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| 1    | Welcome, introductions, arrangements for the evening, apologies  
Present: Co-Convenors: David Brennan (DB) Iona Shepherd (IS)  
Committee members: Peter Hayman (PH), Calum Cook (CC), Joel Cooney (JC), John Donnelly (JD), Jeremy Stevenson (JS), Patricia Fort (PF), Brenda Lillicrap (BL), Rachel McGuire (RM)  
Members: Bob Downie (BD), Richard Lee, Euan Muir |
| 2    | Minutes of previous meeting, matters arising  
Minutes accepted.  
BL has given info on GoBike becoming a company limited by guarantee via Slack – agree to not take further at present. |
| 3    | Convenor’s report (details from report circulated)  
1. Web Group  
New website now up and running with added Evidence page, Resources page - Flyers and handlebar loops on website to download and print off  
2. Cycling Scotland Conference  
Attended by Peter (PH), Tricia (PF) and Iona (IS)  
PH – possible tie up with CTC for campaigning / IS – keep separate group identity – can join forces for shared concerns.  
Sally H – no dates for updated version of Cycling by Design – maybe better to adopt London Cycling (TfL?) proposals instead?  
3. Byres Road  
Consultation findings were released showing that the public overwhelmingly do not think the plans are safe for cycling. Amendment was passed at committee to push council to address full length segregated cycle lanes and a commitment to reduce through traffic in new plans being worked up. We have been assured we will be invited to new design events.  
Need to counter business objections to scheme before it gets scuppered. Pressure on Anna Richardson - help by supplying evidence – Euan / Emily.  
4. World Car Free Day  
Very successful with around a thousand attendees throughout the day.  
Hope for bigger event next year.  
5. GoBike article in national iNews  
Article in Environment section - Campaigners using carrot-cake and stick tactics  
6. STV Scotland Tonight  
Iona (IS) went on to talk about Chris Hoy’s call to end an Us and Them attitude on the road, with Alan Douglas, motoring journalist |
| 7. | Cycling UK Volunteers Awards  
GoBike shortlisted as Outstanding Campaign Group and Tricia (PF) shortlisted as Outstanding Campaign Individual. Both made the final three. |
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| 8. | Traffic Calming  
We have recently been taking an alternative approach to responses to TROs involving the installation of speed tables for traffic calming. Road planners can use cycle lanes as part of speed reduction approach. Need holistic design – not special interest silos. |
| 9. | Cycling Diversions around Works  
Conversation with council continues and have put call out on twitter for people to send in current photos to LES, The guidelines sent to contractors have been provided to us and a promise has been made to bring up the sign placement and misuse of Cyclists Dismount signs at contractor liaison meetings. |
| 10. | Active Travel Forum  
Iona (IS) attended this. Presentations on current status of LES cycle ways followed by a presentation from Derek Dunsire from DRS on the City Centre Avenues and City Region Deal. |
| 11. | Very Bad Parkers Campaign  
Fliers ready and copy for website written by Rachel (RM). Decision has been made to hold this campaign until Spring. |
| 12. | Councillor Tours  
Bob took out Bailie Kyle Thornton and showed him the notorious Auldhouse Roundabout. After a comment the councillor made in Bob’s blog regarding lack of funding to improve the conditions, Stephan from Sustrans contacted us to explain that there is funding from Community Links fund – up to 100% design and 75% construction costs?? |
| 13. | East Ren Meeting  
Early stages but want an Active travel forum for their area. John Shelton plans for five active travel corridors. Bob and Joel (JC) to represent GoBike. Maybe extend Councillor tours in this area – in Spring. Bob has volunteered to start this. Need to start organaising in January. Brenda to help coordinate. Bob has Strava information for area for usage/accident blackspots Rachel (RM) agrees to help find other local members. |
| 14. | SPT Working Group  
We’ve been invited to sit on this – John (JD) and Rachel (RM) will be our representatives and feedback via the committee channel on Slack. |

**4** Consultations  
TF calls for written feedback from meetings attended to go in Digest posts

**5** AGM – Saturday 17 November 2018 at Collabor8te  
Run through of structure of meeting  
Committee member re/election  
Jeremy (JS) on door. John and Calum (JD)/(CC) on registration and re/new

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| membership and T shirts  
DB to facilitate Q and A session  
Bike parking in office  
PF suggests T shirts for speakers  
PH to collect Paul from station? IS to ask him if wanted?  
Table at Brewdog booked 6:30 | JD bring computers  
JD bring backdrop slides |   |
| **6** | **Active travel** – see Convenor’s notes |   |
| **7** | **Obstructed paths/ Bad parking** see Convenor’s notes |   |
| **8** | **GoBike Social**  
Tues 11 December – room upstairs at Old Hairdressers for 7 pm |   |
| **9** | **Treasurer’s report**  
Draft report before AGM – to go to Fergus for check  
£2002 in  
£2083 out  
£2680 balance |   |
| **10** | **AOB**  
POP plans for local actions – Stirling / Dundee in April  
Possible other (guerilla) events Paisley? Glasgow? Lanarkshire? |   |