sidewalk connections. Staff from Parks and Transportation have a work plan item to review trail access and connectivity in the future – which should also be a good fit for this connectivity work.

4. Updates:

- PBAC member Lyndon Heywood sent Staff a draft self-guided map that he created, titled Historical Redmond Bike Tour. Members liked the map and recommended that the draft be reviewed by the Historical Society.

5. Other Business:

- Members are concerned about driver distraction from cell phone use, noting that bicyclists used to be worried about aggressive drivers but now feel that distracted drivers are a greater risk. Lieutenant Krueger described enforcement efforts to tackle the issue of distracted driving, including a distracted driving targeting Avondale Road in March.