



	<p>extension. This would be a widening of 5 more feet to the sidewalk to make a 10 foot path extending to Cherokee Drive. Mr. Moore advised that this could be a case where we could issue a change order to the contractor who is already doing the work, using his existing bid prices and would not have to advertise and take an additional bid for an ongoing project. Mr. Phelps shared his concerns about safety with a bike path crossing driveways and neighbors not looking for bikers traveling on the highway, even in a bike path. He suggested stop signs or something to alert drivers that they need to stop before pulling into a bike path. If the Greenways does want to obtain the easement, Mr. Moore indicated the staff will need some surveying done in order to determine how much property easement is needed. He stated that \$3,000 would probably take care of the surveying needs. The Commission agreed to work on procuring easements and possibly doing a change order to the current construction developer.</p>
<b>CONCLUSION</b>	<p><b>Continue path projects at Weldon Peete Park/Lower Landfill Project; Cemetery Road/Riverfront Park; South Campus; West Campus and Creekwood.</b></p>
<b>ACTION</b>	<p><b>Motion by Mr. Phelps, seconded by Mr. Morgan to accept the bid of Charles DeWeese Construction in the amount of \$75,677.15 and then be submitted to the City Commission for approval. All members concurred (10 yeas)</b></p> <p><b>Motion by Mr. Bullington, seconded by Mr. Martin, to allow staff to spend up to \$3,000 for surveying the Keriaskas Park extension project, if needed. All members concurred (10 yeas)</b></p>
	<p><i>Richard Morgan left the meeting at 4:45 p.m.</i></p> <p>Mr. Yowell and staff have been continuing the work on the West Campus Project portion behind Wal-Mart to Veterans Memorial to Creason Drive. Negotiations have been focused with Wal-Mart which has now agreed to an easement, so we are proceeding with design and are close to the bidding stage. KCTCS is in the discussion stage and Warren County Public Schools has agreed to proceed.</p> <p>Mr. Yowell then reported on Creekwood will begin as soon as the weather breaks in the spring. However, now the contractor who bid the project has sold out and the contract was not transferred. There is a possibility that this project may have to be re-bid as Scotty's has bought Kenway Paving. He is working on discussions with Scotty's to find out the status of this project and staff is striving to keep the cost at approximately \$48,800 from the original bid.</p> <p>Mr. Yowell reported that the South Campus project is in design stage and one of the required property owners is going through Bankruptcy at this point and this delays proceeding with this project for the time being.</p> <p>At one time, the Greenways Commission has received an estimate bid for striping from Reynolds for Keriaskas Park and to the Riverfront. We will check the Minutes to see if there has been an approval for the expense of striping.</p> <p>Mr. Moore is still trying to procure a map showing all the easements and common open space</p>

	<p>secured throughout the county which could be converted to Greensways to tie into another trail. Once the Greenways Commission members can see what is secured and what is already down, then future plans for projects and can be discussed. Brochures will be re-done once the map is completed.</p>	
<b>NEW BUSINESS</b>		
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<p>The first discussion under new business was the review of Blueways - Steve Spencer is sick today and Mr. Moore reported that one of the key components of the WC Grant is the reconstruction or rehabilitation of the entrance road and parking lot at Weldon Peete Park. Since this is a county grant, Mr. Yowell and Mr. Moore have volunteered to help the county with bids to help on the grants and construction of the projects.</p>	
	<p>Chairman Stein reported that the Logistics Committee has meet to discuss the 22/24 locations for signage with the Preserve American Grant. There are 24 signs and 22 locations that pertain to the Greenways and 2 signs that are Civil War type monument/signage that we do not control. Once the locations are approved, Jonathan Jeffrey is ready to work on the history of the location (if any) and then Miranda Clements (our new Historic Preservation Planner) will be working with us. Laura Harris with the City of Bowling Green is working on sign design and will bring to the sign/logistics committee. Mr. Bullington reported that during the sign committee meeting, they discussed different types of signage for shared use paths, walking paths and bike paths. He said he believes we have created some dangerous safety situations by ending shared use paths at sidewalks and intersections with no way for a bicycle to get to the street. Mr. Phelps shared his concerns about widening sidewalks into a shared use path. There would need to be education with the rules that have changed and discussed potential liability. The sign committee will look at pricing and location for signage and report back next month.</p>	
	<p>Chairman Stein then reported that the By-Laws Committee has also met and, hopefully, there will be a red-line draft for the Committee and then to the Commission before the next meeting.</p>	
<b>ANNOUCEMENTS</b>		<b>STEIN, MOORE, YOWELL</b>
<b>NOTE TAKER</b>	Sandy Clark	
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<p>Josh Moore reported that in 2007 there was a TSCP Grant that was not awarded, wherein we asked for this Grant which had four components: 1) money to finish the Lovers Lane connection; 2) complete the loop from Nashville Road around the dog park on the dog park side of Cave Mill Road; 3) through WKU converting Avenue of Champions Blvd., to have a bike and pedestrian uses; and another project. The Commission decided to move along and the City issues a Municipal Order for \$200,000 as matching funds for the project. Mr. Moore last week was contacted by Robin Taylor of WKU Legislative Liaison to move forward with the project across WKU's campus and she asked that we submit this Grant as ear marked funds and the City Manager said the money is still willing to okay the project. Mr. Moore said he has shown WKU there is community involvement and proceed with the Grant request.</p>	

	<p>Arbor Day/Bike Rodeo is set for April 12<sup>th</sup> and we will need volunteers.</p> <p>The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual "Crawdaddy Run" will be in June (possible 21<sup>st</sup>) of 2008 with more information to follow. Volunteers are needed.</p> <p>Mary Travelstead reported that she went up to Mammoth Cave and showed pictures of some wooden trestles that might look nice along Beech Bend Road or other roadways.</p>
<b>CONCLUSION</b>	<p><b>Josh Moore is continuing to work with WKU to procure a Grant and assist WKU with the community involvement in order to procure the Grant.</b></p>
<b>ACTION ITEM</b>	
<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>	
<p><b>Motion to Adjourn by Dick Cooper, seconded by Ed Martin. Chairman Stein announced the meeting adjourned at 5:25 p.m.</b></p>	