

ACTION MINUTES
CALIFORNIA BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

April 5, 2018 – 10:00 a.m. to 3PM

Department of Transportation, 1120 N Street, Sacramento, Room 2453, 2nd Floor
(Caltrans Headquarters)

Members Present (Includes teleconference)	Others Present: (includes Teleconference)
Keith Williams, CBAC Chair –Shasta Regional Trans. Agency	John Whitehead- Davis Bike Club
Jim Baross, CBAC Vice Chair - San Diego Co. Bicycle Coalition	Paul Moore – Bicycle Facilities Program Manager
Shiloh Ballard – Silicon County Bicycle Coalition - ABSENT	Gabriel W. Ho – SFMTA (San Francisco Municipal)
Alan Thompson – So Cal Association of Gov'ts	Brett Gronemeyer – District 1
Scott Taylor – CHP (Martha Vazquez replacement)	Alan Forkosh – Ca. Association of Bicycling Orgs.
Martha Vazquez – CHP	Deborah Turner – Caltrans, CBAC Executive Secretary
Charles Nelson – Lake Tahoe Bicycle Coalition	Pedro Ramirez - Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator
Jonathan Matz – SRTS (Safe Routes to School National Partnership) ABSENT	Sergio Ruiz – District 04, Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator
Vacant – 3 state government agencies	Dan Allison – Bicycle Advocate
Cindy Parra – Bike Bakersfield	Austin Sos – Caltrans District 10
Vacant – 3 statewide orgs that don't have advocacy as a main mission	Greg Currey – District 4, Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator
Jennifer Rice – City of SLO Public Works	John Cinatl – Retired Caltrans Bike Coord. D6
Alan Wachtel – Calif. Assoc. of Bicycling Orgs	Dale Benson – District 7
Dave Snyder –California Bicycle Coalition (CBC)	Michelle Mowery – Mobility & Healthy Living Programs Officer, Long Beach Public Works
Vacant – 1 statewide youth-oriented organization	Pedro Ramirez – Caltrans, D06, Bicycle & Complete Streets Coordinator
Kathy Lowry - League of California Cities	Seth Cutter – District 11, Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator
Quam Tram – District 08, Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator	Maggie O'Mara, Caltrans Retired Engineer, Division of Design

Note: The action minutes include the agenda items in the agenized order, Motions made, and any actions taken. Actions may be interpreted as a recommendation, inquiry, etc.

A. Welcome, Roll Call, Introductions, and Announcements		
Action: Meeting called to order by Chair, Keith Williams		
B. Review and Approval of Previous Meeting Notes		
Motion: Approve minutes for February 1, 2018		
By: Jim Baross		
Seconded by: Martha Vasquez		
Action: Unanimous		
C. Status Reports		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Paul Moore, Caltrans, Bicycle Facilities Program Manager & Deborah Turner, Caltrans, CBAC Executive Secretary <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Caltrans Bicycle Unit Activities Update 		
Motion: None, update only		
D. Legislative Update		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dave Snyder, CBC & Alan Wachtel, CABO <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Legislative Report 		
SB 760:		
Description:	Explanation:	Status:
Transportation funding: Assembly Active transportation: Complete streets	This bill would establish a Division of Active Transportation within the department and require that an undersecretary of the Transportation Agency be assigned to give Attention to active transportation program Matters to guide toward meeting the departments Active transportation program goals and objectives.	Ordered to the
AB 1755:		
Description:	Explanation:	Status:
Bicycles: yielding Committee	This bill would, notwithstanding those provisions Authorize a person operating a bicycle approaching A stop sign, after slowing to a reasonable speed and Yielding the right-of-way, to cautiously make a turn Or proceed through the intersection without stopping, Unless safety considerations require otherwise.	Referred to Assembly Natural Resources
AB 2363:		
Description:	Explanation:	Status:
Vision Zero Task Force	This bill would require the Secretary of Transportation, on or before January 1, 2019 To establish and convene the Vision Zero Task Force, which shall include, but is not limited to, Representatives from the Department of the Ca Highway Patrol, the University of Ca, and other Academic institutions, local governments, bicycle Safety organizations, road safety organizations, and	Amended in Assembly

Labor organizations. The bill would require the task Force to develop a structured, coordinated process For early engagement of all parties to develop Policies to reduce traffic fatalities to zero.

