



DATE: March 30, 2022

TO: Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee

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SUBJECT: **Appointment to the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee**

RECOMMENDATION

Forward a recommendation to the City Council for the appointment of a Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee member as Mountain View's representative to the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee for the term starting July 1, 2022 until June 30, 2024.

BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

The Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) advises the VTA Board of Directors on bicycle and pedestrian projects and 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. The City's current representative on the VTA BPAC is Lada Adamic, whose first term on the Mountain View Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee (B/PAC) expires on December 31, 2023.

The City's B/PAC is responsible for providing the City Council with a recommendation for the appointment of the City's representative on the VTA BPAC. The City B/PAC bylaws require that the City's designated representative on the VTA BPAC be a member of the City B/PAC. The VTA BPAC bylaws for voting members require that "Committee members shall be representatives of local bicycle or pedestrian advisory committees."

NEXT STEPS

The B/PAC's VTA BPAC appointment recommendation will be agendaized for Council review and action at a future City Council meeting. The Council's recommendation for the City's VTA BPAC representative will then be forwarded on to the VTA Board of Directors for final approval.