



City of Montpelier
39 Main Street City Hall
Montpelier VT 05602

Parking Advisory Committee

August 27, 2014

City Managers Conference Room 3:00 pm-4:30pm

Meeting Minutes

Committee members present- Brian Cane, Kevin Casey, Nolan Langweil, Michael Clasen, Richard Sheir, Andrew Brewer, Dave VanDeusen, Tony Facos.

Others- Bill Merylees, Justin Turcotte, Amy Nixon.

July 31 minutes approved

Richard made a motion to appoint Michael and Nolan as new chair and co-chair respectively, Andrew seconded. Motion approved. The committee gratefully thanks Brian for his leadership on the committee as its first chair.

Bill Merylees spoke to the committee on behalf of the Bike Committee. The bike committee is charged with helping to make Montpelier a bike friendly town. He spoke on the need for better bicycle parking options in town, and other initiatives the bike committee is working on to encourage commuting, including P.O.P. (parking on the perimeter) A conversation ensued over the idea of reallocating parking spots for bicycle parking racks.

Brian and Kevin will go before City Council recommending motor coach parking (during foliage) in front of City hall, Unitarian church, Pavilion and State house.

Update on smart meter RFP. Kevin- still on track for a mid September installation date. Three sites will have (3) different vendor meters for the pilot project.

Committee member updates: Michael- will call a meeting to discuss parking during the winter parking ban. The committee discussed alternatives to the outright ban policy currently in place. Richard- Working on creation of a map detailing parking in Montpelier. 60 State st. - should the committee recommend carving out more of those spots for (2) parking? The State street Parklet will be taken down October 1 in time for peak foliage. Tony- The PD hired a new (CSO) Community Service Officer, Hannah Nielsen, to assist with parking enforcement.

Other business- none

Next meeting- September 17, 3:00pm