

**Bicycle and Pedestrian Alliance of Clinton**  
**Henry Hull Library – Periodical Room**  
**January 22, 2020**  
**Meeting Minutes**

**Members Present:** Carrie Allen, Mark Koschwitz, Moe Bean and Paul Egan in attendance.

**Minutes Approved** Minutes were reviewed from October meeting. Mark moved to accept minutes Paul seconded and minutes were approved.

**Greenway Signage** The STOP sign for the east side of the trolley line segment at Grove Street has not yet been installed by DPW. Other Greenway signage still need installation as well.

**Application for 501c3** Hal had offered to help with this, but since he is now unable Carrie will follow up when her schedule allows.

**Grant for Property Purchase** The town applied for a grant for \$20K in order to procure some property adjacent to the Town Beach to extend the Clinton Greenway. \$7K was awarded for the purpose. There is no agreement on a sale and negotiation and discussion is pending.

**Bike Maintenance Stations** Two bike repair/maintenance stations with a pump and tethered tools will be purchased and placed behind Town Hall and the new train station. Although vandalism is a concern behind Town Hall and the Liberty Bank Parking Plaza has been discussed as an alternative, it is quite close to the train station location, and behind Town Hall seems preferable.

**BPAC Board could use support** We will make some effort to promote our BPAC agenda and solicit more members to support us and attend regular meetings.

**Kid's Triathlon Event** Next steps for planning this event include deciding on a “road” route (presumably south of Route 1) and most likely including Grove and Commerce Streets, and a “water” route (to be recommended or suggested by Chris from Indian River). Once the routes are decided upon we can meet with Chief Vince DeMaio (Clinton PD). If we present a plan the chief will help make it work or work with us to make suggestions to make it workable. Hopefully Chris at Indian River will supply boats and a route that will minimize boat transport problems. The event would most likely be mid week after school has finished for the year due to the water temperature. Chris may help with date selection from his experience.

**Bike Giveaway/Swap Event** There will be an event on Saturday April 25 from 10 am until 2 pm for providing a bike for those who have outgrown or need a bike. It will be held at Town Hall. A safety check and bike tune up by Paul will be included if possible. BPAC will order 50 copies of a safety pamphlet and hand them out at the event. BPAC members in attendance could help pick out and test drive bikes and explain to folks what BPAC is about.

**Boy Scout Outreach** Perhaps scouts could help as volunteers for our BPAC event(s). It would be nice to include them in our cause and engage them with service opportunities in our community.

**Motion to adjourn** made and seconded. Next meeting 2-26-2020. Meeting adjourned 6:50 pm

minutes by Paul Egan 01/23/2020