

Bike Board First Pilot Program

Bicycle Advisory Committee May 17, 2018



Agenda

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Pilot Description

- To improve On Time Performance, Caltrain identified the top reason for delay.
- Top Type of Delay: On-Board/Passengers (Bikes, Luggage, PNAs) at 66%
- Top 3 Stations:
 - Mountain View
 - o Palo Alto
 - Redwood City



Methodology

Data collected at bike cars (before and after pilot):

- Passengers boarding and alighting
- Bicyclists boarding and alighting
- Boarding time



Communication – At Stations

At Stations

- Conductor announcements upon station approach
- Static signs / A-frames
- Additional JPB staff / direct communication
- VMS (visual messaging systems)
- Audio station announcements



Communication - Community

- Press Release
- Social Media
 - Twitter: 49,824 impressions; 965 engagements
 - FB: 10,554 reach, 331 engagements, 1384 clicks
 - Instagram: 1645 story views
- Coverage including MSN, CBS, SF Chronicle, Mt. View Voice, SM Daily Journal



Findings: Mt. View

	Average				
Train#	20-Apr	4-May	2-Week Average	Baseline	
305	00:32.7	00:44.0	00:39.8	N/A	
207	00:30.9	00:31.5	00:31.9	N/A	
211	00:36.2	00:26.8	00:30.3	00:26.2	
<mark>313</mark>	00:55.9	00:53.4	00:55.4	01:25.6	
215	00:42.1	00:31.1	00:34.5	00:30.5	
217	00:38.6	00:41.4	00:42.4	00:38.8	
221	00:54.5	00:48.4	00:53.3	01:07.7	
323	01:00.3	01:08.6	01:07.1	02:16.4	
225	00:40.2	00:41.5	00:40.8	00:41.3	
227	01:04.9	01:12.1	01:10.0	01:17.2	
231	00:48.3	00:46.4	00:49.1	00:48.6	
Total			07:22.9	09:12.3	



Findings: Palo Alto

	Average				
Train#	27-Apr *	4-May	2-Week Average	Baseline	
305	00:43.0	00:44.0	00:43.0	N/A	
309	00:46.0	00:45.0	00:45.0	00:27.1	
207	00:36.0	00:34.0	00:35.0	00:25.8	
313	01:01.0	01:01.0	01:01.0	00:42.6	
215	01:03.0	00:53.0	00:56.0	01:00.2	
319	00:58.0	01:12.0	01:07.0	00:48.4	
217	01:02.0	00:51.0	00:55.0	00:29.1	
323	01:17.0	01:20.0	01:19.0	00:51.9	
225	00:54.0	00:56.0	00:55.0	00:27.0	
329	01:16.0	01:15.0	01:15.0	01:24.0	
227	01:10.0	01:29.0	01:21.0	00:56.3	
Total			10:09.0	07:32.4	

*Data collected on 3 days



Findings: Redwood City

Train#	Average				
	20-Apr	4-May	2-Week Average	Baseline	
309	00:33.8	00:37.1	00:35.5	00:46.5	
207	00:41.9	00:43.7	00:42.8	00:38.0	
211	00:27.8	00:29.8	00:28.8	00:39.5	
319	00:47.3	00:55.1	00:51.2	00:33.5	
217	00:41.6	00:46.9	00:44.3	00:35.5	
221	00:50.0	00:51.2	00:50.6	01:06.0	
329	01:06.9	00:58.7	01:02.8	01:08.0	
227	00:53.7	01:01.6	00:57.7	00:57.5	
231	00:37.0	00:40.9	00:38.9	00:20.0	
Total			06:52.5	06:44.5	



Findings

Station	Trains	Baseline	Pilot Ave.	Change
Mt. View	11	09:12.3	07:22.9	-01:49
Palo Alto	11	07:32.4	10:09.0	02:37
RWC	9	06:44.5	06:52.5	80:00

Pilot data from April 20 to May 4, 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.



Next Steps

- Complete current pilot through 5/18
- Recommend continuing pilot at the following stations:
 - Sunnyvale (NB)
 - Hillsdale (NB)
 - 22nd Street (SB)