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Lindell Price to: Ron Briggs

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From: Lindell Price <lindellprice@gmail.com>

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Dear Supervisor Briggs,

Please help bring a workshop on funding for walking and bicycling infrastructure and programs to El Dorado County.

These workshops, offered at no charge through a partnership of the League of American Bicyclists and the Alliance for Walking and Biking, are designed to ensure advocates, agency staff, and elected officials have the knowledge, skills and resources to access untapped or under-utilized federal funding sources at the state, regional and local level to build bicycling and walking infrastructure and programs.

We now have the two required applicants for an Advocacy Advance Action2020 Workshop:

1. Advocacy organization and primary applicant:
WALKSacramento, which is helping to foster local advocacy development in El Dorado County as an outreach component of its "Safe Routes for All" effort that began with a focus on safe pedestrian and bicycle routes to public transit and to schools.
2. Agency applicant:
EDCTC (El Dorado County Transportation Commission)

Please support our application, applaud EDCTC staff's initiative, encourage the participation of El Dorado County departments and local organizations, and wish us success on this application.

The workshops are usually on Friday. At present, we are aiming for a workshop date in October or early November (with the exception of October 21 when WALKSacramento has a Safe Routes to School Conference). The El Dorado Center of Folsom Lake College is the probable site.

For your reference, the application website:

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<http://www.advocacyadvance.org/trainings>

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