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Member Lev Lazinskiy
Member Eric Markley
Member David Raymond
Member Natalie Stich
Member John Suter
Member Jordan Wax

BICYCLE / PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting

Civic Center, Garden Level
1333 Park Avenue. Emeryville, CA 94608
March 2, 2026 – 5:30 PM

AGENDA

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FURTHER INFORMATION may be obtained by contacting Phillip Toste, Committee Secretary, at 510-596-4340 or phillip.toste@emeryville.org / bpac@emeryville.org. The next regular meeting is scheduled for April 6, 2026, at 5:30PM.

DATED: FEBRUARY 25, 2026

Post On: FEBRUARY 27, 2026
Post Until: MARCH 3, 2026

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Public Comment
 - 3.1 *Submit a written comment card at www.emeryville.org/advisorybodies.*
4. Approval of February 2, 2026, Regular Meeting Action Minutes
5. Action Items
 - 5.1 Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee Annual Report (Toste/Olsen)
6. Information Items
 - 6.1 San Pablo Parallel Bicycle Improvements Project (ACTC Staff)
 - 6.2 Bicycle Lights Installation Update (O'Connell)
 - 6.3 Planning Updates (Chung)
 - 6.4 Public Works Updates (Toste)
7. Future Agenda Items
8. Announcements / Member Comments
9. Adjournment


Lorryne Leong, Deputy City Clerk

BICYCLE / PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting

February 2, 2026

Draft Minutes

1. Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 5:31 pm.

2. Roll Call

Members present: Banks, Markley, Raymond, Stich, Suter, Wax, Cohen, Olsen

3. Public Comment

Four public comments total.

4. Approval of Action Minutes

Approval of December 1, 2025 Regular Meeting Action Minutes

No public comment.

BPAC Move/Second/Pass (M/S/P) Cohen/Wax 5-0-3-1 (Aye/Nay/Abstain/Absent) to approve the December 1, 2025 regular meeting action minutes.

5. Action Items

5.1. Recommend Bike to Wherever Day 2026 Funding

Staff Anderson presented an overview of Bike to Wherever Day 2025 and information on historical funding and Bike East Bay request for funding in 2026. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and made comments.

One public comment.

M/S/P Markley/Wax 7-0-1-1 to recommend funding for Bike to Wherever Day 2026 at the requested \$5,000 level.

5.2. BTWD Ad-Hoc Committee

Staff Anderson presented about the upcoming Bike to Wherever Day 2026 and discussed the formation of an ad-hoc committee to plan the event. BPAC members discussed the item and asked clarifying questions. Members Raymond, Wax, Cohen and Stich expressed interest in being on the ad-hoc committee.

One public comment.

No vote on this item.

5.3. Greenway "Two-Millionth User" Ad-Hoc Committee

Chair Olsen and Staff Toste presented about the upcoming milestone. BPAC members discussed the item and asked clarifying questions. Chair Olsen and Staff Anderson expressed interest in being on the ad-hoc committee.

No public comment.

No vote on this item.

6. Information Items

6.1. Community Promotions & Visual Arts Grant Subcommittee

Staff Sermeno and Staff Evans presented on the Community Promotions & Visual Arts Grant Subcommittees and soliciting BPAC members apply to be a part of the subcommittee. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and made comments. Member Banks expressed interest in being a part of the Community Promotions subcommittee. Members Markley and Suter expressed interest in being a part of the Visual Arts subcommittee.

No public comment.

6.3. Ava E-bike Rebate Program Updates

Chair Olsen moved item 6.3 ahead of item 6.2

Staff Anderson presented on the success of the Ava E-bike rebate program. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and made comments.

One public comment.

6.2. Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee Annual Report

Staff Toste and Chair Olsen presented on the Annual Report of BPAC accomplishments that needs to be prepared and presented to City Council in April. The 2024 Annual Report was shown and reviewed to look at what the previous accomplishments and goals were. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and made comments.

No public comment.

