

Bike! Walk! Northwest Georgia
April 2, 2009
Minutes

Attending: Bill Moll, Joe Anderson, Tim Jones, Peter Cervelli, David Kenemer, Dean Clemmer, Charlie Jones, Fred Wagner, David Howerin, Gail Priest, Sheri Henshaw, Sandra Bethune

Brochures

- Sheri Henshaw passed around the new Bartow brochure with a larger credit to BWNWGA.
- The group approved \$2,000 for the brochure

Events and Walks

- Walks are currently being planned for Euharlee (June), Trenton (May), LaFayette(May 20) and Summerville(June)

BWNWGA website

- The updates have been submitted
- The website has been partially updated.

Regional Bicycle Routes

- Andy Carroll, the UTC mapping person, has been contacted about doing the network map
- The map updates have been submitted for the website

Complete Streets Workshop

- The program with DCA on complete Streets is agreed.
- Tallapoosa, Rockmart, Calhoun and Adairsville will be the towns for the Monday/Tuesday sessions
- There are free seats at the workshop for BWNWGA members

Speakers For the Counties

- Speakers on cycling and walking are Tha Wookie (Nate Olive), Betsy Schwartz, Tom Johnson, Rhen and Helen Davis, Metal Cowboy (Joe Kurmaskie) and Lynette Chiang
- Publicity is the usual challenge

Water Bottles

- The water bottle design is ready

March 19 Meeting

- The public session after the RDC Board meeting on March 19 got input from some additional county representatives
- A pedometer was suggested as the prize for "Walking Across NW Georgia"

March 20 Meeting

- David Kenemer reported on his meeting with the south Georgia RDC group working on developing a group such as ours

Contract Status for Fiscal 2008-2009 and 2009-2010– David Kenemer

- Current activities will utilize all of the amended budget
- The plans for FY 2010 were reviewed by the group

Meeting was adjourned

Next meeting: May 7, 2009