MAP: June 7, 2025 1200-1300

Location: Community Hall, deck

Attending: Brian T., Rob F., Michael, Peter E.

Regrets: Niall

**Regular Meeting Items:** 

1. Approval of Agenda (new permalink)

https://npengineering.ca/MAP/blog/next-meeting/

- 2. Previous minutes now on new blog : <u>https://npengineering.ca/MAP/blog/previous-minutes/</u>
- 3. Finance (Dave)
  - a. Accounts update:
    - i. General: 827.81
    - ii. Bus: 4620.59
    - iii. Trails: 1999.85
- 4. Pender Post articles:
  - a. Peter P. wrote for June
  - b. Brian has read it and will write about road safety for July.
    - i. Editorial assistance from one of us is possible.
- 5. Status Reports:
  - a. Car Stops
    - i. Work party for spring cleanup ? Alert volunteers via email
      - 1. Several stops maintained by property owners. No problems reported. Organized work may be unnecessary.
    - ii. Don covering #17 (check list with Shelagh)
  - b. GITS no report
  - c. Trails:
    - i. Monty's + Molly's trail : Maintenance work in progress.
      - 1. Peter P. and Karl installed 4 signs on Molly's
      - 2. Helgi and Lisa working on map for sign
    - ii. George Hill East: insurance issue with Edgewood still to be resolved
    - iii. School Trail (Rob)-
      - 1. Rob suggested forming a subcommittee to review past work and monitor or supervise work on the trail between Otter Bay & School.
    - iv. Bedwell Hbr Rd <-> Ketch connector
      - 1. Lisa -> Ron -> Gary ...
      - 2. Would be good to arrange a walk with Rob
  - d. GINPR Liaison (Niall)
    - i. Contact made with superintendent, restart liaison committee work
      - 1. Likely to discuss later this month
    - ii. Rob emphasized that assistance of Eliz. May must be recruited.

- Niall, please write to Elizabeth M. to remind of the topic as mentioned in the all candidates meeting. \*\* elizabeth.may.c1e@parl.gov.ca \*\*<u>https://elizabethmaymp.ca/home/contact-team-widget/contac</u> <u>t-team/</u>
- 2. Five administrative assistants at Sidney office. If possible, ask Annette De Boer for help with follow-up.
- e. PIPRC Liaison (Rob/Andrea/Lisa) see above
- f. Website rebuild (Niall/Peter E/Lisa/Helgi)
- 6. Other Business
  - a. Taxi Saver Program: coupons still available
    - i. Sheets of denominations \$1, \$2, \$5 now at CRC.
    - ii. Cash only and change was not available Friday.
  - b. CRD Regional coming to Pender sometime TBD (Rob ?)
    - i. Rob commented that the schedule is not determined yet.
    - ii. Also to review progress on route from Ferry (Shelagh)
  - c. Michael noted that electric bikes allow increased cycle traffic and we should anticipate further increase. Bring to attention of CRD and Highways when appropriate.
  - d. Brian's interest in improvements to roads was mentioned.
  - e. Rob noted that Rob Botterell should be recruited to lobby highways for improvements to roads.
- 7. Next Meeting: currently scheduled for July 5, 2025, noon.