

EPAPbike: The East Portland Action Plan Bicycle Subcommittee

Help us make biking funner in East Portland! Please join **EPAPbike** in promoting the bestest biking in East Portland. We meet the third Thursday of every month at 6:30 pm and welcome your enthusiasm, energy, ideas, and experience. Our next meeting is at the Muchas Gracias Mexican Restaurant, 1307 102nd Ave, near Gateway Freddy's.

Primary Action Items in EPAP (with varying timelines):

- CB.1.4 Organize walking or biking tours throughout the neighborhood
- T.3 Increase safety and accessibility of bicycling in East Portland
 - T.3.1 Install striped bike lanes on all major arterials throughout East Portland; prioritize areas with gaps in the bike network.
 - T.3.2 Increase street sweeping on arterials with bike lanes and paths.
 - T.3.3 Develop a complete and more well-defined bike system plan for East Portland; consider/incorporate safety innovations such as divided bike lanes, "bike boxes", path systems.
 - T.3.4 Improve and promote the Springwater Corridor trail as commuting route; consider adding trailheads/parking.
 - T.3.5 Provide bike outreach info with an East Portland focus.
 - T.3.6 Assess bike safety issues in key areas - Mall 205, Lents, and Division Street; implement improvements.

Additional Action Items from EPAP Meetings:

- A. I-205 Multi Use Path Improvements. The Bike Sub-Committee will assign a representative advocate. Jim Chasse has volunteered to be the representative advocate for the I-205 MUP
- M. Safer Routes to School support. The Bike Sub-Committee will incorporate this into their responsibilities.
- N. Create Bike & Walk Master Plans for East Portland and each neighborhood. The Bike Sub-Committee will incorporate this into their responsibilities.

Agenda for March 18, 2010

- 6:30 Check in & introductions
- 6:40 Announcements
 - 2010/11 PBOT Budget bike items in EP (Dave)
 - City budget forums & work sessions
 - PBOT Bike Boulevard Open Houses
 - GABA Fun Ride, Sun May 9, 1:30 PM, NE 111th & Halsey, 3 miles
- 6:55 ODOT & I-205 MUP update (Jim)
- 7:05 Smart Trips & Sunday Parkways update (Timo)
- 7:15 EPAP Bike Tours: discuss length & logistics of rides; shorter rides of each neighborhood; mapping techniques; April 15 EPAPbike agenda; possible outreach (Dave)
 - Planning Loop EPAP Bike Tour, Sat May 8, David Hampsten, 9:30 AM, Lincoln Park, SE Mill St at 135th Ave.
 - Art Along the I-205 MUP EPAP Bike Tour, Sat June 19, Jim Chasse, 9:30 AM, Ed Benedict Park, SE 104th & Bush St.
- 7:25 Community Cycling Center: identify locations for Get Lit operations in EP, understanding barriers to bicycling project (Zan)
- 8:00 Bike parking at Trimet stations (Colin)
- 8:25 Additional announcements & comment
- 8:30 Adjourn

April 15: Mobile meeting?

May 20: Tom Barnes is chair, Dave on vacation.