DENVER MAYOR’S BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
5:30-7:00; January 11th, 2018
Room 4.I.5, Wellington Webb Building, 201 West Colfax, Denver, CO 80202

AGENDA

Notes: Infrastructure Committee

Welcome: 5:30

New Member Welcome and Introductions: 5:35-5:55

City Park Master Plan Discussion: 5:55-6:15 (Libby Kaiser)

Retreat Priorities Discussion: 6:15-6:30 (Jordan Block and Group)

Sub Committee Chairperson announcements: 6:30-6:45
  Infrastructure (Brian Carroll)
  Education (Noreen Ahmed)
  Policy (Cali Zimmerman)

Public Comment/Announcements: 6:45-7:00
The public may address the Committee on any matter within the jurisdiction of
the Committee. Should not relate to any item on this agenda since the Committee will
take public comment after it discusses and/or before voting on each agenda item. Limit
to three minutes. Longer discussion may be slated for following month.
MBAC General Meeting Notes

January 11, 2018
Wellington Webb Building Room 4.1.5
201 W. Colfax Avenue

Intros

- Everyone gave intro and what they like about biking in Denver
- Alex Pankonin - President of Bike Denver showed up

City Park Master Plan Discussion

- Libby has been interfacing with the city park master planning committee
- Draft recommendation have been distributed
  - 3 plans
    - Draft 1 - Minimal change
    - Draft 2 – No one ways, and change in East leg of Promenade
    - Draft 3 – Combo of one way and two way
- Discussion likes
  - Promenade extensions
- Discussion Dislikes
  - One ways. Especially at the esplanade entrance
- Suggestions
  - Created a way-pointed loop around the park
  - Implement cyclo-cross type improvements
  - Single track loop around the park similar to Ruby Hill
  - Prioritize ped/bike as a philosophy “it’s a park”
- Promenade suggestions
  - Asphalt over concrete
  - We like the crusher fines
  - We like stripping to separate ped and bikes
  - No reason to reduce the width of the paved area
- We’d like to be able to help prioritize improvements if there are funding constraints
- Public meeting in early Feb at nature and science museum

Retreat Priorities

- Will schedule for next month
- What was good last year?
  - Important priorities activity with Parry Burnap
- Focus areas established last year
  - Equity
  - GO bond
  - Blueprint Denver
- Suggestions
  - Get Parry
- Lets try to set correct expectations on projects that will be completed and those that
  will not be prioritized
  - Be upfront with the public
- Have a GO bond 101 discussion especially for new members
- Denver right - Mandated policy were ped/bike focus is ingrained in the city process
- Bike sharing – It would be a good opportunity to create a stance
- Complete Streets – Wants input on Broadway design
- Try to attend more public meetings / maybe instead of a sub-committee meeting
- Need to decide on the day and location
  - Discussion on equity
    - Point 1 – We didn’t seem to have a direct impact on it
    - Point 2 – It was useful to have it as a lens to view things throughout the year
    - Point 3 – It helps show that we are diverse as a group and have diverse viewpoints

Comments
- Jordan, the city is open to recruit more MBAC members to increase diversity
- Need to replace Tracy and Paul on their external commitments
- Vision zero rep
  - They have changed from planning to implementation focus

Sub-committee
- Infrastructure
  - Description of project and mission
  - City is looking for two additional D routes for new wayfinding
    - Submit suggestions and or/attend the next infrastructure meeting next week on
      Wed @ 5:30 at the Next Door lounge (Franklin and 17th)
- Education
  - They been working on the school bike accessibility and would love to have additional
    member
- Policy
  - Evaluate and inform the mayor on bike policy
  - They worked on the issue of cars in bike lanes
  - Upcoming focus will be working with DPD about the bikes they recover to donate them
    rather than auction them
  - They are trying to integrate better with city planning
  - They don’t have a regular meeting

Public Comment
- None