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**BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
STANCOG BOARD ROOM  
1111 I STREET, SUITE 308  
MODESTO, CA  
May 3, 2011 (TUESDAY)  
5:30 PM**

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**AGENDA**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 3. ROLL CALL**
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

*These matters may be presented only by interested persons in the audience. Discussion is limited to five minutes or at the discretion of the Chair.*

**5. CONSENT CALENDAR**

- A. Minutes from March 1, 2011 (see attachment)

**6. PRESENTATIONS:** None

**7. PUBLIC HEARING:** None

**8. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:**

A. Bicycle Flyer Discussion/Action

B. Amgen related matters Discussion/Action

**9. INFORMATION ITEMS**

*The following items are for information only.*

**10. MEMBER'S REPORT**

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

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**Attachments:**

Minutes from January 4, 2011 BPAC meeting



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**Minutes of March 1, 2011 (Tuesday)**  
**5:30 pm**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Steve Bonrepos, R J Corwin, Norm Fox, Lennox Harris, Chuck Shoup

**ALSO PRESENT:** Charles Turner [StanCOG], Michael Fassler, Charles Vasquez [Stan County DPW]

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Steve Bonrepos called the meeting to order at approximately 5:30 pm.

**2. PUBLIC COMMENTS** None

**3. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

- A.** Minutes from January 4 2011 had previously been distributed by e-mail and were approved as submitted – m/s/p Harris/Fox, unanimous.
- B.** Charles Turner [StanCOG] advised the Committee that R J Corwin has been appointed to the BPAC as a representative for Hughson, and that a representative for Turlock has been nominated and awaits appointment.
- C.** BPAC Bylaws [with January's changes] have been approved by the legal department. As those changes had been approved by the BPAC in January, the bylaws now stand as published.
- D.** The last bicycle survey changes had been approved in January. The complete survey was now approved m/s/p Harris/Corwin, unanimous. Steve Bonrepos will begin to design a handout flyer to publicize the bicycle interest survey. The committee will work on the design via e-mail. This flyer will be made available to bicycling organizations, vendors, libraries, etc., as well as at a BPAC booth at the Amgen race [May 17 2011].

**4. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS AND REPORTS**

- A.** Steve Bonrepos' attendance at the Sustainable Communities Strategy [SCS] meeting on February 1 2011.
- B.** Steve Bonrepos' attendance at the Designing for Pedestrian Safety workshop of January 27 2011. Steve offered copies of the PowerPoint presentation that was given at that workshop to BPAC members. Various funding and other resource information was also made available.

- C. Steve Bonrepos distributed Eyes of the Community [EOC] framework to attendees. This is an informal framework to encourage BPAC members and interested individuals to look for relevant bicycle- and pedestrian-related infrastructure elements and bring issues to the attention of their respective jurisdictions.
- D. Charles Vasquez commented on previous requests for County DPW efforts to assist in cleaning up the Amgen Tour bicycle race route—he will look into how it can be handled. He further commented that, owing to the various jurisdictions involved, interagency cooperation must be sought for this cleanup effort. The overall purpose was to be able to present a good image of the County and its communities to the viewers of the Amgen Tour.
- E. Chuck Shoup commented that “ghost bikes” [white-painted bicycles] will be mounted at locations around Stanislaus County [see Chuck—who will actually do this?] where a cyclist has been killed in a collision.

## **5 ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS**

- A. Information on the impending approval by CTCDC of the R4-11 “Bicycles may use full lane” sign and the legal definition of “...lane too narrow for safe travel of motor vehicle and bicycle...” from CalTrans legal department, as well as issues related to these items. [Current information is needed as the local bicycle club had agreed to purchase some of the needed signs and the County had agreed to install them.]
- B. Virginia Corridor-related issues. [see Bob Ford?]
- C. Information regarding traffic circles in the cities and in the County.
- D. Matters relating to the Amgen Tour [in Modesto Tuesday May 17].

## **6. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 615P to May 3 2011 at 530P.

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