

WRCC Board Meeting – June 19, 2006

Present: Corinne Alexander, Kelly Grieger, Andrew Hirsch, Rob Peterson, Greg Small

- 1) Minutes of May 15, 2006 meeting were accepted and will be posted on the WRCC website.
- 2) Lonnie Kucik, representing the Hunger Hike organizers presented the Board with the opportunity to become a sponsor. The hike will take place on Sept. 17. Four to five hundred participants are expected. The proceeds will benefit the local Food Finders (1/3), Lafayette Urban Ministry (1/3), and a mission to Haiti (1/3). Last year, the WRCC contributed \$100. Rob reminded us that this was done as a means of satisfying our charter to give back to the community, although, strictly speaking, such involvement is meant to promote cycling. Lonnie indicated that for a \$350 donation, we could have the WRCC logo placed on a water bottle (similar to those we use) each participant will receive. Lonnie needs to know our decision by June 26. The Board did not feel comfortable making a spur-of-the-moment decision on the issue as some members were not present.
- 3) Rob reported that the balance in our bank account is \$9,500 as of May 30, 2006. Several Century deposits have been received thus far.
- 4) 2006 Century:
 - a. Insurance agent (Bob Mayhill) has come back to us with additional questions. Should reach convergence soon, we hope. Rob will stay on this.
 - b. We will advertise the Century in the Midwest Bike Magazine for \$35. This reaches a large audience in the multi-state area.
 - c. Thus far, we have as sponsors D&R, Wendys and Wal-Mart. Zoo will supply their list of sponsors as well.
 - d. Board opted for a bonfire in the fall instead of a pre-Century meal/cookout.
 - e. Board will urge Claude to paint the route on Aug 12 and then schedule a pre-Century ride on Aug 19.
 - f. Andy will contact Jim Stafford of the J&C for an article on the Century.
 - g. Zoo Board will be asked to supply 24 volunteers to work the day of the Century. They will also be asked to appoint one person responsible for the distribution of the Century posters and flyers. A tentative list of locations was passed along to the Zoo Board..
- 5) Old Business:
 - a. Greg spoke with Visitors Bureau about partnering with the WRCC on the bike racks to be contributed to the Prophetstown Park. They are not interested in making a monetary contribution. Therefore, the WRCC will proceed on its own.
 - b. Corinne will follow up on the A-rides with Janet.
- 6) Next Board Meeting: July 17, 6 pm @ Tippecanoe County Library (new time and location!).