

CITY OF NAMPA

NAMPA BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Regular Monthly Committee Meeting

January 12th, 2016

The regular monthly meeting of the Nampa Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (NBPAC) was held at Nampa City Hall Council Chambers on Thursday, January 12, 2016, beginning at 4:00 P.M., pursuant to notice duly posted by the City Clerk and provided to the individual committee members by e-mail. Present at the meeting were the following:

Committee Members:

- LaRita Schandorff, Chair
- Adam Haynes, Vice Chair
- Bruce Wiley, Acting Secretary
- Philip Peterson
- Meggan Manlove
- Eualeen Beukelman
- Jeremy Robbins

City of Nampa Staff:

- Karla Nelson, Community Planner
- Alex Hackett, Safe Routes to School Coordinator
- Cody Swander, Parks & Recreation
- Jeff Barnes, Staff Engineer
- Sandi Levi, Nampa City Council

Visitors:

- Tom Laws, COMPASS

I. **Welcome.** LaRita Schandorff opened the meeting. Sandi Levi was welcomed as our new city council Liaison, thank you Sandi!

2. **Approval of minutes of the previous meeting.** The minutes were approved as presented with no corrections. Motion to approve was made by Meggan Manlove and seconded by Adam Haynes.

3. **Additions or changes to the agenda.** None

COMMUNICATIONS

4. **Master plan timeline.** Adam Haynes asked if there was any timeline set for our review of the Transportation and Bike/Ped master plans. His concern is with having some advance notice of the schedule for this project. Karla and Jeff stated that nothing at all is planned yet and with the engineering department being short handed now there has been no opportunity to tackle this item.

OLD BUSINESS

5. **Bike and walk to downtown project update.** The project is slated to continue in March and is to be completed within 3 weeks. Jeff asked for our thoughts on the timing of a ribbon cutting event and a discussion ensued with various ideas. It was decided that perhaps having the ribbon cutting at the same time as the opening of the Farmer's Market downtown would be the best idea. We then threw out some ideas on who should be invited to the event. Mentioned was the Parks & Recreation Center, Lynda Clark, a UP rep, downtown leaders, chamber of commerce, economic development, etc.

NEW BUSINESS

6. **Pathway report and funding request.** Cody Swander reports that the grant funding for repairs to the Indian Creek pathway to the east of Sugar has been approved. West of Sugar was resurfaced last summer.

Lynda Clark has asked that we approve a request of funding for the Grimes Pathway in north Nampa. This project, in conjunction with a proposed new subdivision would complete the pathway from Karcher Rd at McDonagh park (east of Franklin), north and west to Franklin north of Birch. A motion was made by Phil Peterson and seconded by Bruce Wiley approving the request for RTP funding by the city.

7. **11th Avenue N project.** 11th Ave North will be rebuilt this summer from Birch out to Cherry and will include a 5 ft shoulder with fog line. It will be usable for cycling except when there are games going on at Optimist Park when cars will be using it for parking.

An RFB crossing will also be installed at the intersection with Canterbury across from Birch Elementary.

8. **Greenhurst/Stoddard path crossing.** Input is requested by Jeff on the draft design of an RFB beacon crossing at Greenhurst for the Stoddard Pathway with the associated parking and layout. (drawing attached). A discussion ensued.

9. **12th Ave S HAWK beacons***. A corridor study is going on to decide where to place crossings on 12th between Lake Lowell and 7th Ave S. Possible placement may be between Sherman and Dewey as well as between 10th and 12th Ave S.

10. **Midland/Wilson pathway HAWK***, in design

11. **Lake Lowell/Wilson pathway HAWK***, in design

12. **6th St North rebuild.** Planned for this coming summer from 16th Ave N west, this will include sharrow markings on the roadway.



13. **Permanent pathway counter.** A permanent counter will be installed on the Stoddard pathway by COMPASS to keep track of bike and pedestrian traffic; this helps the city of Nampa apply for new grant funds in the future. There was a lengthy discussion of where to install it on the trail. It will probably be located to the north of Greenhurst, Tom will go walk it to find the best spot.

14. **Winter Walk to School Day.** Alex Hackett mentions that so far 4 schools have signed up for a winter walk to school event in February and more may participate.

15. **Edwards Pathway.** Construction will begin in March for the new Edwards Pathway with one property ROW still being negotiated.

