

Minutes: Conway Bicycle Advisory Board
August 4, 2010

Members Present: Greg Reddin, Peter Mehl, Jennifer Boyett, Erik Leamon

Members Absent: Wes Pruitt, Greg Kendrick, Diane Robinson

Others Present: City Engineer Ronnie Hall, Mayor Tab Townsell, City Planner Wes Craiglow

In this meeting the board discussed the Conway area bicycle map that is being produced by the Chamber of Commerce. A first draft was presented and the following changes were suggested:

- Streets not included in the bike route network should be an inconspicuous gray color so they can be seen, but will not be prominent features on the map.
- Street names should be in a larger font and offset from the center of the line representing them. They should also be repeated less frequently.
- Cadron Settlement should be marked on the map.
- Inset maps of important areas like trails, campus, downtown should be created.
- The city limits do not need to be noted on the map.
- Trails near and south of UCA relating to Campus Crest development and other areas need to be added.
- Keep park boundaries on the map and label them.
- Map will include 4 popular outlying routes. Erik will help coordinate this.
- The map should contain bicycling info, tips, etc., and links to local cycling websites.
- Peter will talk to Kathy about layout & design and see if she will attend a meeting on the regular August meeting date. We'd like to use some existing maps such as the map for Portland, OR as a guide.

We have 2 nominations for the open seats on the board. They are Jim Bruce and Lynn Schaefer. Peter also mentioned asking Kathy Wyrick as an ex officio member.

Wes Craiglow suggested that we open up nominations in October for next year's board. This would coincide with the open nominations for other city boards.

It was mentioned that Hwy 64 West needs cleaning to Menifee. The shoulders are not rideable and this route is to be used for the Conway Fall Classic on September 18.

The Safe Routes to School group was given the go ahead to use grant funds to purchase a mobile bike rodeo platform as long as it contains SRTS markings.