

Sequim Bicycle Alliance

Tuesday, **March 31, 2020**, 3-3:45 pm
Zoom meeting (online)



TIME	AGENDA ITEM
3:00	Getting settled with video and audio connections...
3:10	Introductions & Brief Member Updates / Info Sharing <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ann Soule, City Public Works.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Engineering ~ W. Fir, N. Sequim Ave., South City Connector project all have Complete Street elements○ Safety / Enforcement ~ no report○ Tourism & Marketing – bicycling event and other marketing info broadcast to the public; ideas welcome, contact Barb Hanna bhanna@sequimwa.gov .○ Links to Small Business Admin assistance programs available on City webpage: https://www.sequimwa.gov/922/COVID-19-Business-Resources○ Parks, Arbor & Recreation Board ~ Master Plan Update soon underway.• Jason Loihle, City Parks and Arts coordinator, staff liaison to PARB and Arts boards.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Parks (and arts programs) are closed; conserving money and staff to focus on EM, ECC; ODT is open and currently it is encouraged that people use it. Parks Master Plan is now cancelled so it might be another year before we can get back to parks planning. Situation changes day to day so we monitor the orders and rules in place.• Bob Anundson, PTC and Chamber. Cancelled Traveler’s Journal series; work parties cancelled, too; meetings continuing, held by phone.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Concerned about pedestrians’ safety with large root bumps on ODT along Hendrickson and west of Johnson Creek near Simdars. Garry Oak roots can’t be disturbed but something else might be needed. Bob will photograph the spots and submit to Ann.• Bill Biery, Rep for PARB Board, also on County Parks Advisory board and (he thinks) County Trails Advisory Committee; those Mtgs cancelled. He has noticed good distancing among walkers and bikes – never seen so many using ODT.• Ken Stringer, OPBA. Bike rodeo in May cancelled; Tour de Lavender not looking good. Not seeing surge in registration like they would want. Riders aren’t willing to commit at this time. 243 signed up as of March 15; no one since then.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Could consider doing it without benefits at farms; tour sheet/map available online.○ Social media will cover getting word out when decided.

- Ben’s Bikes – Sam & Clara Chandler. (by email) “Shop is busy with tune ups and have succeeded in getting the time down to 2 to 3 days for tune ups. We still do emergency repairs on the spot so people can get back on their journey. We ask that customers let us sanitize their bikes at the door and maintain distance from the mechanics. An appointment is OK but not necessary.”

3:20 Bike Month Brainstorming / Roundtable for those present

- Social Media (Facebook, Strava, Instagram)
 - Love To Ride online challenges will be easy to promote by social media. Ann will do a simple poster using graphics from League of American Bicyclists and Love to Ride. Members can help by sharing. <https://www.lovetoride.net/usa>
- OPBA
 - Any activity promoted should be for individuals and small family groups at most.
 - Pace lines and stopping/gathering discouraged. When you stop, use distancing guidelines.
 - Link for Cascade’s guidelines for cycling during the pandemic: <https://www.cascade.org/blog/2020/03/10-guidelines-safe-riding-cascade-rides-committee>
- PTC ~ board meetings by phone
- Sequim Wheelers ~ on hiatus
- Sequim Bike Works ~ no Saturday market
- Riding groups
 - Women on Wheels ~ Marti Campbell suggests a Scavenger Hunt. Could use/ adapt SBA’s Bingo card from 2017. Jason suggests using Four-square app for check-ins; could be completely online activity. Ann concerned if that requires capacity City doesn’t have to get it started. But a volunteer could.
- Youth cycling support
- County BAC



- 3:45
- Wrap up
 - Action items and calls for support
 - Next SBA meeting (late fall)
 - Remember County BAC meetings (4th Wednesdays at 3:30pm—Jan, April, July, Oct)

3:45 Adjourned