

PATC Priorities 2015 – 2018: **Mid-Term Report, September 2016**

Improving conditions for AT in Pelham for utilitarian and recreational purposes, with attention to accessibility

OBJECTIVES:

- Develop a list of priorities that supports AT, for Council’s consideration, as part of the budget cycle
- Act in an advisory capacity to Council and Planning and Public Works transportation policy development
- Create and highlight opportunities for residents to learn about and advocate for AT in Pelham

Community Outreach and Education

Priorities:

- Engage meaningfully with residents, schools
- Recognize businesses aligned with AT
- Promote events for pedestrians and cyclists

- ✓ Ongoing STP activity with G.A.Green school
- ✓ Road Safety Challenge events
- ✓ Bike Friendly Business Network in Pelham
- ✓ Active Zone, Summerfest
- ✓ Annual safety kiosk at Farmer’s Market
- ✓ Fonthill Historical Walk
- ✓ 100 students at Bike Rodeo, June 2016-06-26
- ✓ Distributed Cycle safety info to Fenwick schools

AT Priorities

Priorities:

- Seek support for ATMP implementation
- Inventory unopened road allowances
- Develop routes, loops and maps

- ✓ Inventory of unopened road allowances reviewed
- ✓ Pelham Bike map developed
- ✓ Input into Regional Transportation Master Plan
- ✓ Pelham cyclist parking information provided to Cycling Niagara

Policy Development

Priorities:

- Participate in AT Master Plan development
- Link AT to transit
- Promote policies that improve AT in Pelham
- Engage other AT ctes

- ✓ Meetings held with Thorold and Welland AT committees re connecting trails
- ✓ AT Master Plan developed
- ✓ ATNN meetings attended
- ✓ Resident input re ATMP at Pelham Home Show
- ✓ Budget input for AT priorities provided

Accessibility and Safety

Priorities:

- Focus on assistive devices
- Promote road safety

- ✓ Road Safety Challenge activities in May 2015, 2016
- ✓ Traffic calming Port Robinson Road and Pelham Street intersection
- ✓ Responded to Senior’s Advisory Committee request by developing prototype rest chair for Church Hill Street