

COMMUNITY ISSUES

Call for a Northside bike path

The Northside News

"The Northside needs a bike path," according to Mike Basford, Sherman Neighborhood Association President and NPC member.

He testified at the Pedestrian/Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Commission's annual public hearing on May 24. Noting the plethora of bike paths across the city, Basford lamented that no Northside project is on the existing city pedestrian and bicycle improvement work plan for the next five years.

The need for a Northside bike path was firmly established during the Northside Community Vision process in 2000, according to Jim Powell, NPC Facilitator. More than 150 people met over the course of a year to create the Vision, which calls for "increased paved bike and other pedestrian paths and walkways, including bike trail to the Isthmus."

Powell added that Northside Alders Brian Benford and Paul Van Rooy

have pledged support for a Northside bike path, but that not having such a project on the city's 5-year work plan don't bode well for one being created.

At Ald. Benford's May 28 listening session, Michael Shinnors told him that we need a bike path and that he'd be willing to help build community support. Shinnors is the Brentwood Village representative to NPC, and started the Northside Community Grocery Co-op.

"Why doesn't the Northside have a single bike path? After all Madison has a national reputation as a bike-friendly city and there are lovely bike paths in most other parts of the city," said Shinnors. "My purpose is to bring together those of us on the

Northside who are already commuting to work with folks who may not have been on a bike in years but are open to it.

"Let's celebrate the words of English writer Aldous Huxley, 'Every time I see an adult on a bicycle I no longer fear for the future of the world.'"

NORTHSIDE BIKE PATH & COMMUTER BICYCLING MEETING

Tuesday, June 28
7:00 pm

Michael Shinnors' home
2206 Calypso Road
(near Warner Park)

Directions: 241-1848

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Community Meetings:

Northeast:

Wednesday June 15th
Warner Park
Recreation Center
6 - 8 pm

Southwest:

Wednesday June 8th 5:30-7:30pm
Meadowridge Branch Library

South:

Thursday June 9th 6-8pm
Catholic Multicultural Center

Far West:

Tuesday June 14th 6-8pm
Alicia Ashman Branch Library

Near West:

Thursday June 23rd 5:30-7:30pm
Sequoia Branch Library

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