



DRAFT MINUTES
CUPERTINO BICYCLE PEDESTRIAN COMMISSION
Wednesday, May 20, 2026

At 7:00 p.m. Chair Gerhard Eschelbeck 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 Gerhard Eschelbeck, Vice Chair Munisekaran Madhhipatla and Commissioners Ilango Ganga (arrived at 7:04 p.m.), Hervé Marcy, and Joel Wolf. Absent: None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Subject: April 15, 2026 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the April 15, 2026 Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Minutes

MOTION: Wolf moved and Madhhipatla seconded to approve the April 15, 2026, Bicycle Pedestrian Commission minutes. The motion carried with the following vote: Ayes: Eschelbeck, Marcy and Wolf. Noes: None. Abstain: Madhhipatla. Absent: Ganga.

POSTPONEMENTS – None

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Vivek Dutta discussed vehicle speeds on Prospect Road and cyclist safety.

Changming Liu discussed vehicle speeds on Prospect Road.

Guiqiang Dong discussed vehicle speeds on Prospect Road.

OLD BUSINESS –

2. Subject: Bicycle Facilities Improvements (Dullu)
Recommended Action: Receive Update and Provide Direction for Bicycle Facilities Improvements Work Plan Item

Written communications included a staff presentation.

Assistant Engineer Prashanth Dullu gave a presentation.

Commissioners asked questions which staff responded to.

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

Commission unanimously consented recommending that the proposed bike locations be split up between them, and they would return to the next Bicycle Pedestrian Commission Meeting with recommendations.

NEW BUSINESS

- Subject: Appointment of Cupertino Representative to VTA Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee (Staff)
Recommended Action: Appoint a Commissioner to represent Cupertino on the VTA Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee

Transportation Manager David Stillman gave a verbal report.

Commissioners asked questions which staff responded to.

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

MOTION: Ganga moved and Madhhipatla seconded to recommend to the City Council to appoint Commissioner Marcy to the Valley Transportation Authority Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee beginning July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2028. The motion carried with the following vote: Ayes: Eschelbeck, Madhhipatla, Ganga, Marcy, and Wolf. Noes: None. Abstain: None. Absent: None.

STAFF AND COMMISSION REPORTS

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

Transportation Manager David Stillman reported that the Stevens Creek Boulevard cycling

project is progressing, with major improvements anticipated by mid-July. However, the Tantau/Wolfe Interchange Project has been delayed to comply with environmental protections for nesting birds and wood rats. Additionally, Mr. Stillman announced a two-year extension of the crossing guard contract and noted that citywide speed surveys will be conducted in the near future.

Commissioner Wolf reported on the Bike to Work Day.

Commissioner Madhhipatla reported on residents' comments about construction on Stelling Road and Bubb Road.

Commissioner Marcy reported on the Mayor's Meeting.

FUTURE AGENDA SETTING

- Vision Zero next steps
- CIP (April 2026)
- Safe routes to school overall program and budget allocation.
- Speeding in the City issue (I.E. Prospect Road between De Anza Blvd and Stelling Road crosswalk consideration)
- ATP (July 2026)
- Review and Input Bike and Pedestrian Facility on RISE Project.

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
- 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 8:23 p.m., Chair Gerhard Eschelbeck adjourned the regular Bicycle Pedestrian Commission meeting.

Minutes prepared by:

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