



MINUTES

BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN
ADVISORY COMMITTEE
DECEMBER 08, 2022
5:30 PM
CITY HALL
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 201
LINCOLN AVENUE
SANTA FE

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chair Michael Garcia at 5:39 PM.

2. ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Chair Michael Garcia
Member Erik Aaboe
Member Yolanda Eisenstein
Member Judith Gabriele
Member Ben Pingilley
Member Steve Pilcher
Member Khal Spencer

Members Excused:

Member Tony Gerlicz
Member Candace Ella Martinez
Member Paloma Sanchez

Others Attending:

Romella Glorioso-Moss, Staff Liaison

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Member Pilcher moved, seconded by Member Spencer, to approve the Agenda as amended.

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Aaboe, Member Eisenstein, Member Gabriele, Member Pingilley, Member Spencer, Member Pilcher, and Chair Garcia.



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Against: None

Abstain: None

From Staff Liaison:

Remove Agenda Items 6.a “Santa Fe Metropolitan Planning Organization” and 7.a “Henry Lynch Road Reconstruction Project”.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. November 10, 2022 minutes

MOTION: Member Eisenstein moved, seconded by Member Spencer, to approve the November 10, 2022 minutes as amended.

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Eisenstein, Member Gabriele, Member Pingilley, Member Spencer, Member Pilcher, and Chair Garcia.

Against: None

Abstain: Member Aaboe

From Staff Liaison:

Add the word “approved” in “VOTE” for Agenda Items 3, 4, 7.a through 7.g.

Should read: VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

From Chair Garcia:

On page 3, line 16, after the period insert the following new sentence: “Electric bicycles are vehicles.” and strike “(66-1-4.19 NMSA 1978)”.

4. On page 6, lines 1-2, after “mph” strike the remainder of the sentence.



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5. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

6. COMMUNICATIONS FROM OTHER AGENCIES

- a. Santa Fe Metropolitan Planning Organization (Erick Aune, AICP, SFMPO Officer)
REMOVED FROM THE AGENDA

- b. Santa Fe Conservation Trust (Tim Rogers, Trails Program Manager)

Accomplishments:

700 hours of volunteer work for La Tierra Trails, Dale Ball, Galisteo Basin, etc.

Passport to Trails Program – made 177 trips since 2014 involving 4,000 students

Safe Route to School Program – working with 5 schools; had 60 events in 2022 involving 1,200 students

Vamanos – had 30 walk/bike events in 2022

Attended Henry Lynch Public Information meeting.

- c. Public Safety Committee (Khalil Spencer, BPAC Vice-Chair)

PSC had no quorum; looking for new members. Hired a Manager to run the \$1M 5-year Gun Violence Prevention Program.

7. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

- a. Henry Lynch Road Reconstruction Project Presentation (John Taschek, Ecosphere)
REMOVED FROM THE AGENDA



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- b. City of Santa Fe's Application Renewal to the League of American Bicyclists' Bicycle-Friendly Community (Judith Gabriele, BPAC Subcommittee Chair: Promotion, Education and Programming)

Need to focus on "connectivity" ... keep this issue on the radar. In the application there is more focus on social justice and inequity rather than miles.

- c. Arroyo de los Chamisos Crossing Project Update (Khalil Spencer, BPAC Vice Chair)

MOTION: Member Aaboe moved, seconded by Member Spencer, for BPAC to formally resubmits BPAC comments to the Consultants that incorporates multi-modal transportation. Further, the submission must come from Technical Review Subcommittee Chair. Comments need to include the preservation of the emergency road as a trail within the "Built Alternative".

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Aaboe, Member Eisenstein, Member Gabriele, Member Pingilley, Member Spencer, Member Pilcher, and Chair Garcia.

Against: None

Abstain: None

- d. Safe Route to Schools Trail Projects for BPAC's Consideration for Strategic Plan Inclusion and Funding (Tim Rogers, City of Santa Fe Safe Route to Schools Coordinator and Santa Fe Conservation Trust Trails Program Manager)

MOTION: Member Pingilley moved, seconded by Member Spencer, to approve the inclusion of Nina Otero SRTS trail in Tierra Contenta Trail Extension in BPAC Strategic Plan.



