SFMTA - TASC SUMMARY SHEET							
PreStaff_Date: 12/6/2022	Public Hearing	Consent	No objections:				
Requested_by: SFMTA	X Public Hearing	Regular	Item Held:				
Handled: Laura Stonehill (646-4320)	Informational / 0	Other	Other:				
Section Head : M. Sallaberry	PH - Regular						
<i>Location:</i> Francisco Street at Colu	umbus Avenue						
Subject: Bike Share Station							
PROPOSAL / REQUEST: ESTABLISH – NO STOPPING EXCEPT ESTABLISH – BIKE SHARE STATION Francisco Street, north side, from 23 fee	et to 112 feet east of Colu						
Proposing a Bay Wheels bike share station in the parking lane on the north side of Francisco, east of Columbus, adjacent to 650 Francisco St.							
Laura Stonehill, laura.stonehill@sfmta.com							
 BACKGROUND INFORMATION / COMMENTS Stations with bicycles are 6 feet wide and 4 feet tall with a kiosk 7.8 feet tall and map panel at the eastern end of the station. Stations are solar powered via a panel system that extends vertically from the kiosk. No excavation is necessary. No bike facilities No Muni unmetered parking Lyft conducted outreach to the adjacent property. This station was shared with multiple neighborhood groups and the District 3 supervisor was notified of this location. 							
Grid A24-2 27 docks							
HEARING NOTIFICATION AND PR	OCESSING NOTES:		IMENTAL CLEARANCE BY:				
CHECK IF PREPARING SEPARATE	SEMTA ROARD CAL						









Bay Wheels Bike Facilities Map





Bay Wheels Aerial Map





Bay Wheels San Francisco Transit Map



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Bay Wheels Envista: Documentation of Project Coordination

Screen Capture Date: 10.27.2022







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Bay Wheels Photo Array





Record of Meetings & Correspondence

• Sent a mailer with proposed station information to the following businesses and residences. One response received (attached below)

Resident	658 Francisco	San Francisco	94133
Resident	654 Francisco	San Francisco	94133
Resident	650 Francisco	San Francisco	94133
Resident	640 Francisco	San Francisco	94133
Resident	624 Francisco	San Francisco	94133
Resident	620 Francisco	San Francisco	94133
Resident	1050 Columbus	San Francisco	94133

Attachments

- Email thread with resident of 650 Francisco
- Email with MTA and Supervisor Peskin's office Email 1 and Email 2



Neal Patel <nealpatel@lyft.com>

Wed, Sep 28, 2022 at 3:44 PM

Neal Patel <nealpatel@lyft.com>

To: Daisy Gong <days.gong@gmail.com> Cc: community@baywheels.com

Hi Daisy -

Thank you for the email and I'm glad that the outreach flier landed in your mailbox. We are collecting input on this proposed station and I appreciate you taking the time to share your thoughts.

I understand that there may be concerns about repurposing parking spaces in the neighborhood. Bay Wheels tries to limit that impact but we believe a few parking spaces is a small investment towards healthier and more sustainable transportation options.

Thanks again for the email - I will keep you informed as to next steps with this proposed station.

Neal

On Tue, Sep 27, 2022 at 3:33 PM Daisy Gong <days.gong@gmail.com> wrote: To whom it may concern,

I currently live at 650 Francisco St. San Francisco, CA, 94133. Please do not add bikes on Francisco and Columbus street as street parking is already limited to residents. There is also already a wide variety of commute in the area such as the cable car and muni that already blocks residential parking. Thank you.

Daisy

Neal Patel

Community Affairs Manager Lyft Bikes and Scooters, SF Bay Area





D2, D3 Station Check In

Leung, Adrian <Adrian.Leung@sfmta.com>

Fri, Jul 15, 2022 at 2:47 PM

To: Alexandria Fiorini <afiorini@lyft.com>, "Stonehill, Laura" <Laura.Stonehill@sfmta.com> Cc: Bay Wheels Planning <planning@baywheels.com>, "(community@baywheels.com)" <community@baywheels.com>

Hey Alexandria and other Expansioneers,

Reporting back from my meeting with Sup Peskin earlier this week -- After a lengthy critique of scootershare, he said he felt completely opposite about bikeshare, and said we were doing a better job about keeping bikes relatively corralled. When I showed him the citation heat maps, he mentioned he likes the idea of more stations, but also realizes there is a lot of complicated dynamics with the public when trying to push for more stations, both with residents and commercial folks.

Ultimately, he said he was fine with proceeding with outreach, and wasn't sure how it would go, but he felt more comfortable with the proposed sites in commercial areas over residential, and he said some of the spots in North Beach would likely be more complicated. He also suggested he wasn't as concerned about unfounded bike rental concerns, and was fine with recommendations on Bay or North Point.

Let's chat more about it next week. Happy Friday.

Adrian Leung Bikeshare & Bike Parking Program Manager (415)646.2533

all pronouns welcome

From: Alexandria Fiorini <afiorini@lyft.com> Sent: Tuesday, May 10, 2022 1:49 PM [Quoted text hidden]

[Quoted text hidden]



Neal Patel <nealpatel@lyft.com>

D3 Bikeshare - data for citations and stations

Leung, Adrian <Adrian.Leung@sfmta.com> To: "Angulo, Sunny (BOS)" <sunny.angulo@sfgov.org> Cc: Neal Patel <nealpatel@lyft.com> Wed, May 25, 2022 at 3:58 PM

Hello Sunny,

It's been awhile. I hope you're doing well. I'm reaching out with instructive data we've collected related to bikeshare usage in D3.

