

# ***Minutes Notes***

## ***City of Yarra Active Transport Advisory Committee***

13 March 2024 6.30–8.00pm

Meeting Room 1, Richmond Town Hall

Started: 1834

Chair: Cr Landes

### **1. Welcome**

1a. Acknowledgement of Country

1b. Attendees and Apologies: David, Alyson, Vaughn apologies

### **2. Minutes of the previous meeting**

- Attached, no objections, will be published on website

### **3. Declarations of Conflict of Interest**

- Cr Wade – 6.11 Micromobility Hub Implementation Policy
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### **4. Actions and Matters from previous meeting minutes (PM) (1838)**

- Check Gipps St Bridge opening

### **5. Presentation (40 mins PE) (1841) – Karen H arrived**

Overview of Yarra's Active Transport Projects for 2024-25:

#### Delivery

- Scotchmer/Pigdon/Nicholson Intersection Upgrade
  - Intersection protected bike lanes
  - Possible turning changes
  - DTP approvals
- St Georges Rd/Capital City Trail Crossing
  - Widening path
  - Delays to design due to recent crashes
- Balmain/Cotter/Church Intersection Upgrade
  - Question on how it will impact traffic

- Swan/Lennox Intersection Upgrade
- Langridge/Hoddle West Intersection Upgrade
  - Importance of street trees over the road surface to provide shade
  - Development on the corner, road resheet
- Wellington/Johnston Intersection Upgrade
  - Question about how bluestone kerbs are dealt with
- Gipps/Wellington Signals Modification
- Clifton Hill Bus Interchange Priority Crossing
- Scotchmer Street Street Lighting Upgrade
- Alfred Crescent Priority Crossing

### Operational

- Elizabeth Street Protected Bike Lanes (including Church/Baker intersection) Design
- Coppin/Bridge and Coppin/Swan Intersection Upgrades Design
- Nicholson/Victoria Abbotsford Intersection Upgrade Design
- Johnson/Victoria Richmond North Intersection Upgrade Design
  - Part of linking to Walmer St Bridge and future bike infrastructure in the area – e.g. Victoria St which is a SCC
- Lennox/Highbett Intersection Richmond Upgrade Design
- Lennox/Bridge Intersection Upgrade Design
  - Consider people driving to the hospital
  - Focussing in on key intersections atm, will form part of NDC study in the future
- Langridge Street Cycling Corridor Study

## **6. Current Projects Update (30 mins PE)**

### 6.1 Transport Action Plan

Went to Council

### 6.2 Wellington Street Stages 3 & 4

Going to Council in mid-April for community engagement and data report back

### 6.3 Cremorne Street Pedestrian Crossing

All done, lights working, garden beds going in in Autumn

### 6.4 Coppin Street and Nicholson/Victoria Street Intersection Upgrade Pilots

Been in place for nine months, doing data collection and analysis

Has it pushed traffic onto Park Street from Langridge Street? Also Shelly Street crossing Victoria Street

Members of the committee receiving positive feedback

#### 6.5 Brunswick Street/Victoria Parade Intersection Upgrade

Scheduled for delivery to be made permanent

#### 6.6 Moor Street Bike Parking

New bike corral on Moor Street on kerb outstand and bike repair station coming soon

#### 6.7 Adolph Street Contraflow Bike Lane

Upcoming later this FY, connector route through to Cremorne near East Richmond Station, scheduled from end of March 2024, some resident feedback

#### 6.8 Easey Street Bike Parking

Easey St / Smith St bike corral scheduled for May on kerb outstand, also outside Collingwood Hotel, improvement to outdoor dining space as ancillary benefit

#### 6.9 Minor Linemarking Works

New linemarking on Palmer St, Brunswick St, Gore St, Barkly Ave/Coppin St, Rowena Pde, River St

#### 6.10 Bike Repair Stations

Some 4-5 new bike repair stations to be installed this FY, working with other teams for locations, looking at commuter/recreational cyclists, suggestion to put some near schools

#### 6.11 Micromobility Parking

Cr Wade left for this item, moved to end of Other Business for timing

### **7. New Business (1953)**

- Route 86 Tram Corridor Upgrade – continuing work with DTP, second stage of community engagement coming up later this year

### **8. Other Business (1954)**

- Cr Wade request someone from the delivery/infrastructure teams to attend ATAC meetings
- Cr Landes – Loyola Grove, difficult for Aus Post employees riding from the eastern suburbs getting to their office
- Officers to check Nicholson St resheet or road construction/roadworks?
- Bike hoops on Gleadell Street are full – Richmond High, market days, café
- Temporary bike parking – bike valet? For events, Gleadell Market
- Saturday next week, Freestyle Cyclists event coming up, all welcome to join
- Committee memberships have been extended due to council elections
- How Council works together with teams and how the Transport Strategy has changed things

- Please recirculate high quality NDC map
- SUV Council resolution
- Micromobility parking (6.11), policy coming up, suggestion to utilise space around street trees in regular residential streets,

