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#### UNINCORPORATED ALAMEDA COUNTY BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE Meeting Agenda

Thursday March 24, 2022, 6:00 p.m.

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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call

#### 3. Public Comments

Any member of the public may address the committee including to provide suggestions for consideration on future agenda items.

#### 4. Consent Items

a. Approve Action Minutes for BPAC Meeting on September 23, 2021

#### 5. Presentations

- a. Michael Williams, Hayward Area Recreation Center San Lorenzo Creek Trail Project
- b. Rick Yeung, ACPWA Crow Canyon Road Resurfacing & Safety Improvement Project Update
- c. Transportation Funding Update

#### 6. Future Agenda Topics

#### 7. Adjournment

Next Meeting – Thursday, June 23, 2022

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#### UNINCORPORATED ALAMEDA COUNTY BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE Action Minutes

Thursday, September 23, 2021

#### 1. Call to Order

#### 2. Roll Call

Present: Sharon Bohoman, Chonita Chew, Bruce Dughi, Daniel Leary, Rebecca Stanek, Cindy Torres, Niki Wente, Kathryn Vo, Michael C. Williams

Absent: Parvin Ahmadi, Rachel Factor, Carmen Lopez, Aaron Salas, Matt Wayne

Public Works Staff Present: Daniel Woldesenbet (Director), Rick Yeung (Traffic Engineer), Amber Lo (Supervising Civil Engineer), Halimah Anderson (Public Information Specialist)

Comment was received from Committee Members Rebecca Stanek, Kathryn Vo, and Bruce Dughi.

Public comment was received from Roy Taylor of Castro Valley.

#### 3. Consent Items

a. Approve Action Minutes for BPAC Meeting on March 25, 2021. ACTION: It was Motion/Second (Daniel Leary/Chonita Chew) to approve the Action Minutes from March with a correction to the attendee list and addition of public comment. VOTE: (5 For/ 3 Against / 2 Abstain / 4 Absent)

ACTION: It was Motion/Second (Bruce Dughi/Cindy Torres) made a motion to approve the meeting minutes with the addition of more detail on the discussion items. (3 For/ 6 Against / 1 Abstain / 4 Absent)

#### 4. Presentations a. Transportation Funding Update

Comment was received from Committee Members Cindy Torres and Rebecca Stanek.

Public Comment was received from Dave Campbell, Tyler, CHP Officer Dan Jacowitz, and Roy Taylor.

#### b. Meekland Avenue Sidewalk Project Update

Comment was received from Committee Members Daniel Leary, Kathryn Vo, Bruce Dughi, Rebecca Stanek, Sharon Bohoman, Cindy Torres, and Michael Williams.

Public Comment was received from Dave Campbell, Roy Taylor, and Tyler.

#### 5. Future Agenda Topics

This item is postponed until the December meeting.

