

BIKE LODI MEETING MINUTES
MAY 20, 2019
LODI LIBRARY 6:00 P.M.

ATTENDEES: KATHRYN SIDDLE, BILL MITCHELL, JEFF PELL, DOUG BOJACK, SALWA BOJACK, JONI BAUER, STEVE KNUTSON, GORDON MACKAY, ERIC WEISZ, KEN MEYERS, ANDY GRUTMAN, ANITA HERMAN, J.D. WIKERT, DIANNA STEIN

THE MINUTES FROM THE APRIL 2019 MEETING WERE REVIEWED AND APPROVED.

TREASURER'S REPORT: THERE IS \$3886 IN THE ACCOUNT, 2 BIKE VALET'S WERE HELD IN APRIL AND \$82 OF TIPS WERE COLLECTED. A CHECK FOR \$178 WAS WRITTEN FOR A MEMORIAL PLAQUE FOR TOM SHOCK IN CANDYCANE PARK PLUS STICKERS AND DECALS.

SOCIAL MEDIA REPORT: SALWA REPORTED THAT WHEN SEARCHING "BIKE LODI" ON THE INTERNET, OUR WEBSITE COMES UP IN THE TOP TWO LISTINGS. THE MOST RECENT NEWSLETTER HAD 1000+ HITS AND BIKE TO WORK HAD 400 HITS.

OLD BUSINESS:

RECAP ADVENTIST HEALTH WALK FOR THE HEALTH OF IT: DOUG AND SALWA WORKED THE ENTIRE EVENT REPRESENTING BIKE LODI AND SHARING THE BOOTH WITH A PEDIATRICIAN, DR. NUNEZ-DAVIS(?). THE SAN JOAQUIN PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT PROVIDED 100 HELMETS FOR CHILDREN IN NEED. DOUG AND SALWA FITTED THE CHILDREN WITH THEIR NEW HELMETS.

RECAP OF BIKE TO WORK: APPROXIMATELY 28 PEOPLE ATTENDED THE BIKE TO WORK DAY.

RECAP OF BIKE TO BEER: 27 PEOPLE ATTENDED BIKE TO BEER AT IDOL BEER WORKS. THEY RECEIVED A BIKE LODI COASTER AND \$1 OFF THEIR FIRST BEER.

RECAP OF ZINFEST BIKE VALET: DUE TO WEATHER, 1 BIKE WAS PARKED AT THE BIKE VALET AT ZINFEST.

JULY 4TH PLANNING: KATHRYN PROVIDED ATTENDEES WITH A LIST OF ITEMS THAT WILL BE NEEDED TO SET UP THE BIKE CORRAL AT THE KIWANA'S PANCAKE BREAKFAST AT LODI LAKE. EIGHT (8) VOLUNTEERS FROM LODI ADOPT-A-CHILD WILL BE HELPING WITH THE EARLY MORNING SET-UP AND KATHRYN PASSED AROUND A SIGN UP SHEET FOR SHIFTS THROUGHOUT THE MORNING.

BIKE RACKS UPDATE: 5 BIKE RACKS HAVE ARRIVED, ONE DONATED BY THOMAS SHOCK'S FAMILY FOR CANDYCANE PARK, 4 OTHERS WILL BE INSTALLED IN THE DOWNTOWN AREAS SIDE STREETS (PINE, ELM, OAK AND WALNUT).

LUSD & HEALTHY SAN JOAQUIN COLLABORATIVE JUNE 3RD, 10:00-1:00 AT HERITAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: KATHRYN IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR HELMET FITTING AND RULES OF THE ROAD EDUCATION.

NEW BUSINESS:

FARMER'S MARKET BIKE VALET: MARTY AND CHRISTY WEYBRET ARE WORKING THIS WEEK'S BIKE VALET. ANDY AND ANITA ARE COVERING THE LAST THURSDAY IN MAY.

PUBLIC BICYCLES WORK STATION: DOUG INTRODUCED THE IDEA OF PLACING A BICYCLE REPAIR WORK STATION IN FRONT OF THE LODI LIBRARY. THE COST IS ABOUT \$1500 AND DOUG SUGGESTED WE RAISE FUNDS FOR IT'S PURCHASE AT THE FARMERS MARKET BIKE VALET AND POSSIBLY RAFFLE THE DONATED BIKE TO HELP FUND IT.

501(c) 3 STATUS AND REVIEW OF THE BYLAWS: SALWA SUBMITTED THE APPLICATION FOR BIKE LODI TO BECOME A 501(c)3 ORGANIZATION. THE APPLICATION WAS SUBMITTED ON MAY 9, 2019. SHE HAS BEEN MAKING EDITS

TO THE BYLAWS AND REVIEWING BYLAWS OF OTHER CYCLING ORGANIZATIONS WITH THIS STATUS.

CALTRANS SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING GRANT GREENLINE FISCAL STUDY: DOUG JUST SECURED AN \$80,000 GRANT FOR THE CITY OF LODI TO DO A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON TURNING THE RAIL LINE FROM DOWNTOWN TO LODI LAKE.

BIKE LODI BOARD CHANGES: ANDY AND ANITA SUBMITTED THEIR RESIGNATIONS FROM THE BOARD AND POSITION OF SECRETARY. KATHRYN ACKNOWLEDGED AND THANKED ANDY AND ANITA FOR ALL THEIR WORK, SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY ON BEHALF OF BIKE LODI

NEXT MEETING JUNE 24, 2019 AT 6:00 P.M. AT THE LODI LIBRARY