

# BICYCLE ADVISORY COUNCIL (BAC) TUESDAY DECEMBER 19, 2017 – 6:00 PM AUSTIN CENTRAL LIBRARY – 4TH FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM 710 W. CESAR CHAVEZ STREET AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

# **MEETING MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chair Tomasita Louviere-Ligons.

**Full Members in Attendance:** 

Tomasita Louviere-Ligons – Chair Tristan Heinen Alicia Santiago Kathryn Flowers – Vice Chair James Lentz Patricia Schaub

Tommy Eden Raquel Marie Ortega

**Full Members Absent:** 

Louis Alcorn

**Alternate Members in Attendance:** 

Katie DeollozLori MerlinoDavid OrrChristopher HeathcottGeorge Michael MaroukisTom ThayerJohn KoonzEryn MorisTom Wald

**Alternate Members Absent:** 

Teresa Anderson

**Staff in Attendance:** 

Laura Dierenfield, ATD

Nathan Wilkes, ATD

Janae Spence, PWD

Amir Emamian, PWD

Emily Smith, ATD

Jen Samp, ATD

**Guests in Attendance:** 

Bradly Sloane Elliott McFadden, Austin B-cycle

Sounthaly Outhavong Jenna Courtney, Imperium Public Affairs Mike Sledge Trent Townsend, Imperium Public Affairs

John Woodley Servando Esparza, Ofo

### 1. INTRODUCTIONS

#### 2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

• Bradley Sloane: Offered his thoughts on projects proposed by the <u>Trail Foundation</u> – specifically a potential feasibility study on a north/south connection from the Holly Shores to the peninsula off Lakeshore Blvd.

#### 3. APPROVAL OF NOVEMBER 21 MEETING MINUTES

The November meeting minutes were approved unanimously (8-0) on Raquel Ortega motion, Lori Merlino second with Louis Alcorn absent. The approved minutes can be found on the BAC's meeting documents webpage.

### 4. ITEMS FROM STAFF

### A. 2016 Mobility Bond Local Mobility Annual Plan – Briefing and Possible Action

Laura Dierenfield and Nathan Wilkes of the Austin Transportation Department (ATD) and Amir Emamian and Janae Spence of the Public Works Department (PWD) briefed the BAC on the 2016 Mobility Bond Local Mobility Annual Plan.

The <u>presentation</u> can be found on the BAC's meeting documents <u>webpage</u>. More information on the LMAP can be found here.

No action taken.

# B. Bike Share Strategy – Briefing and Possible Action

Laura Dierenfield briefed the BAC on the City's developing approaches to both traditional and dockless bike share systems, followed by group discussion.

No action taken.

### 5. STAFF AND COMMITTEE UPDATES

- Staff updates: Staff liaison Emily Smith encouraged meeting attendees to participate in the last few days of the Love to Ride #WinterWheelers challenge.
- Pedestrian Advisory Council: No update.
- Urban Transportation Commission: In December, the UTC received briefings on the Smart Mobility Roadmap and the Personal Delivery Device (PDD) Pilot Program.
- City Council Mobility Committee: No update.
- Vision Zero Task Force: No update. BAC alternate member Lori Merlino volunteered to attend Vision Zero Task Force meetings as a BAC representative when BAC Chair Tomasita Louviere-Ligons cannot attend.

# 6. FUTURE ITEMS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following is a running list of potential future agenda items that have been proposed by BAC members and/or staff which may be placed on a future BAC agenda. These items were not discussed by the BAC as part of this agenda:

- Big Jump Ridership Strategy (January)
- Bikeway Physical Protection (January)
- Shoal Creek Trail: Vision and Action Plan (March)
- Austin Street Design Guide (March)
- Congress Avenue Streetscape and Urban Design Initiative
- Sidewalk Riding Code Changes

#### 7. ADJOURN

Meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m. by Chair Tomasita Louviere-Ligons.