

City of San Rafael
Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC)
Wednesday December 1, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.
Virtual Meeting via Zoom

Minutes

Present: Chair Powers
Member Allison
Member Bergman
Member Mooney
Youth Member Nielsen
Member Coyne

Absent: Member Hagerty
Member Solomon

1. Call to Order

Chair Powers called the meeting to order at 6:02 pm.

2. Approval of meeting minutes

Minutes for regular October 6, 2021 meeting approved.

3. Public Comments for Items not on Agenda

None.

4. Ad-hoc Committee Updates

- a. Member Mooney provided an update on the North-South Greenway projects.
- b. Vision Zero committee provided updates

Chair Powers invited public comment.

Speakers: Matt Hartzell, Jean Severinghaus

5. Safe Routes to School

Wendi Kallins and David Parisi provided updates on Safe Routes to School for Coleman Elementary, Davidson Middle, Laurel Dell Elementary, and Mark Day/Vallecito. Committee members main feedback was: drainage issues at Lincoln/Paloma, concerns with Woodland Ave and parked cars, narrow sidewalks, congestion during school pick up and drop off, blind curve on Woodland south of Laurel Dell. Committee asked if the City staff would consider quick build improvements.

Chair Powers invited public comment.

Speakers: Lori Schifrin, Sunny Lee, Matt Hartzell

6. Year in Review and Annual Report

Chair Powers commented on the 2021 accomplishments.

7. US 101 North/Freitas Parkway Roundabout

Rafat Raie, City Traffic Engineer, presented the Caltrans project of the proposed roundabout at the US 101 North ramps and Freitas Parkway. This project was triggered by the need to improve bus stop conditions and pedestrian routes to the bus stops. The feedback from committee members included: designing for all modes, including bicyclists and pedestrians, the design of the channelizing island, interaction with the adjacent intersection.

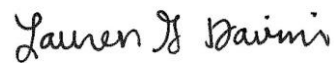
Chair Powers invited public comment.

Speakers: Jean Severinghaus, Matt Hartzell, Lori Schifrin, Sunny Lee, Warren Wells

8. Adjournment

Chair Powers adjourned the meeting at 7:59 pm.

Approved this 1st day of February 2022



Lauren Davini, Staff Liaison