Harwich Bikeways Committee Agenda Tuesday July 18, 2023 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM EST)

Channel 18 Studio Harwich Community Center

Call to order:

Attendees:

Introduction of guests

New Business:

Approval of May meeting minutes(No meeting was held in June)

Paul contacted Linc about getting more maps printed

Bikeways committee meeting with the Harwich Traffic committee regarding the new Vulnerable Road Users Law

Bikeways committee needs to come up with ideas to promote the new law. Flyers, Ch18, other media coverage, reach out to the Chronicle and other bikeways committees

Suggest to the TSC or HPD a location for large sign board. While the RT 28 location is nice I don't feel it would be as effective as another location or maybe move it every few weeks. Also covered at TSC meeting was the public needs to be more aware of bike lights both from and rear.

Other items covered at the TSC meeting were:

Overall complaints about speeding and dangerous intersections, Bank & Pleasant- parking too close to intersection, visibility issue, can there be sign or no parking here to corner

Bank Street to Route 28- speeding. Can there be more signs? Traffic Enforcement? Old Chatham Road/Factory/Depot Street intersection- site line issues. Request to do a four way

stop (already stop signs on OCR and Factory)

Intersection of Old Chatham Road and Route 39 ("Hope & Go") Discussion and possible vote on temporary plan to be proposed to Select Board Discussion and possible vote on support for a permanent solution

Cross Street between Route 28 and Pleasant Street Discussion and possible vote on adjustments to be proposed to Select Board

Painting of the bumps along the OCRT

MassBike Board Openings – MassBike is looking for new members to join their board. interested in learning more visit their website https://www.massbike.org/.

July update from the Cape Cod Commission.

Old Business

Continue to monitor trails for hazards such as mud, dirt, plant / tree matter, etc. - take a picture if you can and email it to Paul he report it to Linc. Is ongoing

Comments or Suggestions?

Next meeting Tuesday August 21, 2023