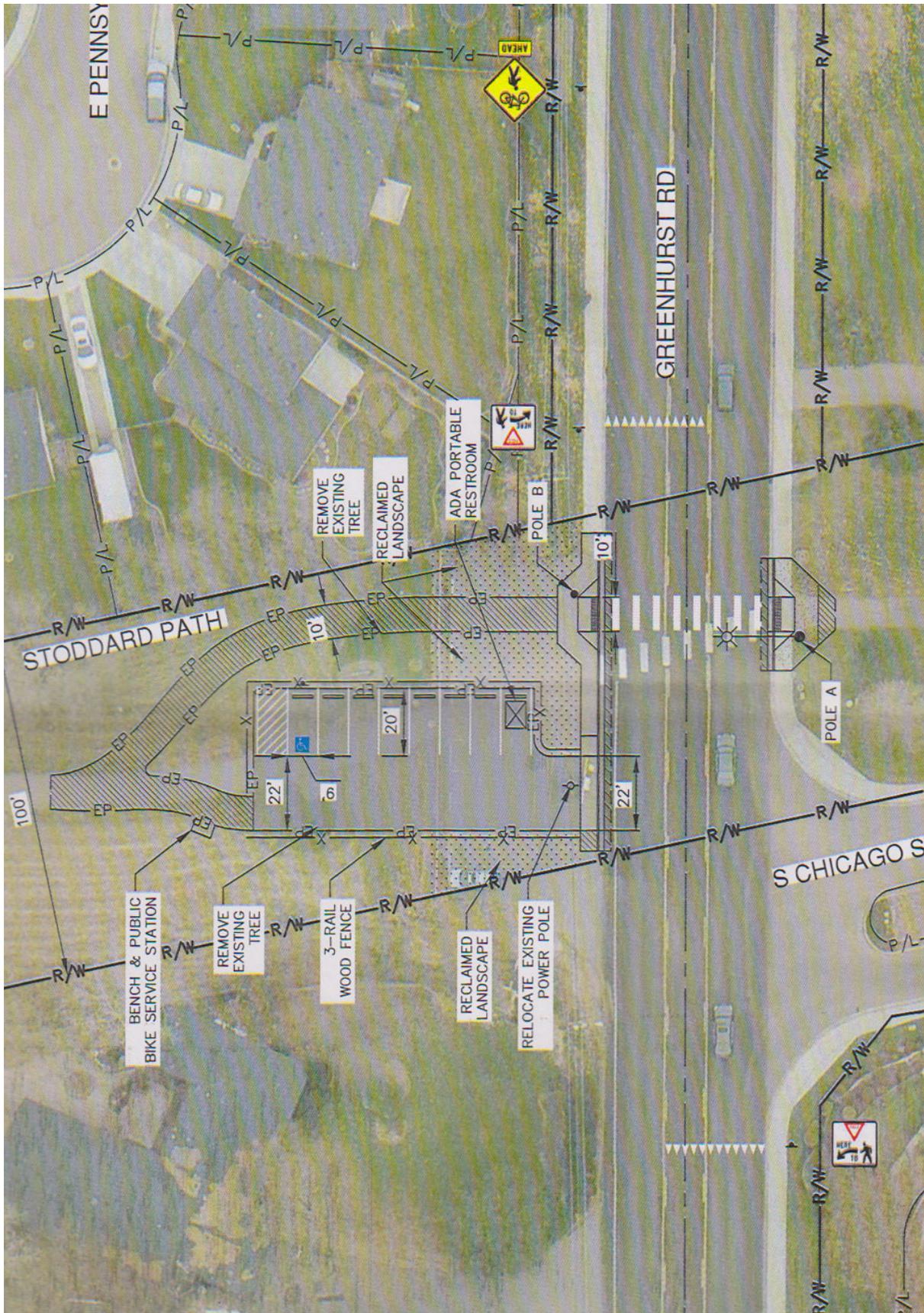
16. **Holly St.** The streets on the east side of NNU are being considered by engineering for conversion to bike lanes.

*HAWK beacon- **H**ight-intensity **A**ctivated cross**W**alk beacon

ADJOURNMENT

17. **Adjournment.** There being no further business to be brought before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:02 PM.

By Bruce Wiley



Crosswalk Advisory Committee Inquiry Locations

Crosswalk Advisory Locations

 Completed; Not Recommended (22)	 Pursue Funding/Information (23)
 Construction (6)	 Under Consideration (0)
 Design (13)	 New Inquiry (0)
 Funding Secured (10)	

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