Castro Valley Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (CVBPAC)

PURPOSE

The Castro Valley Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (CVBPAC) will serve as an advisory committee to the Director of the Alameda County Public Works Agency (ACPWA) on matters related to bicycle and pedestrian projects, in accordance with the Alameda County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan, in the Castro Valley community.

THE BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

The CVBPAC will be comprised of seven (7) members. Membership is limited to residents, property owners and business owners from within Castro Valley. The Committee will seek to have a balance of pedestrian and bicycle interest representation among members.

Members will be appointed by the Director of ACPWA, and will serve a two-year term. Members can serve a total of three terms.

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The role of the Castro Valley Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (CVBPAC) is to advise the Director of the Alameda County Public Works Agency during the development, revision, and/or modification of the Alameda County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan, the document that guides the identification, development and implementation of bicycle and pedestrian projects in unincorporated Alameda County. Input will be limited to projects, revisions, and/or modifications to projects within Castro Valley only.

The responsibilities of the Castro Valley Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee are to:

- Attend scheduled Castro Valley BPAC meetings;
- Act as a liaison to the broader Castro Valley community by sharing and discussing information about upcoming bicycle and pedestrian projects and programs;
- Seeking community feedback on the Alameda County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan and associated projects within Castro Valley;
- Provide preliminary feed-back to design engineers as they develop bicycle/pedestrian projects;
- Assist in securing community support for projects and programs included the Alameda County Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan;
- Secure community support in the Alameda County Public Works Agency's efforts to secure competitive grant funding;
- Participate alongside Public Works Agency staff in educational efforts that promote bicycle and pedestrian safety, such as Walk to School Week activities, Bike to School/Work Day activities, and other similar events designed to promote alternative transportation solutions.

SELECTION PROCESS

To be considered to serve as a member of this committee, applicants must reside in Castro Valley and/or own a business or property in Castro Valley, and are willing to serve a two-year term.

Ideal candidates for the CVBPAC will have interest, experience, and/or expertise in promoting bicycle and pedestrian systems as viable forms of transportation and recreation; and are willing to commit their time and energy to attend meetings and community events.

Applications should be submitted to:

Alameda County Public Works Agency ATTN: Paul Keener, Senior Transportation Planner 399 Elmhurst Street Hayward, CA 94544

MEETINGS

Castro Valley BPAC meeting schedule and locations will be determined at a future date.

All meeting notices and agendas will be posted on the Public Works Agency website (www.acgov.org/pwa).