

# Frederick County Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee

## Meeting Minutes

December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Committee Members	Staff	Guest
Darius Mark Shayne Boucher Risa Clem Dave Ziedelis Lib Rood	Joe Kelley DPP Ken Olander	Vladimir Tolskiy

### **Chair's Report: Meeting Called to Order at 6:03 pm.**

The Chair welcomed everyone. Darius then talked about what has been happening with the Rural Roads Advisory Committee and how their work ties into what BPAC is doing.

### **Approval of Minutes**

Approved of November minutes was postpone until January

### **Spokesperson from Sheriff's Office on what they are doing to help with bicycle and pedestrian safety**

Deputy, Ken Olander, from the Frederick County Sheriff's office gave us an overview of how they are currently handling crashes, complaints, enforcement, and fielded some questions from the committee and public. Ken said that all non-emergency incidents should be reported to 301-600-2071 Shayne asked about bike and pedestrian traffic reports. We will get an email over to him with some of the data/metrics we are looking for. Lib asked if coal rolling was legal. It is not legal for someone to modify a vehicle in order so that that they can coal roll. If you see some do this get the tag number and report it. Police can investigate to determine if the vehicle has been modified.

### **Staff Updates**

Joe Kelley reported that the County will not be receiving funds from the state or federal government this year for the Frederick and Pennsylvania Line Railroad Trail. The county will try again next spring. There are more funds available next year with the new infrastructure bill. Darius ask if staff could prepare a report to show how much funding the county has received as compare to other places in the state.

### **Committee Member Announcements**

Shayne mention that there will be a X-MAS bike ride on December 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM Shayne informed the committee that Safe Kids and the Bicycle Coalition has received an Aetna Grant for \$1000.00 to assist with the bike trailer used to teach safe bike course at schools and parks. Shayne also reported that the City of Brunswick was a Honorable Mention in their application for Bicycle Friendly Community.

**Public Comment**

Vladimir Tolskiy said he was there to hear from the Sheriff's Office and was pleased to hear from them.

**Meeting was adjourned at 7:20 pm**