Since installing stations closer to the Fisherman's Wharf area, we've seen predictable benefits in people parking bikes at docks, reducing misparking instances. To be honest, this isn't surprising since it's cheaper to park at, or near, a station.

On the other hand, in areas without station coverage, we are still seeing misparking. Here's a heat map demonstrating how this looks. On the street, people see a misparked bike; they report it; then SFMTA investigates and issues a citation. But from a broader scope, you can see how citations tend to occur where we have gaps in the system.



With that in mind, we've been considering how to fill these gaps with new potential stations.

- North Point/Columbus south side of North Point, east of Columbus, in the parking lane
- North Pont/Taylor north side of North Point, east of Taylor, in the parking lane
- Bay/Mason south side of Bay, west of Mason, in the parking lane
- Chestnut/Columbus north side of Chestnut, east of Columbus, in the parking lane or Francisco/Columbus- north side of Francisco, east of Columbus, in the parking lane
- Greenwich/Mason north side of Greenwich, west of Mason, in the parking lane
- Vallejo/Columbus north side of Vallejo, west of Columbus, in the parking lane



Of course, the first step is to ask you and Sup Peskin how you feel about these, which is why we're reaching out. Next, we'd open up discussions with the Bike Rental Companies since some of these stations are close to their operations.

Finally, it's helpful to remember data shows demand already exists here. Bike trips already start and end in these areas without stations. The addition of stations would simply help organize the bikes better.

Adrian Leung

Bikeshare & Bike Parking Program Manager

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San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency

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SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT

2015		Notice of Exemption			1650 Mission St. Suite 400 San Francisco,
	11.	Approval Date:	December 18, 2015		CA 94103-2479
22	11	Case No.:	2015-005492ENV, SFMTA Bay Area Bicycle Share Project		Reception: 415.558.6378
DEC		Project Title:	Citywide in San Francisco, primarily within the public right-of-way		Fax: 415.558.6409 Planning Information:
	Zoning:	Not applicable, primarily in the public right of way			
		Block/Lot: Lot Size:	Not applicable, primarily in the public right of way		
	1	Lot Size: Lead Agency:	Not applicable, primarily in the public right of way San Francisco Planning Department	2015 - 0100	415.558.6377
0		Project Sponsor:	Heath Maddox, San Francisco Municipal Transportation	Agency	
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			415-575-9031	County Clerk	
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To:		County Clerk, City	and County of San Francisco	, 2015	
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		1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place Deputy County Clerk			
		San Francisco, CA	94102		
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Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Guidelines of the Secretary for Resources, and San Francisco requirements, this Notice of Exemption is transmitted to you for filing. At the end of the posting period, please return this Notice to the Staff Contact with a notation of the period it was posted.

Attached fee: \$60 filing fee

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) proposes to implement a city-wide bicycle sharing system in San Francisco as part of the regional Bay Area Bicycle Share (BABS) system described in detail below. The current regional bicycle share system in San Francisco is a pilot project managed by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD). The regional BABS system will transfer to the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) for program oversight at the end of 2015. As part of a BABS pilot project initiated on August 29, 2013, the system operator installed approximately 35 bicycle share stations with input from the SFMTA, comprising 350 bicycles within the public right-of-way, located generally in the northeast section of the City. The proposed project would maintain and upgrade the existing 35 pilot bicycle share stations, and expand the BABS system within San Francisco to comprise a total of approximately 450 stations and 4,500 bicycles across the City and County of San Francisco (San Francisco).

CASE NO. 2015-005492ENV

SFMTA Bay Area Bicycle Share Project

Citywide in San Francisco, primarily within the public right-of-way

DETERMINATION:

The City and County of San Francisco decided to carry out or approve the project on December 18, 2015. The San Francisco Board of Supervisors (BOS) approved a coordination agreement with the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC), other local partners in the East and South Bay, and the bicycle share operator to carry out the Bay Area Bicycle Share Program, which would be overseen in San Francisco by the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) on December 8, 2015. The agreement was provided to Mayor Lee for his signature and becomes effective upon signing or when ten days have passed. A copy of documents related to this action may be examined at the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, City Hall, 1 Carlton B. Goodlett Place Room 244, San Francisco, CA, 94102 in File Number 151144.

1. An Exemption from Environmental Review has been prepared pursuant to the provisions of CEQA under:

____Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268)

____Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))

____Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c))

X Categorical Exemption, Class 3, Section 15303

____Statutory Exemption, State code number: _____

Community Plan Exemption (Sec. 21083.3; 15183)

2. This project in its approved form has been determined to be exempt from environmental review because it would result in the installation of up to 450 bicycle sharing stations throughout San Francisco, primarily within the public right-of-way and on some parcels. The proposed individual stations are portable, modular, and would be solar and battery powered, and would thus not involve excavation or utility connections. The bicycle sharing station equipment is small in scale and massing relative to surrounding buildings or sites. Bicycle facilities and infrastructure are common sights within the urban environment. There would be no potential for significant environmental impacts at either a project or cumulative level. Therefore, the proposed project would be exempt from environmental review under Class 3.

John Rahaim Planning Director

By Sarah B. Jones Environmental Review Officer

December 22, 2015

cc: Heath Maddox, SFMTA Interested parties