BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MAY 4, 2016•WEDNESDAY•10:00 AM
STANCOG BOARD ROOM
1111 I STREET, SUITE 308
MODESTO, CA

AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS
   These matters may be presented only by interested persons in the audience. Discussion is limited to five minutes or at the discretion of the Chair.
5. CONSENT CALENDAR
   A. Motion to Approve Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee Minutes of 3/2/16

6. PRESENTATION
   A. Bicycle Pedestrian Improvements – City of Modesto (*No Written Report*)

7. INFORMATION ITEMS
   *The following items are for information only.*
   A. California State Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Regional Forums
   B. Bike to Work Month Events – May 2016

8. MANAGEMENT REPORT

9. MEMBER REPORTS

10. ADJOURNMENT

*Next Regularly Scheduled BPAC Meeting:*
*August 3, 2016 (Wednesday) @ 10:00 am*
StanCOG Board Room
1111 I Street, Suite 308
Modesto, CA  95354
CONSENT
CALENDAR
BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
StanCOG Board Room
1111 I Street, Suite 308
Modesto, CA

Minutes of March 2, 2016 (Wednesday)
10:00 am

MEMBERS PRESENT: Steve Bonrepos, Kari Casey, RJ Corwin, Leisser Mazariegos, Chuck Shoup

ALSO PRESENT: Carla Alviso, Elisabeth Hahn via teleconference, Stephen Hanamaikai, Marcus Tucker, Regina Valentine, (StanCOG); Yvette Davis (Commute Connection); Charles Turner (John Muir Geotourism Center); Kyle Fliflet (Stanislaus County HSA); Joel Campos (Member of the Public)

1. CALL TO ORDER
Chair RJ Corwin called the meeting to order at 10:31 a.m.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS
Charles Turner provided information regarding an author/photographer on assignment for Adventure Cyclist Magazine that will be cycling the John Muir Geo Tourism Highway/Muir Ramble in April. He asked members for suggestions on routes from Modesto, and places to visit and stay along the way. A discussion followed and Chair RJ Corwin said he would contact them.

5. CONSENT CALENDAR
A. Motion to Approve Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee Minutes of 1/6/16

*By Motion (Vice Chair Chuck Shoup/Member Steve Bonrepos) and a unanimous vote, the Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee approved the Consent Calendar.

6. PRESENTATION
A. Commute Connection Annual Report
Yvette Davis provided an overview of the Commute Connection program and highlighted their accomplishments and goals for the year. She also gave an online demonstration of mycommuteconnection.com, the new trip planning and ride matching service that helps commuters connect to transit options. A discussion followed and questions were answered.
7. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. Bike to Work Month – May 2016
   Yvette Davis reported on Commute Connection’s Bike to Work month that would take place in May. She reviewed the activities that traditionally take place throughout the jurisdictions. She outlined the tools they could provide to help coordinate any community events, and asked members to contact them with any suggestions.

B. California Bicycle Coalition’s Proposed Bicycle Purchase Incentive Program
   Stephen Hanamaikai reported that the California Coalition (CalBike) had submitted a request to the California Air Resources Board to establish a Bicycle Purchase Incentive Pilot Program. He outlined what CalBike envisioned the program to include and stated that the petition could be found at www.calbike.org.

C. 2017 Active Transportation Program (ATP) Cycle 3 Update
   Marcus Tucker stated that the ATP application and guidelines were being updated by the California Transportation Commission (CTC). He reported that for Cycle 3, the Stanislaus region could expect to receive approximately $725,000 for FY2019/20 and FY2020/21. He also stated that the ATP statewide Call for Projects would begin in the first part of April and conclude in mid-June, and encouraged the members to submit applications for projects.

D. Transportation Expenditure Plan for the Stanislaus Region Update
   Regina Valentine provided members with an update regarding the Transportation Expenditure Plan. She shared the framework options that had been adopted by the Policy Board, reviewed the proposed timeline and discussed the next steps. Members’ questions were answered.

