

Bicycle and Pedestrian Alliance of Clinton
Eliot House
October 24, 2018
Minutes

Members Present: Carrie Allen, Ginnie Simmons, Hal Tzeutschler and Paul Egan in attendance.

Carrie Allen called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm.

Minutes Approved Minutes from the July BPAC meeting were reviewed. Ginnie made a motion to approve minutes, which was seconded by Hal.

Indian River Bridge The bridge survived the recent flooding of the Indian River. Unfortunately one bridge down river near the new Morgan High School was breached and is now closed and in need of repair. Christine Goupil (First Selectman) would like to have a ribbon cutting ceremony to commemorate in November. Sill trying to find when Debbie Lundgren (former BPAC Chair and Indian River Bridge visionary) might be available to participate.

Route 81 Corridor Study Their study will contain information and/or maps of the existing bike routes (signs already installed in town) as well as the Greenway Phase 1 and Phase 2 (which is still in development/proposal stage).

Morgan to Morgan Sidewalk The sidewalk from the new Morgan High School to the old Morgan School has been approved and will begin as soon as the schedule allows. Recent flooding has caused an immediate need for many higher priority repairs.

Clinton Greenway The Greenway signs have been received. Carrie brought a sample sign to the meeting to exhibit. "Walk Your Bike" signs (qty. 4) were also purchased for the vicinity of Route 1 near the Indian River Bridge where on street parking requires the Greenway to be routed onto the sidewalk. It was reported that the curb removal and crosswalk markings recommended for the intersection of the trolley line to Grove Street have not yet been completed. The PD Chief has been made aware and Pete Neff (DPW) will get to it after dealing with the recent flood damage.

Eagle Scout Project – Kiosk for Greenway An Eagle Scout Project of a kiosk for the Greenway on Clinton Town Beach had been discussed at previous BPAC meetings but met up against some resistance: there was an expressed desire to have signage consistency similar to those in the historic downtown district. After appealing to the First Selectman, there was a nod of approval for a kiosk on Grove Street.

Motion to adjourn

Hal made a motion to adjourn which was seconded by Ginnie
Meeting adjourned approximately 7:35 pm

minutes by Paul Egan November 1, 2018