

**Southampton Cycle Campaign –
Minutes of meeting held Monday 13th January 2014**

Present: 19 – Lindsi Bluemel, Jonathan Chant, Mike Charlton, David Cooper, Barrie Colborne, Sue Colborne, Pete Davis, Tina Davis, Stephen Edwards, Denham Elvi, Eleanor van der Hoest, Liz Holmes, Steve Hudson, Nick Hudson, Chris Jenkins, Jim Probert, David Thomas, Tim Wakely, Michael Waugh

1 Apologies: Lyn Brayshaw, John Heath, Grant Holmes, Vincent Licence

2 The Minutes: of last meeting were accepted as being correct.

3 Matters Arising: Lindsi will pass contact information to David Cooper as the new media rep for SCC.

4 Easy Fundraising:

- When shopping online, easyfundraising allows you to donate to the cause of your choice without paying anything.
- Go to www.easyfundraising.org.uk, select your good cause, then the site will link you to your usual shopping websites, such as amazon etc. where you continue to shop as normal.
- As a thank you for shopping with them, the ‘shop’ (e.g. amazon), will make a donation to your good cause on the easyfundraising website.
- David Thomas will set up the SCC as a good cause, so that people can donate.

5 Survey of Local Election candidates on cycling issues

- David presented a questionnaire designed by Cambridge cycling, which can be customised to SCC’s needs, and sent to local election candidates to get their views on cycling in the area.
- It was agreed that the questions should be kept as general as possible. Mike will create SCC version.
- Data can be published on social media websites, and the *Daily Echo*.

6 Hamble Lover’s Lane improvements

- These were due to start on 6th January. It was reported that they have already started on this important link from Southampton to Hamble.

7 Church Street, Shirley

- This refers to the route with contraflow cycle lane from St. James’s Park to Shirley Towers where work is planned according to the *Daily Echo*.
- A pre-emptive enquiry to be sent to the Council for clarification.
- Mike to also raise the issue with the Shirley warden.
- A public consultation will take place on Sat 18th from 10 am at the Salvation Army headquarters in Shirley. (Victor St. SO15). This to be publicised on social media websites etc.

8 Lordswood Lane:

- A proposal to upgrade the status of the lane from Coxford Roadout to the Chilworth Arms to a Restricted Byway has gone through.
- Huge credit to Sue Coles for her efforts in this.
- The proposal will now be advertised.

9 Southampton Cycling Code of Conduct

- A draft was drawn up in a series of working group meetings.
- David Cooper put the various points of the code to members who agreed with them, with some minor adjustments.
- Next step will be to send the code out to Darren Ord and organisations such as the councils, cycling clubs etc. for endorsement.

9 GoPro camera

- This has now been purchased, and will be available for use by members for a small fee, such as £2 and then £1 per day of use.
- David Cooper happy to demonstrate to members how to use it.
- Sue Colborne will draft a letter of thanks to Hargroves Cycles for their discount.

10 Rides 2014

- The schedule of this year's rides will shortly be available on the SCC website.

11 AOB

- The trial of Steven Petterson who has pleaded not guilty to the charge of causing death by careless driving in the case of David Irving begins on 20th January.
- Members encouraged to attend if they are able and to make notes, as CTC have requested to be informed of progress and verdict, and have asked for a photo of the defendant. Also SCC (as cyclists) should have a presence.
- Pete reported that he has been in contact with Barbara Thomas of Balfour Beattie about the progress of the TRO on 2nd Avenue. A report is being prepared to answer all of the points raised by objectors, and will then be sent onto the Council's to rule on the objections. Once the report has been completed, Barbara will write to all objectors to keep them informed of progress.

**Next meeting:
Tuesday 28th January at 7.30pm
Venue: TBC**