

## Members Present:

Wayne Marty, Dan Pond, Donna Pond, Dale Hurt, Theresa Nordstrom

## Old Business:

### Treasurer Report –

- Balance: \$263.06
- Two new members

**Wellness Update** – Jim F. absent unable to discuss

**Club Rides** – Mary G. absent unable to discuss

**Iowa Bicycle Coalition** – update from Wayne Marty

- Shared sign from Quad Cities
- Shared “Complete Streets”
  - Bicycles share bicyclers are safer when they have bicycle lanes, however there is not data to show that it is truly safer to have bicycle lanes
  - Share the Road signs – no one standard
- Small Group Team Report
  - Iowa Safe Routes to School
    - Iowa Safe Routes to School provide free leadership for a meeting
    - There is grant money possibly available
    - Spoke to Gehlen’s Superintendent, LCHS Sup, Mayor – All are interested
    - Help identify safety issues, best routes, make best routes
    - Spoke to Superintendents of both schools and they are open to being part of
  - **Ideas**
    - Get art programs involved in making decorative bike racks
  - **Next Meeting Action Items:**
    - **Speak to Colleen and get her buy in**
    - **Call Iowa Safe Routes and get ideas on next action items**

**PIGS Update** – no update

### Membership Fee Policy Update

- All dues have been moved to online excel worksheet
- Discuss to have renewals fill out a new waiver/membership form
- We changed the waiver form last year thus we need to have waivers updated

### Decisions:

- Discussed changing waiver/membership form to the current Treasurer’s mailing address. This will allow for a smooth application process. The club does not have its own P.O. box
- All renewals will be asked to complete a new waiver form. This will ensure we have updated information. The form will also be updated any time there are changes made to the waiver form
- Non-members currently receive all emails. Going forward we will separate the paid and non-paid members. The non-paid members will receive special emails recruiting them to join our club.
- **Action Item :**
  - **Dan Pond - Update online membership form with the current treasurer’s address**

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

### **Minors :**

- Do not pay dues thus we will not have a way of tracking waivers for them
- Discuss at next meeting and decide how to handle
  - If parents are present do we need a waiver?
  - Membership forms are made for one individual. Other clubs have the entire family included on the application form.
  - **Action Item: Dan Pond will update the waiver to include space for family members**

### **Next Meeting:**

February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2007 7pm YMCA Board Meeting Room in LeMars