

# Ypsilanti Non-Motorized Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda

Feb 9, 2023 7:00PM

Ypsilanti District Library, 229 W. Michigan Avenue – Main Floor Meeting Room

## Agenda Items

Note: Bold items on the agenda indicate a priority for this meeting

1. Call to order
2. General Business
  - a. January meeting minutes approval
  - b. Agenda Approval**
  - c. Other
3. Introductions - Audience Participation - Public Input
- 4. 2023 Committee Priorities**
  - a. Vision Zero Action Plans
    - i. Vision Zero Resolution (City taking action to have zero-related traffic fatalities by a set date)
    - ii. Crosswalk stop ordinance
    - iii. Traffic calming and slowing motor vehicle traffic
    - iv. Quick Build safety projects
    - v. Shifting modes of transportation more towards walking/bicycling
  - b. Neighborhood Connectors - Low-speed street network that has been designated and "optimized" for bicycle & walking traffic.
    - i. Promotion and public awareness efforts by NMAC committee - Website, flyers, Google participation form**
    - ii. City efforts and recognition
  - c. Communication, Recruitment & Education
    - i. Recruit more individuals to serve on the Non-Motorized Advisory Committee**
    - ii. Get participation in Committee meetings from Mayor, City Council, Planning/Sustainability Commission members, City Manager, Police Chief, Public Services Director.
    - iii. Publish quarterly Non-Motorized Committee newsletter.

- iv. Review City Council, Planning Commission, Sustainability Commission agendas for possible Committee input at their meetings.
  - v. Spring and Fall bicycle safety education program for both motorists and bicyclists
  - vi. **Sidewalk/Curb Cut vegetation (summer) snow removal (winter) promotion by Committee**
  - vii. Amplify public notice of Commission/City Council projects that impact non-motorized activities
  - d. Pedestrian Improvements – Increasing the number of radar speed signs, Rectangular Rapid-Flashing Beacons, traffic calming, ordinance review. Concentrate on where most pedestrian activity occurs.
  - e. Bicyclist Improvements – Additional bike lanes, safety signage, road markings, protected bike lanes, sharrows. Border To Border (B2B) Trail gap completion and enhancement.
  - f. **Events & Community Outreach – Organized walks, cold weather cycling talks, EMU Bike Rodeo, Parkridge Festival, Halloween safe trick-or-treating.**
5. Old & Continuing Business
- a. Bike & Walk Friendly Communities
    - i. **Walk Friendly Community – City “entrance way” signage**
    - ii. Bike Friendly Community (BFC) – Review, and act on, suggested improvements. Work towards next layer of award (i.e. go from Bronze to Silver): Review suggested improvements from [BFC “report card”](#)
    - iii. Bike Friendly Business program drive
    - iv. **Runner Friendly Community application**
6. New Business / Other Agenda Items
7. Next meeting
8. Adjournment