

Minutes
Connecticut Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Board
November 15, 2012 Meeting

Meeting at DOT Headquarters
2800 Berlin Turnpike, Newington, CT 06111
Room 2324

- 1.0 Summary A motion was passed to endorse proposed legislation regarding new sidewalk funding provided by developers.
- 1.1 Convened at 1:00
- 1.2 Board members in attendance: Tom Gutman, Ray Rauth, Rod Parlee, Neil Pade, Deb Dauphinais, Francis Pickering, Charlie Beristan.

DOT staff: Kate Rattan

Visitor: Kelly Kennedy, Bike Walk Connecticut

2.0 Reports

- 2.1 DOT Projects and News, as reported by Kate Rattan...No items to report. Discussed Complete Streets Conference from which came a recommendation to update the DOT Design Manual in light of complete streets considerations.
- 2.2 A report on Proposed Sidewalk Legislation was presented by Francis Pickering. Under the proposed legislation, a municipality would be empowered to use developer fees for sidewalks that are not needed in the development for the construction of sidewalks in locations where these are more necessary. The board passed a motion supporting this effort which is described in a handout presented to the board.
- 2.3 The Central Connecticut Regional Planning Agency Board has prepared a handout (distributed to the members) which identifies and details proposed scenic highway segments in Farmington and Burlington. This will be discussed during the December meeting

3.0 New business

Neil Pade led discussion on the Annual Report which is due at the start of 2013.