



# Bay Trail Steering Committee Meeting

Thursday, October 12, 2006 1:30-3:30 PM

Metro Center

101 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Oakland

ABAG Conference Room

## Agenda

*The Committee may act on any item on the agenda*

### Agenda topics

1:30 - 1:35 PM

**Adoption of Agenda and Approval of 08/10/06 minutes\***

1:35 - 1:45 PM

**Announcements by Chair and Boardmembers**

1:45 - 2:00 PM

**Staff Announcements**

2:00 - 2:15 PM

**Review of Planning and Construction Grant Applications for the \$3.8 Million Grant Program\***

The Steering Committee will consider funding recommendations for the fifth round of grant applications received under the \$3.8 million grant program. Staff has reviewed and scored 2 planning and construction project applications for Committee review. Staff will provide an overview of grants awarded to date and anticipated timeline for full allocation of the program.

Thompson

**City of Novato Feasibility Study (\$100,000)\***

Consideration of a \$100,000 planning grant request from the City of Novato to develop feasible alignment alternatives for 4 miles of Bay Trail along the Highway 37 corridor between Highway 101 and the Petaluma River.

Gaffney

**East Palo Alto Bay Trail Extension (\$55,000)\***

Consideration of a \$55,000 construction grant request from the City of Palo Alto to complete a 0.2-mile segment of Bay Trail in East Palo Alto adjacent to a PG&E substation.

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**2:15 – 2:40 PM**

**Ridge Trail – Bay Trail Vallejo Alignment Discussion\***

Gaffney

Committee discussion of a proposal to fund a trail feasibility study that would address challenging alignment issues in Vallejo within the vicinity of the Carquinez Bridge. Requesting feedback on likely recommendations from this study, including a new spine alignment, removal of proposed shoreline spine alignment, addition of a parallel route for road bicyclists and acceptance of a narrow pedestrian/mountain bicycle route.

**2:40 – 3:15 PM**

**Bay Trail Realignments\***

Bay Trail Staff

Consideration of trail realignment recommendations for Committee adoption. Using previously discussed criteria for realignments, staff proposes 7 changes to the official alignment as a result of Gap Analysis data collection and feedback from local jurisdictions. The adopted realignments will be reflected on the Bay Trail maps that are currently being updated and reprinted.

**3:15– 3:30 PM**

**Highway 92 Bay Trail Sign Proposal\***

Thompson

Staff is seeking Committee feedback on a Bay Trail staff request to Caltrans to display two 3’x3’ Bay Trail signs on the Highway 92 bicycle-pedestrian bridge visible to drivers as a public education initiative.

**3:30 PM**

**Adjourn Meeting**

Staff/Committee

**\*Material Attached**