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| *Meeting Notes*:Town of Lewisboro Pedestrian & Bicycle Advisory Committee**Tuesday, September 19, 2023** **7:30 pm****Virtual**Join Zoom Meeting<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84887036552?pwd=VUZoeFZyb0N6ZkZsYVc4TXBaMzdQQT09&from=addon>Meeting ID: 848 8703 6552Passcode: 161742 |
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| * Danielle Greenberg
 | * Tony Gonçalves
* Patrick Morris-Suzuki
* Doris Peter
 | * Christine Schopen
* Dan Welsh
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| **Topic** | **Objectives** | **Materials** | **Discussant** |
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| Bond Ballot Measure(40 min) | * Dan updated the Committee about the bond process
	+ For the SEQR report, Dan created a scope for the dollar amounts proposed. The amounts don’t go into the report. Town declared themselves responsible for the report, which then goes to the DOT (assuming they will not protest). Comes back in one month and the town accepts the negative declaration.
	+ Some confusion with others including Vista folks and during Town Board meeting.
	+ The bond does not require the $$ be split three ways but that is the plan; that could be changed by future leadership.
* Review information sharing plan and progress to date
* Identify additional opportunities in town

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/18oNllKLkBABCaWx3Rjq4b0er-1aZd-VQ2DwuiG6pxsU/edit?usp=sharing> | n/a | All |
| Community input | * Received regular complaints about streets where people are speeding; Town of Pound Ridge would not put up a sign. Ridgefield avenue – CT traffic coming through too fast. From Pound Ridge it becomes Lewisboro.
	+ Speed bumps were requested; not pragmatic for the entire town. Need multiple measures – neighborhood signs; please slow down signs; yellow speed signs. Movable signs are on a rotation.
	+ Possible actions:
		- Ask police to put Ridgefield road on the movable sign rotation.
		- Ask for police presence? Seems to not be that effective for long-term
		- Add “welcome” signs or “please slow down” signs.
			* Danielle will drive over and take a look.
		- Police constable volunteer position
		- Look at best practices.
		- Experiment with what works best; can you do a study to see what works; portable sign collects stats
		- Speed limit signs
		- Crowdsource where the problems are
		- Keep on agenda for next meeting.
	+ Other locations
		- Chapel at straightaway
		- Todd Road

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| Collaboration with GBHO (10 min) | * Request for Committee to collaborate with GBHO
	+ Sept 30th bike path to nowhere.
	+ Christine connected with GBHO about this activity.
 | N/A | Jon? |
| Updates on existing projects  | * 121 Crosswalk; route 35 paving
	+ See update from DOT. Clarified that the Somers crosswalk either came about before the requirements for landings, or the town promised to update the sidewalk. Next steps are for the Town to continue to ask DOT to include improvements (crosswalk/sidewalk/landing) as part of the Rte 35 paving project which is supposed to start next spring.
* Train Trestle project
* Bike Lane on Rte 22
	+ Still no response from DOT on this.
* Other updates
	+ Peter: Vista update?
 | Doris | N/A |
| Short term actions based on survey feedback (low hanging fruit) | * Bike/driver relationships
* Signage
* Trimming of plants to improve visibility
* Other bike safety issues
* Speeding
 | n/a | All |
| Public Comment(5 min) | The public may provide input at this time.* Chris Mazzini-Chin: attended meeting and offered to help out with improvements in safety related to biking. Could assess what would be best to invest time in.
 | n/a | Public |

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