

Agenda
Connecticut Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Board
REGULAR MEETING

Thursday 10/25/2012
1:00 – 3:00 PM

Meeting at DOT Headquarters
2800 Berlin Turnpike, Newington, CT 06111
Room 2324

- 1.0 Preliminaries 1:00 PM (15 minutes)**
 - 1.1 Call to Order
 - 1.2 Amendment of Agenda
 - 1.3 **Guest** – Kirsten Griebel, Connecticut League of Conservation Voters –
Transportation Guide
<http://www.conservationeducation.org/uploads/6/2/0/1/6201942/transitlinkslo2sm.pdf>
 - 1.4 Approval of July, August and September Minutes
- 2.0 Reports (1:15)**
 - 2.1 DOT Projects and News (10 minutes)
 - a. General News
 - b. Other
 - 2.2 Reports from other Agencies (State, Regional, Local, Other) (10 minutes)
 - a. Bikes on Buses
 - b. Other
- 3.0 Old Business (1:35)**
 - 3.1 Implementation of Complete Streets Law (15 minutes)
 - a. AMTRAK – June 8th response to May 14th letter from Board (2011 Recommendation #11)
 - b. ITE Northeastern District, Call for Abstracts – Discussion on possible presentations/ panel discussions
 - c. CCRPA proposed sidewalk legislation
 - d. Other Initiatives
 - 3.2 2012 Annual Report –Initiatives/ Implementation/ Tracking/ Comments/ Outline (30 minutes)
 - 3.3 Sidewalk Maintenance (5 minutes)

4.0 New Business. (2:25)

- 4.1 Discussion – Uniform Policy on Right Turn on Red at Multi-use Shared Paths
- 4.2 Communication with Municipalities, Chief Elected Officials & Local Traffic Authorities, regarding Complete Streets.
 - a. Draft Letter – 11 foot lanes
 - b. Draft Letter – How to Implement Complete Streets at the Local Level.
- 4.3 Letters of Recognition for Complete Street Initiatives (Focus on Municipalities)
- 4.4 Changes to the State Traffic Commission/ Office of the State Traffic Administration
- 4.5 Meet with Dan McGuiness, NWCOG, Discussion on State Survey of Bicycle and Pedestrian Activity
- 4.6 Joint Meeting with Greenways Council

5.0 Membership (Time Permitting)

- 5.1 Status of membership, expirations, and vacancies

6.0 Free Format Discussion and Other Announcements (Time Permitting)

- 6.1 Complete Streets Workshop #3 November 2nd at RPI in Hartford
<http://archive.constantcontact.com/fs141/1100965509464/archive/1111272242037.html>

7.0 Next Meeting Time/Date, Agenda Items and Adjournment *Meeting 1:00 to 3:00, DOT HQ, _____, 2012, Room 2324*

Goals

- 1) To advance the inclusion of non-motorized transportation design elements in state and municipal road building projects as well as in both public and private development and redevelopment projects
- 2) Support and encourage pedestrian and bicycle connections between neighborhoods, commercial areas, employment centers, schools, state and municipal parks, and other designations serving the community
- 3) Integrate and connect the pedestrian and bicycle system with other transportation systems (roads, rail, bus, etc)
- 4) Support government policies and funding initiatives that favor transit and non-motorized transportation
- 5) To facilitate the implementation of the Complete Streets Law