6.4 Planning Updates

Staff Chung provided updates on current and upcoming Planning projects, in particular the bike parking standards updates and Sutter Health. BPAC members did not ask clarifying questions, but did make comments.

One public comment.

6.5 Public Works Updates

Staff Toste provided updates on Public Works projects. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and made comments.

No public comment.

7. Future Agenda Items

Member Suter requested an item to create an action plan to sufficiently post “ped only” on the Marina pathway.

8. Announcements / Member Comments

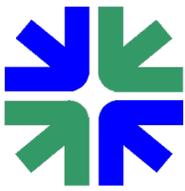
Introduction of Jeff Jelsma, Management Analyst and future BPAC/TSC Secretary.

Member Wax mentioned faded signage at 40th/SPA intersection and the park clean up event on Valentine’s Day at the Joseph Emery Skate Park.

Vice-Chair Cohen thanked staff for adding the LPI at 59th/Hollis intersection and commented that the bicycle detection can be more sensitive.

9. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:24 pm.



MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 1, 2025
TO: LaTanya Bellow, City Manager
FROM: Phillip Toste, Committee Secretary
SUBJECT: **Annual Report On Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee's (BPAC) Goals, Principles, And Accomplishments For Calendar Year 2024; And Proposed Committee Priorities For Calendar Year 2025**

COMMITTEE GOALS AND PRINCIPLES

Work with the City Council and City staff to improve access, infrastructure, and safety for people who ride a bike, walk, roll, or take transit in Emeryville.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024

- Bike Rack Inventory and Mapping: Worked with City staff to inventory and map all bike racks on city property. Scouted locations where bike racks would be beneficial and could be installed.
- 40th Street Multimodal Project Phase 1: Provided extensive feedback on 40th Street Multimodal Project Phase 1 design, specifically around intersections and connections to the Bay Trail.
- Bike to Wherever Day: Contributed to record attendance at “Bike to Wherever” day.
- Bike/Ped Marina Access: Provided feedback and guidance to City staff to enhance Emeryville Marina access for pedestrians and increase safe routing for cyclists.
- Wayfinding: Worked with City staff and consultants to develop a plan to design and implement a fast and fruitful pedestrian and cyclist wayfinding program.

TOP PRIORITIES FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2025

- Powell/Christie Intersection: Continue to effectively advocate for the City to improve the safety and accessibility of this intersection for pedestrians and cyclists. Investigate developing additional safe infrastructure (i.e. Construction of an elevated walkway) recommendations to the 2028-2033 CIP with a “top-3 priority for action” of all CIP projects.
- Bike/Ped Marina Access: Continue to improve safe pedestrian and cyclist routing and access to Emeryville Marina, especially when traveling from east to west.

- Improve Diversity and Engagement With BPAC: Encourage increased membership and participation at BPAC, and communication within the community in general regarding bicycle and pedestrian issues.
- Complete Streets Policy: Continue to help City officials design a robust “Complete Streets” policy.
- Wayfinding: Encourage implementation of wayfinding plan improvements as opportunities arise.

First Highlighted Priority

Powell/Christie Intersection: Continue to effectively advocate for the City to improve the safety and accessibility of this intersection for pedestrians and cyclists. Investigate developing additional safe infrastructure (i.e. construction of an elevated walkway) recommendations to the 2028-2033 CIP with a “top-3 priority for action” of all CIP projects.

Second Highlighted Priority

Bike/Ped Marina Access: Continue to improve safe pedestrian and cyclist routing and access to Emeryville Marina, especially when traveling from east to west.

CONCLUSION

People walking, biking and riding transit should be able to safely and quickly move about the city regardless of age, physical ability, race, sex, gender, sexual orientation, religion, national origin, or immigration status. BPAC works to recommend policies and projects to achieve this goal.

