

Westborough BPAC

Meeting Minutes

October 14, 2014

Attendance: Ed Beauchemin, Ellen Gugel, Chris Hughes, Glenn McLeod, Don Burn, Howard Drake

- Approved last month's minutes
- Reviewed Bruce's slides for Town Meeting
 - Seems too long
 - Keep the extra slides for backup
 - Definitely keep the maps
- Discussion of FinCom meeting on BWALT article
- BWALT Easements
 - 7 obtained cover 80% of the trail (from Park St. to 495)
 - 2nd set will cover the western end of the trail
 - Issues with McCarthy land near Park St.
 - Dispute with Penta holding up the easement
- Commuting Routes (Howard)
 - Time to publish the routes
 - Not all filled in, will wait for feedback on 1st batch
 - Can be pieced together with some work by users
 - Press release to papers (Ellen will write)
 - Also bike shops,
 - business groups (e.g. Rotary), possibly with a full presentation on the BPAC
- Education – postponed to a later meeting
- BWALT
 - Go for grant for Lyman -> Park
 - Use a combination of sweat equity and grant money
- Rec Department has a donation of a single helmet
 - Asked BPAC for suggestions
 - Donate to food pantry
- State Hospital
 - Request bike route, using Hospital Road
 - Connect via aqueduct to Berlin (south of power plant)
- Next meeting November 18th at 7PM