

Subject: FW: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative
Date: Tuesday, 25 November, 2014 1:59:38 PM Eastern Standard Time
From: Michael Wozny <m.w.wozny@sympatico.ca>
To: 'Marlaine Koehler' <mk@wrtrust.com>
Category: LHNC Route

Further to my meeting with Mississauga First Nation, they are in support of the project.

From: Keith Sayers [mailto:keith@mississauga.com]
Sent: Thursday, November 06, 2014 3:21 PM
To: Michael Wozny
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

Hi Mike,

Sorry for the lengthy delay but I just received notification that we can support this project. Any questions give me a call.

Keith

From: Michael Wozny [mailto:m.w.wozny@sympatico.ca]
Sent: September-09-14 11:50 AM
To: Keith Sayers
Cc: gmbrdc@blindriver.com
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

It is a pleasure to connect with you as we continue to move forward regarding the Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative.

In March 2013, a study was completed by the MMM Group for Tourism Northern Ontario to facilitate the development of a tourism and recreational cycling route which links Sault Ste. Marie and the communities along the North Shore to Sudbury. The study focused on key factors including keeping cyclists off the Trans-Canada Highway where possible (only 49 km on HWY17) and to encourage support from community stakeholders along the route, as well as identifying economic, tourism and health benefits. The study recommended a 370 km final route and implementation plan for the project. A regionally represented Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative Working Group has been established with Ian McMillan from Tourism Sault Ste. Marie as the Chair and Stoney Burton as a member of the Working Group. I have been contracting to act as the Coordinator and am implementing Phase I of the Implementation Strategy of the Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Study.

This is a very exciting regional initiative and is supported by Tourism Northern Ontario. A special feature of this project is that we are working with Trans Canada Trail officials as they would like to make this route the official Trans Canada Trail route as well. Furthermore, I am working with Waterfront Regeneration Trust, a non-profit group that has been around for over 20 years and coordinates on a ongoing basis over 1,400 km of cycling trails in southern Ontario going through 70 communities. It is our intention to expand the route system of Waterfront Regeneration Trust to include our 370 km route.

We have met with the communities along the route and I would like to meet with you to bring you up-to-date on the process, identify benefits and partnerships, introducing possible roles and responsibilities, and identifying next steps for project implementation. All of the communities are supportive and a number have passed resolutions of support. This project was presented at the annual board meeting of the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities who have issued a letter of support endorsing the project.

Attached is the Executive Summary and map of the route. I would like to come to your office for a presentation, show you our detailed maps, answer any questions and get your support for the project. I will contact you to set-up a time and date for us to meet.

Thank you for your interest and I look forward to discussing this great project with you.

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Sent: Monday, September 08, 2014 12:05 PM
To: 'Keith Sayers'
Cc: 'Michael Wozny'
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

OK – I will get Mike (copied here) to contact you directly and see if we can get this thing up to speed.
S.

From: Keith Sayers [<mailto:keith@mississauga.com>]
Sent: September-08-14 11:40 AM
To: gbrdc@blindriver.com
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

I had a tech participate in a meeting about 3 years ago....never heard anything since.

From: Stoney [<mailto:gbrdc@blindriver.com>]
Sent: September-08-14 11:17 AM
To: Keith Sayers
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

OK – I think Mike Wozny has been trying to initiate this through Wilma but they haven't connected on it yet.
Would this be better to be sent to Chief and Council to present it formally?
S.

From: Keith Sayers [<mailto:keith@mississauga.com>]
Sent: September-08-14 10:39 AM
To: gbrdc@blindriver.com
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

We had heard of this some time ago but nothing really materialized.....

From: Stoney [<mailto:gbrdc@blindriver.com>]
Sent: September-08-14 8:13 AM
To: Keith Sayers
Cc: 'Michael Wozny'; Alesia Boyer
Subject: RE: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

Hi Keith. I just got back from vacation and got this email.
Were you aware of this initiative – and do you know if Wilma has responded or given any direction on it?

Stoney

From: Michael Wozny [<mailto:m.w.wozny@sympatico.ca>]
Sent: August-28-14 4:04 PM
To: wilma@mississauga.com
Cc: gbrdc@blindriver.com
Subject: FW: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

Further to our discussions, I would like to meet with you for a presentation and discuss the Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative, your support and bring you up-to-date on activities. Please let me know a suitable date and time, as I would be pleased to meet you at your office. Thanks!

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From: Michael Wozny [<mailto:m.w.wozny@sympatico.ca>]
Sent: Tuesday, March 25, 2014 4:00 PM
To: 'wilma@mississauga.com'
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Subject: Lake Huron North Channel Cycling Route Initiative

Wilma:

Further to Stoney Burton's invitation to attend the meeting on April 3, 2014 at 10am in Blind River, attached is the Executive Summary of the cycling study and a map showing the route in your area. As identified in the summary, I am working on Phase I of the Implementation Plan.

Marlaine Koehler (Waterfront Regeneration Trust) and I are meeting and talking with Mayors, Councilors, Clerks and staff from the communities across the region during the first week of April. The study was completed last year and we are bringing communities up-to-date, identifying benefits and partnerships, introducing possible roles and responsibilities, and identifying next steps for project implementation.

I will contact you tomorrow to confirm your attendance, as your region is key to the entire project. As you deem appropriate, it would be appreciated if you could invite interested elected officials and relevant staff to join us as we provide information and answer questions as we move forward. Thanks and I look forward to pursuing this project with you.

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