



Huntersville Greenway, Trail, and Bikeways Commission

Summary Minutes: August 16, 2022

Members Present: Diane McLaine (chair), Tim Sanborn (co-chair), Ken Stuart, Christianna Beirne, Ted Turner, Maria Reese, Michael Griffin, Randy Suggs

Members Absent: Katie Spikes

Town Staff Present: David Peete, Tracy Houk

Town Board Present: Derek Partee

Public Present:

Call To Order: Diane McLaine (chair) – 6:04 pm

Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve July Minutes – Ken Stuart
Second – Ted Turner / Approved Unanimously

Agenda Changes:

Add to Updates – 21 Bridge/tunnel for Torrence Trib II re-cap | Walk & Roll to School Day 10.12.22 | update on Trail Head Sculpture

PUBLIC COMMENTS, REQUESTS, OR PRESENTATIONS

Business:

- **Review Mecklenburg County MP map & Town MP map**
 - No changes or additions will be made – keep all routes as is.
 - Next step is to review Town map as a whole and make recommendation to the Town Board to adopt updated map.
- **Route to Skybrook**
 - Discussed possible routes, group agrees to leave both connections going out to Skybrook on the map
 - Looked at destinations getting to Eastfield Park vs. just getting into Skybrook
 - Town Staff will get with Meck Co. staff and Concord Staff to discuss connections to Clarke Creek Greenway.
 - [City of Concord – Clarke Creek Study](#)
 - [Mecklenburg County Map August 2021](#)
 - Keep priority of the GTBC to look into the future, plan for the growth of the town and keep it on the radar of the Town Board.
- **Wine on the Vine**
 - Next Steps:
 - Finalize Date | Time – October 27 | 6:30-9:00pm
 - Plan on working with the Caterer and will purchase wine for the event.
 - Look at cost of tickets first
 - Items for the table decorations arrived
 - Will purchase lights for the trail
 - Marketing will begin week of August 22
 - Look at getting yard signs for neighborhoods
 - Ask PIO to put on the new Podcast, possibly have a GTBC member on
 - Tracy will post on all other outlets
 - May purchase stemless wine glasses for the first 25 people
 - Tim talked to Jim Cooper and he is available, Tracy will contact Jim for finalizing

Updates/Comments

- **NC 21 Tunnel Re-cap:** Tunnel under 21 was on Town Board agenda 08.15.22, Town Staff recommends the GTBC to watch the meeting to get a feel for how the Town Board felt about it.
 - Town Staff plans to reach out to NCDOT to see if we can get some more time to make the decision.
- **North Mecklenburg Partnership Forum** – Have not heard back from anyone wanting to get together, maybe reach back out end of year and see if we can do an annual meeting
- **Community Engagement** – Working on The Vine footage, received quotes/statement from Commissioner Partee and Commissioner Kovacs agreed to be recorded.
- **Walk and Ride to School Day** – October 12, 2022
- **Trail Head Sculpture** – The artist has begun creating “The Vine”, see attached pictures

Motion to Adjourn: 7:38pm – Meeting Adjourned

Trail Head Sculpture Update



