

## Plymouth County Cyclist Meeting Minutes

### **PCC meeting 2021 – Aug 2, 2021 Minutes**

#### **Meeting called to order by Eddie McKee**

**Members present:** Sara Rohmiller, Susie Plathe, Curt Driggs, Eddie McKee, Mark Sturgeon, Dave and Kati Bak, Roger Claypool Zoom – Kevin Richards

**Treasurer's report** Sara reviewed the account balances and activity. Received TDP grant money. Paid out expenses for Bike Rodeo to Susie and \$250 to Ragbrai Le Mars. Money from Ragbrai not received yet.

**Membership:** 2 renewals received, 39 lifetime members. Total 41.

#### **July 5<sup>th</sup> Meeting – Minutes**

- ❖ Share the Road Signs – no update. Still waiting on signs. We have the money to pay when signs available.
- ❖ Bike Racks – One application has been received, Awaken Yoga.
  - Mark will take to City for approval. Dave motion to approve, Kati second, all members in favor. If the City approves, we will move forward to order and purchase. If not we will refund the application fee back to Awaken Yoga. If purchased we will have a press release to get the information out to other Plymouth County communities to show the bike rack option that is available through PCC.
  - Suggestion was made to put in the Chamber Newsletter that PCC will assist on bike rack applications. Mark S. will follow-up with the Chamber.
- ❖ Tour de Plymouth – Date for 2022 will be June 11, 2022 – Mark your calendars
  - Mark your calendars message will be sent out and questionnaire for additional ideas for this annual event. 2022 will be our 15<sup>th</sup> Annual.
- ❖ Plywood Trail update – Still on August time frame to break ground. Members can attend when announcement is made showing the date & time.
  - Mark Sturgeon suggested we pay our pledge in full since we will receive money from Ragbrai.
- ❖ Frisbee Golf – Sara reported they do have sponsors but most holes are filled. She will continue to check. There may be additional holes, if they are approved, we may be able to sponsor or donate funds for the additional holes. More to come. Decision made to table for a couple months to see if City approves additional holes.
- ❖ Ragbrai – July 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>. Comments were very good from several areas, very smooth, entry into the fairgrounds and out went well, shuttle routes, entertainment, camping, etc all good feedback. Overall Le Mars did a great job hosting Ragbrai. Thank you to EVERYONE who helped.
- ❖ Plymouth County Fair – Sue Brandenburg sent the message out later and no one that we know of was able to work the 2021 Fair. We will plan for next year if the Optimists Club is still in need of workers.
- ❖ Random rides have fallen off the radar. Eddie suggested we do a monthly weekend ride instead. Saturday or Sunday. September 18<sup>th</sup> is the date set for next month. Eddie was nominated and will be the ride coordinator, hence, this will be noted as “Eddie's Ride”. Eddie will work with Julie Philips to get the word out on Facebook and our Website. We can discuss at the September meeting. Thoughts were

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to start in the Merrill area, ride for a few hours and return to Merrill area for food and drinks. Start time 3pm – done around 6 pm. Other towns in Plymouth County will be the starting and ending point as we determine each month. More to come.

Motion to Adjourn by Mark. seconded by Dave.

Next meeting: Sept 13, 2021 **6:30 pm** – American Legion Le Mars, Iowa and ZOOM

Respectfully submitted,

Susie Plathe