AB 2615:

Description:

State Highway System:
Assembly
Parks and recreation:
Accessibility for bicycles
And pedestrians

Explanation:

This bill would, to the extent possible, and
and where feasible, the department shall partner
with appropriate public agencies, including, but
not limited to, the Department of Parks and
Recreation, any federal department or agency,
And any regional or local public entity, to develop
Strategies and plans to maximize safe and convenient
Access for bicycles and pedestrians to federal, state,
Regional, and local parks adjacent to or connected
To the state highway system.

Status:

Amended, in

AB 2761:

Description:

Yield: inoperative traffic
Signal

Explanation:

This bill would authorize the driver of a vehicle
facing a traffic-actuated signal that displays a
Steady circular red indication or steady red arrow
Indication, and that subsequently fails to display
A green indication within a reasonable period of
Time because of a signal malfunction or because
The signal has failed to detect the presence of the
Driver or vehicle, to proceed with caution when it
Is safe to do so, after having stopped at the intersection,
As specified.

Status:

In Assembly

AB 3077:

Description:

Vehicles: bicycle helmets

Explanation:

This bill would authorize a citation for not
Wearing a bicycle helmet, as specified, to be
Dismissed by a local agency if the parent or
Legal guardian of the person in violation of
The provision delivers proof to the issuing agency
That the person has a helmet meeting the specified
Requirements and the person completes a local
Bicycle safety course of a related safety course,
As specified.

Status:

Amended in Assembly

AB 3124:**Description:**

Vehicles: length
 Assembly
 Limitations: buses:
 Bicycle transportation
 Devices

Explanation:

This bill would authorize an articulated bus
 or articulated trolley coach that does not exceed
 a length of 60 feet to be equipped with a folding
 device attached to the front of the bus or trolley
 If the device is designed and used exclusively for
 Transporting bicycles as long as the device does
 Not extend more than 40 inches from the front
 Body of the bus when fully deployed.

Status:

Amended in

E. Unfinished Business/Follow Up Items from Prior Meetings

1. Emily Abrahams, Caltrans Senior Transportation Planner
 - a. Update on Revised Bicycle Training Course, held February 22, 2018

Motion: None, update only

2. Jim Baross, CBAC Vice-chair, John Cinatl, Retired Caltrans Bicycle Coordinator, District 6, & Maggie O'Mara, Caltrans, Retired Design Engineer
 - a. Alternate Routes for closed highway bicycle routes

Motion: Add to next agenda. Feedback and discussion needed.

3. Michael Williams, BikePed X, Transportation Planning Engineer
 - a. Presentation and request for research on Advisory Bike Lanes (ABLs)

Motion: Add to next agenda. Feedback and discussion needed.

4. Rebecca Mowry, PE, Caltrans Division of Design, Office of Standards and Procedures
 - a. Update on the Design Information Bulletin (DIB) 89-01

Motion: None, update only

F. New Business

1. John Cinatl, Retired Caltrans Bicycle Coordinator, District 6
 - a. Buffered Bike Lane – MUTCD Change Discussion

Motion: Chevrons or diagonal markings should be used in buffered areas.

By: Jim Baross

Seconded by: Jennifer Rice

Action: Unanimous

E. Unfinished Business/Follow Up Items from Prior Meetings (Continued)

5. Jeanie Ward-Waller, Caltrans, Sustainability Program Manager
 - a. Updates on the Sustainability Program Work

Motion: Update and suggested CBAC may be discontinued due to promoting Complete Streets

Adjourned CBAC meeting

Motion: Adjourn CBAC Meeting

By: Jim Baross

Seconded by: Keith Williams

CBAC has been discontinued and replaced with California Walk and Bicycle Technical Advisory Committee. Thank you for your service and dedication.

