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<b>Venue:</b>	Meeting Room, Level 1A, 1 Pope Street, Ryde	
<b>Date:</b>	Monday, 23 November 2020	
<b>Time:</b>	6.00pm	Started at: 6.00pm Closed at: 6.30pm
<b>Chair:</b>	Councillor Bernard Purcell	
<b>Meeting Support (MS):</b>	Linda Smith – EA to the Mayor and Councillors	
<b>Staff Convenor:</b>	Muddasir Ilyas – Senior Traffic Engineer – City of Ryde	
<b>Circulation:</b>	Committee Members	

**Committee Role:**

The primary role of the Bicycle Advisory Committee is to:

- Advise Council on all matters relating to cycling in the City of Ryde.

**Committee Members as per the Terms of Reference**

Present	Apology	Name	Position Title	Organisation
✓		Councillor Bernard Purcell	Chairperson	City of Ryde
✓		Councillor Jordan Lane	Deputy Chairperson	City of Ryde
	✓	Terry Perram	Community Representative	
	✓	Alf Torrisi	Community Representative	Bike North
		Paul McDonald	Community Representative	Parramatta Cycling Club
		Felix Lo	Community Representative	
	✓	Mark Ames	General Manager	Connect Macquarie Park
✓		Marios Elles	Community Representative	
		Craig McMurdo	Community Representative	Bike North
✓		Allison Pryor	Community Representative	Bike North

**Additional Attendees**

Name	Position Title	Organisation
Muddasir Ilyas	Senior Traffic Engineer – Transport Services	City of Ryde
Lisa Pears	Road Safety Officer	City of Ryde
Linda Smith	EA to the Mayor and Councillors	City of Ryde

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<p>1. <b>Attendance and Apologies</b></p> <p>Councillor Purcell welcomed all present to the meeting and provided an Acknowledgement to Country.</p> <p>Attendance and Apologies were noted as above.</p>	<p>Noted.</p> <p>Noted.</p>
<p>2. <b>Confirmation of Bicycle Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes from meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2020</b></p> <p>The minutes from the meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2020 were confirmed.</p>	<p>Noted.</p>



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<p><b><u>Riverside Business Chamber</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Andrew Hill on behalf of the Riverside Business Chamber attended as a guest to advise that the Chamber is keen to support bike initiatives in the local area.</li> <li>- It already supports a couple of initiatives such as Ride in Ryde and the Riverside run, walk and bike.</li> <li>- The Chamber is open to ideas and wants to get local businesses involved in bike issues.</li> <li>- Ryde and Macquarie Park are part of the Riverside catchment but in this instance, it is proposed to run an event along the Parramatta River.</li> <li>- Andrew will speak with staff about engaging business, local tourism, and will also contact Macquarie Park businesses to alleviate parking issues.</li> <li>- Bike North might chat with the Chamber about community rides where you stop at your favourite coffee shop.</li> <li>- The above could be a joint project between the Chamber and Bike North.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Bicycle Strategy Update</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- As part of the bicycle strategy project update, a consultant is being engaged and staff will ensure they speak with Mr Hill.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Stall Area at Meadowbank</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Councillor Purcell mentioned the market area at Anderson Park, Meadowbank and said it is hoped people will walk or ride to the site as parking is very tight. It was noted more bike racks are needed at this location.</li> <li>- Perhaps long term or pop up bike parking can be provided.</li> <li>- Barriers can be erected for parking which can be managed through tickets or simply having the option to park bikes at the location.</li> <li>- Allison will send information about this scheme in other locations.</li> <li>- Collapsible parking in the form of a rail where you can hang bikes is used in some locations</li> <li>- Councillor Purcell is happy to put a Notice of Motion to Council on the above after feedback from the committee.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Safety of Pedestrians on Footpaths</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The main sites to be considered are Santa Rosa Park and Kissing Point Park.</li> <li>- There are complaints from pedestrians that bike riders speed along the pathways – this is mainly the case on the Ryde Riverwalk.</li> <li>- Delivery cycles, ebikes and scooters on footpaths are also the source of complaints.</li> <li>- It was suggested education may be of assistance.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Commuting to Macquarie Park</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bike North wants to make short video clips about commuting to Macquarie Park and will do this in conjunction with Connect.</li> <li>- It is intended to have people with groups film different routes. The videos can then be edited to show different ways of reaching Macquarie Park.</li> <li>- This opportunity can also show ebikes are an alternative to driving in Macquarie Park area.</li> <li>- The film could also include potential issues such as dangerous spots where you should look over your shoulder.</li> <li>- Council's Comms team will help edit this film.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Ivanhoe Place Redevelopment</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- A question was raised regarding the works to be undertaken with the Ivanhoe Place redevelopment.</li> <li>- Staff were asked if there is any update on the Shrimptons Creek path and the new road to go across the path.</li> <li>- Council is not the authority dealing with this but will pass on any information received.</li> </ul>	<p>Noted</p>
<p>7. <b>Next Meeting:</b></p>	<p>Noted.</p>

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<p><b>Meeting Dates for 2021</b></p> <p><b>Monday 22 March 2021 at 6pm</b></p> <p><b>Monday 31 May 2021 at 6pm</b></p> <p><b>Monday 30 August 2021 at 6pm</b></p> <p><b>Monday 15 November 2021 at 6pm</b></p>	