



Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Tucson Pima County Bicycle Advisory Committee (TPCBAC) and to the general public, that the TPCBAC held the following meeting, which is open to the public.

The TPCBAC conducted a public meeting on April 15, 2026, via Microsoft Teams.

DRAFT OF MINUTES

1. Roll Call, Call to Order, and Approval of Minutes previous meeting.

Quorum was met with 10 members present.

MOTION: A motion to approve the March 2026 minutes was made by Krista Post, seconded by James Wood, and passed by voice vote, 6 yes, 0 no, 4 members abstaining (Jane, John Krista, Summer Dawn,) who were not present at the February meeting.

2 Call to the Public.

Ingmar & Mike give updates on responses given to community member emailing about feeling unsafe with cyclists passing her as a pedestrian on The Loop.

Mattie, senior from Tanque Verde High School sent an email with photos and also attended meeting to report that there are a few "highly trafficked" roads near her home that do not have bike lanes, making it hazardous for cyclists, students commuting to school: Redington Road and N. Soldier Trail, specifically. She was encouraged to raise awareness of this problem in her community and to make comments on [MovingPima.com](https://www.movingpima.com).

Mike Hendriks reports that in reaching out to Ryan O'Connor of Pima Co Sheriff's Dept regarding accidents on The Loop, he was informed that accidents involving motor vehicles require a Crash Report. Not sure what is done with cyclist accidents.

3 Updates from Law Enforcement, Absent

Jason Mike Hendricks

4 Announcements, Updates, and Questions for Related Entities

Greater Arizona Bicycling Association (GABA), Daphne Hope

April 19th Spring Swap Meet at El Con Mall

Moving Pima Transportation Master Plan Project. Daphne was asked to sit on its Oversight Committee representing the Bicycling Community. First time Pima Co has created a plan, this one is projected for next 30yrs. At the moment they are working to identify values, themes, and goals. Moving forward projects will focus on Growth, Resilience, and Equity.

Complete Streets Coordinating Council (CSCC), James Wood

Update on 5th Street from Campbell to Wilmot. Currently replacing water main system. Road construction should be completed by July, 2026. Will restripe in August, 2026 to include a protected bicycle lane.

Request from City for \$1 million of the Prop 411 Safety Funds for Tucson sidewalk repair. An unobtainable amount of \$2 billion dollars required to upgrade sidewalks to ADA standards, i.e., missing sidewalk ramps, buckling curbs, etc. CSCC is considering allocation of \$1 million toward this project.

Loop Subcommittee, Daphne Hope

Randy Ford retiring from BAC. Daphne stepped in as Chairperson. The Loop Subcommittee acts as a citizens advisory committee to Pima Co Parks & Recreation Commission. They need three new members. Considering preparing a Master Plan for The Loop to identify goals and future planning. Daphne will bring a list of projects, & priorities to BAC next month and would like BAC's feedback on these, and in more collaboration between the two groups. Daphne is also interested in joining the Senior Level Loop Oversight Committee made up of Commissioners and District Supervisors.

5. Announcements, Updates, and Questions for Staff

City of Tucson, Lydia Barker - Absent

Pima County Dept of Transportation, Mike Hendrix

- April 15th Valencia Project Open House – Today.
- Houghton Road Project: Included multi-use path path; construction begins later this year
- BAC Members: Total of 10 seats (two from each district). Ongoing recruitment efforts being made. seats

Marana Update, Brian Varney

David Andrew resigned from BAC. They are trying to fill this seat

Pima Association of Governments (PAG), Hannah Oden – Absent

No updates

Oro Valley Update, Krista Post

No updates

6. Discussion of AZ SB 1008 proposing a 5mph passing speed for cyclists, Krista Post

Found a list of several people for & against the bill, however no movement on the bill.

Daphne reports that New Jersey just passed a stricter law on ebike use – riders must have bike registered, be at least 15yo, with driver's license, helmet, and insurance. Apparently, California is working on similarly restrictive law.

7. TPCBAC 2025 Annual report

https://bikeleague.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/BFC_Master_Spring_2023_ALL.pdf

Add goal of retaining Tucson's status on the Bicycle Friendly Communities/Bicycle Friendly Businesses lists

MOTION: A motion to approve the 2025 Annual Report made by Krista, seconded by Daphne and passed by voice vote, 10 yes, 0 no, 0 members abstaining

8. Actions and goals for BAC in the coming year

- * Re-address Bike/Ped Safety within construction zones – Summer Dawn
- * Create a better process for requesting City & County's attention to specific problems, etc, a template, a list
- * Bring back Nicole's project to identify specific safety gaps & identifying low-cost remedies.
- * Using social media to get BAC's msg out to interested parties – maybe a student internship responsibility?
- * Pursuing BFC Rating, BFB Ratings

- * Better understand what underlies Tucson & Pima Co bike/ped accidents & fatalities.
- * John Edgett: Have City update BAC on project proposals to connect Rosewood Bicycle Boulevard to Kingston (Wilmot south of Speedway to Kolb south of 5th Street.)

9. Discussion next meeting dates // Goal Setting/Next Meeting.

No additional suggestions.

10. Personal Introductions

Summer Dawn makes personal introduction.

11. Adjournment

NOTE: TPCBAC next meeting will be Wednesday May 20th, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

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ATTENDANCE

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTING	Attendance
1. Anona Miller	Univ of AZ	<i>Present</i>
2. Daphne Hope, Vice Chairperson	Pima Co	<i>Present</i>
3. Elaine Flin	Ward 4	Absent
4. Eric Post	Pima Co	<i>Present</i>
5. Evan Santerior	Pima Co	<i>Present</i>
6. Ingmar Riedel-Kruse	Pima Co	<i>Present</i>
7. James Wood, Chairperson	Ward 5	<i>Present</i>
8. Jane Zavisca	Ward 6	<i>Present</i>
9. John Edgett	Ward 2	<i>Present</i>
10. Krista Post	Oro Valley	<i>Present</i>
11. Le'Sean Marks	Ward 3	Absent
12. Robert Smith	Sahuarita	Absent
13. Summer Dawn		<i>Present</i>
	Ex-Officio Non-Voting Members	
Lydia Barker	City of Tucson	Absent
Jonathan Crowe	Pima Co DOT	<i>Absent</i>
Mike Hendrix	Pima Co DOT	<i>Present</i>
Hannah Oden	Pima Assoc of Govts (PAG)	<i>Absent</i>
Matthew Taylor	Marana alternate	<i>Absent</i>
Jason Bredehoft	Tucson Police Dept	<i>Absent</i>
Lt Ryan O'Connor	Pima Co Sherrif's Office	<i>Absent</i>
Gabe Thum	Pima Assoc of Govts (PAG)	<i>Absent</i>
Samuel Paz	Pima Co DOT	<i>Absent</i>
Brian Varney	Marana	<i>Present</i>

	Community Attendees	
Karen Keeting		<i>Present</i>
Nathan Bacal		<i>Present</i>