

BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (BAC)

Special Meeting on May 7, 2023, 1:00 PM

BAC Members Present:	Angela Stoyanovitch, Chair Frank Devine John Holmes Kristen McSorley Aaron Cook Donielle Prophete Nate Steinhauer
BAC Members Absent:	Jay Banks Christian Behrens John Pinnix Miguel Garcia
City Staff Present:	Dave Campbell, CDOT Mecklenburg County Park & Recreation Staff

Agenda Item #1 Call to Order

Angela Stoyanovitch called the meeting to order at 1:02 PM

Agenda Item # 2 Introductions of Members and Guests

Members of the Bicycle Advisory Committee met on bicycling at Freedom Park Playground, gathered up and then rode to the start of the Brandywine to Tyvola section of the XCLT. At the start of the trail, people introduced themselves.

Agenda Item #3 Call to the Public

Members of the public also introduced themselves and no additional public comments were made.

Agenda Item #4 Review of the Minutes

Review of the March 28 meeting minutes will be conducted at the May 23 meeting of the Bicycle Advisory Committee.

Bike Ride and Follow-up

Joe Fry of Charlotte General Services gave the Committee and members of the public background on the trail project and how difficult some sections of the trail were to construct, and how there remain a few items to complete before the project can be officially open to the public.

The ride later stopped at the Park Road bridge, where the trail passes several old bridge abutments, built one on top of another. The layered construction tells a bit of bridge history.

Further south, the ride turned around, stopped for some lemonade being sold by a family along the trail, and ended back at Freedom Park. A small group of remaining committee members and public gathered for food at a nearby restaurant.

Agenda Item # 5 Confirm Next Meeting

Dave Campbell confirmed the next meeting for May 23 at the CMGC location. Special Meeting adjourned.