

Culver CITY

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 8, 2025

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members Of the City Council Of The City of Culver City

FROM: Members of the Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee
Chair: Joel Falter
Vice Chair: Jack Galanty
Members: Dan Beroukhim , J. Marvin Campbell, Carolyn Libuser, Greg Maron, Travis Morgan, Ben Parnas , Hunter Salem

SUBJECT: 01-06/2025 Accomplishments and 07-12/2025 Proposed Activity/Upcoming Agenda Items for the Next 6 Months

CC: John Nachbar, City Manager

JANUARY – JUNE 2025 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

At the August 25, 2025 special meeting of the Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee [BPAC], BPAC discussed and approved the staff report of activity listed below and authorized staff to transmit the final report to City Council for approval. The list below summarizes the Committee's accomplishments during the period of January through June 2025 and provides a list of anticipated activities/upcoming agenda items for the second half of the 2025 calendar year. BPAC regularly meets on the third Thursday of every other month and met three times from January to June 2025.

List of Accomplishments

Communications to City Council

- Approved biannual report to City Council covering period July – December 2024, including work plans for January – June 2025, and authorized transmittal to City Council.
- Request made to City Council to bring kiosk location planning to BPAC.
- Request made to fund safety improvements to National Blvd and the intersection of Wesley/National.

Events & Activities – Member Participation

- Attended City Council meetings, including multiple FY 25-26 Budget meetings.
- Attended and/or participated in City joint meetings with West LA College and CCUSD; reported back to committee.
- Subcommittee meetings: Tri-School Safety Ad Hoc Subcommittee
- Bike to Work Day
- Pride Ride
- Elenda Earth Day Celebration Event April 22, 2025

Review, Discussion & Advisory Feedback

Requested presentations, updates, discussion, and/or opportunities to provide input, regarding various topics.

- Received staff presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding design of bicycle and pedestrian improvements on Overland Ave, Green Valley Cir, Buckingham Pkwy, and Washington Blvd.
- Received staff presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding both the early draft and final draft of the Complete Streets Design Design Standards.
- Received staff presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding the Public Works Department FY 2024-25 mobility-related projects and projects under consideration for FY 2025-26 Budget, including costs and related funding.
- Received staff presentation and discussed the Public Works Department mobility-related projects included in the City Manager's Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2025-2026.
- Received a staff report and discussed development impact fees charged by the City.
- Received staff presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding five-year citywide collision statistics.
- Received staff presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding recent traffic accidents at intersections: Wesley St/National Blvd, Braddock Dr/Elenda St, and Washington Blvd/Higuera St.
- Received staff presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding safety around intersection of Wesley St/National Blvd and along National Blvd between Jefferson Blvd and Washington Blvd.
- Received a presentation, discussed, and provided feedback regarding plans for Elenda Earth Day Celebration Event on April 22, 2025.
- Received staff report, discussed, and provided feedback regarding bicycle and pedestrian safety along Ballona Creek Bike Path.
- Reported to staff regarding parking and driving in bus/bike lane, Ballona Creek Bike Path maintenance, among other issues.

Community Engagement

- Provided community forum for reporting issues, proposing improvements, project input, and input on agendized and non-agendized topics.
- Received specific public comments on most agenda items.
- Received public comments on other mobility-related topics including: front loading cargo bikes/tricycles through Jackson Gate; trucks impeding visibility of the bicycle light on Ince/Washington; Daylighting Laws; parking in the Carlson Park crosswalk; Wombi bike giveaway; fatality on National at Wesley and unsafe conditions; traffic calming on National; safety concerns at Duquesne bike path exit; appreciation for Culver and Main intersection timing changes; use of diagonal crossings; role of BPAC and Public Works to mitigate climate change in Culver City; City's ability to mitigate emissions; traffic violence; fatality at Doverwood and Green Valley Circle in Fox Hills two years ago; need for safety improvements; use of different types of bike infrastructure based on the safety provided; praise for City's traffic engineers; developer fees; bike lanes near the Fox Hills Mall; climate change and car-centric infrastructure; importance of providing access to Fox Hills; public understanding of BPAC purview; protected mobility lanes with cement curbs; bicycle and pedestrian raised lanes; signage with walk and cycle times to different destinations; no-right-turn signs; bike sensors that light up; failure of sensor at Farragut and Overland; proposed use of resting red; AI powered traffic signals, daylighting painting; access to collision data; unreported injuries; Vision Zero; Hoboken, New Jersey; proposed goal to eliminate all traffic deaths and injuries by 2030; rules when there is no bike lane; lack of bike lane on Braddock; sharrows between Madison and Linn Howe; providing bike education to drivers; adding signage to indicate that bicycles are entitled take the full lane; aggressive drivers; school zones; request to add signage on Braddock; three-feet rule; heavily used streets; designation of Overland; residents along Overland; signal trigger at Farragut and Overland; bike sensors; ensuring pedestrians get priority; MOVE Culver City.

JULY – DECEMBER 2025 PROPOSED PLANS

Communications to City Council

- Make updates and recommendations to City Council as appropriate on topics requested by City Council, on agenda items coming before City Council, and about other mobility-related topics.
- Meet with Council Subcommittee on Kiosks regarding placement and safety concerns.
- Meet with Subcommittee on Olympics regarding bicycle and pedestrian issues.

Community Engagement

- Receive community input through public comment on mobility related topics.

Events & Activities

- Attend City sponsored mobility related events.
- Attend City Council, Mobility Subcommittee, and mobility related city community meetings.

- Attend City joint meetings with West LA College and CCUSD and report back.

Administration

- Produce biannual report to City Council covering period January – June 2025 and authorize transmittal to City Council.
- Welcome new members and thank leaving members.
- Establish regular meeting schedule for 2025-26.
- Elect Chair and Vice Chair
- Dissolve and form subcommittees and appoint members.

Review, Discussion & Advisory Feedback

- Receive updates and/or presentations from staff, receive public comment, and discuss proposed and active projects, including but not limited to those on Active projects posted on Culver City website by Mobility & Traffic Engineering Division.
- Receive updates and/or presentations from staff, receive public comment, and discuss the Tri-School Safe Routes to School Traffic Study, legislation for bike speeds and safety along Ballona Creek Bike Path; Safer Fox Hills and Better Overland projects; Connect Culver Blvd project; Data Collection update; Bike Share update; kiosks, Livable Communities Initiative, and improvements along National Blvd.