FCEG Board Meeting Agenda

September 15, 2022 at 6:00pm at Church Street Brewing Company

Mission statement: "To promote, support, and improve cycling in Elk Grove"

Directors present: Dave S., Mike C., Lisa W., Lynn W., Kristin R. Wayne O. Directors absent: None

Attendees:

A. Call to order and approval of 8/15/22 meeting minutes: 6:09 pm Mike C., motioned, Lisa W., seconded, All approved

B. Officer Reports

- 1. President (Dave)
 - a. Assign board members to develop new policies (see D2 below)
- 2. Vice President (Mike)
 - a. Election VP Mike C will be running. Secretary Lynn W., will be running
- 3. Treasurer (Lisa)
 - a. Current available funds (checking and PayPal): \$20,542.15
 - b. Recent income:
 - c. Recent expenses:
 - d. Approval of Treasurer Report:
 - e. 2023 budget: Lynn W motioned, Kristin R., seconded, All approved
- 4. Secretary (Lynn)
 - a. Upcoming compliance tasks and deadlines:

C. Action Team Reports (Chair)

- 1. Busse Woods Bike Pit Stops (Kathy K):
 - a. Pitstops on 9/24 and 10/8
- 2. Cycling Without Age (Sarah S):
- 3. Events and Volunteers (Dave S and Kim M):
 - a. Hometown Parade on 9/17:
 - b. Community Bike Ride on 9/18:
- 4. Group Rides (Darryl D and Ron S): Darryl has one upcoming long ride. Hoping to have an additional ride leader for 2023
- 5. Membership and Communication (Lynn W and Kristin R):
- 6. Sponsorship (Mike C and Wayne O):
- 7. Social (Lisa W): Get together either in Fall or Jan 2023

D. New Business

- 1. October election: Vice president and secretary on ballot
 - a. Committee members: VP (Mike), Lisa (other board member), member (???)
- 2. Conflict of Interest and Member Duties & Expectations Lynn W. will work with Dave S on this
- 3. FCEG Busse Woods Habitat Restoration Workday options: 11/5 or 11/27 (scheduled workdays) or 12/3, 12/4, or 12/17 Will be 11/5/2022

E. Old Business (owner – individual or Action Team (AT))

- 1. Fix-It Station at Busse Woods (Dave)
- 2. Outreach to boost Action Team involvement (Board and members)
- 3. Merchandise order with Life Behind Bars Cycling (Lisa and Lynn)
- 4. Proceeds from Busse Woods Night Ride (LINK)
- 5. EGHS Cycling Club: awaiting more information from students (TBD)
- 6. FCEG rack card (Kristin and Dave)
- 7. Sales tax exemption (Lisa)
- 8. NW suburban advocate meeting (Events AT)
- 9. Bike scholarship (TBD)
- 10. Develop junior board member job description (Dave)
- 11. Outreach to D59 and D54 about bike education (Events & Volunteers AT)

F. Upcoming Events and Volunteer Opportunities

- 1. 9/17: Hometown Parade
- 2. 9/17: Bike Palatine's Oktoberfest Ride
- 3. 9/18: EGV Community Bike Ride
- 4. 9/24: Busse Woods Bike Pit Stop
- 5. 10/8: Busse Woods Bike Pit Stop
- 6. 10/12: Illinois Bike Summit in Champaign

G. Key Action Items from FCEG Strategy Meetings

- Develop schedule and tasks for membership campaign
- Develop communication approach (frequency of email, etc)
- Revise action teams to align with goals (<u>responses</u> to date)
- Integrate follow-ups and information sharing at all events, including group rides
- Choose top partners and develop elevator pitch related to collaboration
- Identify specific needs that we could pay someone to manage (newsletter, website, etc)
- Identify advocacy goals for 2022. Examples include:
 - Campaign to promote biking and walking for short trips ("Ditch your car day or week")
 - o Identify top 3 infrastructure projects included to EGV Bike Plan and share with EGV

H. Board Meeting adjourned: 6:40 pm Lynn W, motioned, Lisa W., seconded, All approved

I. Member Participation / Q&A: