Summary Meeting Notes
Lake Tahoe Sustainability Collaborative
Community Mobility Work Group
Meeting March 24. 2015 @ TRPA

Attending:  David Reichel, Rebecca Bryson, Karen Fink, Gianna Laveni, Steve Teshara; Chris Carney

Tahoe ATP Progress and Survey
Karen Fink reported on behalf of Morgan Beryl. Tahoe Region Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan now being called Active Transportation Plan (ATP). Good participation so far on survey (over 200) at http://tahoemplo.org/ATPsurvey
Please encourage people you know and in your networks to participate.

Two Tahoe ATP “Community Gatherings” coming up:
• Tuesday, April 14, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the South Tahoe Public Library, 1000 Rufus Allen Blvd.
• Thursday, April 16, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., at Kings Beach Elementary School, 8125 Steelhead Avenue.
Snacks and childcare will be provided at each of these events.

Spring Meeting of Lake Tahoe Bikeway Partnership
Karen asked for input on timing of meeting and agenda items. Suggestions to hold in mid-April and use as workshop/discussion/base data sharing for California ATP grant applications.

Status Report - Middle School Area Connectivity Plan (STMS)
Steve, Karen and Rebecca provided a summary overview of the Community Mobility Workshop held yesterday at LTCC (sponsored by the South Shore TMA). STMS has identified the “Al Tahoe Boulevard Project” as the alternative for further engineering & design (30%) and environmental analysis. Emerging from workshop - City staff participating agreed to consider recommending to Planning Commission and City Council that the City serve as lead agency for the project. The STMS Project Development Team (PDT) has a number of tasks to accomplish to ensure opportunity for consideration. California Tahoe Conservancy staff participating indicated CTC will likely serve as its own lead agency for next segment(s) of the South Shore Greenway. Tahoe Transportation District will be focusing on ATP application for the SR 89/Fanny Bridge project (balance of state matching funds).

Update on 2015 Tahoe Bike Challenge (10th Annual) • June 1 - June 14
Reported by Gianna:
• Bike Challenge: Form a team or ride as an individual TahoeBikeChallenge.org
• Kickoff Party, Saturday, May 30, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., Moe’s Original BBQ, Tahoe City
• Cycle Celebration, 12 Noon to 4:00 p.m., Saturday June 20 @ Heavenly Village. Activities to include Bike Parade, awards, raffle prizes.

Upcoming Topics for Tahoe Talks (@ Lake Tahoe Community College, Aspen Room)
• Wednesday, April 15. Dealing with Drought, Stewardship Practices at Sierra-at-Tahoe
  12 Noon to 1:30 p.m. Speaker: John Rice, VP/General Manager, Sierra-at-Tahoe
• Wednesday, May 20. The Bike’s Impact on Tahoe Economy
  12 Noon to 1:30 p.m. Panel Discussion: Curtis Fong, Bike the West; Carol Chaplin, LTVA; B Gorman, TahoeChamber; Gary Bell, Sierra Ski & Cycle Works.
Student Bicycle Education
The group engaged in a general discussion the importance of student bicycle education and the potential for “in class” curriculum.

Annual CM Meeting with Caltrans
Gavin is the lead for this meeting invitation/timing.

Next Meeting:  Tuesday, April 28, 12 Noon.

South Tahoe Earth Day
Scheduled for Saturday, April 25 @ Bijou Park (10 am to 3:00 p.m.)
Booths are available.