City of Houston
Bicycle Advisory Committee
Education Subcommittee

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

HOUSTON BIKEPLAN

Meeting to be held in person and virtually via Microsoft Office Teams
Wednesday, September 28, 2022; 2:30 – 4:30pm
John B. Raia Conference Room, 611 Walker St

Call-In Option: +1 936-755-1521 **Conference ID:** 524 722 257#

Microsoft Teams Meeting Link:

For meeting documents, please visit our website

Comments received via email before 2:00pm on September 28 ,2022 will be read into the record during public comment.

The public is invited to speak for up to two (2) minutes each at the beginning of the meeting.

Agenda

Discussion Regarding the Following Items:

1. Director's Report
2. Chair's Report
3. Public Comment
4. Bike Friendly Divers Video Discussion
5. RECAP: Visioning Discussion
6. Open Forum
7. Announcements

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Mission and Vision

BAC Mission
To advise and make recommendations to the commission and the director on issues related to bicycling in the city including, but not limited to, amendments to the Bike Plan, bicycle safety and education, implementation of the Bike Plan, development of strategies for funding projects related to bicycling, and promoting public participation in bicycling.

BAC Vision
By 2027, the City of Houston will be a Safer, More Accessible, Gold Level Bike-Friendly City

Roll Call

Tom Compson, Chair

Alejandro Perez, Vice Chair

Tracy Alexander

Leah Chambers

Adam J. Williams

Carl B. Salazar

Com. Kristine Anthony-Miller

Beth Martin

Lisa Graiff

Trevor Reichman

Jessica Wiggins

Yuhayna Mahmud

Nick Hellyar

Judith Villarreal

Amar Mohite

Mike VanDusen

Ana Ramirez Huerta

Nikki Knight

Robin Holzer

Veon McReynolds

Ian Hlavacek

David Fields

Juvenal Robles

Microsoft Teams Meeting Instructions

Agenda and Slides: https://houstonbikeplan.org/bac/

Join By Phone: 936-755-1521; ID 524 722 257#

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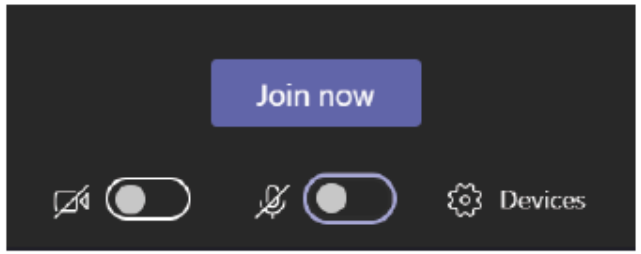

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Director’s Report

David Fields

Chair’s Report

Jessica Wiggins

Public Comment

Send **written comments** to bac@houstontx.gov by 2:00pm the day of a BAC meeting. Comments will be read aloud by staff during the meeting.

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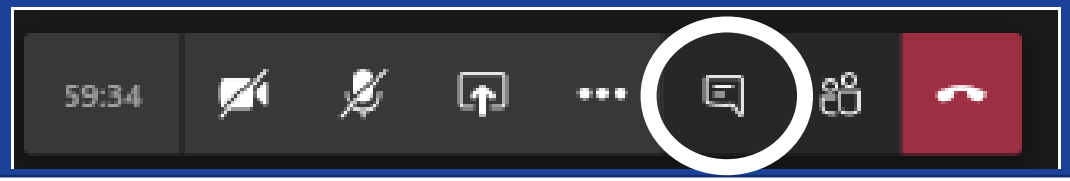
Comment via **Microsoft Teams**: Type your name and that you would like to comment

