



DATE: May 24, 2017

AGENDA ITEM # 3

**TO:** Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Commission

**FROM:** Susanna Chan, Staff Liaison

**SUBJECT:** 2017 Bike to Work Day

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Receive a summary regarding 2017 Bike to Work Day

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**BACKGROUND**

Bike to Work Day was held on May 11, 2017. The BPAC energizer station was located at the northwest corner of the intersection of Foothill Expressway and Main. BPAC had a table with refreshments, musette bags, and handouts. A bike rack was provided for the event.

BPAC also collected data on the number of cyclists traveling on Foothill Expressway.

**DISCUSSION**

The event started at 6:30 am and lasted until 10:05 am. The total numbers of riders passing by the BPAC energizer station was 544 (361 Northbound, 183 Southbound). Of those, 79 stopped at the Los Altos BPAC table. This information has been forwarded to the Silicon Valley Bicycle Coalition. There was a slight decrease on riders passing the BPAC energizer station comparing to 2016. There were 586 riders in 2016.

Mayor Prochnow, Council Member Bruins, along with many staff from the Police Department and other city departments attended the event and greeted those who stopped for refreshments.