

**Capital District Transportation Committee  
Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee  
December 11, 2018  
Agenda**

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**2.0 Upcoming Meetings**

Meetings Open to the Public:

*🚲 Happy Holidays! See you next year! 🚲*

**\*NEXT CDTC BIKE & PED ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING:  
January 8, 2018 at 9:00AM at CDTC\***

**Capital District Transportation Committee**  
**Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee**

December 11, 2018 Meeting Notes

**Attendance:**

Linda von der Heide, Rensselaer County; Jennifer Hogan, NYSDOH; James Rath, City of Troy; Mike O'Toole, Bikeatoga; Carrie Dunn-Herrera, Schenectady County Public Health Services; Lauren Stairs, Schenectady County Public Health Services; Valerie Deane, NYSDOT Region 1; Martin Daley, CDRPC; Lorenz Worden, Albany Bicycle Coalition; John Gillivan, Colonie Resident/Albany Bicycle Coalition; Calvin MacDowell, Capital Roots; Dan Craven, Albany Bike Rescue; Suzanne Swan, Albany County DOH; Lindsay Zefting, Alta; Elaine Troy, Rotterdam Resident; David Downes, Albany Bicycle Coalition; Fred Mastroianni, GPI; Dave Kraus, NYBC; Jen Ceponis, CDTC; Jordan Solano-Reed, CDTC; Sandy Misiewicz, CDTC; Rima Shamieh, CDTC

**1.0 New Business**

**1.1 Welcome and Introductions**

**1.2 Presentation: 2018 Mini-Grant Roundup – an overview of 2018 Capital Coexist Traffic Safety Ambassador projects:**

- **Bikeatoga Mini-Grant Projects:**
  - Earn a bike program through volunteering
  - Helmet giveaways
  - Bike to work day with a competition and breakfast
  - Bike to school day
  - Providing lights and bicycle gear
  - Hosting a bike repair station
  - In March,
    - Bike workshops
  - In April
    - Bike rodeo partnership
  - In May
    - Weekly riders, seminar riders
  - In December
    - Kids holiday bike event
- **Village of Colonie Mini-Grant Projects:**
  - Locust Park Bicycle & Pedestrian Safety Demo Fest
    - Over a dozen interested orgs and muni partners
  - Road diet pilot
  - Educational component
  - Media blitz, donor support
    - News, flyers
  - Partnerships with Village of Colonie DPW for paint, etc
  - Takeaways:
    - “Can’t get started too early!”

- Businesses want to donate/participate
  - Assign a Photographer
- Albany Bike Rescue
  - Operates out of Trinity Alliance on Trinity Pl in Albany
  - 2-years as a non-profit
  - Gear and literature distribution
  - Provided vouchers to immigrants, refugees, and other new, low-income residents
  - Goal of giving away 50 good bikes
    - Gave away 42!
  - Earn a bike through volunteering program
- Capital Roots
  - Demos throughout 2018
  - Schenectady, Watervliet
    - Enhanced intersections
  - Schenectady: Liberty and Jay
    - Painted bump-outs, bollards
    - Information campaigning: "Take one" box at City Hall
    - Green Market
  - Slowed traffic, ladder crosswalks
  - Got written support for paint, temporary bollards, and demo projects – essential to project successes
  - Capital Roots did the paint, City did street sweeping, outlining, bollards
  - Demo crosswalks don't last
  - Bump-outs and similar are good, because people don't drive over them
  - Watervliet – similar project at 13<sup>th</sup>

### 1.3 CDTC Updates

#### 1.3.1 2019 Capital Coexist Mini-grants: Applications due Jan 31<sup>st</sup>

- Albany County Library has a materials lending library for Albany County municipalities - Speed guns, cones, painting machine, etc.
- AARP Pop-up/Demonstration Toolkit recommended

#### 1.3.2 LOS evaluation subcommittee – CDTC will be reviewing methodologies for bike and pedestrian LOS in 2019

#### 1.3.3 2019-24 TIP Update schedule & process – review by BPAC in January

#### 1.3.4 2019-20 Linkage Solicitation – due December 14

#### 1.3.5 Regional Safety Action Plan update – no updates at this time

#### 1.3.6 Bicycle data collection overview & status – no updates at this time

#### 1.3.7 2018-19 Bicycle & Pedestrian Education Series – APBP Webinar Dec 12, with continued series in 2019

#### 1.3.8 Complete Streets Advisory Committee Update(s) – no updates.

1.3.9 Smart Communities Task Force Update – CDTC expects a Smart Streetlights Guide for the Capital Region from Saratoga Springs, with techs and specs

1.4 TAP/CMAQ – NYSDOT had received a number of pre-applications and the final application deadline was August 16<sup>th</sup>. No updates on finalists.

1.5 Linkage Updates – See Linkage update table.

1.6 Local Program Updates

- Georgetown Climate & Change Initiative
  - Read the roundtable summaries at <https://www.georgetownclimate.org/articles/tci-listening-session-summary-report.html>

1.7 Other Updates – no updates at this time

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