

Agenda/notes of Spokes Planning Group meeting

16th September 2021 - 19:30

Zoom link:

<https://ed-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/84859241018?pwd=WExHVUg2a2NKbkhQR0tUakh6UDJHUT09>

Contact David French if you have any problems.

Attendees:

Apologies: JR, MMcD

Transport

1. Spaces for People/Travelling Safely. See [2107 ETRO info for BEST.doc](#)
 - a. Consultations on various schemes ongoing:
 - i. Lanark Road - Local consultation closing 27th September. **AR to respond.**
 - ii. Braid Road - [CEC options](#)
 1. Three options, two including two-way traffic.
 2. All simplify Braidburn Terrace junction, two include modal filter on Braid Road
 - iii. Comiston Road - [CEC Options](#)
 1. Longer northbound bus lane, removed cycle lane + parking
 2. Signalisation of Braid Hills Road junction (poor design for cycling)
 - iv. Gilmerton Road - **DF to enquire about extending further south.**
2. Trams to Newhaven - Leith Walk closure. Final plans now available.
Local Development Action Programme
<https://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/downloads/file/27137/february-2020>
Trams next phase options being appraised.
3. [North Edinburgh Active Travel Connections](#) - consultation should commence by the Autumn.
4. West Lothian - Kirknewton to Balerno link options appraisal - utilising the old railway.
5. Raeburn Street and Tantallon Place TROs. **AM responding.**
6. CCWEL Site investigations starting this week

Policy

7. Ongoing consultations, needing volunteers:
 - a. [Proposed CEC LEZ](#). Closes 20th Sept. FOE Scotland helped the responses previously. <https://www.edinburghlive.co.uk/news/edinburgh-news/new-edinburgh-low-emission-zone-21339727>
 - b. [Holyrood Park road access](#). Closes 30th Sept. JR still to draft.
8. Linda Forrest submitted a response to the City 2030 consultation.

Planning

1. 21/04798/PAN res dev, offices etc, 2 S. Gyle Cres. (former Tesco Bank), replaces 21/04421/PAN (w/drawn). Online, 14 Oct., 3-7pm
2. 21/04687/PAN res dev and offices, 10 Orchard Brae (former Finance House), end of Learmonth Cres., just S of Flora Stevenson PS. Includes "AT routes", which could be a link from dead-end Learmonth Cres. to Orchard Brae. Website financehouse-consultation.co.uk 5 Oct.- 26 Oct., interactive 13 Oct., 4-8pm. **Opportunity for improving the uphill cycle lane on Orchard Brae?**

AOB

1. Newbattle Terrace - JR to check with officer. **Any update? Construction in November/December.**
2. Lauder Rd junction delays. **Any update? Very nearly complete. Just needs signals.**
3. September 22nd online Spokes public meeting. Topic of local campaigning, speakers include reps from BEST, Blackford Safe Routes, Low Traffic Corstorphine, Drem-Gullane campaign.
4. Pedal on COP is happening in November.
5. Queensferry Road/Clermiston Road North junction redesign - no drawings. Start between 18/10/2021 - 17/01/2022.
6. Cultins Road Tram cycle Safety Complete.

Next Meeting?

Pencilled in for 12th October - TEC meeting on the 14th October.