

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

6:00 P.M. April 10th, 2017 City Hall, 200 E. Santa Clara St, 8th Fl, Room T-847 San José, CA 95113

MINUTES

City Staff

Ryan Smith, DOT

Lucas Ramirez, Office of Council District 2

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

Members Present

Richard Coolman, Chair

Timm Borden

Daniel Filip

Scott Broberg

Sharlene Washington

Gail Seeds

Brandon Alvarado

Bill Deibler

Members Absent

George Voon

Michael Norris

- **(b)** Approve Order of Business Approved 8-0-0.
- (c) Public Forum No public forum.
- (d) Approve Minutes of March 13th, 2017 Minutes deferred to May 2017 meeting per staff request.
- (e) Old Business
 - (1) VTA Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee Update No update.
- (f) New Business
 - (1) Update on National Bike Summit Vice-Chair Alvarado provided a summary of the National Bike Summit in Washington, DC. His summary focused on the League of American Bicyclists' Bike Friendly Communities program and their potential applicability to San Jose and San Jose State University.
 - **(2) Solicit BPAC input on DOT bike plan update** Staff shared the draft RFP for DOT's bike plan update to inform the committee members and to receive feedback. The Committee provided feedback on the structure and content of the RFP. Closing gaps in the

existing system was emphasized, as well as creating connections to existing and future transit.

- (3) Solicit input on DOT's proposed protected bikeway network Staff provided an overview of the protected bikeways network that DOT intends to implement over the next two years, including the corridors that are scheduled to be implemented in the near term.
- **(g) Staff Report** Staff provided an update on projects in DOT's annual bikeways work plan, including the upcoming Hedding Street complete streets community meeting.
- (h) Chairperson's Comments Chair Coolman requested that staff place Class III shared lane markings on Hicks Avenue and Camino Ramon in Willow Glen, and emphasized the need for bicycle wayfinding signage. Coolman also provided an update to the Committee on his desire to work with the senior Commission on improving conditions for walking and biking in Downtown.
- (i) Committee Comments Vice-Chair Alvarado reminded the Committee about the forthcoming Silicon Valley Bikes! Fest on May 9th.
- (j) Adjourn The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm.