City of Sacramento Active Transportation Commission Report

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Active Transportation Commission 2025 Annual Report

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Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Discuss and provide direction on the draft Active Transportation Commission 2025 Annual Report.

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Attachments:

- 1-Description/Analysis
- 2-Draft 2025 Active Transportation Commission Annual Report
- 3-Presentation

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Issue Detail: At the September 21, 2025, ATC meeting, the Commission discussed the contents of the 2025 ATC Annual Report, including revising the language included in multiple sections of the report and updating the recommendations. Staff received updated report sections, including the Message from the Chair and Introduction to the 2025 Recommendations, from Chair Hodel, Commissioner Gibson, and Commissioner Harris.

The updated sections and recommendations are included in the draft 2025 Active Transportation Commission Annual Report, which can be found in Attachment 2.

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The 2025 recommendations are listed below with draft cost estimates.

| Item | FTEs | Year 1 Cost Estimate | Recurring Cost Estimate |
|--|------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Increase Funding for Active Transportation Infrastructure Projects | TBD | \$3,000,000 | \$3,300,000* |
| Implement the Traffic Calming Toolbox | 0.5 0.5 | \$2,100,000 | \$2,300,000 |
| Increase Funding for the Sacramento Quick-Build Program | | \$1,100,000 | \$1,200,000 |
| Implement Leading Pedestrian Intervals (LPI) Citywide | | \$500,000 | |
| Develop a Citywide Safe Routes to School Program | 2 | \$800,000 | \$800,000 |
| Implement No Turn on Red Citywide | | \$500,000 | |
| Pedestrian Safety Review of Proposed Transitional Housing | | \$100,000 | |
| Expansion of Creative Crosswalk Policy | | \$100,000 | |
| TOTAL | 3 | \$8,200,000 | \$7,600,000 |

^{*}These costs are expected to increase each year

Staff seek direction from the Commission on the details for the recommendations below:

Implement Leading Pedestrian Intervals (LPI) Citywide

Details: The ATC requests the City complete a study of citywide implementation of Leading Pedestrian Intervals (LPIs) to improve safety for people walking at intersections.

Implement No Right Turn on Red Citywide

Details: The ATC requests the City complete a study of citywide implementation of No Right Turn on Red to improve safety for people walking, biking, and rolling at intersections.

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Expansion of Creative Crosswalk Policy

Details: ATC requests the City expand the current Creative Crosswalk Policy

This item is for the Commission to review and provide direction on the draft 2025 Active Transportation Commission Annual Report.

Policy Considerations: The recommendations are aligned with the following City Code:

- 2.100.030 Powers and duties of commission.
 - G. Annually, report to and make recommendations to the mayor and council regarding the status of walking and bicycling in the city and activities of the commission.

Economic Impacts: Not applicable.

Environmental Considerations:

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA): This action is not a project that is subject to CEQA because it is an organizational or administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment. (CEQA Guidelines §15378(b)(5)).

Sustainability: The report and discussion are consistent with the City of Sacramento Climate Action Plan Mobility Element by focusing on improving transportation infrastructure and encouraging walking and bicycling.

Commission/Committee Action: At the August 21, 2025, meeting, the Commission discussed the previous year's report and steps forward for the 2025 Annual Report. Commissioners agreed to bring their ideas and recommendations to the next Commission meeting.

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Financial Considerations: The action requested is to discuss and provide feedback on the Commission's annual report and does not obligate the use of any funding.

Local Business Enterprise (LBE): Not applicable.

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