

**ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY
BIKE AND PEDESTRIAN MASTER PLAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES**

February 12, 2018

The Athens-Clarke County Bike and Pedestrian Master Plan Committee met at a public meeting on Monday, February 12, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was held at 780 Barber Street, Athens, Georgia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Cook, Tyler Dewey, Tony Eubanks, Daisy Mathis,
David Oygunsanya, Mark Ralston, Ken Sherman

MEMBERS ABSENT: Dodd Ferrelle, Robert Holden, Carol Myers, Eric Nesmith,
Julius Thomas

STAFF PRESENT: Sandy Beasley, Tim Griffeth, Drew Raessler

Approval of Minutes:

Mr. Eubanks moved to approve the minutes of the January 8, 2018 meeting as written. Ms. Cook seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Firefly Trail Ticket to Ride, March 24, 2018: Mr. Sherman offered a reminder of the community bike ride event on March 24th. For the first time a small portion of the ride will be on the Trail.

Update from Public Works: Mr. Raessler noted that the west end sidewalk segment of Prince Avenue is one of ten under some stage of development utilizing the sidewalk gap program. This project is one of four state route segments (along with South Milledge Avenue, Lexington Road, and West Broad Street) covered by a GDOT grant. The Prince Avenue project extends from Sunset to Pound Street. The goal is to be under construction by early Fall.

The Future of Athens in Motion Post-Toole Design Group: Mr. Raessler said that the charge of the Mayor was to review the plans, assist staff in developing an RFP, and develop a bicycle / pedestrian master plan. There was no direction from the Mayor to continue past completion of the plan.

Mr. Eubanks stressed the importance of maintaining communications (including inter-departmental communications) with the Planning Department and Leisure Services Department.

Citations Issued for FTY in crosswalk:

Mr. Eubanks discussed several ACCPD stings at crosswalks recently. One he noted was on Milledge Avenue at Clarke Central, where numerous citations were issued.

Toole Design Group: Mr. Boughman introduced Beverly Davis of RS&H, Inc. and Michael Kray of Jacobs. They assisted with the interactive map exercise.

He noted that the public comment section of the website will be taken down in the next week. The Committee will receive the refined network with a draft prioritization at the March meeting. TDG will, in the interim, provide prioritization criteria online.

Mr. Boughman distributed a document describing land use context.

The rest of the meeting was spent labeling 28 cross sections on the map using the land use context.

The next meeting of this Committee will be Monday, March 12th at 6:00 at 780 Barber Street.

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.