

JBAC Meeting 11/18/14
Jacksonville Recreation Center

1. Meeting called to order at 6:01. Present are: Suzy Michelson, Jack Plunk, Lynn Hoffman-Wirtz, visitor George Wirtz, Mike Langley, Ron Wilson, Chief Thompson.

2. Monies on #4 should be \$2,028.00. Motion to accept minutes of Sept. 23rd, by Lynn and second by Chief. Passed.

3. We are still working on the 5 E's diligently. Discussed and reviewed things we are doing like brochures, sharrows, etc.

4. Shirts ordered and picked up (15 page and 15 XL). \$1,788 left in the account after paying \$240 for the shirts. They are fluorescent green. Ron discussed changes made to the design. We will sell the shirts for the same amount--\$12. They will be put on the website (a picture) with info on how and where to purchase them.

5. Phase three on sharrows. Church may not be totally finished. May need to wait due to potential construction by county at the south end of the road. Greenleaf and George Douthit are candidates. Jack suggested Second, Woodward, Madison, and Goodlett. Chief asked about Alexandria between Greenleaf and Francis. Jack agreed and moved Chief's suggestion up on the list. This will be our draft for Phase three.

6. Mike suggested some sort of family ride on the trail to the state line and back sponsored by us. Do this as a way to make people aware of what we have. We would offer minimal support. We would do this in the spring. May 9 was suggested, so the ride would be in conjunction with the Challenge. We will think about this and discuss it later.

Ron talked about wanting more benches on the trail between Max Wellborn and Dry Creek Roads. That area isn't in our jurisdiction. Ron said he'd talk to Jack Holder. It could potentially be an Eagle Scout project.

Lynn asked about us doing the handouts at Walmart again or maybe Winn-Dixie instead. Sometime when it's warmer. We decided that might work out.

7. Jack mentioned that some towns do a Ride With the Mayor Day. Our mayor has a bike. Food for thought.

8. Jack showed us a Quick Guide about in-townon-street bicycle riding that's available from the LAB. They are \$1 each when bought in bulk. These would add to our educational materials. These would be good to have at Scott's and at the train station and to hand out. We are going to decide on an amount to get in January. All are in favor of buying some.

The blinking light at Alexandria-Jacksonville Road is dead in the water and has been removed because of damage. Jack explained why, discussing the maintenance being an issue. It will likely not be replaced.

Jack showed us pictures of fanciful artful bicycle racks. Mike talked about cities with bikes to rent or borrow, all of which are neat ideas.

8. Next meeting on January 20 at 6:00 pm.

9. Meeting adjourned at 6:54 pm.

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