

**Kure Beach Bike/Ped Committee
Meeting Minutes: 3/07/2022
Recorded by CAF**

Present members: Eileen Clute (EC), Candy Ashton-Forrester (CAF), Mo Linquist (ML), Steve Shumate (SS), Cindy Maier (CM), Jerry Clark (JC)

Guests:

Commissioner: Allen Oliver (AO)

Absent: Garner Von Cannon (GV)

Staff: Nikki Keely, Sean Geer

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Call to order	at: 3:00 pm	ML
Roll Call	See above	
Approval of Agenda	Motion by SS, seconded by EC	Motion approved
Approval of Minutes	Motion made by EC to approve the Feb. 2022 minutes, seconded by SS	Motion approved
Public Comment		
Presentation		
Old Business	<p>East Coast Greenway: ML East Coast Greenway Alliance (ECGA) has recently hired a new Coordinator for North Carolina, Andrew Meeker. He is coming to NHC and would like to meet with KB Bike/Ped on Monday, April 11th, 5:30 PM—ML, EC, CAF and AO will meet with him (CM will be the alternate)</p> <p>Bike/Ped Website: CM reported that the Traffic Garden, Tour de Blueberry, and Watch for Me-NC</p> <p>Bike/Ped Committee</p> <p>Emails/Correspondence: ML will ask Mandy about adjusting the dual authentication security access so each</p>	

committee member can access it without a code.

SS reported on the letter from Diane Hodapp Shore Break Bikes. ML requested committee members read and be ready to discuss her ideas at the Mar. meeting

Bicycles on the Beach: AO met with various town representatives from Carolina Beach and Kure Beach. The decision was made to put any policies on hold until there is a problem. If that occurs the two police departments will meet to determine a plan.

Update on Intersections and Master Plan: AO reported there is no new information on the grant money KB received from WMPO for the intersection of K Ave. and Ft. Fisher Blvd.

KB Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan:

- SG reported the comments on the draft plan have been sent to ALTA
- Draft plan will be ready for comment on March 11th -31st and, posted on-line
- Draft plan will be presented to Town Council, March 21st, 6 PM
- Final plan will be presented to Town Council on April 11th, 6 PM
- Presentation to WMPO Board, May 25th to adopt the final plan.

Traffic Garden:

- MO has the kit
- EC will pick up the swag
- CA-F will write thank-you notes to Island Women for \$500 donation and Island Men for donating 2 bikes (1 boys/1 girls) and 2 helmets for raffle
- SS will get COI from Tony Silvagni as well as logs from Tony and Diane at Shorebrakes for flyer

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning meetings Monday, April 14th, 6 PM –ML, EC, CM & AO; Thursday, March 17th 10 AM—ML, SO, CA-F 	
New Business	<p>Town Ethics Policy: ML sent to committee via email for the members to review.</p> <p>2022 Budget request (2022-2023 \$87,500 ask):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crosswalk improvements: \$75,000 for 3 crosswalks (K Ave. & Settlers Ave a priority) • Sidewalk to Town Hall: \$10,000 • BikeWalkNC: \$1,500 • Educational materials: \$1,000 • EC motioned to approve as, CM seconded 	Motion approved
Updates and Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LoTide run Saturday March 12, 2022 • Tour De Blueberry – June 18th, in-person only– EC will provide more information at the April meeting • MAY Bike Month • River to Sea ride May 7th 	
Next meeting	April 4, 2022, 3 PM, Town Hall	
Adjournment	Motion to adjourn at 4:23 PM	