

Engineering & Evaluation Sub-Committee Report

Committee Information

Committee Name:	Engineering & Evaluation	Committee Members NOT Present:	Liza Pratt, Jaime Emmanuelli
Committee Members Present:	Caitlin Tobin, Michael Trivette, Eoin Sheil, Vivian Coleman (CDOT Staff)	Date of Last Committee Meeting:	February 16, 2021

BAC Meeting Minutes

- The meeting began by committee members introducing themselves.
- Caitlin reviewed revised format for the sub-committee meeting:
 - Subcommittee meetings will be held the third Tuesday of every month from 6-7pm
 - The meetings will be public, the webex link to the meeting is available online
 - Meeting minutes will be maintained by committee members
 - A CDOT staff member will attend each committee meeting.
- Caitlin led the meeting by reviewing and refining the priorities and tasks that the subcommittee will focus on throughout the year.
- Eoin pointed out that focusing on the Strategic Mobility Plan and advising council to support projects that support priorities 1-3 is the most valuable use of the Subcommittees time.
- Michael brought up an additional concern about sweeping and maintaining bike facilities. The Subcommittee added a task to research potential strategies for improving or implementing a bike maintenance program. Caitlin pointed out the BAC would likely need to advise council this is something that would need resources to support.
- The final priorities and tasks the subcommittee agreed upon are outlined below.
- The meeting adjourned at 6:45pm.

Priority #1: Prioritize the expansion of Protected Bike Lanes & Improve Connectivity in the bike network

- **Task:** *Monitor Comprehensive Plan/Strategic Mobility Plan (SMP) and support plan adoption.*
 - **Sub-Task:** Encourage and support a robust public engagement and comment on the development of the Bicycle Priority network plan map
 - **Sub-Task:** BAC subcommittee members commit to attending the SMP Town Hall meetings expected in Spring 2021.
- **Task:** *Support funding projects that improve biking in the City.*
 - **Sub-Task:** Research and advise on funding request for bike program (how much is the ask?) for next bond cycle 2022
 - **Sub-Task:** Write a letter and continue to advise council to support the Uptown CycleLink.
 - **Sub-Task:** Monitor and educate Council on how implemented facilities are being used.
- **Task:** *Research potential strategies and resources for improving/implementing a bike facility maintenance program.*

Priority #2: Support VisionZero Projects/Efforts

- **Task:** *Track and support CDOT projects that focus on reducing traffic speeds & improving safety.*

Priority #3: Continue to support building greenway/bike infrastructure projects that have committed funding, expedite where possible

- **Task:** *Monitor projects and pro-actively advise Council on supporting, funding and implementing bike, trail and greenway project.*