

## PSAC Minutes July 10, 2018

**Meeting called to order 6:10 pm**

**Attending:** Andrew Jacobs D4, Martin Fein D6, Evy Posamantier D8, Jon Winston SFUSD, Betina Cohen, D9, Becky Hogue Senior and Disability Org, Stuart Watts D3, Howard Bloomberg Walk Advocacy Org. **Staff:** Victoria Chong

**1. SFPD Report: Sgt. Embody:** Three collisions. June 13, 28th at Diamond, June 25th, 25th and Iowa (road rage), July 7, 16th and Mission (hit by a Muni bus)

**2. Lower Great Highway Pedestrian Improvement: Nick Smith,** SFMTA Livable Streets presented.

Improvements are coming from Sup. Tang's office. In 2011-2016 there were 21 collisions and injuries including four pedestrian injuries. Upper Highway is often closed for sand removal. \$250,000 in NTIP funding to fix speeding and aggressive driving with basic safety features including daylighting and painted safety zones. 28 parking spaces to be removed. Process should be completed by late 2018 to early 2019.

Powerpoint presentation submitted.

**3. Scooter Sharing Update: Jason Hyde,** SFMTA Livable Streets presented.

BOS passed legislation to regulate scooter sharing companies. Powered scooters now have a legal definition. SFMTA will issue permits to scooter companies. Bad side: Scooters are ridden on and parked improperly on the sidewalk. Good side: Valuable "last mile" solution. Also... Fun.

Permit goals: Safety and access for all street users. Also protect the safety of scooter users.

There will be a five-month pilot program with permits issued to five companies allowing 1250 scooters on the streets for the first six months, then the number will increase to 2500.

A handout was distributed detailing the Emerging Mobility Guiding Principles.

Permits will be issued and enforced by the SFMTA Taxi Division.

**4. PSAC By-laws.** No quorum so tabled till August Meeting.

**5. SFMTA Report Victoria Chong.** Valencia Street Bikeway Improvement Open House is upcoming.

**6. Future meeting Ideas:** Bettina Cohen suggested inviting SF Planning Department Rep Susan Gygi to talk about High Speed Rail track alignment proposals.

**7. Meeting Adjourned.**