



**Action Minutes for  
City of Emeryville  
Transportation and Sustainability Committee, Special Meeting  
January 13, 2026 – 4:03 PM to 5:19 PM**

**Members:**

Matthew Solomon (Solomon), Chair  
David Mourra (Mourra), Mayor

**Staff/Consultants Present:**

Mohamed Alaoui (Alaoui)  
Pedro Jimenez (Jimenez)  
Ryan O'Connell (O'Connell)  
Phillip Toste (Toste)  
Matt Anderson (Anderson)  
Violet Rice (Rice)  
Miroo Desai (Desai)  
Amber Evans (Evans)

1. **Call to order:** This meeting was called to order at 4:03 PM and held in the Council Chambers.
2. **Roll Call:** See above.
3. **Public Comment:**  
  
Seven Public Comments.
4. **Approval of Action Minutes**  
  
4.1 Approval of December 9, 2025 Regular Meeting Action Minutes  
  
No public comment.  
  
**Motion for Approval: Mourra / Second: Solomon / Vote: Unanimous approval.**
5. **Action Items:**  
  
5.1 Wayfinding and Public Art – 40<sup>th</sup> Street (Evans)

Staff Evans presented the final design for the 40th Street wayfinding and public art project, detailing signage, logo, and art installations, and sought committee recommendations for City Council approval, discussing technical details, community

engagement, and the selection of an iconic logo. Mourra and Solomon asked clarifying questions.

One public comment. **Mourra and Solomon made comments.**

A motion was made to forward the overall final art design package for adoption at City Council along with option #3 of the iconic logos as preferred option.

**Motion for Approval: Solomon / Second: Mourra / Vote: Unanimous approval.**

## **6. Information Items**

### **6.1 Environmental Programs Update (Rice)**

Staff Anderson provided updates the newly hired Environmental Programs Technician (Violet Rice), tree planting progress, legislative changes regarding recyclable materials (SB 54), and the success of the e-bike program (AVA E-bike rebates). Solomon asked a clarifying question.

No public comment. **Solomon and Mourra made comments.**

### **6.2 Capital Improvement Program Tracking Spreadsheet (O'Connell)**

Staff O'Connell provided updates on the City's Capital Improvement projects. Solomon and Mourra asked clarifying questions.

One public comment. **Solomon and Mourra made comments.**

## **7. Future Agenda Items:**

- Mourra added item for Non-smoking signs to Greenway and Park spaces.
- Staff mentioned 2026 Citywide Speed Limits.
- Future – See Click Fix Streamlining, Ashby Interchange Bike Ped Overcrossing, Grant Requirements, ETMA Planning Item, Parking Permit Requirements, Raptor Program & Owl Boxes

## **8. Announcements/ Member Comments:**

- Staff Alaoui announced new Management Analyst was hired, Jeff Jelsma.

## **9. Adjournment: This meeting was adjourned at 5:19 PM.**