## 9. Close (2014)

Next meeting in late May TBC

Active Transport Advisory Committee		Agenda	
<b>Date:</b>	13/12/2023	<b>Chair:</b>	Cr Hershel Landes
<b>Time:</b>	1830	<b>Minutes:</b>	Philip Mallis
<b>Venue:</b>	Wurundjeri Room, Collingwood Town Hall MS Teams	<b>TRIM #</b>	
<b>Invitees:</b> Cr Hershel Landes (Langridge Ward), Cr Sophie Wade (Nicholls Ward), Philip Mallis (Principal Strategic Transport Planner), Michael Oxer, Karen Hovenga, Troy Parsons, Vaughan Allan, Alyson Macdonald			
<b>Apologies:</b> Peter Eckersley (Senior Active Transport Project Officer), David Cheng, Chris Star			
<b>Attachments:</b> Active Transport Advisory Committee Terms of Reference			
<b>Statement of Recognition of Wurundjeri Land:</b> <i>Yarra City Council acknowledges the Wurundjeri as the Traditional Owners of this country, pays tribute to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in Yarra and gives respect to Elders past and present.</i>			
Item	Topic	Time	Presenter

1	Welcome Acknowledgement of Country Attendance and apologies	1841	Chair
2	Minutes of the previous meeting Minutes carried	1843	Chair
3	Declaration of conflicts of interest Any declarations in accordance with Council's <i>Conflict of Interest Policy</i> None declared	1844	Chair
4	Actions from previous meeting minutes Review actions register in meeting agenda	1844	Chair
5	Matters arising from previous meeting Transport Action Plan update (PM) Going to Council early next year Gipps St Ramp update (PM) Parks Victoria on track, scheduled completion next year Walmer St Bridge update (PM) Still continuing Southern part opening soon Tram corridor upgrades (PM) Community consultation happening Second phase will come in Feb 2024	1845	Chair
6	Presentation – Overview of Yarra's active transport projects 2023 Presentation outlining completed and upcoming active transport projects by City of Yarra: Coppin St Intersection Upgrade Pilots Nicholson St / Victoria St Intersection Upgrade Pilot Madden Grove Contraflow Bike Lane Newlands Street Contraflow Bike Lane Clifton Hill Interchange pedestrian upgrades Wellington Street Stages 3 & 4 Linear Park Masterplan	1857	Philip M
7	Current and future projects update Wellington Street Stages 3 & 4 Most baseline data collection now completed First stage of community engagement completed Will report back to community with information in early 2024	1945	Philip M

	<p>Cremorne Street pedestrian crossing Is now completed</p> <p>The committee raised the need for more crossings around Cemorne</p> <p>Query if crossings have to be raised, timelines for installing them, and if the Balmain St crossings can be converted to a proper pedestrian crossings.</p> <p>Coppin Street and Nicholson / Victoria Street intersection upgrade pilots</p> <p>Still progressing, Your Say Yarra page open for feedback</p> <p>Brunswick Street / Victoria Parade intersection upgrade</p> <p>ACU works happening on east side</p>		
8	<p><b>New business</b></p> <p>Changes to transport capital project delivery (PM)</p> <p>Detailed design and delivery handed over to other teams</p> <p>New process for delivering projects</p> <p>Tram corridor upgrades (PM)</p> <p>DTP concluded community consultation for Route 86 in November – December. Second round scheduled for early 2024.</p> <p>St Georges Rd / Capital City Trail crossing (PM)</p> <p>Project being revised in light of recent death and serious injury crashes to potentially include further safety upgrades</p> <p><sup>1</sup> Speed limit reductions on arterial roads (PM)</p> <p>St Georges Road success lowering speed limit to 40km/h</p> <p>30km/h speed limit trial process</p> <p>Committee shared positive feedback of speed limit reductions on Grattan Place and Willis Street of 20km/h speed limits, look at other opportunities to implement it</p>	1951	Chair
9	<p><b>Other business</b></p> <p>Thank you to ATAC members</p> <p>Roadworks signs placed on footpath on Swan St under rail bridge obstructing access, officers following up</p> <p>Tube counters being vandalised or damaged, especially around Richmond</p>	1957	Chair
10	<p><b>Close</b></p> <p>Next meeting: TBC February 2024</p> <p>Informal end of year catchup next week</p>	2001	Chair

## Actions

Item	Action Items	Owner	Status	Due Date	Comments
1	Circulate higher quality maps from Yarra Transport Strategy	Philip Mallis	Complete	01/11/2023	Sent on 13/10/2023
2	Circulate link to Route 86 Corridor consultation to ATAC members	Philip Mallis	Complete	01/11/2023	Sent on 13/10/2023
3	Include ATAC feedback on Transport Action Plan for consideration	Philip Mallis	Complete	01/12/2023	Included as part of final drafting and preparation

### Actions for Next Meeting

Item	Action Items	Owner	Status	Due Date	Comments
1	Resend Yarra Transport Strategy maps	Philip Mallis	In progress		
2	Check if there will be community feedback opportunities before TAP going to Council	Philip Mallis	Not started		
3	Check opening opportunities / events for Walmer St Bridge	Philip Mallis	Not started		
4	Circulate list of projects possible for 2024/25	Philip Mallis	Not started		
5	Check if we can share concept designs for St Georges Rd / Capital City Trail crossing	Philip Mallis	Not started		
6	Check costs required to upgrade Balmain St pedestrian crossings (planning/design and construction)	Philip Mallis	Not started		

Item	Carry-over items for next meeting