PREPARED BY: Phillip Toste, Associate Civil Engineer

**APPROVED AND FORWARDED TO THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EMERYVILLE:**



LaTanya Bellow, City Manager

ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment A – Presentation of BPAC Accomplishments in 2024 and Goals for 2025



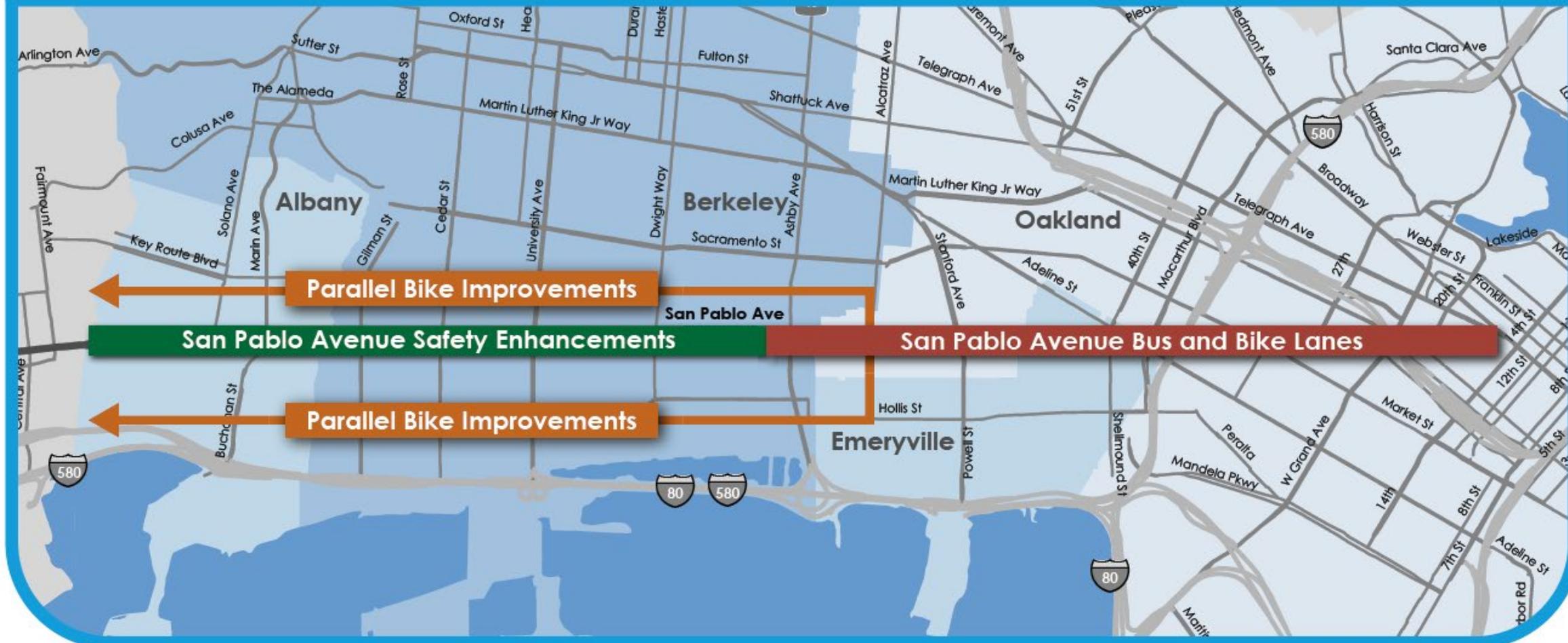
San Pablo Avenue Parallel Bike Improvements Project

