

Bicycle Advisory Council (BAC) Meeting Minutes
Tuesday November 16th, 2021 – 6:00 p.m.
Via Videoconferencing

Full Members in Attendance: Curtis Rogers, Leslie Cas, Kathryn Johanson, Christopher Heathcott, Drake Hampton, Ruben Sanchez, Ali Sobhani, Tommy Eden **Full Members Absent:** Kelly Braun. **Alternate Members in Attendance:** Stephanie Webb, Beth Donnelly, Lansing Pugh, Zuzana Baranova, Spencer Schumacher, Gregory Go, Daniel Riegel, Russell Taylor **Alternate Members Absent:** Cameron Lyman, Kathryn Flowers, Meghan Otoupalik

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m. by Chair Curtis Rogers.

Approval of previous meeting minutes: The October 19th, 2021 BAC meeting minutes were approved, as amended, on a 8-0 vote with Braun absent.

1. Traffic fatalities reported since previous BAC meeting: Traffic fatalities were not read and were rescheduled for reading at the December 20th, 2021 meeting.

1. 50% All Ages and Abilities Bikeway Network Buildout Milestone-Briefing : ATD staff Laura Dierenfield and Nathan Wiles presented on the 50% All Ages and Abilities milestone.

2. Crash Injury Reporting Recommendation Review- Vice Chair Les Case facilitated a discussion with BAC members on a Crash Injury Reporting Recommendation. BAC members presented draft recommendation language which, after discussion, was moved by Heathcott and seconded by Webb and unanimously approved on a 8-0 vote with Braun absent. The recommendation reads in part:

Bicycle Advisory Council (BAC) Recommendation:

Crash Injury Reporting

Recommendation 20211116-04

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bicycle Advisory Council recommends the City of Austin direct the Austin Police Department and the Vision Zero Program with the help of Austin Public Health and the University of Texas to audit the current crash injury reporting process to document the extent to which crash injuries are underreported;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the BAC recommends that the City of Austin direct APD to identify and undertake measures to correct documented crash injury report errors;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the BAC recommends that the City of Austin direct APD to coordinate efforts with the Vision Zero program, medical examiners and trauma centers to make the [anonymous] submission of supplemental reports less cumbersome.

3. BAC Bylaw Amendments Subcommittee- No action taken

4. Updates and Announcements: No updates given

5. Future Agenda Items -No future agenda items discussed.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m. by Chair Curtis Rogers