



Fresno Cycling Club

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July Board Meeting Minutes
July 1, 2020

Board Members Present (Zoom Meeting):

Dennis Ball	William Ewy	Ken Herrington
Diana Dean	Diana Millhollin	Henry Pretzer
Janet Lucido	Mark Locatelli	Michael Quiroz
Elida Gonzalez	Tina Sumner	

Visitors Present:

Meeting Opened: 6:42PM, called to order by President Dennis Ball

June Board Meeting Minutes: Motion to approve as written, Henry P.; 2nd by Diana M., approved.

Advocacy: Tina S.: Tony Molina is trying to get the City of Fresno to look into "slow streets" which would close down temporarily for biking and pedestrians. The Fresno Council met last week and adopted the concept idea. They need to determine which streets will work with this concept. There is a map on their website. They would like to ID streets for each district.

Roadwork:

Overlay on Auberry Road from Powerhouse to Jose Basin; July-October.

Chip seal started on Auberry SE of Jose Basin.

The Copper/Auberry signal should start this month and will take a year to complete.

The Fresno Council of Governments is starting a round table group meeting once a month. The Active Transportation Plan is trying to set some public meetings on Zoom. They will advise of meetings on their website and on Facebook. The Eastside Corridor Plan is looking into improvements and changes on Academy from Kingsburg to Hwy. 168 and from Manning to the county line east of Reedley. They are looking for public input. Tina is on the committee which is meeting on Monday, July 20 at 6 pm. It is a Zoom meeting which anyone can join. A consultant has been hired for work on Avenue 9 in Madera. Fresno County is jointly involved due to the high number of Fresno county commuters using that road. Maybe add bike lanes?

Treasurer's Report: Elida: 34 C2K registrations have rolled over for next year. Spending has been minimal. Some expenses such as insurance, Wild Apricot, Microsoft, Quickbooks, etc. are ongoing. Approximately \$20,000 in savings.

All Club Ride wrapup: Diana D.: This was held on Saturday, June 27. There were 79 registered riders, but only half showed up, likely due to the high heat. Two regular ride groups showed up as well. Volunteers invited cyclists over that were randomly at the park. At least 60 people came over from the park. It was well received. She would like to expand on this concept, perhaps using different parks and make it low key. Maybe just water and volunteers.

Kirch Flat: Mike Q.: It will be held September 5, 2020. Entries are open. He would like volunteers. He has changed his mind and will award KOM and QOM after all. He will have timing chips on the bibs. He will be taking posters to the bike shops next week. It will be on the website soon as well. Packet pickup will be September 4. Location is pending due to Covid-19 restrictions. Will likely need to be held outside.

Tour de Lakes: Dennis: It will be held on Saturday, July 25. There will be water stops at Courtright and the Dinky Creek cutoff. Rest stop at McKinley Grove.

Family Oriented Events: It was decided to change the A-Train name to Family Ride/A-Train: No Drop. The hope is to clarify that anyone can ride it.

Used Jersey Donations for TDFemme: Janet: Requested permission to allow for gently used jersey donations to benefit EPU, the non-profit beneficiary for the TDF ride. All agreed it is a good idea with price per jersey set at \$10.00. Janet to work on setting this up.

New FCC Kit Design: Dennis: Dennis is still working with Voler on the final design along with the committee, which has not been very active since the last meeting.

Grizzly Century: Dennis: He is trying to get a meeting set with the North Fork group. He will attempt a Zoom meeting with them soon.

ELRaymond Gravel Ride: Henry: The ELR committee will be meeting next week. The meeting location is pending.

New Business

Club Directory: Discussion: This could be on Wild Apricot with club members having a box to opt out sharing personal information. Ken H. feels this is not needed and has not been a problem in the past, as people can make contact with board members and pass on information if requested. Further discussion on this topic pending.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:11PM

Respectfully submitted Janet Lucido, FCC Secretary