



**MINUTES OF THE  
ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE  
January 25, 2022**

Minutes of the Active Transportation Committee meeting held on  
Tuesday January 25, 2022 Via Zoom

Members Present: Councillor J. Fogal, Chair, Councillor W. Farrow-Reed,  
R. Hendry, C. Lenz, G. Price-Jones, A. Sommer, A. Stiehl

Regrets: Councillor C. Somerville, S. Suprina, A. Welter

Staff Present: I. Drewnitski, Transportation Planning Technologist; M. Taylor,  
Senior Landscape Architect; Renee Brown, Deputy Clerk -  
Administration

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Councillor J. Fogal, Chair called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

**2. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY/CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

There were no disclosures of conflict or pecuniary interests.

**3. RECEIPT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

**3.a Minutes of the Active Transportation Committee Meeting held on  
November 23, 2021.**

Recommendation No. ACT-2022-0001

THAT the Minutes of the Active Transportation Committee Meeting held  
on November 23, 2021 be received.

**CARRIED**

## **4. SCHEDULED ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

### **4.a 2022 Active Transportation Projects**

I. Drewnitski provided the committee with an overview of the proposed 2022 Active Transportation projects

- The implementation of phase 2 of cycling infrastructure along Maple Ave from Trafalgar Road to Main Street This project will incorporate active transportation facilities along Maple Avenue.
- The rehabilitation of Mountainview Road bridge over Hungry Hollow to provide a safe and reliable level of service for transportation and active transportation.
- The replacement of the culvert over Beeney Creek on Sixth Line including installation of a guiderail to protect the travelling public.
- The resurfacing of Mountainview Road from Maple Avenue to John Street. This project will incorporate active transportation facilities along Mountainview Road.

### **Infill Sidewalk Connections**

As part of the 2022 program, Public Works will install a sidewalk connection on the north side of Eastern Avenue between Metrolinx's railway tracks and Young Street.

### **Pedestrian Crossings**

The project's scope is to install new pedestrian crossovers (PXOs) to improve pedestrian safety, mobility, and pedestrian network connectivity. The 2022 installations will include lower-level PXOs that require only signs and pavement markings. The following locations are proposed for the PXO implementations: Tanners Drive/Bonnette Street, Robinson Road south Bowman Street, Meadowglen Boulevard/Herb Wild Street, and Eaton Street and Craig Crescent (West).

### **Guelph St & Sinclair Ave Turn Lane**

A new multiuse asphalt pathway will be installed on the west side of Sinclair Avenue from Guelph Street to Duncan Drive. There will also be the installation of bike signals at the intersection of Guelph and Sinclair which will be the first in the Town.

## **Active Transportation Improvements**

Annual program to provide various active transportation infrastructure to connect pedestrian and cycling networks along municipal road allowances as approved under the Active Transportation Master Plan (2020). The project will include a variety of signed bike routes with pavement markings as applicable. This includes the following streets: Ontario Street, Banting Road, Carruthers Road, College Street, Ewing Street, John Street, Joycelyn Crescent and McCullough Crescent

## **Carry Over Projects**

22 Side Road Hwy 7 to Limehouse (50m east of Elizabeth)

Bike lanes added to Tanners Drive from Churchill Road North to Churchill Road South

## **4.b 2022 Trails Projects**

M. Taylor provided the committee with an overview of the proposed 2022 Trail projects:

### **Hungry Hollow**

Trail connection from Main Street to Cedarvale Park. Design and permitting to occur January-February with bidding to occur in March and construction to take place June -September.

### **Trafalgar Sports Park**

Trail connection Trafalgar Sports Park to Black Creek Estates Subdivision. Staff have worked with Holy Redeemer Cemetery to arrange to have the trail cross their property. Staff are completing design work, anticipating that construction will occur June-July.

### **Upper Canada College**

Design and permitting to occur December – March, bidding to occur in April and construction to take place July-August.

### **Fairy Lake**

Trail connection to Birchway Place. Design and permitting to occur December-March with bidding to occur in April and construction to take place in August. Connecting loop from Birchway Place to Acton Legion around the Acton Seniors Residence.

## **5. SUB-COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS**

### **5.a Bike It Committee**

Councillor J. Fogal advised that the Bike It committee is planning for events starting in May, including Bike It to the Market in June and other rides. The Committee is continuing to work on the Bike Map and promoting cycling.

Recommendation No. ACT-2022-0002

THAT the following Minutes are hereby adopted:

1. Bike It Committee minutes dated November 11, 2021.
2. Bike It Committee minutes dated December 8, 2021.

**CARRIED**

## **6. COMMITTEE MEMBER UPDATES**

Councillor J. Fogal noted that an inquiry was made with respect to RV/Trailer Parking. I Drewnitski advised that this project is not feasible at this time.

A. Stiehl noted that the hungry hollow trail needs repairs and provided M. Taylor with specific locations.

A. Stiehl offered a suggestion that perhaps having artists paint under the bridges in Hungry Hollow would cover up and potentially deter graffiti in the area.

G. Price-Jones noted that there are still issues with poop and scoop even with the new signage.

## **7. ITEMS TO BE SCHEDULED FOR NEXT MEETING**

NIL

## **8. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 8:17 p.m.