

AGENDA

Oceanside Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee

Monday, March 20, 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. **February Meeting Minutes Approval***
- E. **Items for Discussion**
 1. **College Blvd. Improvement Project – Class IV Lanes**

Ross Duenas of Consultant ChenRyan will discuss this College Ave project from Vista Way to Old Grove Road. A Class IV bike facility is being recommended.
 2. **American Bicycle Education Association (ABEA) Presentation**

Keri Caffery, of the ABEA, will make a short presentation on the American Bicycle Education Association “Cycling Savvy” program.
 3. **NEV (Neighborhood Electric Vehicle) Go’Side program update**

Staff will update the Committee on the status of this popular program, which has funding commitments from SANDAG and Visit Oceanside.
 4. **Oceanside Transit Center Redevelopment**

Updates following the March 16th Toll Brothers thematic meeting on mobility will be provided.
 5. **“Sharrows” Draft Public Information Article***

Following multiple motorist-cyclist conflicts on Pacific Street reported by Committee members, we are working on a short article explaining what Sharrows are and how they should be observed, to educate the community. The plan is to run this item in the Osider Magazine and Oceanside Tide monthly electronic newsletter. We will review the draft article.
 6. **North County Comprehensive Multimodal Corridor Plan (CMCP)***

At our last meeting, we discussed the draft CMCP and proposed comments to submit to Caltrans/SANDAG. A copy of our final comment letter is included with this Agenda.
 7. **Follow-up: Cycling Safety Improvements on Highway 76**

Staff will update the Committee on the Caltrans status of the safety improvements identified two years ago for Highway 76.
 8. **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
 9. **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

10. Crowne Height Projects

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

11. 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.

12. Other Matters

13. Public Communications

14. Adjournment

* Indicates Item Attachments

The Next Meeting of the Oceanside Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee is scheduled for Monday, April 17, 2023, 9:00AM, in the Oceanside Library Community Rooms.

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Project/Program/Initiatives Tracking Sheet
Updated March 2023

Currently Tracked Projects/Programs

No.	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 Bicycle attended meeting and provided background on that program. Howard stated the Encinitas program is an excellent one to model Oceanside's program on. 3/10/23 - Encinitas Bicycle just received a one-year extension from the City of Encinitas.
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	NEV (Neighborhood Electric Vehicle) Shuttle in Downtown	3/10/23 - Funding commitments to re-start the shuttle in the summer have come from SANDAG and Visit Oceanside. Now up to the City Council for the remaining funding piece.

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	2/27/23 - The City is soliciting bids for the engineering of the first segment of the project.
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)	2/27/23 - The Comprehensive Multi-Modal Corridor Plan for north county was released for public comment. The draft Plan includes recommendations to complete the IRT and CRT segments in Oceanside during the first phase of the Plan (2025 - 2030). The Committee approved a comment letter at its Feb. 27, 2023 meeting.
10	SLR River trail ownership and improvement issues	2/20/23 - Per recent article in the San Diego U-T, the City and Army Corps have agreed on funding for the SLR channel dredging project. Per quote from the Public Works Director, it could be 10 years before the project is completed.
11	El Corazon Park Trail System	2/20/23 - The Chairman and Public Outreach Officer have submitted comments related to transportation and access to the City regarding preliminary plan layouts for Park Site 1.
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. 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	2/27/23 - Staff to seek a debrief from Caltrans on the third grant denial, and City staff is preparing to resubmit a fourth time, and will cite the CMCP's stated importance of the IRT's completion. The Committee submitted a letter of support citing the CMCP's support for the IRT.
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	2/27/23 - 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. The Chairman submitted a follow-up letter with further comments and recommendations on 2/1/23 and attended and spoke at the CEQA scoping meeting. Toll Bros. representatives attended the 2/27/23 Committee meeting and received further comments.