



# *Fresno Cycling Club*

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April Board Meeting Minutes  
April 7, 2021

**Board Members Present (Zoom Meeting):**

Dennis Ball	Ken Herrington	Diana Dean
Janet Lucido	Bill Reddington	William Ewy
Henry Pretzer	Michael Quiroz	Kevin Nehring
Joe Cassinerio	Mark Locatelli	Tina Sumner
Michele Sosa		

**Visitors Present:**

**Meeting Opened:** 7:10 PM, called to order by President Dennis Ball

**March Board Meeting Minutes:** Motion to approve by Joe C., 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tina S. approved with minor name spelling change.

**Treasurer's Report:** Dennis B.: Elida provided a written report to Dennis. Payments made to Derrels' Mini Storage and liability insurance.

**Advocacy:** Tina S.: She has been to Zoom meetings with the City of Clovis staff and the Fresno County staff regarding cycling issues. Clovis projects: Shaw/DeWolf to McCall. Capital improvement project. Will add bike lanes in two phases, but they are dealing with right of way issues. Leonard to McCall will be completed this summer and Leonard to DeWolf next summer. She is asking for bike pockets at all intersections. Herndon east of DeWolf is delayed until next spring. There are issues with continuity of when the bike lanes end and pick up again. Perhaps they can install an "enhanced sidewalk" bike lane in the area by Clovis Community Hospital? They are adding bike pockets at Herndon and Temperance. Three places in Clovis are County issues: Nees between Sunnyside and Clovis—no shoulder and no bike lanes. Both the City and County are meeting and looking for options to improve. There is no plan or timetable yet. Willow and Copper north of International to Copper—narrows to 1 lane. Nothing will be done for a while. Sunnyside/Shepherd trailhead park; Shepherd/Sunnyside to Fowler—the City is waiting for development to handle. The canal will have a trail at the new development north of Shepherd/Sunnyside. An enhanced sidewalk from the trail to Sunnyside will be added which will be a sanctioned crossing for the trail. Clovis Avenue between Alluvial/Nees is set for street work this summer. She is trying to get the street sweeping schedule from the County for the bike lanes on Copper,

Auberry, Friant and Herndon Avenues. There has been reported a deep pothole on Watts valley Road as well as a deep crack across temperance between Church and Butler. She will check on these. The County originally planned on replacing 4 bridges on Old Millerton by 2024. At this time, they have repaired the road at one bridge and that is all that will be done for now. There is an upcoming meeting with the County of Madera. Tina will follow up with the County regarding the poor bike lane repairs on Belmont between Trimmer Springs and the packing house.

**ROAD ID:** Michele S.: Road ID sent her flyers that she will have added to the website. She will look into having Road ID run a club member special in May for Bike Month.

**C2K Planning:** Dennis B.: Discussion on whether to have it this year or wait until next year. The consensus was to wait. He will send notices to prior riders explaining why we are not holding the ride; which is out of respect to the residents displaced by the Creek Fire. The new projected date is 6/25/22.

**TDF:** Janet L.: Killer Bees will be manning the Marechal rest stop. Diana Dean's Tuesday/Thursday group have offered to man MR5 and Kirkman Point. Kevin Nehring will assist as SAG. Date is October 23, 2021.

**Monterey 17 Mile Drive ride May 1:** Janet L. 38 riders signed up so far.

**Killer Bees: Joe C.:** Will be leading 1-2 rides per week from now on.

**Tour de Lakes:** July 31. Gia Parker is ride director.

**Kirch Flat:** August 21. Mike Q.: Start/finish will be Paso Tiempo Park.

**Ride with Cops:** Dennis B.: This Saturday 9 a.m. at Clovis West High School.

**Portable Toilets:** Dennis B.: We currently have two; one at Millerton Store and one at Spring Valley School. Potential new sites: Blossom Café; Humphries Station; The Corrals. Discussion: Diana Dean met with a neighbor from the corrals area and he did not recommend putting one there due to vandalism. Dennis will check around to see if he can get a better price. He will also check with the owners of Jackson's Roadhouse (Millerton Store) about contributing to costs, as their patrons use the toilet a lot.

**Bike Racks:** Dennis B.: There are currently two bike racks in storage. Will consider placements at MR5, Centerville Market and Enzo's. Will look into purchasing two more after the two in storage are placed.

**Wednesday Rides:** Mark L.: He has added a weekly ride starting at 5:10 p.m. from the Auto Zone at Ashlan and Fowler. It is a 20 mile loop.

**New Business:**

**Meeting Adjourned:** 8:46 PM

Respectfully submitted Janet Lucido, FCC Secretary