

TRAFFIC AND SAFETY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

City Council Chambers April 24, 2008 – 7:00 pm.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES Minutes for March 27, 2008 Attached

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

For persons desiring to address the Commission/Committee/Board on an item that is not on the agenda please note that each speaker is limited to three (3) minutes. The Brown Act limits the Committee's ability to take and/or discuss items that are not on the agenda; therefore, such items are normally referred to staff for comment or to a future agenda.

5. DISCUSSIONS AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON MATTERS RELATED TO THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- 5-1 AC Transit Shuttle proposal —cost estimates presented by AC Transit staff
- 5-2 AC Transit request to relocate bus stop from the northeast side of the Buchanan/Jackson intersection to the northwest side.
- 5-3 Continued discussion on the loading/unloading and 20-minute parking request on the 1400 block of Solano Avenue
- 5-4 Traffic Calming Plan adjacent to El Cerrito Plaza—Forward a draft resolution to City Council reflecting Commission recommendation of March 27, 2008 (see attached).
- 5-5 Traffic and Safety Commission Ex-officio member—email from Councilmember Farid Javandel (attached)

6. REPORTS

- 6-1 Police Reports
- 6-2 Buchanan Bicycle/Pedestrian Path
- 6-3 Pedestrian Plan—report on the walking audit around Cornell School
- 6-4 Report on AC Transit Board Forum Breakfast on April 18

7 ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS

- 7-1 Email from Ira Sharenow in relation to bicycle facilities in the City of Albany
- 7-2 Letter from Susan Moffat on behalf of the Albany Strollers and Rollers regarding proposal at the University Village
- 7-3 Letter from Ellen Toomey on behalf of the Urban Roots regarding proposal at the University Village
- 7-4 Comments and recommendation on establishing paid parking program(s)—City Administrator memorandum attached
- 7-5 Free or low cost bicycle tune up at Albany Spring Festival—information attached

8. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

(Commission announcement of requests for future agenda items. No public comment will be taken on announcement of future agenda items).

- 8-1 Traffic Calming Policy
- 8-2 Marin Avenue red curb proposal
- 8-3 StreetSmarts educational program
- 8-4 Measure F funding status and revised list of priorities for 2008
- 8-5 Pierce Street Restriping Status
- 8-6 Bus to Target
- 8-7 Paid parking program

9. ADJOURNMENT – Next meeting May 22, 2008, 7:00 pm

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