8. MANAGEMENT REPORT - None

9. MEMBER REPORTS - None

10. ADJOURMENT
    Chair RJ Corwin adjourned the meeting at 11:31 a.m.

Next Regularly Scheduled BPAC Meeting:
May 4, 2016 (Wednesday) @ 10:00 am
StanCOG Board Room
1111 I Street, Suite 308
Modesto, CA 95354

Minutes Prepared By:

Carla Alviso, Administrative Assistant
INFORMATION ITEMS
TO: Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee

FROM: Elisabeth Hahn, Senior Planner
Stephen Hanamaikai, Assistant Planner

DATE: April 25, 2016

SUBJECT: California State Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Regional Forums

Background

Caltrans has started the process of working with stakeholders and the public to develop the first ever California State Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan (CSBPP), a visionary and comprehensive policy plan to support active modes of transportation and increase safe bicycling and walking in California. The plan will guide the state in developing an integrated, multi-modal transportation network for all users.

Discussion

Caltrans is conducting a series of regional forums for stakeholders across the state to support the development of the CSBPP. These events will focus on the emerging framework and development process of the CSBPP, including future outreach activities for the broader public.

Several regional forums have already taken place; the remaining forums are scheduled as follows:

- Riverside, Monday, May 2, 2016, 12:30 PM – 2:00 PM
- San Diego, Tuesday, May 3, 2016, 12:30 PM – 2:00 PM
- San Luis Obispo, Thursday, May 5, 2016, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM
- Los Angeles, Tuesday, May 10, 2016, 3:30 PM- 5:00 PM
- Folsom, Wednesday, May 11, 2016, 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM

For meeting location details and to RSVP, please visit [www.cabikepedplan.org/rsvp-stakeholders](http://www.cabikepedplan.org/rsvp-stakeholders).

Should you have any questions regarding this staff report, please contact Stephen Hanamaikai, Assistant Planner, at 209-525-4646 or via e-mail at shanamaikai@stancog.org.

Attachment:

1. CSBPP Public Engagement Process Schedule Infographic
TO: Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee

THROUGH: Rosa De León Park, Executive Director

FROM: Elisabeth Hahn, Senior Planner
       Stephen Hanamaikai, Assistant Planner

DATE: April 25, 2016

SUBJECT: Bike to Work Month Events – May 2016

Background

Each year Commute Connection, the Transportation Demand Management program for the Stanislaus Council of Governments, partners with local jurisdictions and employers to promote Bike to Work Month across Stanislaus County. This annual event is part of a national campaign to promote bicycling as a healthy, pollution-free and efficient form of alternative transportation.

Discussion

Local events have proven to be successful motivators for raising excitement and generating publicity around Bike to Work Month. In 2015, local Bike to Work events included cyclist energizer stations hosted in the cities of Modesto, Turlock, and Newman, where cyclists could stop by and refuel with healthy snacks and pick up other free gifts. Currently, there are four (4) public events planned for Bike to Work Month 2016:

Modesto Bike to Work with Mayor Brandvold
Time: Thursday, May 19, 2016, 6:30 AM
Place: Village Baking Company & Cafe, McHenry Village (1700 McHenry Avenue, Modesto)
For additional details, please visit www.modestogov.com/pwd/transportation/transit/bikes.asp.

Newman Bike to Work Day
Time: Tuesday, May 17, 2016, 7:00 AM – 9:00 AM
Place: Newman Downtown Plaza

Oakdale Bike to Work Day
Time: Tuesday, May 24, 2016, 7:00 AM – 8:30 AM
Place: Oakdale Bicycle Shop (445 East F Street)

Turlock Bike to Work Day
Details TBD
Commuter Challenge

In addition to the community-led events, Commute Connection will be offering a countywide challenge to stimulate broad commuter involvement and reward participation. Individuals who pledge to ride their bike or walk to work at least one day during Bike to Work Month will be eligible to win prizes. Members of the community can participate in the Commuter Challenge through Commute Connection’s new multi-modal site at www.MyCommuteConnection.com. Participants can plan their route, log their mileage, and see the benefits add up across the region as the Commuter Challenge progresses.

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