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VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

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Against: None

Abstain: None

MOTION: Member Aaboe moved, seconded by Member Spencer, to support the SRTS Coordinator position application for TAP funding for 2 years and direct Staff to look for funding the 14.56% local match (about \$40K).

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Aaboe, Member Eisenstein, Member Gabriele, Member Pingilley, Member Spencer, Member Pilcher, and Chair Garcia.

Against: None

Abstain: None

e. Staff Report

a) Requesting BPAC Representative to Rail Trail Intersections Improvements Project.

Member Aaboe will represent BPAC to Rail Trail Intersection Improvements Project.



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b) Seeking recommendations for trail projects for a) Transportation Alternative Programs; and 2) Carbon Reduction Program funding applications.

MOTION: Member Pingilley moved, seconded by Member Spencer, to approve for Staff to apply for TAP funding for Location Study Phase A & B for the Nina Otero SRTS Trail and Mutt Nelson Rd in Tierra Contenta Trail network. Further, for Staff to apply for design funding for the Acequia Trail Extension from Otowi to Maclovía from Carbon Reduction Program.

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:

For: Member Aaboe, Member Eisenstein, Member Gabriele, Member Pingilley, Member Spencer, Member Pilcher, and Chair Garcia.

Against: None

Abstain: None

c) Requesting Policy, Planning and Law Subcommittee Chair to present the BPAC Strategic Plan to Land Use Planning Commission, and Promotion, Education & Programming Subcommittee Chair to present BPAC 2022 Accomplishments to the Governing Body in 2023.

MOTION: Member Eisenstein moved, seconded by Voting Member Pilcher, to for the Policy, Planning and Law Subcommittee and Promotions, Education and Programming Subcommittees to present the BPAC Strategic Plan to Planning Commission and Governing Body first quarter of the year.

VOTE: The motion was approved on the following Roll Call vote:



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Against: None

Abstain: None

e) Roadway and Trails Project Updates

- 1) Receiving \$75,000 Local Government Road Funds to design Buckman Rd Bicycle and Pedestrian Improvements Project. Staff will request additional road impact fees funding from Capital Improvements Advisory Committee.
- 2) Receiving \$1M Transportation Project Funds to complete the design of Arroyo de los Chamisos Crossing Project.
- 3) Receiving \$850,000 Community Development Block Grant to design and build El Camino Real Academy Trail. Engineering design started in November.
- 4) Receiving \$300,000 to design Governor Miles Road and \$350,000 for St. Michael's Drive.
- 5) Receiving additional \$25,000 to construct Phase A Wayfinding Project.
- 6) Legislative Funding District Priorities:
 - a. District 2 – Pacheco Sidewalk - \$750,000 request
 - b. District 4 – Gov. Miles Rd - \$2.4M request



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- 7) Completed the construction of Camino Entrada Roundabout.
- 8) Rebidding the construction of:
 - a. Canada Rincon Trail
 - b. Guadalupe St Reconstruction and Bridge Rehabilitation Project

8. MATTERS FROM STAFF

- a) Member Candace Ella Martinez representing District 4 resigned.
- b) According to the Clerk's Office we can't meet in the Chambers on the ff. dates:
 - 1/12/23 – Conflicts with Charter Review Commission
 - 2/9/23 – Conflicts with Charter Review Commission
 - 3/9/23 – Conflicts with Charter Review Commission
 - 4/13/23 – Conflicts with Charter Review Commission
 - 9/7/23 – Conflicts with Buckman Direct Diversion Board
 - 12/7/23 – Conflicts with Buckman Direct Diversion Board

The Chair will contact City Clerks Office. Meeting location TBD.

9. MATTERS FROM THE COMMITTEE

Member Gabriele Chair of Promotions, Education and Programming requested information how to use BPAC funding to purchase a banner and promotional products.

10. MATTERS FROM THE CHAIR

The Draft E-Bike Bill was unanimously approved. It will go to Finance Committee on January 3 and then to Governing Body on January 11 (public hearing). Please come to



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support/oppose the draft bill.

Thank you also for the hard work of the Committee. The Strategic Plan is a huge accomplishment. Not many volunteer group/citizen advisory group has a Strategic Plan.

Have a great holiday season!

11. **NEXT MEETING: January 12 2023**

12. **ADJOURN 7:40 PM**

Romella Glorioso-Moss

Liaison

Chair