



Vice Mayor  
Councilmember Cheryl Davila  
District 2

CONSENT CALENDAR  
July 24, 2018

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council  
From: Vice Mayor Cheryl Davila  
Subject: Budget referral: RRFB Light at San Pablo Avenue & Addison Street

RECOMMENDATION

Refer to the budget process an allocation for Rectangular Rapid Flash Beacon (RRFB) at the crosswalk at San Pablo and Addison Street.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

Staff time and a one-time allocation of \$100,000.

BACKGROUND

San Pablo Avenue (State Route 123) connects the Richmond/El Cerrito area in the north to the Oakland/Emeryville area in the south. There are four travel lanes, separated by median with 30mph speed limit. There are traffic signals at University Avenue/ San Pablo and Addison Street /San Pablo, with crosswalk in between Addison and University. Often traffic does not stop for the pedestrians waiting in the median or curbside at the crosswalk. Many seniors and residents are near misses every day when crossing at this crosswalk. The RRFB is needed to preventing fatalities, serious injuries and fulfill the City of Berkeley's Vision Zero.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

The referral aligns with Vision Zero and under the Transportation and Land Use provision of the Climate Action Plan to increase cycling and walking.

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