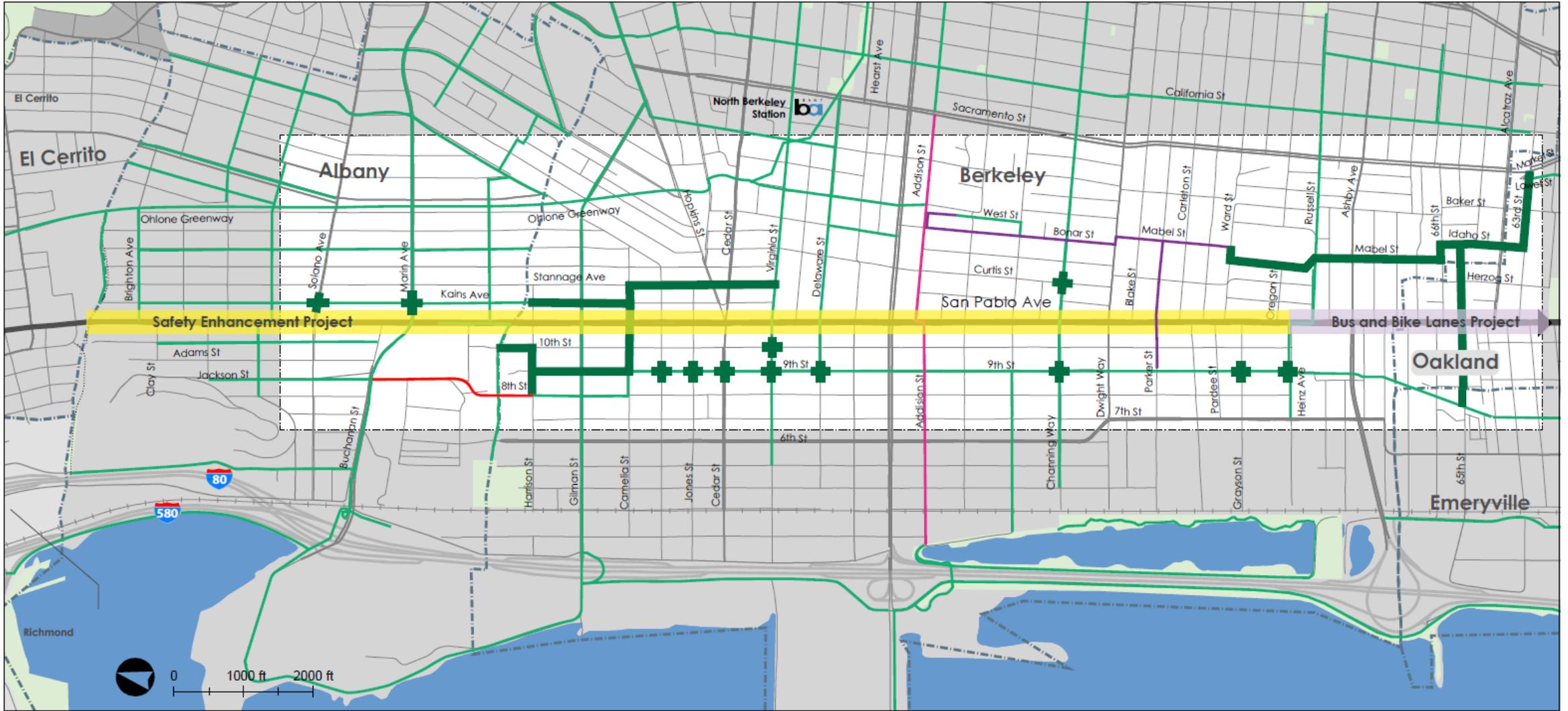


Emeryville Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee

March 2, 2026

San Pablo Avenue Corridor Projects





-  City Boundary
-  Parallel Bike Project Area
-  Safety Enhancement Project
-  Bus and Bike Lanes Project

-  Existing Bicycle Network
-  Parker-Addison Mobility and Safety Improvements Project (to be completed by others)
-  San Pablo Avenue Parallel Bike Improvements - Jackson Street Project

-  Addison Street Bicycle Boulevard Project
-  Parallel Bike Improvements



San Pablo Avenue Corridor Project

San Pablo Avenue Multimodal Corridor Project

October 2024

Parallel Bike Project

Project Elements



Diverters



Traffic Circles



Median Refuge Islands



Flashing Beacons



Wayfinding



ADA ramp upgrades



New stop controls



Bulbouts

Project Status

- Environmental studies complete
- Fully funded (Federal OBAG plus Measure B/BB)
- April 2026 – complete design/right-of-way certification
- June 2026 – obtain funding authorization
- Summer/Fall 2026 – construction bidding
- November/December 2026 – award construction contract
- January 2027 - construction start