## **AGENDA**

# Oceanside Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee Monday, January 23, 2023 at 9:00 AM

# **In-Person Meeting - Oceanside Library Community Rooms**

# 300 N. Coast Highway

- A. Call to Order
- B. Attendee Roll Call
- C. Introductions
- D. November Meeting Minutes Approval\*
- E. Items for Discussion

#### 1. The Past Year in Review, the Year Ahead

The Chairman will lead the Committee in a review of the past year's accomplishments and issues reviewed, and the new year's proposed initiatives. The Committee will vote whether to adopt the proposed initiatives for 2023.

# 2. Oceanside Transit Center Redevelopment - Update\*

The Chairman and staff will report on actions to date since our last meeting, including a meeting with City staff, discussion with the new District 1 Councilman, and meeting with NCTD/Toll Bros. on the proposed redevelopment. Please review the attached documents which include the City's first formal review letter on the project and a Summary of the meeting between Bike and Pedestrian Committee officers and NCTD/Toll Bros.

# 3. Bicycle Rights and Safety on Highway 76

Committee member Ralph Nelson will brief the Committee on his recent conversations with Caltrans staff on bicyclist rights on Highway 76 and getting its bike lanes swept on a more regular basis.

#### 4. Pacific Street Sharrow Signage - Update

Staff will provide an update on the Sharrows program on Coast Highway and whether we can add "Bicycles may use full Lane" periodically along Pacific Street in the existing Sharrows areas. Also, discussion on possible avenues to increase motorist awareness of what Sharrows are.

#### 5. Safe Routes to School

- a. Laurel Street Elementary Caltrans Cycle 4 Grant
- b. Sharrows on California and Coast Hwy
- c. E-Bike Video for middle schoolers
- d. E-Bike 3 hr. classes
- e. Bike Rodeos: San Luis Rey, Mission and Laurel Street elementaries

# 6. Grant Updates

- a. Coastal Rail Trail Oceanside Blvd to Morse, Caltrans Cycle 6
- b. Coastal Rail Trail Improvements Morse to Carlsbad, Caltrans Cycle 5
- c. Resubmittal of Inland Rail Trail Alignment Study Grant Request

#### 7. Crowne Height Projects

- a. Sidewalks
- b. Brooks St Bridge
- c. Pump Track

## 8. Project/Program/Initiatives Tracking Sheet\*

We have included a "Project/Program/Initiatives Tracking Sheet" attached to this Agenda. We will include this each month and update it as new information becomes available, to ensure we don't lose track of the many items the Committee has discussed.

- 9. Possible Reschedule of February Meeting to Accommodate NCTD/Toll Bros. staff presentation on the OTC Redevelopment Project
- 10. Other Matters
- 11. Public Communications
- 12. Adjournment

The Next Meeting of the Oceanside Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee is currently scheduled for Monday, February 20, 2023, 9:00AM, in the Oceanside Library Community Rooms, but may be rescheduled for one week later, February 27.

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates Item Attachments

## Oceanside Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee Project/Program/Initiatives Tracking Sheet Updated January 2023

**Currently Tracked Projects/Programs** 

No.	Project/Programs  Project/Program	Status Updates
1	BikeShare Programs: -Coastal cities' joint BikeShare programs -SANDAG's guidelines development -Oceanside's ordinance	08/22/22 - Tim Pirkey of Encinitas Bcycle attended meeting and provided background on that program. Howard stated the Encinitas program is an excellent one to model Oceanside's program on.
2	Loma Alta Creek bridge preliminary design and environmental.	3/14/22 - Caltrans Cycle 6 construction grant to be submitted by June 15 deadline. 6/13/22 - As of June meeting, Final Design had not yet been awarded. Meanwhile, construction costs are skyrocketing.
3	Mainstreet Downtown Shuttle Demonstration Project	1/23/23 - The NEV Project Shuttle, which operated very successfully and was quite popular, ended on December 6, 2022, with the Council voting not to extend funding. Funding to date had come from COVID funds.
On-Going Projects/Programs/Discussion Items		
4	Oceanside's Climate Action Plan (CAP) and its Transportation Demand Management (TDM) Ordinance and Plans	11/8/21 - Planning staff reported that they recently hired additional staff and are tackling some of the implementation steps. Staff also advised there will be an update to the CAP in the next year or so and the Committee can provide input on additional active transportation measures.
5	Onward Oceanside Corridor Plan (Part of General Plan Update)	5/3/22 - The Committee submitted a comment letter on the draft Smart and Sustainable Corridors Plan, a part of the General Plan Update.
6	LCI Classes (Cycling in Traffic)	9/13/21 - In-person and on-line classes are continuing. A separate E- Bike class is now available from SDCBC, more oriented to kids.
7	Coast Highway Road Diet and Incentive Zone	8/22/22 - California Coastal Commission staff has yet to respond to comments the City provided nearly two months ago. City staff will formally address project status at the next standing meeting with CCC staff, which happens in early October.
8	Kelly Street Bike Bridge	5/3/22 - Based on recent conversations with SANDAG representative on the Comprehensive Multi-Modal Corridor Plan process for North County, cross-I-5 connections for cycling and walking are included in that study effort and should be pursued there.
9	SANDAG's 5 Big Moves and their 2021 Regional Transportation Plan (RTP)	1/23/23 - The Comprehensive Multi-Modal Corridor Plan for north county has yet to be released for public comment. The draft Plan will include recommendations to complete the IRT and CRT segments in Oceanside during the first phase of the Plan (2025 - 2030).
10	SLR River trail ownership and improvement issues	3/15/21 - Dir of Public Works said property not likely to be transferred to the City for a long time. Slurry seal is ok but more permanent fixes may be problematic due to ownership issues. City is potentially liable for lawsuits in event of serious accident.
11	El Corazon Park Trail System	
12	Annual Capital Improvement Program Projects	1/23/23 - As of this date, Bike and Ped budget remains funded at \$175K, to cover Coordinator and other projects/matches
13	Coastal Rail Trail Segment between Morse and Eaton	11/14/22 - Caltrans Grant application to study alignment options was approved for this CRT project, with conditions. Requires more outreach and equity work. This alignment and feasibility study has begun.
14	Loma Alta Creek bridge and connections final design & construction	11/14/22 - The grant application was again turned down by Caltrans; however, Caltrans allocated a separate pot of funding to SANDAG to use for projects that did not make the cut, and staff believes the City has a good chance of getting those funds for this project.
15	Inland Rail Trail	8/22/22 - Staff to seek a debrief from Caltrans on the third grant denial, and City staff is preparing to resubmit a fourth time.
16	Berkeley Study of problematic intersections on Oceanside Blvd.	5/3/22 - Problematic locations are Crouch, El Camino, and College. Staff to provide an update on implementation of recommendations from the study when available.
17	Oceanside Transit Center Redevelopment Project	1/23/23 - The Committee submitted a letter on our comments and concerns about the proposed project to the City, NCTD, and SANDAG. Follow-up meetings with SANDAG, City, and NCTD have since been held.