

TOWN OF LOS GATOS COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

DATE: April 27, 2023
TO: Mayor and Town Council
FROM: Gabrielle Whelan, Town Attorney
SUBJECT: Adopt an Ordinance Repealing and Replacing Town Code Chapter 5, "Bicycles," with a new Chapter 5, "Bicycles and Regulated Mobility Devices," to Remove Obsolete Requirements and Add Regulations for E-Bikes and Regulated Mobility Devices and Amending Section 23.30.010, "Exceptions from Article" to Address Required Approval of Bicycle Racks in the Public Right of Way

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the Ordinance Repealing and Replacing Town Code Chapter 5, "Bicycles," with a new Chapter 5, "Bicycles and Regulated Mobility Devices," to Remove Obsolete Requirements and Add Regulations for E-Bikes and Regulated Mobility Devices and Amending Section 23.30.010, "Exceptions from Article" to Address Required Approval of Bicycle Racks in the Public Right of Way.

BACKGROUND:

At its regular meeting of April 4, 2023, the Town Council held a public hearing to consider the introduction of an Ordinance Repealing and Replacing Town Code Chapter 5, "Bicycles," with a new Chapter 5, "Bicycles and Regulated Mobility Devices," to Remove Obsolete Requirements and Add Regulations for E-Bikes and Regulated Mobility Devices and Amending Section 23.30.010, "Exceptions from Article" to Address Required Approval of Bicycle Racks in the Public Right of Way. The Town Council voted 5-0 to approve the Introduction of this ordinance. The ordinance will become effective 30 days after the adoption.

PREPARED BY: Bridgette Falconio Administrative Technician

Reviewed by: Town Manager and Town Attorney

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CONCLUSION:

Staff recommends Town Council adopt the Ordinance Repealing and Replacing Town Code Chapter 5, "Bicycles," with a new Chapter 5, "Bicycles and Regulated Mobility Devices," to Remove Obsolete Requirements and Add Regulations for E-Bikes and Regulated Mobility Devices and Amending Section 23.30.010, "Exceptions from Article" to Address Required Approval of Bicycle Racks in the Public Right of Way.

COORDINATION:

This report was coordinated by the Town Attorney's Office and the Town Manager's Office.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The Ordinance will not have a fiscal impact.

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

The Ordinance is not a project defined under the California Environmental Quality Act, and no further action is required.

Attachments:

1. Bicycle Ordinance