



DATE: February 9, 2021

CATEGORY: Consent

DEPT.: Public Works

TITLE: **Appointment to Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee**

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee's recommendation for a midterm appointment of Lada Adamic as the City of Mountain View's representative to the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee for the remainder of the two-year term ending June 30, 2022.

BACKGROUND

The Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) advises the VTA Board of Directors on bicycle and pedestrian projects/issues and consists of appointed representatives from each city in Santa Clara County. The appointment term is two years, ending on June 30 of each even-numbered year. As outlined in the City of Mountain View's Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee (B/PAC) bylaws, the City's designated representative to the VTA BPAC is appointed by the City Council based on a recommendation from the City B/PAC.

On [October 13, 2020](#), the City Council approved retroactively reappointing Greg Unangst as the City of Mountain View's representative to the VTA BPAC from July 1, 2020 until a new midterm appointment could be considered in early 2021 for the remainder of the two-year term ending June 30, 2022. VTA is continuing to allow former B/PAC member Unangst to serve on VTA's BPAC until the City makes a new appointment.

ANALYSIS

At its January 27, 2021 meeting, the City's B/PAC recommended Lada Adamic to serve as the City's representative on the VTA BPAC for the remainder of the two-year term ending June 30, 2022.

If approved, the appointment recommendation will be forwarded to the VTA Board of Directors for final approval.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no direct impact associated with this recommendation. However, the VTA BPAC makes recommendations regarding various bicycle and pedestrian projects to the VTA Board of Directors for funding consideration.

ALTERNATIVES

Approve the appointment of a different City B/PAC member to serve as the City's representative on the VTA BPAC.

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