

CAW monthly meeting, 4 August 2009  
by Nicola

Present: Alastair, Mark, Nicola, Christina, Paul, Janie, Julian, Ian and Stuart  
Apologies: Robert, Jane, Russell

1. Minutes of previous meeting

Comment from Mark on process for reviewing minutes before posting on website

Discretion an issue? Possibility of posting privately for a week first?

Alastair – want minutes to be posted as a CAW document.

General process – email minutes secretary (Nicola) to request any changes

Note to be posted to encourage people to check accuracy/suitability

various comments about issues with website

Approved subject to those changes (WCC focus is on...)

2. Update from GWRC

Cycles on trains to stay with status quo – afterward potential for restriction to off peak hours.

Meeting did agree to maximise usage of cycle spaces = some improvement.

Health and Safety issues with bikes inside buses.

A case needs to be made for the need for carriage of bikes – confidence building, support role

Prioritisation of the bus service to Karori – good test case

Issue with mix of diesel/trolleys – need some sort of reliability

Cost of rack \$2000 – agreed not really an issue

How to get issue on the agenda?

350.org trying to get free transportation for the day (on the ferry) – connection to this issue?

Time to move on – agreement of importance of this issue to CAW, general support for further work.

3. Payments:

\$50 for stamps (Teresa)

\$104.34 auditor's invoice

\$1398.68 levy from CAN for chainlinks and affiliation

Issue with old brochure having wrong membership rate. Alastair moves that expenses be accepted, seconded by Nicola and Stuart

Carried.

4. Update from WCC – not happening

5. Cycle into summer

Suggestion that it should be first (mon, tues, etc.) day of the month for simplicity

350.org too close to start of cycle into summer – possibility for promotion? Christina to investigate.

Beginning of September deadline for new events. Christina suggests follow up event to 350.org.

Christina and Julian volunteer to do something, will report back next meeting. Ian suggests a city centre race.

6. Regional Active Transport Forum Update

Craig not present. Next meeting in Porirua. Alastair may attend to represent GHW.

GHW and bikes on trains important issues.

NZTA road sweeping on SH shoulders, also speed limits mentioned.

## 7. Submissions

Julian has done a submission on the speed limits (also Council wishes to be able to mandate 10 and 90 km/hr). Supported issue, and mentioned support for use of 40 km/hr in Riddiford St.

8. Aro Street/Tinakori reduced speed limit proposal – Julian to do submission.
9. Kilbirnie Town Plan – workshops 11/25 Aug, 8 Sept – **volunteer needed – any locals?**
10. Heaphy – submissions needed to get trail opened (check doc or ground effect website for more info)
11. Feedback – just Julian re speed limits
12. Website – David and Neil to report back next month? Work still needs to be done.
13. Cycle friendly awards nominations? Thought about NZTA and cycle lanes on SH2 – still some criticism/confusion. Especially re Ngauranga. Need to get back to Mark Edwards with more feedback. Need for consensus, consistent message.
14. GHW ride still planned for 24 October, plan for 9 am start in Eastbourne to get to Petone by noon, then meeting Frocks on bikes at main Wellington Station then down to waterfront. Contacts being made, radio ads and council involvement coming along.
15. CAN-DO New Plymouth November
16. Simon K doing a test of the Cycle/Walk planner – others welcome to join
17. Updates for CAN magazine Chainlinks by 2 September – promotion of 350 event to go in.

Meeting adjourns at 7:34pm.

Next meeting: First Tuesday of September, SX @ 6!