

**PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
COMMISSION OF MAMMOTH LAKES  
MOBILITY COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, June 12, 2018, 1:00 p.m.**

**437 Old Mammoth Road, Town/County Conference Room**

**MEETING MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 1:04 p.m.

**ROLL CALL**

Committee members present: Commissioners Michael Vanderhurst and Jennifer Burrows; Austin West (Caltrans); Gerry LeFrancois (Mono County/LTC); Matthew McClain (MLR); Jon Robertson (ESTA), Ken Brengle (Chamber)

Committee members absent: Lara Kaylor (MLT), Margie DeRose (USFS)

Staff members present: Sandra Moberly, Haislip Hayes, Joel Rathje, Dan Holler

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None.

**BUSINESS MATTERS**

1. Review and Approval of the minutes from the February 21, 2018 meeting.

The minutes were approved.

2. Update on e-bike policy and related action items.

Joel Rathje gave a staff report on the current e-bike regulations and suggested regulations from the Mammoth Lakes Trails System Users Group and the Town Council. Joel answered questions from the group and outlined the next steps in the process which includes a letter to the USFS to receive approval for Class 1 e-bikes on Town multi-use paths. Joel will bring updates to the Committee as necessary.

3. Update on Bike Share Pilot Program.

Matt McClain presented findings from his research on the potential for a public bike share pilot project in Mammoth Lakes. Matt reported that MLR was considering a "hub less"

system which would allow bikes to be ridden throughout the commercial areas of town and would not require them to be docked at a central hub. The group had a number of questions that MLR will research and report back to the group. Specific questions included:

- a. What is the need for a bike share in town?
- b. How long would a bike share pilot project last?
- c. What would be the pilot project cost to the town and the long-term cost if we decided to expand the program beyond the pilot project?
- d. What is the risk of the program?
- e. Who would manage the program?
- f. Would the Town be included in management? If so, what Town Department?
- g. What is the mechanism for Town approval if any?
- h. Are there regulations for bike share within the Town Municipal Code?
- i. Are there ADA issues with where the bikes are dropped off?

Matt will reach out to the bike retailers in town to discuss the pilot project to determine if there is support for this type of a program. Matt will research the above listed questions and will report back to the Mobility Committee. Matt will also request a proposal from Lime Bike prior to returning back to the Mobility Committee.

#### 4. Update on selected Walk Bike Ride Action Items

Sandra Moberly walked through the Walk Bike Ride Action Items and provided an update on several items. She reported that the Town was awarded a Caltrans grant to conduct a Mobility Hub study which would look at siting mobility hubs in the commercial areas of town, including the North Village. Haislip Hayes provided an update on the Main Street, Minaret Road, and Meridian Boulevard sidewalk projects.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Moberly, Community and Economic Development Director