CITY OF PETALUMA, CALIFORNIA
SPECIAL WORKSHOP MEETING OF THE
PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE ADVISORY
COMMITTEE

City Manager's Conference Room, City Hall
11 English Street
Petaluma, CA 94952

MINUTES

Monday, March 9, 2020

1. CALL TO ORDER - 6:00 PM

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: D'Lynda Fischer, Diana Gomez, Bjorn Griepenburg, Melissa Hatheway, Marja Tarr, Sean Walling, and Patricia Webb.
ABSENT: Roger Leventhal, and Patricia Souza.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

The Committee will hear public comments only on matters over which it has jurisdiction. There will be no Committee/Commission discussion or action. The Chair will allot no more than three minutes to any individual. If more than three persons wish to speak, their time will be allotted so that the total amount of time allocated to this agenda item will be 15 minutes.

PUBLIC COMMENT OPENED
PUBLIC COMMENT CLOSED

6. NEW BUSINESS

A. PBAC Appointment to the Technical Advisory Committee for the City's Development of Thresholds to Transition to Vehicle Miles Traveled Consistent with Senate Bill 743

6.A. PBAC SR for TAC appointment for VMT Transition


6.A.2. VMT Fact Sheet
Olivia Ervin, Principal Environmental Planner
Council Member Fischer
Olivia Ervin
Sean Walling
Commission - Consensus to appoint Committee Member Walling to the Technical Advisory Committee for the City's Development of Thresholds to Transition to Vehicle Miles Traveled Consistent with Senate Bill 743.

4. PRESENTATION WORKSHOP

A. Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Workshop - Discussion of the City of Petaluma Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Update to provide feedback for staff regarding the plan update process. The focus of this workshop is to receive committee feedback and public comment on the following: plan structure & outline highlights, and stakeholders/community outreach. https://cityofpetaluma.org/documents/bike- and-pedestrian-plan/

4.A. PBMP Presentation

4.A Staff Report - Workshop Presentation Pedestrian and Bicycle Plan Update-Doc received after agenda dist

4.A.1. PBAC 2019 Notes on Status of Top Prior-Doc received after Agenda distribution

4.A.2. Unprioritized Project LIst - Jan 2019 - Doc received after Agenda distri

4.A.3. Draft Schedule-Doc received after Agenda distribution

4.A.4. Draft PBMP Outline for comments-Doc received after Agenda distribution

Chair Tarr
Gina Benedetti-Petnic, City Engineer
Chair Tarr
Council Member Fischer - Recommends Climate Action Commission, 350 Petaluma and Cots be invited to be involved in this effort. Recommends to align the efforts of all plans being created (Climate Action, Bike and Pedestrian, Housing and General Plan).
Gina Benedetti-Petnic
Council Member Fischer
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Chair Tarr
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Committee Member Webb - Recommends to invite the Petaluma Library to be involved in this effort.
Committee Hatheway - Recommends to invite the Northbay Organizing Project for Technical Advisory Committee. Suggests to devise a system for prioritization of decision making.
Committee Member Walling - Recommends to invite the Petaluma Downtown Association, South and North McDowell Business Park and larger businesses in this effort.
Gina Benedetti-Petnic
Committee Member Gomez - Suggested to reach out to Sports Leagues - Children and Parents for this effort. Would like this Committee to have more "teeth" in recommendations to the Planning Commission and City Council.
Gina Benedetti-Petnic - Noted this Committee has the ability to advise and recommend to Planning Commission and City Council. This body is not a decision/policy making body.
Council Member Fischer
PUBLIC COMMENT OPENED
PUBLIC COMMENT CLOSED
Committee Member Griepenburg
Committee Member Hatheway
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Committee Member Hatheway - Suggests a network of alternative transportation.
PUBLIC COMMENT OPENED
Kelly Bond, Bike Petaluma - Suggested protected bike lanes on any roads that are 25 mph and over. Would like to see more protected bike lines throughout the City. Noted the Petaluma Walking Day Event on April 1st at Schollenberger from 11:00a.m. - 2:00pm.
Sheila Baker - Encourages safety changes within the City, i.e., Lakeville & D Street. Focus on Vision Zero, bike share and safety.
Ken Cushman, Bike Petaluma - Recommends the Petaluma Boulevard South bike path continue through downtown and to SMART. Need a maintenance system in place. Is a member of the Petaluma Wheelmen Bicycle Club and would like to volunteer this Agency for this effort.
Chair Tarr
PUBLIC COMMENT CLOSED
Gina Benedetti-Petnic
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5. COMMUNICATIONS

A. Measure M Renewal Information (Eris Weaver)
5.A. Eris Weaver-Measure M

B. Traffic Control at 1462 Mendocino Ave & Lynch Creek Trail (Michael Pucci)

5.B. Michael Pucci-Traffic and LCT

Chair Tarr

7. RECOMMENDED AGENDA ITEMS • Upcoming Development and CIP projects

8. ADJOURN

- 7:56 PM The next meeting of the Pedestrian and Bicycle Advisory Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, April 1, 2020.