



MINUTES
CUPERTINO BICYCLE PEDESTRIAN COMMISSION
Wednesday, December 17, 2025

At 7:03 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 Madhdhipatla and Hervé Marcy (arrived at the meeting at 7:06 p.m.). Absent: Joel Wolf.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Subject: October 15, 2025 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the October 15, 2025, Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Minutes

MOTION: Eschelbeck moved, and Madhdhipatla seconded to approve the October 15, 2025, Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes. The motion passed with the following vote: Ayes: Ganga, Eschelbeck, Madhdhipatla. Noes: None. Abstain: None. Absent: Marcy, Wolf.

2. Subject: November 19, 2025 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the November 19, 2025, Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Minutes

MOTION: Eschelbeck moved, and Madhdhipatla seconded to approve the November 19, 2025, Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes. The motion passed with the following vote: Ayes: Ganga, Eschelbeck, Madhdhipatla, Marcy. Noes: None. Abstain: None. Absent: Wolf.

POSTPONEMENTS – None

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

San Rao expressed concerns regarding staff interactions related to bicycle rack contracts and liability considerations.

OLD BUSINESS – None**NEW BUSINESS**

3. Subject: Tantau Ave/Forge Dr Traffic Signal (Dullu)
Recommended Action: Receive Presentation, Provide Input, and Recommend City Council Approve Installation of Proposed Traffic Signal at the Intersection of Tantau Ave/Forge Dr

Assistant Engineer Prashanth Dullu gave a presentation.

Commissioners asked questions, which staff responded to.

Chair Ganga opened the public comment period and, seeing no one, closed the public comment period.

Recommendations included:

- Including software to adjust signal timing.
- Counting vehicles and pedestrians on an ongoing basis.
- Having a discussion with Apple about having vehicles exit via Forge Drive instead of the Tantau Avenue driveway.

MOTION: Madhhipatla moved, and Eschelbeck seconded to recommend that the City Council approve the installation of a traffic signal at Tantau Avenue and Forge Drive to enhance pedestrian safety, facilitate vehicle throughput, and improve operational efficiency. The motion passed with the following vote: Ayes: Ganga, Eschelbeck, Madhhipatla, Marcy. Noes: None. Abstain: None. Absent: Wolf.

STAFF AND COMMISSION REPORTS –

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

Transportation Manager David Stillman requested feedback on the 2026 Work Plan, requesting Commissioners e-mail suggestions by January 14th. As a separate item, staff will bring the CIP proposals for next year as well.

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FUTURE AGENDA SETTING –

- Cupertino Active Transportation Plan (January 2026)
- Vision Zero next steps
- CIP (February/March 2026)
- City Work Program (January- 2026)
- Torre Ave (February 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.)
- Bike Rack Feedback and Safety
- 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 8:06 p.m., Chair Ganga adjourned the Regular Bicycle Pedestrian Commission meeting.

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