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BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, September 4, 2008
Start at *6:30 p.m.* in STA Conference Room

STA Conference Room
One Harbor Center, Suite 130
Suisun City, CA 94585

The STA Bicycle Advisory Committee is a citizen's advisory committee made up of cycling advocates and supporters that help recommend funding for bicycle projects in Solano County.

ITEM	ACTIVITY	ADMINISTRATOR
I.	**CALL TO ORDER—SELF INTRODUCTIONS** (6:30 p.m.)	Barbara Wood, Chair
II.	**OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**	Barbara Wood, Chair
III.	**APPROVAL OF AGENDA: SEPTEMBER 4, 2008**	Barbara Wood, Chair
IV.	**APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING: JULY 3, 2008** **Pg. 1**	Barbara Wood, Chair
V.	**REPORTS FROM STA STAFF**	
	A. Solano Bike Links Map Update (6:35 – 6:50 p.m.)	Judy Leaks
VI.	**ACTION ITEMS**	
	A. Solano Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP): Alternative Modes Element Purpose Statement, Goals, and Policies *Recommendation:* Forward a recommendation to the STA Board to adopt the Alternative Modes Element Purpose Statement and Goals for the Comprehensive Transportation Plan (6:50 – 7:20 p.m.) **Pg. 5**	Sara Woo

BAC MEMBERS

Barbara Wood	Larry Mork	JB Davis	James Fisk	Randall Carlson	Michael Segala	Ray Posey	Mick Weninger	Glen Grant
Chair Member at Large	**Vice Chair City of Rio Vista**	**City of Benicia**	**City of Dixon**	**City of Fairfield**	**City of Suisun City**	**City of Vacaville**	**City of Vallejo**	**County of Solano**

VII. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS - DISCUSSION

A. Solano Bicycle and Pedestrian Program (SBPP) Working Group Update — BAC Member
Informational
(7:20 – 7:35 p.m.)
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B. Priority Bicycle Projects Update — Sara Woo
Informational
(7:35 – 7:40)
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C. Regional Bicycle Working Group (RBWG): 06/19/08 Meeting Summary — Sara Woo
Informational
(7:40 – 7:45 p.m.)
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VIII. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS - NO DISCUSSION NECESSARY

A. Funding Opportunities Summary — Sara Woo
Informational
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B. Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) Update — Robert Macaulay
Informational
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IX. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS & FUTURE AGENDA TOPICS
(7:45 – 8:00 p.m.)

X. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Bicycle Advisory Committee is November 6, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. at One Harbor Center Suite 130 in Suisun City, CA.

FUTURE MEETING SCHEDULE

November 6, 2008

Questions? Please contact STA Staff, Sara Woo at (707) 399-3214, swoo@sta-snci.com

Solano Transportation Authority

STA ACRONYMS LIST OF TRANSPORTATION TERMS

A

ABAG	Association of Bay Area Governments
ADA	American Disabilities Act
AVA	Abandoned Vehicle Abatement
APDE	Advanced Project Development Element (STIP)
AQMD	Air Quality Management District

B

BAAQMD	Bay Area Air Quality Management District
BABC	Bay Area Bicycle Coalition
BAC	Bicycle Advisory Committee
BATA	Bay Area Toll Authority
BCDC	Bay Conservation and Development Commission
BT&H	Business, Transportation & Housing Agency

C

CAF	Clean Air Funds
CALTRANS	California Department of Transportation
CARB	California Air Resources Board
CCCC (4'Cs)	City County Coordinating Council
CCCTA (3CTA)	Central Contra Costa Transit Authority
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CHP	California Highway Patrol
CIP	Capital Improvement Program
CMA	Congestion Management Agency
CMAQ	Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality
CMP	Congestion Management Program
CNG	Compressed Natural Gas
CTA	County Transportation Authority
CTC	California Transportation Commission
CTEP	County Transportation Expenditure Plan
CTP	Comprehensive Transportation Plan

D

DBE	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise
DOT	Federal Department of Transportation

E

EIR	Environmental Impact Report
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency

F

FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FST	Fairfield-Suisun Transit
FTA	Federal Transit Administration

G

GARVEE	Grant Anticipation Revenue Vehicle
GIS	Geographic Information System

H

HIP	Housing Incentive Program
HOV	High Occupancy Vehicle

I

ISTEA	Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act
ITIP	Interregional Transportation Improvement Program
ITS	Intelligent Transportation System

J

JARC	Jobs Access Reverse Commute
JPA	Joint Powers Agreement

L

LS&R	Local Streets & Roads
LTA	Local Transportation Funds
LEV	Low Emission Vehicle
LIFT	Low Income Flexible Transportation
LOS	Level of Service
LTF	Local Transportation Funds

M

MIS	Major Investment Study
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organization
MTC	Metropolitan Transportation Commission
MTS	Metropolitan Transportation System

N

NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NCTPA	Napa County Transportation Planning Agency
NHS	National Highway System
NVTA	Napa Valley Transportation Authority

