

# REGIONAL TRANSIT ISSUE PAPER

Agenda Item No.	Board Meeting Date	Open/Closed Session	Information/Action Item	Issue Date
11	06/11/18	Open	Action	05/30/18

Subject: Whether or not to Amend Title XV of the SacRT Administrative Code, "Prohibition of Specified Acts Committed In or On RT Vehicles or Facilities".

## ISSUE

Whether to amend Title XV, Prohibition of Specified Acts Committed in or on SacRT Vehicles or Facilities, of the SacRT Administrative Code.

## RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

Adopt Ordinance 18-06-01, Amending Title XV of SacRT's Administrative Code, "Prohibition of Specified Acts Committed In or On RT Vehicles or Facilities" to Modify Regulations Pertaining to Bicycles.

## FISCAL IMPACT

None

## DISCUSSION

At the May 14, 2018 Board meeting, the Board waived the first reading of an ordinance to Amend Title XV of SacRT's Administrative Code, "Prohibition of Specified Acts Committed In or On RT Vehicles or Facilities" to prohibit placing or carrying bicycles weighing more than 55 pounds on buses or rail cars, and to allow entering a Paid Fare Zone for the purpose of renting or returning a bicycle to a bike share station without valid fare or intent to purchase fare. Staff recommends that the Board adopt the ordinance as proposed at the May 14, 2018 Board meeting.

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Approved:

Presented:

Final 06/05/18

General Manager/CEO

Director, Civil and Track Design

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ORDINANCE 18-06-01

Adopted by the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Regional Transit District on this date:

June 11, 2018

**AMENDING TITLE XV “PROHIBITION OF SPECIFIED ACTS COMMITTED IN OR ON RT VEHICLES OR FACILITIES” OF THE SACRT ADMINISTRATIVE CODE**

**WHEREAS**, by Ordinances 15-06-02 and 15-12-01, the Board of Directors prohibited certain conduct in or on RT vehicles; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution 16-03-0032, the Board adopted Title XV of the RT Administrative Code to codify the foregoing ordinance; and

**WHEREAS**, by Ordinance 17-05-01, the Board modified Title XV; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Directors desires to further modify sections of Title XV to address operational concerns arising out of bike sharing programs.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Regional Transit District do ordain as follows:

**Section 1:**

New paragraphs 8 and 9 are hereby added to Section 15.8.H of Title XV pertaining to the conditions for carrying a bicycle on a Bus or Rail Car (as defined in Title XV), reading in their entirety as follows:

“8. Place a Bicycle weighing more than 55 pounds on an exterior Bicycle carrier on a Bus.

9. Carry a Bicycle weighing more than 55 pounds onto a Rail Car.”

**Section 2:**

New paragraph 7 is hereby added to Section 15.8.J reading in its entirety as follows:

“7. Entering a Paid Fare Zone or the area of a Light Rail Station outside a Paid Fare Zone solely for the purpose of renting or returning a Bicycle to a bike share station operating under a license with RT and proceeding without delay from the Paid Fare Zone or Light Rail Station upon completion of that transaction.”

**Section 3: Authority**

This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to *Public Utilities Code* Sections 99170, 102107 and 102122.

**Section 4: Severability**

This Ordinance shall be liberally construed to effectuate its purposes. The provisions of this Ordinance are severable. If any of the provisions, clauses, sentences, sections, subsections, words or portions thereof is held illegal, invalid, unconstitutional, or inapplicable to any person or circumstance, such portion shall be deemed, to the maximum extent possible, a separate, distinct, and independent provision, so that such illegality, invalidity, unconstitutionality, or inapplicability shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, clauses, sentences, sections, subsections, words or portions of this Ordinance or their application to other persons or circumstances. If any section, subsection, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

**Section 5: Effective Date**

This Ordinance will become effective 30 days after the date of its passage.

**Section 6: Ordinance Publication**

Within 15 calendar days after adoption, the Secretary is hereby directed to publish this Ordinance in full in a newspaper of general circulation published within RT's activated boundaries.

Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Sacramento Regional Transit District on this 11th day of June, 2018 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

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PATRICK KENNEDY, Chair

A T T E S T:

HENRY LI, Secretary

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cindy Brooks, Assistant Secretary