



**Salt Lake County Bicycle Advisory
Committee
Facilities Planning Sub-committee
Meeting Agenda
4 pm, Aug 17, 2011
Salt Lake County Government Center
2001 South State Street, Room N3001
(north building)
SLCBAC website: <http://www.bicycle.slco.org/>**

**** Preliminary Agenda ****

*Chad Mullins, *SLCBAC Chair*. Call to order – Welcome.

*Approval of July Minutes.

*Public Comment

*Dan Fazzini Jr. *Director Safe Route Connection, Inc.* will present information regarding proposed updating and clarification to Utah Code – Title 41 – Chapter 06a –Traffic Code.

Request for Letter of Support for 2012 bicycle related legislation.

- Updates the definition of a bicycle to include trikes and quads and includes low power driven bikes (following Federal guidelines). Also clarifies that trailers pulled by a bicycle are part of the "bicycle" and do not need to meet the requirements of a vehicle trailer (chains etc)
- Provides for a state-wide definition of a bicycle lane and its use as a "preferential use by bicycles."
- Clarifies that if the lane is too narrow to share as a solo rider, then riding 2 abreast is ok
- Allows passing a cyclist when safe over a double yellow on 2 lane roadways.
- Allows proceeding through a red light after waiting a reasonable amount of time (bikes and motorcycles)
- Fixing loopholes which currently allow local authorities to restrict bicycle use on roadways without any engineering study or basis.

*Spencer Sanders, *Planning and Development Services*.
Update on Bicycle Best Practices

*Robert Burton, *Unified Police Department*

Enforcement in Emigration Canyon. Electronic message sign

*Frederick Lutze, *Flood Control and Highway Engineering*

Excused, will update Chad on bicycle route status report and report back on 2004 data, (bicycle counts and shoulder widths) that may be of use to our BBP consultant.

*Colin Smith, *Mayor's Office*

Emigration Canyon issues.

Planet Bike – UPD?

*UPD request for mobile electronic sign at base of Emigration Canyon. Currently an emergency management vehicle is used to display messages; however it requires the truck to idol. The Emergency Management vehicle may be better utilized in a more central County location if needed for emergency. The County rents these signs for our construction projects through InterState Barricade, 801-546-0220, contact LeeAnn. Public Works Ops does not own any that we could use at this time.

*Possibility of hosting a mini Road Respect campaign in Emigration Canyon in Early October?

*Goathead/Jordan River Trail update. Late summer weed pull? Goathead now noxious?

*2300 Environmental Study to begin. How has the County's new Complete Streets Ordinance changed how planning and engineering are approaching this project?