

10/23/13 Community Meeting Minutes

- Introductions
- Wednesday 5-7 hours
 - o Have been very successful, we plan to continue with this on a volunteer-run basis
- Mechanic's classes?
 - o Should we have a November series?
 - o Wooden Wheels winter training? (similar to a special guest lecture)
 - High end road bike maintenance
 - Suspensions
 - Bike fitting
 - Other useful special topics
- "Rules of the road" class
 - o Proposed by a customer
 - o League of American Bicyclists may have a curriculum
 - Contact them to see what resources/personnel they have to offer
 - o Identify volunteers to help run this
- Bike ruler for sizing → look into purchasing one of these
- Shop maintenance
 - o What is happening currently in the way of volunteer orientations? (Steve)
- WLGBT
 - o Next event on 10/24, with a yoga theme
 - o Every other Thursday, with half the time being dedicated to a workshop and half dedicated to bike time
- DTE
 - o Next community dinner on 10/26 at the New Century Club building
 - o Recently catered a wedding
- Building 4.0 search committee
 - o Need to re-open building search, current lease ends on May 31st
 - o One potential might be the post office building on Main St.
 - o Are there any ways the city can help during this search?
 - o New Century Building purchased by Tsionas Management, extending a similar lease to Life Path Church that was offered to NBP for the current Main St. space
 - 3-6 months to rezone, might be a potential next temporary location
- 501(c)3 status
 - o Finished, to be submitted to board for review
- Newark Halloween Parade
 - o 3-6 PM shop will be open to distribute
- Making some sort of position paper on biking available to mayoral candidates
 - o Mayoral election Nov. 26th, nomination papers due Monday 10/28
- Shop projects that need to be revitalized
 - o Internal signage for the shop
 - o Colored tape for bikes
 - o Thank-you dinner for bikes...late January? → Identify core volunteers

- Need to train a new treasurer