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CITY COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

Meeting: March 21, 2017

Subject

Appointment of City of Cupertino representative to the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC).

Recommended Action

Accept the Bicycle Pedestrian Commission (BPC) recommendation to appoint Erik Lindskog to the VTA BPAC for the two-year term that ends June 30, 2018.

Discussion

VTA has requested that the City of Cupertino appoint a representative to VTA's BPAC for the current two-year term that began July 1, 2016 and ends June 30, 2018. Gary Jones, Cupertino's representative since August 24, 2016, recently resigned from the VTA BPAC due to personal reasons, leaving Cupertino's position vacant. Due to the timing of the resignation combined with the meeting schedule of the VTA Governance and Audit Committee, the soonest Mr. Lindskog can receive required VTA ratification is May 4, 2017. He would then be eligible to serve as Cupertino's representative at the May 10, 2017 VTA BPAC meeting.

The BPAC is a 17-member committee that advises VTA's Board of Directors on planning and funding issues for bicycle and pedestrian projects in the county. Members must live and/or work in Santa Clara County during their term and cannot be staff of either VTA or the member agency they represent. Cupertino has one membership position on the committee.

The City of Cupertino's Bicycle Pedestrian Commission has recommended that Erik Lindskog be appointed to the VTA's BPAC for the two-year term that ends June 30, 2018.

Sustainability Impact

None

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact.

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Attachments: None