

Minutes Greenways Meeting, May 23, 2016

Attendees: Margie Moore, Mary Jo Peairs, Chip Skidmore, Rick Stern.

Guest: Margaret Castro

Meeting called to order at 6:30.

Minutes of the April 4 and notes of the April 25, 2016, meetings were approved.

Compton Sidewalk

Compton sidewalks are being built between Hilltop and Poage Farm. It was funded with Federal "Safe Routes to School" grant. The Committee discussed the background of the sidewalk problem further east on Compton Road. Pressure needs to come from the neighborhood to move the City on this.

May 7 Bike Ride

Chip thanked Mary Jo for recruiting all of the volunteers. Also thanked the Wyoming Bakery for donating the cookies.

Mike Donahue from Woodlawn estimated at least 100 people participated. Woodlawn gave away 10 bikes and helmets. Attendance was less in Wyoming, probably because the Wheelathon had been postponed from the previous week. So there was competition for the event.

Discussion of how to improve attendance:

- Combine with Wheel-a-Thon
- Great Parks suggested bands on both ends
- Scavenger Hunt

Woodlawn wants to remove the "Bike Trail Ends" sign, and that we standardize signage along the trail.

Trail Extension

City is meeting with the engineers. They asked for a subgroup of the committee to be available to advise on trail design. Margie, Scott and MaryJo volunteered.

Expectation is the trail will be completed by summer 2017.