

**Transportation Committee**  
Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – 9:09 am – 9:40 am  
Virtual on Zoom

*In attendance: Joe Hall (Committee Chair)*

*Staff: Alice Howe (Program Manager), Pamela Maass (WPBCC Executive Director), Luke Scaletta (Community Engagement Coordinator)*

**1. Updates**

- a. 2023 Programming
  - i. It will be easier to determine our plans for 2023 after the CDOT meeting in early March.
  - ii. New bike pumps to be installed once the weather warms up
- b. Community Grant for Community Bike Rides
  - i. The committee discussed re-allocating a certain amount of designated bike funds towards community grants to support educational bike rides in the neighborhood, with the actual monetary amount set to be determined at the April meeting.
  - ii. Requirements for the bike rides to receive funding include beginning and ending at the bike shop/community location, approx.. 50% of the ride taking place on SSA 33 streets (Damen, North, Western, Ashland, Milwaukee, Division), with the money going towards staff payment, snacks, and marketing
  - iii. Providing SSA 33 leg bands for these rides and reaching out to local hospitals that host bike rides as a part of their public health programs were also discussed.
- c. CDOT Meeting
  - i. Once scheduled, we can plan and move on some ideas for 2023.

**2. Discussion**

- a. Future SSA #33 Leg Band orders
  - i. Have approx. 200 now, revisit the order during April meeting
- b. New committee member outreach
  - i. Reaching out to younger, college-aged folks with an interest in transportation, along with more outreach to local bike shops (Rapha, Stellar Cycleworks, etc.)
- c. Bike corral presence
  - i. Currently next to Parlor, Perch, Red & White Wines, and in the Jewel parking lot.
  - ii. Brainstorming additional locations (on N. Damen, near the 606, etc.)
- d. People's Gas bench removal
  - i. Two blue benches have disappeared at locations People's Gas was doing maintenance (on North/Wood and N. Damen), so we'll have to pursue reimbursement with their team
- e. Joe's Luncheon
  - i. To celebrate 17 years of service as our Transportation Committee chair, we're hosting a thank you luncheon for Joe on March 17<sup>th</sup> at Janik's Café. Reminder emails have been sent out to all the commissioners.

Next Meeting – April 6th