



AGENDA

Joint Meeting of the Transportation Commission and the Downtown Area Plan Advisory Committee

Downtown Area Plan Advisory Committee – Meeting #37

Wednesday, June 6, 2007, from 7 to 10 pm

North Berkeley Senior Center, 1901 Hearst Avenue, Berkeley, California

7:00 Call to Order, Order of Agenda & Look Ahead

DAPAC and Transportation Commission members may consider the timing of a future meeting to consider a draft Downtown Area Plan Chapter on Access, which would consider potential goals and policies relating to all modes of travel.

7:05 Public Comments

Speakers are customarily allotted up to three minutes each. Speakers are encouraged to submit more extensive comments in writing.

7:15 Bus Rapid Transit: Downtown Factors

Jim Cunradi, AC Transit's BRT Project Manager, will provide an overview on objectives, assumptions and options pertaining to potential Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) in Downtown Berkeley. He will highlight Downtown factors considered in AC Transit's Draft EIR (the public comment period for which will close July 3rd) and will describe the BRT decision-making and implementation process. DAPAC and TC members will have an opportunity for questions and discussion, on topics such as how the Downtown Plan and BRT projects might intersect.

8:00 Draft Sub-Chapter on Parking (part of the Downtown Area Plan Chapter on "Access")

DAPAC and TC members will consider draft goals and policies pertaining to Parking, using a Staff-prepared draft Sub-Chapter and Transportation Commission recommendations.

9:30 Transportation Commission Adjournment

9:30 Future Workshops/Hearings and Subcommittees for Commenting on Draft Chapters

Staff will provide an overview of the Public Workshop to be held on June 16 (10-12:30 in the BHS Library, corner of Allston & Center), followed by DAPAC questions and discussion. DAPAC will also have an opportunity to consider the format and timing of additional Workshops and/or Hearings. DAPAC may also consider the process and the formation of possible Subcommittees for commenting on draft chapters of the Downtown Area Plan.

9:50 Future Agenda Items

10:00 DAPAC Adjournment

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