



Councilmember Cheryl Davila
District 2

CONSENT CALENDAR
April 25, 2017

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
From: Councilmember Davila
Subject: Budget Referral for three Beacon lights and/or flashing yield signs

RECOMMENDATION

Refer to City Manager to assess and fund three beacon lights or flashing yield signs to increase safety for the following three intersections: 1) Channing and Sacramento; 2) San Pablo and Parker; and 3) Addison and Sixth Street.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

Cost of three beacon lights or flashing yield signs.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Supports an environment of increased safety for pedestrians and cyclists. No ecological impact.

BACKGROUND

Sacramento, San Pablo Avenue and Sixth Street are all main street veins of the city. These intersections are dense with traffic, bicycles and pedestrians. There are several intersections with a high to medium rate of bicycle collisions and pedestrian accidents between University Avenue & Ashby Avenue. Beacon lights and/or flashing yield signs reduce such accidents. CONTACT PERSON

Cheryl Davila, Councilmember, District 2 510-981-7120

LINKS:<http://www.dailycal.org/2015/02/19/berkeley-streets-prove-dangerous-cyclists-2000-collisions-since-2001/>

