

CITY OF WARRENVILLE

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To: Chair and Bicyclist and Pedestrian Advisory Commission Members
CC: City Administrator Coakley
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Subject: JUNE MONTHLY REPORT
Date: June 3, 2021

This report is intended to provide communication from the Commission Staff Liaison to the Bicyclist and Pedestrian Advisory Commission members on a monthly basis. It is copied to the City Administrator. Please contact me if you have any questions or comments.

HB270 Eliminates Local Match for Bike/Ped Infrastructure

The Illinois House and Senate passed the bill (HB270) mandating that the state cover the full cost of biking and walking infrastructure in road projects on IDOT-maintained roads, just like they do for the car and truck parts of projects. The projects are for IDOT led projects and do not apply to City initiated projects that happen to be in IDOT right-of-way. The amendment:

<https://www.ilga.gov/legislation/fulltext.asp?DocName=10200HB0270sam001&GA=102&SessionId=110&DocTypeId=HB&LegID=128154&DocNum=270&GAID=16&SpecSess=&Session=>

Daily Herald Editorial: Attention to Issues for Pedestrians, Cyclists, Drivers

Transportation advocates say 80 million bicyclists share the road with motor vehicles and that the number of deaths of bike-riders is on the rise, in rural and exurban areas. The death of world-renowned architect Helmut Jahn in a bicycling accident near Campton Hills in May emphasizes the need for greater awareness about bicycle safety by drivers and bike-riders alike, and maybe renew discussions about what more can be done to better accommodate bicyclists and pedestrians.

<https://www.dailyherald.com/discuss/20210518/editorial-jahns-death-draws-attention-to-issues-for-pedestrians-cyclists-drivers>

A New York Bill Proposes SUVs Get a Pedestrian Warning Label

Targeting large pickup trucks and SUVs, a New York bill proposes a safety rating system that would rank vehicles on the dangers they pose to pedestrians and cyclists.

<https://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2021-05-24/pedestrian-safety-ratings-target-suvs-and-pickups?srnd=citylab-transportation>

Upcoming Meetings and Dates to Remember:

June	07	7:00 p.m.	City Council meeting
	08	7:00 p.m.	Bicyclist and Pedestrian Advisory Commission
	09	7:00 p.m.	Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Awareness Commission
	10	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission/ZBA
	14	7:00 p.m.	Public Works and Infrastructure Committee
	15	7:00 p.m.	Environmental Advisory Commission
	17	7:00 p.m.	Tourism and Arts Commission
	21	7:00 p.m.	City Council meeting
	22	7:00 p.m.	Board of Fire and Police Commission
	24	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission/ZBA

July 03 9:15 p.m. The “Ville” is BOOMIN’ Fireworks display
05 Independence Day Observed – City Offices Closed
06 7:00 p.m. City Council meeting (Tuesday)
08 7:00 p.m. Plan Commission/ZBA
10 Mayor’s Fitness Challenge Ends
12 7:00 p.m. Community Development Committee
13 6:30 p.m. Police Pension Board Quarterly Meeting
13 7:00 p.m. Bicyclist and Pedestrian Advisory Commission
14 7:00 p.m. Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Awareness Commission
15 7:00 p.m. Tourism and Arts Commission – Hotel Grant Workshop
19 7:00 p.m. City Council meeting
20 7:00 p.m. Environmental Advisory Commission
22 7:00 p.m. Plan Commission/ZBA
26 7:00 p.m. Public Safety and Finance Committee
27 7:00 p.m. Board of Fire and Police Commission

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