

# MINUTES/ACTIONS OF SPOKES PLANNING GROUP

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Minutes of Spokes Planning Group held on 30th November 2009



Leading Figures  
in Business

Subject:

Present: Sandy Scotland, Peter Hawkins, John Lee  
Apologies: Aline Mann, David Roy

## North

- 89 Forth Bridge: bill for new bridge published; cost £20 to object!; Forthright Alliance still active  
Edinburgh City Council & Scottish Govt: just advice whether to object - order to get more public transport study & measures; also want cycle facilities on new bridge. A&S
- 90 Forth Estuary Forum: NPM & Conference 2/12/09; nothing for cyclists or transport
- 146 Carrick Road roundabout: works to be done Feb 2010 for 12 weeks; as fewer lanes on roundabout but NPM's suggestions not implemented.
- 119 Botanica: new west gate has fewer cycle facilities than previously - write
- 121 Council - spoke to council about possible chain ferry - Strathclyde to lead for cyclists as on route A&S

## South

- 19 Midlothian: Ratin Glen Rd to be closed because of landlamps - possibly cyclists can still use?
- 152 Old Dalkeith Rd: bus priority measures cancelled by Cllr McKenzie at a late stage: will keep some cycle priority & wants ideas for alternative spending for cycle schemes
- 162 Colinton - police fields planning application again A&S

## East

- 94 Cambusathen St Lway - order at so objected; Marisville Park Lway: also object as alternative route to busier rd uses it A&S
- 92 Hope Lane (at Brunstons) cycle banners amended quickly after objections

## West

- 300 Trossachs Pines St public meeting quite good; little buses got a hard time possible schemes being referred to 3; not yet being consulted publicly. What is street opened to buses now like? A&S
- Meeting on TRD for town: can object formally early 2010 have hope of plans & roads A&S/P&H
- if based query on what Russell Rd like if Greater bus is cancelled A&S

364 Goggs St: planning application -; directed to underspers of W8 not open 24 hrs  
Lent for architects. Planning dept not take on transport needs esp of architects  
for point.

Central

10 Fountainbridge: Gardens Court pond to go ahead April 2010 for 12 weeks; will  
have temporary crossings towards Union Canal  
Branfield St / Union Gave St way OK as cycle alternatives as dual use  
parents

26 Pleasance; way id (2004!) planning application granted  
1st application for Holywell Rd / Cornhill student flats

221 Mornie St; pp for hotel repaired after injury

Grand

160 C&C Big TRs for no waiting zones outside schools.  
Cycle Forum - quite positive: Mr McKenzie receptive to new ideas at  
proposed to quarter flats; realises importance of Cycle Peter Plan 11% cycle target  
by 2020.

Road Safety Plan; cycle injuries up; see charts concentrated in roaded  
routes - made points to C&C that cycle lanes & colour repairs.

Other known methods of getting people to take up cycling.  
233 RPA; no longer to get travel plan funding. Section will fund four core  
points funding - 2010/11.

330 B&E State to get big Clinte Clupe funding; will be awarded this week -

Next Meeting Monday 18th January 2010 at 8 pm at Peter Hawkins  
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**PLEASE NOTE - NEXT MEETING -  
rearranged to Tuesday 19th January, otherwise as above**