O

OTS	Office of Traffic Safety

P

PAC	Pedestrian Advisory Committee
PCC	Paratransit Coordinating Council
PCRP	Planning and Congestion Relief Program
PDS	Project Development Support
PDT	Project Delivery Team
PMP	Pavement Management Program
PMS	Pavement Management System
PNR	Park and Ride
POP	Program of Projects
PPM	Planning, Programming and Monitoring
PSR	Project Study Report
PTA	Public Transportation Account
PTAC	Partnership Technical Advisory Committee (MTC)

R

RABA	Revenue Alignment Budget Authority
REPEG	Regional Environmental Public Education Group
RFP	Request for Proposal
RFQ	Request for Qualification
RM 2	Regional Measure 2
RRP	Regional Rideshare Program
RTEP	Regional Transit Expansion Policy
RTIP	Regional Transportation Improvement Program
RTMC	Regional Transit Marketing Committee
RTP	Regional Transportation Plan
RTPA	Regional Transportation Planning Agency

S

SACOG	Sacramento Area Council of Governments
SAFETEA-LU	Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act – a Legacy for Users
SCTA	Sonoma County Transportation Authority
SHOPP	State Highway Operations and Protection Program
SJCOG	San Joaquin Council of Governments
SNCI	Solano Napa Commuter Information
SOV	Single Occupant Vehicle
SMAQMD	Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District
SP&R	State Planning and Research
SR2S	Safe Routes to School
SR2T	Safe Routes to Transit
SRITP	Short Range Intercity Transit Plan
SRTP	Short Range Transit Plan
STA	Solano Transportation Authority
STA	Spare the Air
STAF	State Transit Assistance Fund
STIA	Solano Transportation Improvement Authority
STIP	State Transportation Improvement Program
STP	Surface Transportation Program

T

TAC	Technical Advisory Committee
TAM	Transportation Authority of Marin
TANF	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
TAZ	Transportation Analysis Zone
TCI	Transportation Capital Improvement
TCM	Transportation Control Measure
TCRP	Transportation Congestion Relief Program
TDA	Transportation Development Act
TDM	Transportation Demand Management
TEA	Transportation Enhancement Activity
TEA-21	Transportation Efficiency Act for the 21st Century
TFCA	Transportation Funds for Clean Air
TIF	Transportation Investment Fund
TIP	Transportation Improvement Program
TLC	Transportation for Livable Communities
TMA	Transportation Management Association
TMP	Transportation Management Plan
TMTAC	Transportation Management Technical Advisory Committee
TOS	Traffic Operation System
TRAC	Trails Advisory Committee
TSM	Transportation Systems Management

U, V, W Y, & Z

UZA	Urbanized Area
VTA	Valley Transportation Authority (Santa Clara)
W2W	Welfare to Work
WCCCTAC	West Contra Costa County Transportation Advisory Committee
YSAQMD	Yolo/Solano Air Quality Management District
ZEV	Zero Emission Vehicle

Helpful Definitions for Bicycle Advisory Committee Members

Below is a list of terms and acronyms that you may encounter in technical reports, plans, data, informational materials, or conversations when working with STA staff.

Acronyms

(Note: These acronyms have not yet been added to the "STA Acronyms List of Transportation Terms")

ARB: Air Resources Board
PDA: Priority Development Area
RBWG: Regional Bicycle Working Group
RPC: Regional Pedestrian Committee
RBPP: Regional Bicycle and Pedestrian Program
SBPP: Solano Bicycle and Pedestrian Program

Planning Agencies

MTC (MPO): The transportation planning, coordinating, and financing agency for the nine-county Bay Area
STA (CMA): The transportation planning, coordinating and financing agency for the seven-city County of Solano

MPO: Metropolitan Planning Agency; regional planning agency
CMA: Congestion Management Agency; local countywide planning agency

Committees

BAC: Advisory committee to STA for implementing the Countywide Bicycle Plan
RBWG: Ad hoc advisory committee to MTC for implementing the Regional Bicycle Plan

PAC: Advisory committee to STA for implementing the Countywide Pedestrian Plan
RPC: Ad hoc advisory committee to MTC for addressing pedestrian-related issues in the Bay Area

Funding Sources

RBPP: Regional Bicycle and Pedestrian Program; funding program for bicycle and pedestrian projects eligible to counties in the Bay Area (RBPP = CMAQ)

SBPP: Solano Bicycle and Pedestrian Program; funding program made up of MTC CMAQ funds, SACOG CMAQ funds (aka Eastern CMAQ), and TDA Article 3 funds for bicycle and pedestrian projects eligible to cities in Solano County

- MTC **CMAQ** – MTC Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (for cities in Solano's Western air basin: Benicia, Suisun City, Vacaville, Vallejo, and County unincorporated areas)
- Solano County **Eastern CMAQ** – Solano County Eastern Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (for cities in Solano's Eastern air basin: Dixon, Fairfield, Rio Vista, and County unincorporated areas)
- TDA Article 3 – Transportation Development Act Article 3