

# CYCLISTS TOURING CLUB, FRIENDS OF THE EARTH & ABERDEEN CITY

## MINUTE

Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> November, 2003, Carlton Bar, Castlegate

### Present:

Dave Lindsey, CTC, Right to Ride Officer (Chair)  
Derek Williams, CTC  
Jeremy Rushton, Friends of the Earth  
Chris Yuill, RGU  
Gerard Vlaar, CTC  
Louise Napier, Aberdeen City Council  
Dave Tulett, CTC  
Jackie Wilkins, CTC  
Helen Adamson, Shell  
Simon Pearce, BP  
Gregor McAbery, Aberdeen Environmental Forum

### Apologies:

Sonia Element, BP  
Saville Gunn, Aberdeen Wheelers  
Warren Murphy, Aberdeen City Council

Item	Action By
<p><b>1. Welcome</b></p> <p>DL welcomed everyone to the meeting. Apologies from Saville Gunn, Sonia Element and Warren Murphy.</p>	
<p><b>2. Minutes of last meeting (30/10/03)</b></p> <p>The minutes of the last meeting were agreed. Actions that were followed up were by LN – contacting the University to ask about a representative for student cyclists. DW has found one student who is willing to join. DW also found out more about the Highland Cycle Campaign.</p>	
<p><b>3. Cycle map working group update</b></p> <p>LN spoke of the map evening and its success. It was decided that another meeting would be necessary to develop the map. LN had also spoken to the Council's technical department who are responsible for producing maps for City Development and they did not believe they could produce the type of base map wanted. They are therefore going to ask another company outwith the Council how much they would charge. LN to get back to the Forum on this. DT also suggested digitally capturing different routes. Several other maps of other areas were looked at. The Forum has to decide how best to 'present' the map – how many colours, size, types of routes, charging for the map, recreational and commuter routes, details, etc. The production of a map could also show gaps in routes or problem spots which could then be taken to Roads Officers in the Council. It was thought that the details of the map could be decided at the next map meeting which will be Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> November in the Town House and that the map could possibly be launched in Bike Week, June 2004.</p> <p>LN also informed the group that consultation for the Western Peripheral Route would be taking place and all comments would have to be back by early Spring. Unfortunately maps for the Route are not allowed to be removed from the Council. It was agreed by the Forum that it would be necessary to arrange a meeting within the Town House looking at the maps. This meeting will take place on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> November, 7.30 pm.</p>	LN

