



**Queen Anne's County Bicycle and  
 Pedestrian Advisory Committee**  
 1945 4-H Road  
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11/12/2020

Subject: Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee Minutes 11/12 Zoom Meeting

Mtg Duration: 1 hr. 54 mins

Attendees: Bob Zillig, Nancy Scozzari, Steve Pringle, John Leone, Leslie Sandoz, Terry Morris (Absent: Paul Lombardo and Mary Ann Skilling)

Location: **Zoom Teleconference Meeting**

**Action Items:**

<i>Who</i>	<i>What</i>	<i>When</i>
Paul	Attend PRAB board meetings, representing BPAC priorities (meets every third Monday of the month). Meetings are open and BPAC members are encouraged to occasionally attend	Ongoing
Nancy, Paul, Steve	Continue to work to implement Natural Surface Single Track Trail in QAC, at Terrapin Park Still ongoing	Update next mtg
Nancy	Meet with Paul and Vicky about consultants' timelines.	Update next mtg.
Leslie	Schedule BPAC team member trail rides (for those that can attend) to help raise awareness of issues, gaps, potential growth opportunities throughout the trail system.	Prior Next meeting depending on Covid
Paul/Nancy	Need to refresh/update <b><i>Bicycle and Pedestrian Circulation and Connectivity MAP</i></b> in preparation for inclusion in 2020 Comprehensive Plan so that it can be an effective tool for reviewing all development projects during the Planning zoning review process.	Prior to Comp Plan 2020 approval
Terry	Establish "Trail Etiquette" rules for Trail users. This could then be posted on sign boards and on the county website. Work with Nancy as appropriate.	Next Meeting
Terry/Nancy	Terry publish minutes (via website) and work with Nancy to establish process for submitting BPAC minutes to PRAB team for their review.	Prior Meeting
Bob	Set-up next BPAC Quarterly meeting on ZOOM for 2021	December

### **Items Discussed or Shared:**

- Paul meets monthly with PRAB. Parks and beaches are the first priority.
- Leslie discussed Friends of Queen Anne's County Trail Facebook page (currently 163 members) and how Walktober was a great success. Walkability/Trailability has great interest right now.
- There is no ordinance right now for Sidewalk retrofit program due to 95% are state highway owned areas.
- Steve met with QAC Sheriff's office and became a member of the Volunteer Bike Patrol, which focuses on Safety and community public relations.
- There has been talk between county officials and the MAORE group about a new bike area near Terrapin Park. Further discussions are still underway with the biggest concern being liability issues. Working with the county on method of use.
- Nancy is working on updating the pedestrian and bicycle circulation maps. The consultant is falling a bit behind on the required timeline.
- New signage was discussed along the Cross Island trail. Signs will have a QR code on them that will take the user to the URL for the Pedestrian map.
- Mulch is being spread along asphalt trail edges to minimize trail drop-off dangers.
- Jim Moran talked about sign locations at the Oct 18th PRAB meeting regarding safety and challenging intersections. Nancy sent a letter to SHA and 2 of the 4 requested signs were approved. Nancy also met with Shane Moore.

### **Trail Projects and Opportunities Discussed:**

1. Gibsons Grant is petitioning the Planning Commission to stop public access agreement for the areas in Gibsons Grant 55 acres.
2. Trail being built from Davidson Rd to Mowbray Park (critical section for eventually joining Cross Island Trail to South Trail.
3. Development on a trail from the new Hyatt to the Crab Deck.
4. QAC 2020 Comp plan is currently in limbo. Public meetings will be forthcoming. Ideas and suggestions are welcomed to aid in the Master Plan.

Team members can familiarize themselves with BPAC team site at:  
<https://gis.qac.org/pedestrian>

**2021 Quarterly Meetings** held 7:00 PM at Chesapeake Heritage Center (Visitors Center) located at 425 Piney Narrows Road in Chester – upstairs in Barrett Room:  
**Q1: 2/11/2021      Q2: 5/13/2021      Q3: 8/12/2021      Q4: 11/11/2021**