



AS BIKES Committee

Minutes
February 2, 2009

1. Roll Call and Approving January 26 Minutes

Present: Scott Bull, Nathan Pfaff, Jessica Gasiorek, Ralph Fertig, James Wagner, Officer Sean Baker, Dennis Whelan, Chris Wendle, Officer Smorodinsky

2. General Announcements

Sean Baker part of new team to enforce rules pertaining to cyclists, skate boarders and pedestrians to keep things safer. Wants to stay in communication with enforcement for key areas, and work with us on signage.

Ralph Bicycle Coalition Meeting tomorrow and Mr. Fig from county is going to discuss the Ocean Road project and all the comments (49) on transportation especially bicycling. A big concern is that cyclists and pedestrians are not counted in the EIR. This project is still under review, and lots of complaints for both environmental impact and transportation.

3. Recap of meeting with Marc Fisher

Campbell hall improves from 450 to 700 racks using the new "Peak Racks". We are still waiting on a bid for landscaping by the end of the week. Half of the racks could be delivered during spring break, the rest later, so may be a 2 stage project. Music North we are still waiting on a bid on this project. Dennis has started working on a layout on Music north for square footage so we can get estimates on cost and racking, Dennis has 16 of our standard racks in that lot. Guessing timeline will be early June/July. Racks will be pulled from east side of the library which are rarely used (to save on costs). Funds to complete both projects will be from ADA (farfalla) , BIKES and Facilities (M fisher).

4. AS BIKES Business

a. Update on current projects

- i. AS Bike Shop repaving- on maintenance list, need bid
- ii. Bldg 407 - on maintenance list, need bid
- iii. ROTC

Follow up with FM on this, Nathan, Maryann needs exact dimensions for estimates.

iv. New SAASB intersection

Dennis took care of having the videotaping done. Dennis thinks that it just works, 15-20% don't follow the painted rules. The big issue is when people don't follow markings and there is high traffic.

Need to put in work order

b. Bike Rack Data

Nathan will have this done by next week for review.

c. New Signage for Police

i. No parking signs for HSSB and Library

Ask the CSOs and Rob Crew to pay, we can help design.

ii. Additional No Riding Signs

Fines have changed up to \$127. Class is still offered and will increase to \$40.

What about repainting the signage on path (stencil)?

Permanent signage is better, in Officer Baker's opinion.

We'll survey and re-stencil the paths where necessary. Signage at entrances to lots like 5 helpful rules, posting at bike racks to make rules obvious.

Officer Baker will provide us with stats from most enforced areas, and good potential places to post. (Nathan will follow up)

What about posting this to a Facebook group, with rules and enforcement ideas? Pardall Tunnel is key right now.

Chris says signage is the best, and most visible. Officers like if the word is spread word of mouth. Regulatory sign definitions are legal black text on a white background.

Ralph: What about unlit bicycles at night?

Officer Baker: Enforcement will be increased on this and for bike registration. There is some discretion on this issue for registration. CHP and Sherriff's department will be upping enforcement in IV to enforcing the rules of the road, stop sign violations, bike lights, lane positioning, etc. for consistency in enforcement (IV and UCSB).

d. Winter Bike Auction? Need to wait until coordinator position is filled to assist with this event.

5. AS BIKES Outreach

a. Website Update

i. Suggestions

Nathan will be working with JudyAnn on this.

Will also send out a link.

b. New Banner

Old banner was ~\$40, we'll wait until have tabling events planned.

Not necessary at moment.

c. Advertising in the Nexus

Monday Calendar, Scott will send me an email on this.

Submit an editorial or letter to the editor, or get a story, and the Bottom Line.

6. Old New Updates

a. Office Refurbish

Scott- EAB is slated to move into the 3rd floor of the UCEN. We will be getting new office furniture, with couches, desks, and a mini conference table for AS BIKES use

b. Recruitment

Miles Ashlock email is available too, Monday Daily Nexus Calendar (scott will get passwords for posting). Got to get the good word out and get more students involved in AS BIKES activities!

7. Adjourn