

CITY OF SAN JOSÉ
BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (BPAC)

6:00 P.M. January 9th, 2016
City Hall, 200 E. Santa Clara St, 8th Fl, Room T-847
San José, CA 95113

MINUTES

- (a) **Call to Order/Introductions** – The meeting was called to order at 6:16 pm.

Members Present

Richard Coolman, Chair
Timm Borden
Michael Norris
Gail Seeds
George Voon
Scott Broberg
Daniel Filip
Bill Deibler

City Staff

Ryan Smith, DOT

Members of the Public

Brandon

Members Absent

Brandon Alvarado
Gail Seeds

- (b) **Approve Order of Business** – Approved 8-0-0.
(c) **Public Forum** – No public forum.
(d) **Approve Minutes of November 14th, 2016** – Minutes approved after corrections to typos, 8-0-0.

- (e) **Old Business**

(1) **VTA Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee Update** – No update.

- (f) **New Business**

(1) **I Walk I Bike I vote complete streets concern on downtown streets** – Chair Coolman and staff secretary Smith provided background on recent concerns over the paving of Santa Clara Street and over the new design of the Julian Street curve at St. James and San Pedro. No action was taken and the item was deferred to accommodate schedule changes for the agenda guest speaker.

(2) **Viva CalleSJ letter of support** – Item deferred pending further details on post analysis of 2016 Viva CalleSJ event.

(3) DOT bikeway implementation at interchanges – Smith provided information about implementation of DOT’s 2016 bikeways workplan, specifically regarding bike lanes at freeway interchanges. Committee members had previously voiced concern about bike lanes missing at freeway interchanges at Branham Lane and Oakland Road, and whether or not bike lanes would be striped though future bike lane projects that cross freeways. Smith provided background and the Committee asked for more information to be provided at a future meeting.

- (g) Staff Report** – Smith provided updates on Bay Area Bike Share, the City’s bike locker program, status of DOT’s 2017 bikeways workplan, and Viva CalleSJ.
- (h) Chairperson’s Comments** – No comments.
- (i) Committee Comments** – Regarding item (f)(3) above, Member Borden expressed the need for the City to prioritize working with Caltrans where necessary on bike lane implementation.
- (j) Adjourn** – The meeting was adjourned at 7:27 pm.