

Complete Streets Committee
January 2020 Meeting Minutes

Date: 6pm, 1/23/20

Location: Community Room, Auburn City Hall

Committee Members Present: Roger Fuller, Dana Staples, Craig Saddlemire, Bob Rand, David Das
Larry Pelletier, Jeremiah Bartlett, Zach Pettengill.

Staff: Colton Bernier, Tony Beaulieu, Doug Greene

Community Members: Joe Gray

1) Updates:

- Jeremiah Bartlett -- DOT looking to revise minimum travel lane width; 10' lane possible.
- Larry Pelletier-- Concern re: visibility entering/exiting Dirigo CU on Main St Lewiston; visibility at Turner St crosswalk opposite YMCA.
- Doug Greene -- 2 projects to keep on the radar screen: 1) Saxon Partners project at the former Pineland property. 2) The proposed Dunkin Donuts at 420 Main St.
- Bob Rand -- How to keep bike racks clear of snow.

2) Approval of Minutes of meeting of 11/20/19. Motion by Larry Pelletier, second by Jeremiah Bartlett. Motion passed (8-0).

3) Colton Bernier:

- East Ave Mill and Fill project. Original plan was not to put in two-way left turn lanes. Study of crash report at Campus/East Ave suggests 2 way left turn lane could have prevented some accidents. DOT will require a new study -- waiting for the details about scope of study.
- Overview of sidewalk projects in basically the Tree Street neighborhood: new curbing, ADA ramps, 5 1/2' width.
- Early concept projects:
 - Jefferson/Caron/Barron intersection. Currently a funky layout. Tighten up width; add sidewalk from Colisée to Longley School; add crosswalk to path to LHS. Shift sidewalk to front of utility pole?
 - Discussion of sidewalk width on Birch St
 - Discussion of accident rate at Jefferson and Walnut

- o 2023 project: Mill and fill on Main St from Longley Bridge to Pettengill St. Discussion of the feasibility two-phase crossings at Main and Middle; Main and Lincoln -- Possibility of an island refuge?

4) Tony Beaulieu:

- Poland Road Mill and Fill. Bike lane striping to be added.
- Stetson Rd: repaving, curbing, striping. Addition of sidewalk from Center St. to North River Road.

5) City of Auburn Pedestrian Safety Mitigation Plan distributed. Discussion of its origins and purpose.

6) Officers re-elected: Craig Saddlemire, Chair; Jeremiah Bartlett, Vice Chair; David Das, Secretary. Motion by Bob Rand, second by Dana Staples. Motion passed (5-0-3).

7) Adjourn: Motion by Jeremiah Bartlett; second by Larry Pelletier. Motion passed (8-0). 7:10pm
Next meeting: February 26, 2020