

Bicycle, Pedestrian and Greenway Advisory Committee (BPGAC)

Tuesday, August 8, 2023 – 6 PM

GF City Hall, 255 North 4th Street, 2nd floor planning conference room

Meeting Notes

Kim Greendahl, City of GF
Richard O'Connor
Tyson Gilmore

Brendan Gilmore
William Gilmore
Henry Gilmore

I. Greenway Items

- A. **Disc and footgolf course update:** This combined course in Riverside Park is now open to the public. Signage is still being designed and will be installed this fall.
- B. **Snowmobile route request update:** This item was discussed at the July 17 GF City Council meeting. A recording of the meeting is available online at www.grandforksgov.com. The discussion can be found at the 1:59:13 mark in the meeting.

A working group will be formed to discuss potential routes for the entire community. EGF and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources have asked to be included in the group because anything that happens with a route in GF impacts EGF. Representatives from the GF Council are Tricia Lunski and Kyle Kvamme. Any route in GF must be approved by the City Council.

- C. **Wayfinding sign project:** Kim is working with the GF Park District to determine a design palette and sign hierarchy for a community-wide wayfinding system on the shared-use path system. Input from this group will be important to ensure the signs have information that benefits users.

The group suggested:

- Include a mini map (a map of the surrounding area) and QR codes on most signs. Include the distance and direction to nearby facilities.
- There should be a major kiosk at the intersection of Sertoma Park and the English Coulee and the intersection of 47th Avenue South and South Washington.
- Electronic kiosks at major intersections is something to consider because they allow for flexibility. Trail closures and other important information could be changed as needed.

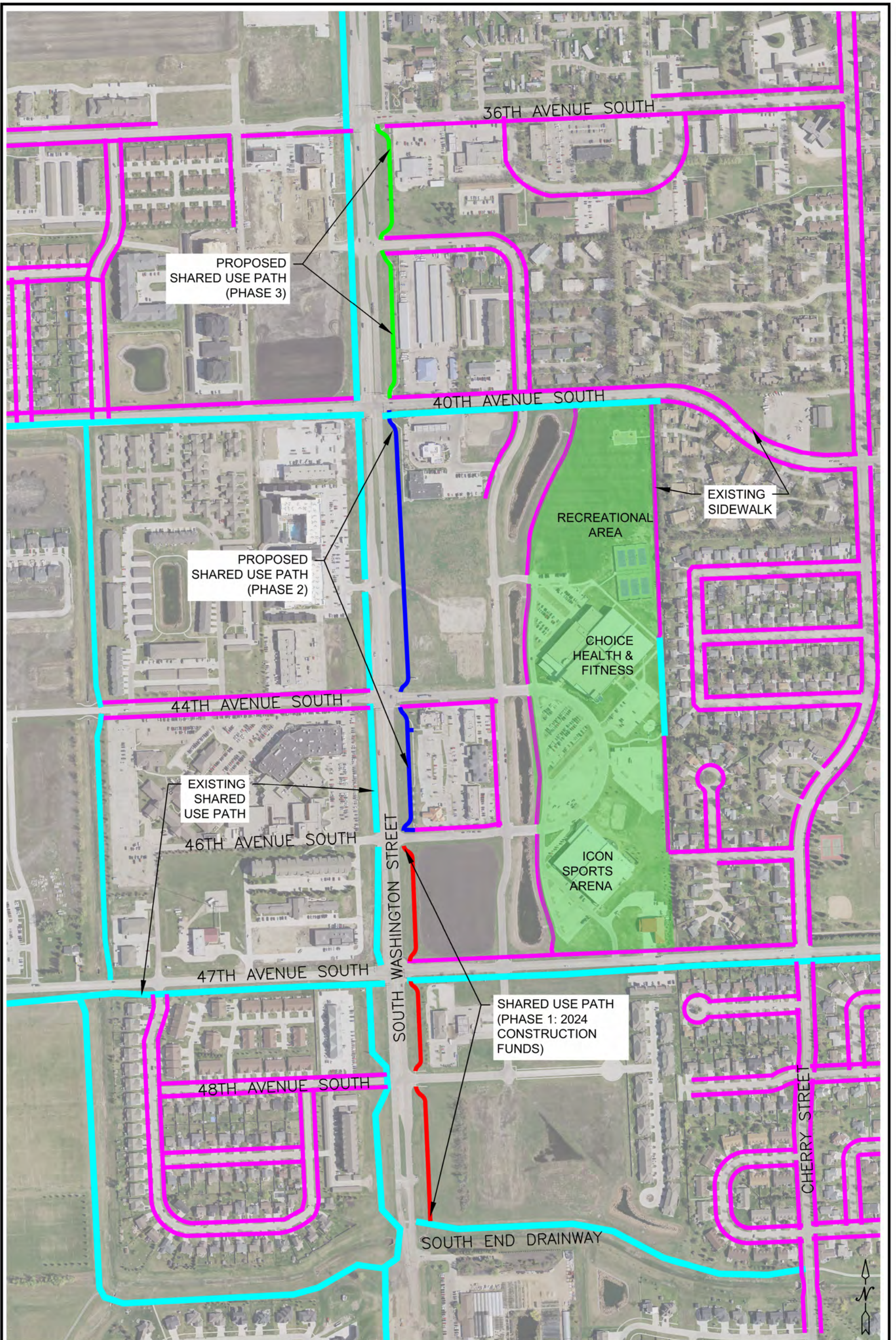
II. Other

- A. **Self-service lockers for equipment:** Kim is still trying to find self-service lockers to install near the disc and footgolf course. The lockers would store game equipment that can be reserved through an app but would be free to use. Having equipment available would benefit those who find the game course by chance and want to play but don't have equipment. It would also benefit people who do not have the funds to purchase equipment.

Next Meeting date: Tuesday, September 12, 2023, 6 PM at GF City Hall, 255 North 4th Street, room A102

Supporting documents: Draft disc and footgolf course map & welcome plaque

Submitted by: Kim Greendahl, Greenway specialist, City of GF



PROPOSED SHARED USE PATH (PHASE 3)

PROPOSED SHARED USE PATH (PHASE 2)

EXISTING SHARED USE PATH

SHARED USE PATH (PHASE 1: 2024 CONSTRUCTION FUNDS)

EXISTING SIDEWALK

RECREATIONAL AREA

CHOICE HEALTH & FITNESS

ICON SPORTS ARENA



CITY OF GRAND FORKS
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

2025 TA APPLICATION
SHARED USE PATH ON S WASHINGTON ST
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