



OZARKS TRANSPORTATION ORGANIZATION

BICYCLE PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

17 May 2011
1:00 p.m.
Busch Building
Room 106
Springfield, Missouri

MEMBERS PRESENT

Josh Bird	David Hutchison
Matt Boehner	Dawne Gardner
Randy Brown	Joel Keller
Rick Hess	

STAFF PRESENT

Natasha Longpine

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

The meeting was called to order at 1:07 pm.

2. UPDATE BIKE/PED MAP

The committee discussed which elements to include on the Bike/Ped map and if any changes needed to be made to those elements. There was some discussion over how to show bike routes – there are the existing routes which are signed and designated, the additional ones people use, and then those which are not yet bike routes. Roads frequently used by bicycles are not the same as those which would make sense as a bike route later, with the proper roadway improvements. One thought was to show the designated routes separately from those not officially designated. Another suggestion was to use colors like the Functional Class system if that will help distinguish map elements.

There was also discussion on how to get North-South. The Trans-America Trail and the Link need to be shown.

Corrections –

- Farmer Branch is a trail connection, not a bike route.
- The East-West Link should be shown as corridors, not specific routes
- Add the Strafford trail
- Indicate existing and removed railroad
- Lighten the rivers



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Staff agreed to review the suggestions and send maps out for review via e-mail.

3. OTHER BUSINESS

4. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m.