

AGENDA

BICYCLE & PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE

MEETING: Friday, March 13, 2009

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM

CMCOG CONFERENCE ROOM

1. **Welcome, Introductions & Call to Order**..... **Will Haltiwanger, Chair**

2. **Determination of a Quorum**..... **Entire Group**

ACTION → 3. **Approval of September 2008 Meeting Minutes** **Entire Group**
(Enclosure 1)

4. **Bike-Ped in the Economic Stimulus Package**.....**Aaron Bell, Staff**
On February 17th, President Obama signed the America Recovery & Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA). South Carolina is expected to receive approximately \$463 million for transportation improvements. Staff will share how the ARRA will impact local bike-pedestrian initiatives.
(Enclosure 2)

5. **Review of Local Resurfacing Projects****Aaron Bell, Staff**
Staff is working with SCDOT in identifying projects that are on the SCDOT Stimulus Project funded list that could be eligible for bike-related improvements. (Enclosure 3)

6. **Richland County Comprehensive Plan****Julie Wilkie, Richland County Planning**
Richland County is currently updating its comprehensive plan. Ms. Wilkie will provide an update on the progress of the plan and its emphasis on encouraging more bicycling and walking in the county.

7. **Upcoming Events**

a. **USC Bike Festival (March 2009)****Ben Coonrod, USC**
Mr. Coonrod will discuss the details of USC’s upcoming bike-related events. (Enclosure 4)

b. **BikeColumbia update** **Gerry Lynn Hall, Columbia**
Ms. Hall will share the latest updates on the City’s continual efforts to promote community-wide bicycling, including its plans for 2009 Bike to Work campaign.

8. **Old/New Business** **Will Haltiwanger**

a. **Lessons learned from Spartanburg (Jan 23rd mtg)**

b. **Pathways Plan update** (*more discussion @ May 1 meeting*)

c. **2009 upcoming meetings schedule** (2nd Friday of every other month):

- May 1 (in lieu of May 8)
- July 10
- September 11
- November 13

9. **Public Comments**..... **Open**

10. **Adjourn** **Will Haltiwanger**