



## **CAC Bicycle and Pedestrian Active Transportation Subcommittee**

550 S. Main Street, Orange CA, Room 07

March 21, 2023 | 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

### **AGENDA**

#### **1. Welcome**

#### **2. Presentation Items**

- A. I-605/Katella Ave Interchange Active Transportation Update  
Calina North, Public Outreach
- B. I-5 (SR-73 to El Toro Road) Stage 2 Bridge Extension  
Fernando Chavarria, Public Outreach
- C. Bike Gap Closure Study  
Peter Sotherland, Active Transportation Coordinator

#### **3. OCTA Staff Updates (5 minutes each)**

- A. Marketing Update – Kristopher Hewkin, External Affairs
- B. Active Transportation Update – Peter Sotherland, Active Transportation Coordinator
- C. Staff Liaison Update – Christina Byrne, External Affairs

#### **4. Subcommittee Member Comments**

#### **5. Public Comments\***

#### **6. Adjournment**

##### **Agenda Descriptions/Public Comments on Agenda Items**

The Agenda descriptions are intended to give notice to members of the public of a general summary of items of business to be transacted or discussed. Members from the public wishing to address the Committee will be recognized by the Chairman at the time the Agenda item is to be considered. A speaker's comments shall be limited to three (3) minutes.

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**Citizens Advisory Committee  
Bicycle and Pedestrian Subcommittee  
Meeting Notes**

September 20, 2022 | 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.  
550 S. Main Street, Orange CA, Room 09

**1. Welcome**

Vice Chair Lisandro Orozco welcomed everyone to the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Bicycle and Pedestrian Active Transportation Subcommittee meeting.

**2. Roll Call Attendance**

Chair Paul Adams noted that there was a quorum present.

Members Present:

Tyler Holst

Dan Kalmick

John Kinney

Marie Laveaga

Lisandro Orozco

Nick Polichetti

Roy Shahbazian

Jeff Thompson

Damon Tordini

Marc Vukcevich

**3. Presentation Items**

A. Bike Gap Closure Study Update  
Item deferred to next meeting.

B. I-5 (San Diego County Line to Avenida Pico)  
Josue Vaglienty provided a presentation on this item.  
<The full presentation is available on OCTA.net.>

Committee Member Comments:

A committee member asked if the public are getting this project confused with TCA's 241 extension. Josue said there has been a large effort to educate the public that this is not a continuation of TCA's project.

A member asked if all the ramps were going to be improved. Josue said the ramps that were shorter required the full ramp to be improved.

Another committee member asked if the bike and pedestrian improvements were contingent on the HOV lane extensions. Josue said yes. The committee member followed up asking about the main goal of the project. Josue responded the goal is to improve connectivity within the county and surrounding areas.

- C. I-5 Improvement Project Active Transportation Update  
Niall Barrett provided a presentation on this item.  
<The full presentation is available on OCTA.net.>

Public Comments

A member of the public said the bike lane coming down Marguerite comes to a sudden stop and cyclists must merge across two lanes to continue straight. He recommended they add green striping to extend the bike lane so the drivers are aware.

Committee Member Comments

A committee member asked what separation would look like between vehicles and cyclists. Niall said cyclists would have their own striped lane but no concrete barriers.

**4. OCTA Staff Updates**

- A. Marketing Update – Kristopher Hewkin  
Kristopher Hewkin provided a verbal update on this item.

Committee Member Comments

A committee member asked if the e-bike information will be sent to all the cities and Kristopher said yes.

A committee member asked if any materials were being created to teach vehicles how to drive safely around cyclists. Kristopher said they have in the past and it is on their website.

- B. Active Transportation Update – Charlie Larwood  
Charlie Larwood provided a verbal update on this item.

Committee Member Comments:

A committee member said it would be good to create materials to encourage tourists to use active transportation when they visit Orange County, especially those renting e-bikes.

- C. Staff Liaison Update – Christina Byrne

**5. Public Comments**

A member of the public asked that OCTA fosters communication between cities when they work on projects together.

**6. Subcommittee Member Comments**

A committee member said AB 1909 was signed into law which precluded cities from requiring bike licenses and requires drivers to move into another lane when passing a cyclist, if available.

**7. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned.

**CAC Bicycle/Pedestrian Subcommittee  
Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Attendance Record**

● = Present

⊙ = Absent

R = Resigned

Members	6/21/22	9/20/22	12/20/22	3/21/23	6/20/23
Adams, Paul	●	⊙			
Holst, Tyler	N/A	●			
Kalmick, Dan	⊙	●			
Kinney, John	●	●	C		
Laveaga, Marie	N/A	●	A		
Orozco, Lisandro	⊙	●	N		
Paredes, Mark	⊙	⊙	C		
Polichetti, Nick	●	●	E		
Reimer, Laurel	⊙	⊙	L		
Shahbazian, Roy	⊙	●	E		
Thompson, Diane	⊙	⊙	D		
Thompson, Jeff	⊙	●			
Tordini, Damon	N/A	●			
Vukcevich, Marc	N/A	●			