CLINTON RIVER RIDERS BICYCLE CLUB MEETING

Monday, May 13, 2024 In-Person Meeting @ Mt. Clemens Public Library

MEETING: Called to order at 6:15 pm by President Kim Plesco. 12 members present

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Minutes read by Jeri Grigg. Motion to accept (Rick Moorman), 2nd (Nino Paccini). The report passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Fran provided report for April 2024:

Balance April 1, 2023: \$xxx Inflow: \$xxx Outflow: \$xxx Balance May 1, 2023: \$xxx

Notes: Fran noted that our main outflow was for our Liability Insurance and Jersey Orders. Our main inflow was from a few Memberships and BWR Registrations

Motion to accept (Rick Moorman), 2nd (Ed Gossin). The report passed.

RIDES, TRAINING & RIDE DIRECTOR:

- Duane noted that The MOT is fully open with the new round-a-bout. It's well done and easy to navigate.
- Dave Jackowitz mentioned the upcoming Ride to End Suicide.
- Kim filled us in on her ride with the Ontario Randonneurs, who were extremely friendly and helpful.
- The Holiday ride discussed. It will be held May 27th and 9at at Algonac High School.
 Kim will lead the 45 mile route and Fran volunteer to lead a shorter rout of about 20-25 miles route.
- Richard plans to lead a ride on June 2nd. It will be covering part of the BWR Ride.
- Fran went to the Festival of Bikes and was able to put BWR flyers in the Goodie Bags
- Kim and Mike are tentatively planning a Metric Century on June 1st
- Richard and Ben discussed the riding options in Port Huron and the BWR Route.

OLD BUSINESS:

Various:

- Charity Proposal: Fran highlighted the proposal she wrote including a specific timeline and how to suggest a charity. The proposal was passed. Motion to accept (Dave Clause), 2nd (Rick Moorman)
- Shirt Design. Ben brought in a couple of new designs and we voted between them and a 3rd design.
- The bike stand is on hold.

NEW BUSINESS:

Various:

- Fran went to a meeting with The Friends of the Clinton River Trail". The speaker who was supposed to join us backed out. Fran described what they do and how to join. She was able to pass out BWR Flyers there. Also, the group's 20 anniversary celebration is on May 22nd at 7pm at Goldner Walsh Home and Garden, 559 Orchard Lake in Pontiac. All are welcome.
- Kim and Kraig went to the Mt. Clemens Revitalization event and had the opportunity to speak with John James and Anthony Forlini about various trails, cycling access into the city, and the Selfridge project that apparently is on hold. Kim also noted that the Macomb Place is being re-worked to be completely pedestrian friendly.
- We discussed the meeting day, time and location and decided to leave everything as
 is and revisit in the fall if necessary.

Miscellaneous BWR:

We only have 111 people registered...this is down from last year Members encouraged to hand out flyers, cards, and share on Social Media We aren't having much luck getting bike stores to SAG at all the BWR stops Nino inquired as to how to get the info out digitally...he would like to send it to the Woverines

Thank to Rick Moorman for getting the new grill.

Inventory Day...May 25th. Duane mentioned that there was still a spot left to volunteer.

Kim looking for help in all areas...especially someone to take over some the tech and social media.

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WRAP UP:

- Jeri provided treats, thank you!
- Dave Claus will provide for next meeting.
- No June Meeting

Motion to adjourn meeting(Nino) 2nd by(Ben)
Meeting adjourned at 7:17 pm. Recorded by: Jeri G.