



DRAFT MINUTES
CUPERTINO BICYCLE PEDESTRIAN COMMISSION
Wednesday, November 19, 2025

At 7:00 p.m. Chair Ilango Ganga called the Regular Bicycle Pedestrian Commission meeting to order at the Quinlan Conference Room, 10185 North Stelling Road and via teleconference.

ROLL CALL

Present: Chair Ilango Ganga, Vice Chair Gerhard Eschelbeck, and Commissioners Munisekaran Madhhipatla, Hervé Marcy, and Joel Wolf. Absent: None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Subject: August 20, 2025 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the August 20, 2025 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Minutes

This item was not heard due to the incorrect minutes being attached to the agenda. No action was taken.

POSTPONEMENTS – None

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS - None

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS

2. Subject: Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Roles and Responsibilities (Stillman)
Recommended Action: Discuss Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Roles and Responsibilities and Consistency With Cupertino Municipal Code Section 2.92.080, March 16, 2022 Item #5 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Motion, and September 17, 2025 Item #22 City Council Motion

Transportation Manager David Stillman gave a presentation.

Commissioners asked clarifying questions, which staff responded to.

Chair Ganga opened the public comment period and the following people spoke:

- R Sudesh
- Seema Lindskog
- Helene Davis

Chair Gango closed the public comment period.

Commissioners asked questions and made comments, which staff responded to.

MOTION: Vice Chair Gerhard Eschelbeck moved, seconded by Commissioner Munisekaran Madhhipatla, to approve the policy document, with the following amendments:

- Staff to exercise discretion in determining whether a joint or individual Planning Commission or Bicycle Pedestrian Commission meeting is appropriate for high-level planning documents as described in the policy;
- Clarify that all transportation projects in the policy will be reviewed by the Bicycle Pedestrian Commission;
- Modify Exhibit A to better clarify policy, or remove if clarification is not feasible;
- Include Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Motion from March 2022 on the City's Bicycle Pedestrian Commission website, and make other changes as necessary for consistency;
- Staff to look for opportunities to bring appropriate development projects with an impact on transportation improvements to the Bicycle Pedestrian Commission for review.

The motion carried with the following vote: Ayes: Ganga, Eschelbeck, Madhhipatla, Marcy, Wolf. Noes: None. Abstain: None. Absent: None.

STAFF AND COMMISSION REPORTS

3. Subject: Staff Update and Commissioner Activity Report (All)
Recommended Action: Receive Updates from Staff and Commissioners Regarding Recent Activities

Transportation Manager David Stillman announced an upcoming joint meeting with Bicycle Pedestrian Commission and Planning Commission in January.

Commissioner Marcy discussed the VTA meeting and the McClellan Road Bridge Project.

Chair Ganga noted that while the Bicycle Pedestrian Commission and Planning Commission spent significant time making recommendations on the Active Transportation Plan, those recommendations were not fully presented to the City Council.

FUTURE AGENDA SETTING –

- Cupertino Active Transportation Plan (January 2026)
- Discuss how the city can gather Use Data for recent infrastructure projects
- Vision Zero next steps
- CIP and City Work Program (December 2025)
- Torre Ave (December 2025)
- Tantau Ave and Forge Dr Traffic Signal (December 2025/January 2026)
- Grants
- Know/Understand Fed Grant Funding with Caltrans on updated bike-ped planning
- Understand/Educate on what funding standards are (Fed/State)

Studies / Plans

- Kennewick Drive/Homestead Road Study
- Stop Gap Measures/Temporary Solutions
- Study on McClellan Ave bike lanes in front of Monte Vista High School
- Examine Pedestrian Walkways for Safety
- Install Bollards at existing buffered bike lanes (Public Request)
- Path between Lincoln Elem and Monta Vista HS
- Speed Limits Studies

Projects

- Staff update on CIP Project updates (6 mo.)
- Tamien Innu
- Signaling Improvements

Education

- Adult Bicycle Education
- Impact of Semi-Rural Designation on Bike and Ped Projects/Priorities
- Bicycle and pedestrian safety

Miscellaneous

- Review Progress toward BPC Objectives & Grant Applications (6 mo.)
- Sidewalk Robotic Vehicles
- Inventory of Traffic Lights (triggering traffic light from a detector) – Staff update
- Pedestrian safety on Torre Avenue (Muni)
- Before and after data on separated bike lanes and major intersections for improvement – Use of data for future decisions
- Combine this data with the data on safety (Muni/Marcy)

- De Anza before and after traffic data collection.

ADJOURNMENT

At 8:50 p.m., Chair Ganga adjourned the Regular Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Meeting.

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