Cambridge Pedestrian Report Meetings, Events, and News February 1, 2013

MEETINGS

Monday, February 4: Beacon Street, Somerville 25% Design Hearing, 6:30 PM

JFK Elementary School in Porter Square

A Design Public Hearing will be held by MassDOT to discuss the proposed Beacon Street Reconstruction and Improvement project in the City of Somerville, MA. Click here for more information:

http://www.mhd.state.ma.us/default.asp?pgid=content/hearings/somerville_020413&sid=hearing.

Monday, February 4: Pedestrian Committee Subcommittee Meeting, 5:30 PM

Flour, 190 Massachusetts Ave, between Central Sq. and MIT

Questions?: Debby Galef, drgalef@gmail.com

Tuesday, February 5: Planning Board, 7:00 PM

Cambridge Citywide Senior Center

806 Massachusetts Avenue

Town Gown reports are submitted annually by Cambridge's educational institutions. The reports include information about student, staff and faculty populations, parking and transportation, and current and future development plans. Presentations to occur in the order below:

- · Lesley University
- Cambridge College
- Harvard University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology

For more information: Cliff Cook at 617-349-4656 or ccook@cambridgema.gov

Town Gown Reports can be viewed online on the Community Development website: http://www.cambridgema.gov/towngown

Copies are also available for review at the Main Library or contact Tracey Joyce at 617-349-4651 or tjoyce@cambridgma.gov

Thursday, February 28: Pedestrian Committee Meeting, 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

344 Broadway, 4th Floor
Please Review attached DRAFT committee notes

Please send agenda items by February 15

EVENTS, TALKS and CONFERENCES

Friday, February 22, 2013: MOVE MASSACHUSETTS Speaker Series, 8:00 – 9:30 AM

WilmerHale, 60 State Street, 26th Floor, Boston

Due to a change in Secretary Davey's schedule, the Move Mass. meeting scheduled for February 8, 2013 from 8:00-9:30 a.m. at WilmerHale, 60 State Street, Boston has been moved to February 22, 2013 at the same time and location. The series will still feature Richard A. Davey, Secretary of Transportation & Chief Executive Officer for the Massachusetts Department of Transportation.

Friday, February 22: Walk-Ride Day

Walk-Ride Day is the fourth Friday of every month. For more information, visit: www.gogreenstreets.org.

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Cambridge Pedestrian Report Meetings, Events, and News February 8, 2013

MEETINGS

Tuesday, February 12: Planning Board Meeting, 7:00 PM

Second floor meeting room, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway For more information or to view the agenda, click here:

http://www.cambridgema.gov/CDD/zoninganddevelopment/planningboard.aspx

Wednesday, February 13: Concord Avenue Neighborhood Community Meeting, 6:30-8:30 PM

Tobin School Auditorium, located at 197 Vassal Lane.

As part of the Alewife Sewer Separation Project, the City of Cambridge is holding a kick-off community meeting for the Concord Avenue Neighborhood. For more information click here: www.cambridgema.gov/theworks/ConcordArea.

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More information TBA

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Preparing for a Winter Storm

A winter storm warning is in effect for Friday and Saturday. To help you prepare, please refer to these tips:

http://www.cambridgema.gov/citynewsandpublications/news/2013/02/winterstormpreparednessinformation.aspx

Give Feedback to the Belmont Community Path Advisory Committee

The Belmont Community Path Advisory Committee wants to hear your opinion about potential multi-use (cycling/walking/jogging) paths through Belmont that could connect Belmont to existing and planned multi-use paths in adjacent communities and facilities throughout town.

Please fill out a brief online survey, so the Town can better understand the needs of the community. The survey can be accessed at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/CommunityPath, until March 31, 2013. Survey forms are also available at the Belmont Public Library, Town Clerk's Office, and Office of Community Development. Forms can be filled out and left with those Town offices.

Pedicabs are Coming to Cambridge

http://www.boston.com/yourtown/news/cambridge/2013/02/pedicabs coming to cambridge i.html

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Cambridge Pedestrian Report Meetings, Events, and News February 15, 2013

MEETINGS

Tuesday, February 19: Planning Board Meeting, 7:00 PM

Second floor meeting room, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway
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Second floor meeting room, City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway
Public hearing on proposed zoning changes on bicycle parking requirements
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<u>Thursday, February 28: Lecture: Made for Walking: Density and Neighborhood Form, 4:00 PM</u>

Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, 113 Brattle Street, Cambridge Registration:

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Wednesday, March 20: WalkBoston Annual Celebration, 4:00 – 8:00 PM

http://walkboston.org/what-we-do/event/annual-celebration

Thursday, April 11: Bike/WalkSummit on Beacon Hill, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Beacon Hill - Nurses Hall

http://walkboston.org/what-we-do/event/bikewalk-summit-beacon-hill

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