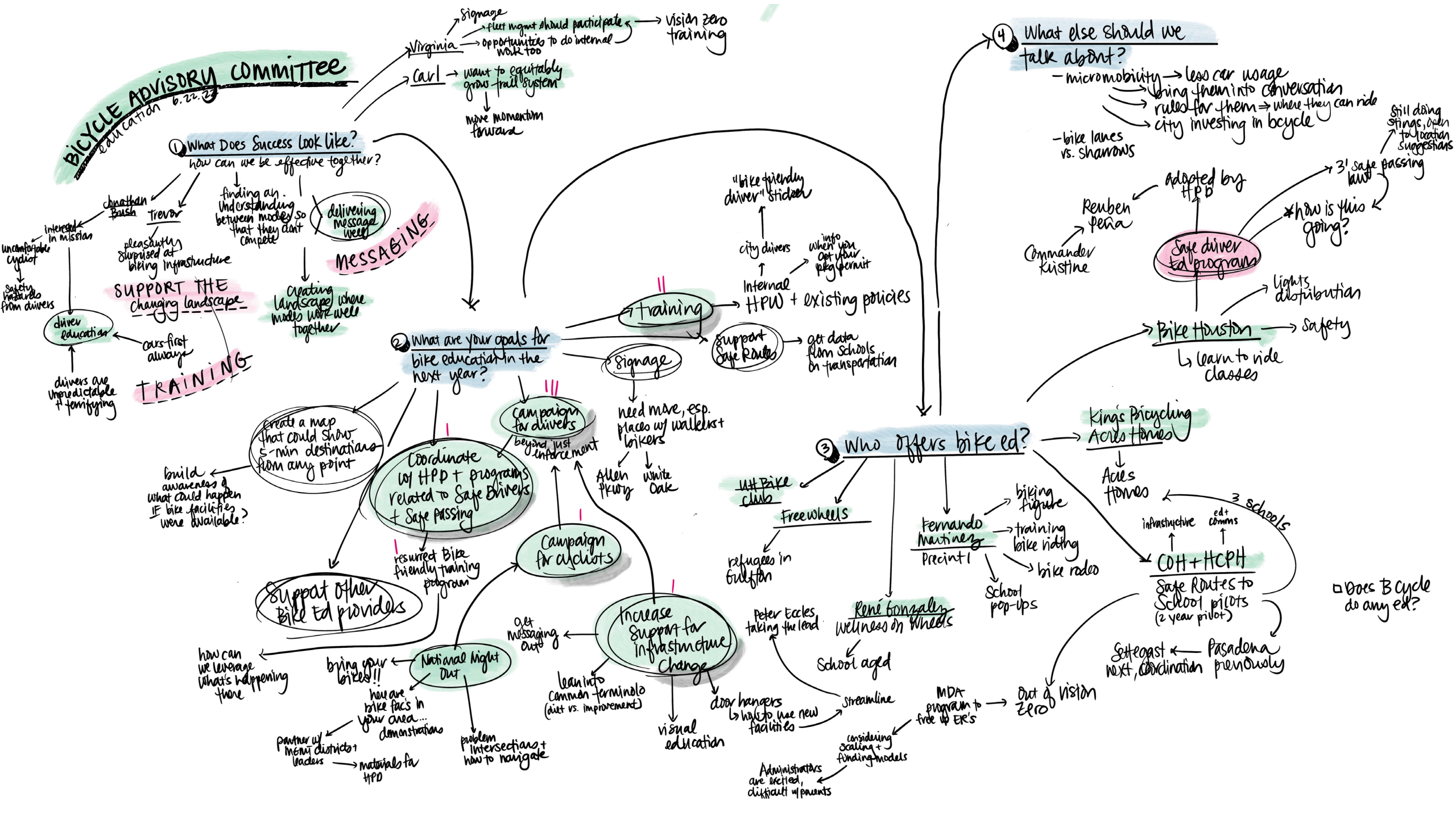


Bike Friendly Divers Video Discussion

RECAP - Visioning Discussion

Visioning Discussion

- -Where is there momentum around bike education already? Who or what might we join to double the impact?
- -Who do you know that offers bicycle education in Houston right now? Who do they serve?
- -What does success look like for this committee?
- -What are your goals for bike education in the next year (top 1 or 2)
- -What are things we don't talk about at the education subcommittee you'd like to talk more about?
- -How well do you feel your skills and knowledge are effectively used on the BAC Education Subcommittee?
- -What is your comfort level with meeting in person?


BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
education 6.22.22
Virginia
Signage
fleet mgmt should participate
opportunities to do internal work too
vision zero training
Carl
want to equitably grow trail system
move momentum forward
1 What Does Success look like?
how can we be effective together?
Jonathan Bush
interested in mission
uncomfortable cyclist
safety hazards from drivers
Trevor
pleasantly surprised at biking infrastructure
finding an understanding between modes so that they don't compete
delivering message well
MESSAGING
creating landscape where modes work well together
SUPPORT THE changing landscape
driver education
cars first always
drivers are unpredictable + terrifying
TRAINING
2 What are your goals for bike education in the next year?
training
"bike friendly driver" sticker
city drivers
info when you get your pkg permit
Internal HPW + existing policies
support Safe Routes
get data from schools on transportation
Signage
need more, esp. places w/ walkers + bikers
Allen Pkwy
White Oak
create a map that could show 5-min destinations from any point
build awareness of what could happen IF bike facilities were available?
Coordinate w/ HPD + programs related to Safe Drivers + Safe passing
resurrect Bike friendly training program
campaign for drivers
beyond just enforcement
Campaign for cyclists
Support other Bike Ed providers
how can we leverage what's happening there
Increase support for infrastructure change
get messaging out
National Night Out
bring your bikes!!
here are bike facs in your area... demonstrations
partner w/ MGMT districts + leaders
materials for HPD
problem intersections + how to navigate
lean into common terminology (diet vs. improvement)
visual education
door hangers
how to use new facilities
streamline
Peter Eccles taking the lead
3 Who offers bike ed?
UH Bike club
Freewheels
refugees in Gulfton
René Gonzalez
Wellness on Wheels
School aged
Fernando Martinez
Precint 1
biking figure
training bike riding
bike rodeo
School pop-ups
MDA program to free up ER's
Out of vision zero
considering scaling + funding models
Administrators are excited, difficult w/ parents
Kings Bicycling Acres Homes
Acres Homes
3 schools
infrastructure
ed + comms
COH + HCPH
Safe Routes to School pilots (2 year pilot)
Settegast next, coordination
Pasadena previously
Does B cycle do any ed?
4 What else should we talk about?
- micromobility → less car usage
bring them into conversation
rules for them → where they can ride
city investing in bcycle
- bike lanes vs. sharrows
Still doing stings, open to location suggestions
3' safe passing law
how is this going?
adopted by HPD
Reuben Peña
Commander Kristine
Safe driver Ed program
Bike Houston
lights distribution
safety
learn to ride classes

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Open Forum

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Next Meetings:

- Bicycle Advisory Committee: October 26, 2:30-4:30pm
- Infrastructure Subcommittee: November 16, 2:30-4:30pm
- Education Subcommittee: December 21, 2:30-4:30pm

Thank You

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