

Urban Trails Committee – Minutes – November 9, 2022

Attendees: Mike Holt, Ross Mittelman, Diana Rooney, Jason Nguyen, Ian Thomas, Andrew Gingerich, Brent Starnes, Athena Fouts, Stephen Meyers.

Staff: Dani Acosta, Eric Mocko, Jenny Nitzky (Sustainability Coordinator)

Guests: Kari Scholte's CMU Transportation Engineering Class (8 students, including Kalum Klausner), John Whipple (private citizen)

Minutes

- Jenny N. introduced herself as Sustainability Coordinator for the City and discussed her workplan.
- UTC and guests did a round of introductions.
- UTC reviewed the October 12 minutes. Edits to draft minutes to include adding a subcommittee was created by Ian T. and Athena F. to work on Bike Month, and to fix spelling for Ross M. Athena F. made a motion to approve the minutes with the added changes, Ian T. seconded the motion. The UTC voted unanimously to approve.
- Diana R. gave an overview of the non-infrastructure priorities held at the end of October. Next steps were to form a subcommittee to synthesize the results. Call for volunteers. Floated doing a workshop in December to work on synthesis. Dani A. to check with City Attorney on protocols on editing an online document concurrently. Staff will mark up the 2019 document to show what has been accomplished and send to UTC.
- CDOT updating signage for roundabouts. Staff will reach out to find more information.
- Ian gave an update on Bike Month Committee - closed streets event/combine it with studying impact to traffic patterns. Extent would be 10th Street from CMU to Main Street. Scope would include programming as well. Dani A. suggested folding in Walktober (October is national walking month).
- Staff took comment from the public on the infrastructure priorities list and the low-cost improvements list.
- Athena F. made a motion to adjourn. Jason N. seconded. The meeting adjourned at 7:13 pm.