

Cambridge Pedestrian Committee

Meeting Minutes: April 2017

Attendees: Cara Seiderman, Debby Galef, Sean Pierce, Matt Nelson (CPD), Rebecca Leonard (CPD), Andrea Yoder, Jodie Cohen-Tañugi, Liza Cohen, Doug Brown (guest), Magda McCormick

I. **Agenda Review, Minutes** March Meeting Minutes approved

II. **Safety in Cambridge**

Presentation and discussion by Rebecca Leonard, Sr. Crime Analyst, CPD.

Focusing on pedestrian particular crimes, Leonard highlighted geographic areas, types of crime and statistics showing City at lowest level of criminal activity in 55 years.

III. **Watertown-Cambridge Greenway: Lighting**

Doug Brown reviewed process and pending approval for lighting. Debby and Sean drafting letter from Committee to City Manager to recommend approval for lighting. Individuals may also wish to individually comment at appropriate time.

IV. **Pedestrian Committee Work**

June Walk route was previewed and draft map circulated, including topics of interest and potential speakers. On track for June 10th, 10am, approx. 2 hours.

V. **Infrastructure Project Updates**

DPW Updates: [Cambridgema.gov/theworks/cityprojects](http://www.cambridgema.gov/theworks/cityprojects)

Pilot Separated Bike Lanes: Review of Cambridge St. project from Quincy St. to Inman Sq.

<https://www.cambridgema.gov/CDD/Projects/Transportation/cambridgestreetbicyclesafetydemonstrationproject>

VI. **Development Project Review**

NB: The Committee is invited to the May 3 Transit Committee meeting to hear presentations on two new projects (EF and 55 Wheeler St.). For more on upcoming projects:

<http://www.cambridgema.gov/CDD/zoninganddevelopment/planningboard/planningboardmeetings>

VI: **Announcements and Next Meetings:** Next meetings: May 25, June 22,

Summer Walks: July 27 (Volpe), August 24 (TBD)