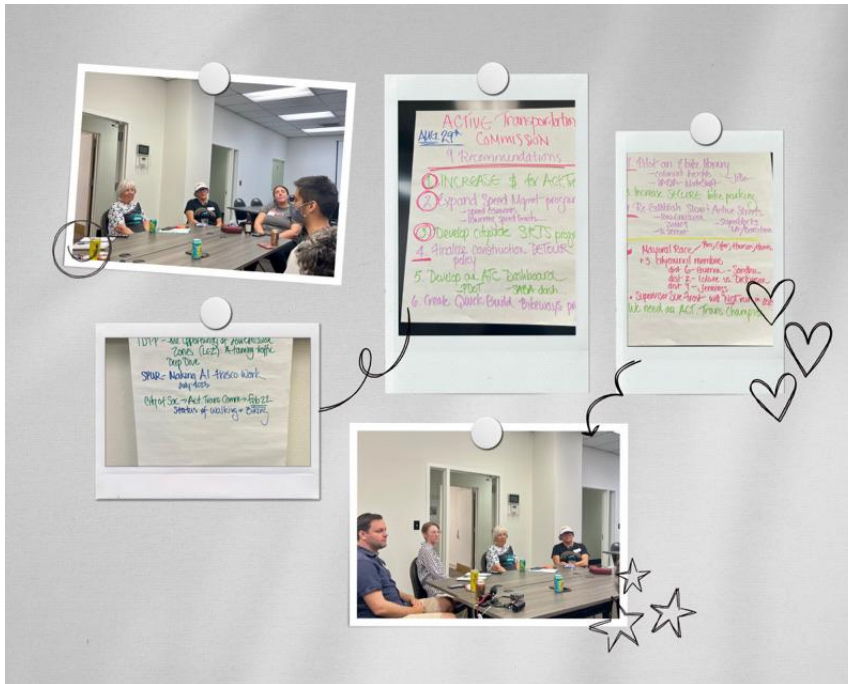


# GEAR'D UP!



## Highlights from Advocacy Night at SABA HQ

Last night, a small group met at SABA HQ to discuss ways to advocate for better bicycle infrastructure in our city. In attendance were three active transportation commissioners and members of Sacramento Strong Towns. Commissioner Ali

Doerr Westbrooke eloquently explained in detail the Active Transportation Commission's nine recommendations for the city council and the thoughts behind each one. Our Active Transportation Commission will present the recommendations to the City Council on **August 28th**. We strongly encourage everyone to attend this city council meeting to voice support for these nine recommendations, and if you want to learn more, see this post about the [ATC's 9 Recommendations](#).

Of the nine recommendations, three in particular are most important to the Board of SABA:

1. Increased funding for active transportation
2. Expansion of speed management programs focusing on lowering speed limits and installing speed cameras among other tools to calm traffic and create safe streets.
3. Develop a citywide Safe Routes to Schools Program.

More details on the times and methods for attending and/or participating in this city council meeting will be provided once more information is released by the City of Sacramento. We encourage everyone who wishes to support our ATC's efforts to prepare and practice a two-minute comment.

We also want to mention that in addition to attending advocacy and city council meetings, there are other ways to advocate for better bicycle infrastructure that may work better you. Simply volunteering your time and talents to our organization goes a long way to making a difference in our

region. Send an email to our volunteer coordinator, at [diana@sacbike.org](mailto:diana@sacbike.org) for any questions you may have about joining us.

## Upcoming SABA Events



### Bike Valet at Golden 1

Basketball season may be over, but bike valet services at Golden 1 Center aren't. Our Valets will be on hand for the **Marca MC** concert **this Saturday, July 29** along with all four **Cirque de Soleil** performances next week from **July 3-6**. With temperatures in the low 90s this weekend and next week, it's the perfect opportunity to roll over to DOCO on your bikes. Just remember to hydrate!

More info [here!](#)

### Concerts in the Park

Our valets will be at Concerts in the Park for the final event of the season.

We are located **J and 9th**

Services **open at 4:30 p.m. and close at 9:30 p.m.** We stop accepting bikes at **8:30 p.m.**



### Midtown Farmers Market

Every Saturday from **7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** our valets are available to shoppers who wish to ride their bikes to the market.

We are located at **20th and Capitol** in front of Jack's Urban Eats.

### Food Truck Mania

Our valets will be in Tahoe Park this **Friday, July 28** for Food Truck Mania.

Ride out with the comfort of knowing there will be secure bike parking to enjoy good food and live music!

Services **open at 4:30 p.m. and close at 8:30 p.m.** We stop accepting bikes at **7:30 p.m.**

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Become a [SABA supporter](#) and help support programs like Project Activation Meadowview, our social rides, our Upcycle program, bicycle classes, or our Ride, Ready, Repair work. Whether you commute by bike or ride for fun, your support will underwrite our efforts to make the Sacramento region a safer place for **everyone** to ride!

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