#### 6. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Next Meeting – Thursday, December 23, 2021

### **BUILDING EQUITABLE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION IN ALAMEDA COUNTY**

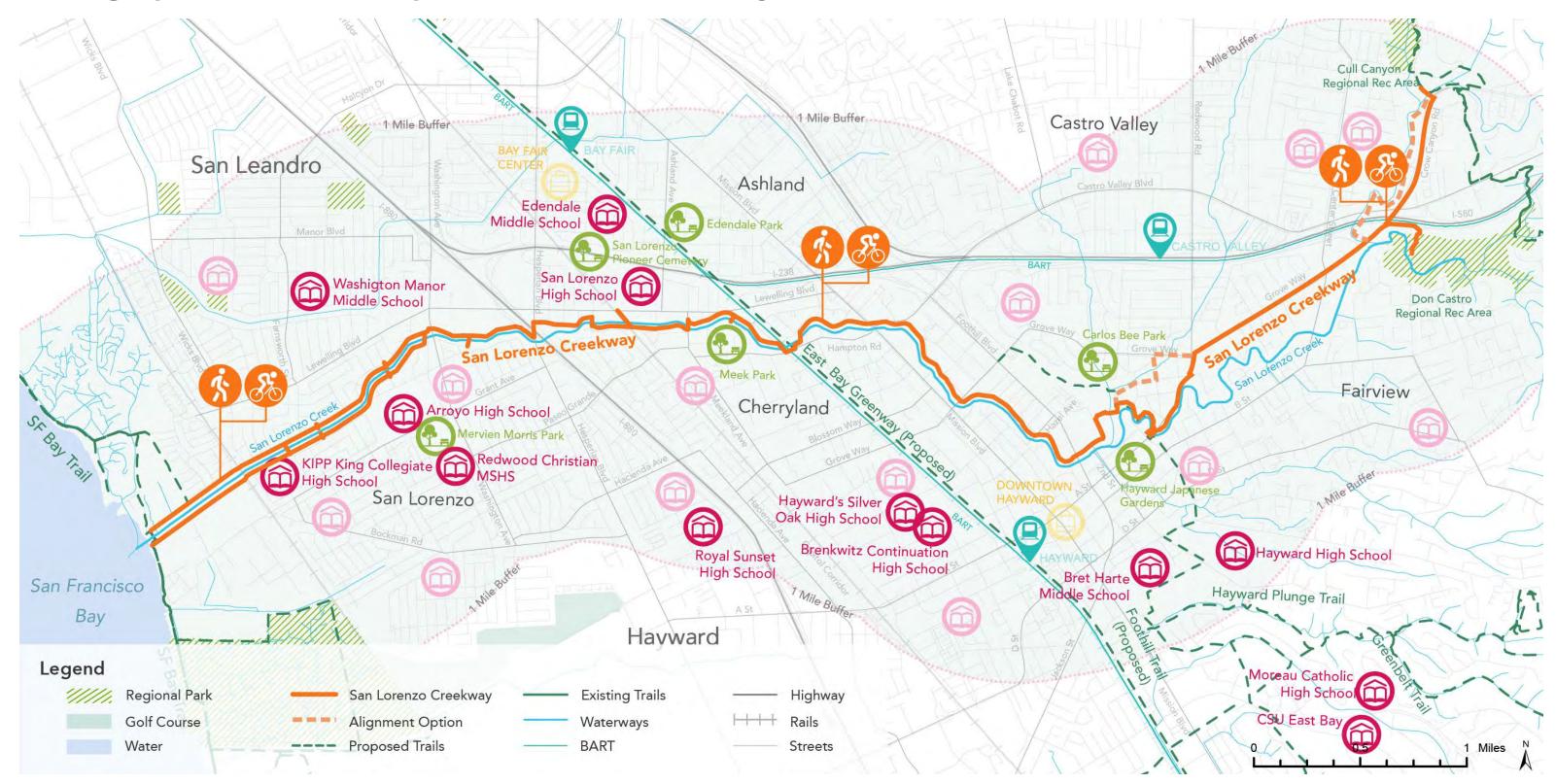






## SAN LORENZO CREEKWAY

**Building Equitable Active Transportation in Alameda County** 

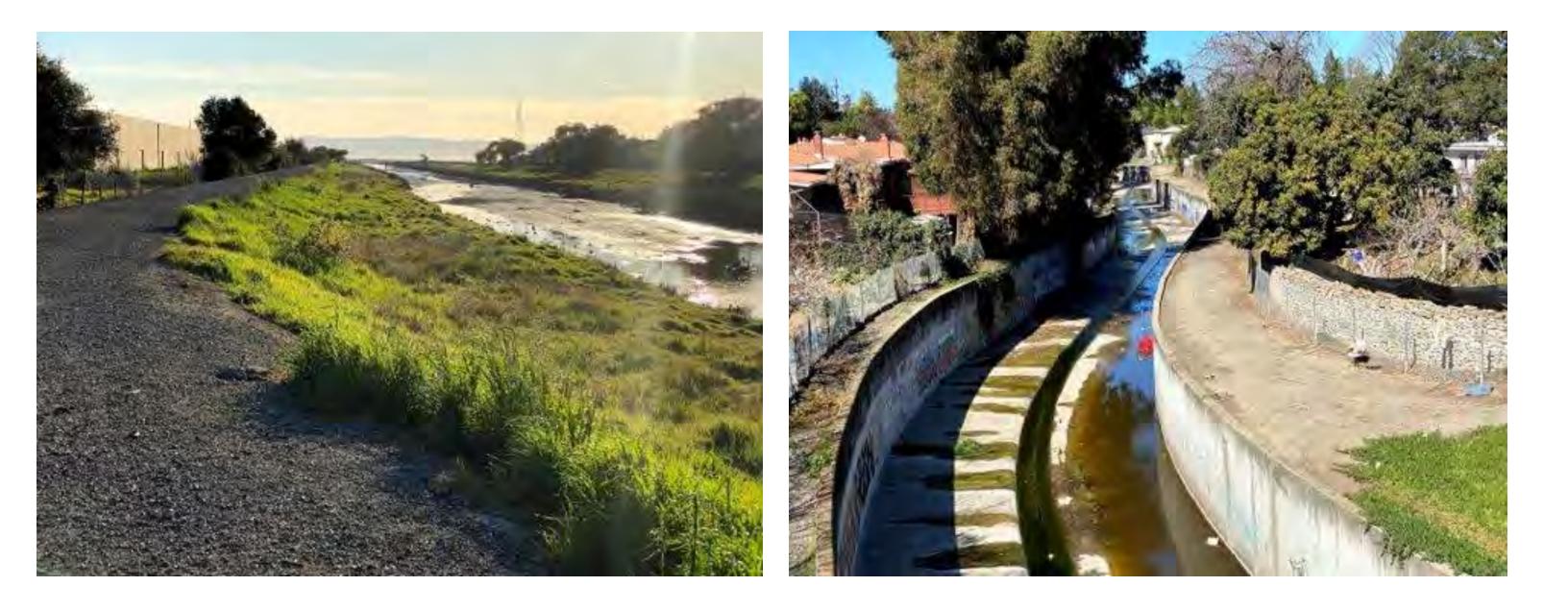








## **EXISTING CONDITIONS**









## **PROJECT & COMMUNITY TEAMS**

### San Lorenzo Creekway Community

#### HAYWARD AREA RECREATION DISTRICT – CAPITAL **PLANNING**

- Meghan Tiernan
- Michael Williams

#### **ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS AGENCY, &** ALAMEDA COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL AND WATER **CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

- Daniel Woldesenbet
- Hank Ackerman

#### WRT – Planning and Landscape Architecture

HTA – Grant Funding Strategy and Development

#### & THE LIST CONTINUES TO GROW!

#### STAKEHOLDERS COMMITTEE

- Alison Abbors | Alameda County Planning
- Mo Sharma | City of Hayward
- Jim Wheeler | HARD Recreation
- Kathie Ready | San Lorenzo Village HOA
- Carmen Lopez | San Lorenzo Unified School District
- Cindy Torres | Cherryland Community Association
- Matt Turner | Trails Advocacy At-Large
- Tonya Covarrubias | East Bay Regional Park District
- Susie Hufstader | Bike East Bay
- Bruce King | Friends of San Lorenzo Creek
- Chris Costanzo | HARD Parks
- Deborah Cox | Assembly Member Bill Quirk, District 20
- Mark Oakman | HARD Ranger Supervisor
- Diana Maravilla | San Lorenzo Unified School District
- Joaquin Newman | REACH Ashland Youth Center
- Breann Gala | RCD Housing
- Gale Bleth | Hayward Police Department
- Rachel Paras | Alameda County Public Health
- Ernesto Sarmiento | Downtown Streets Team

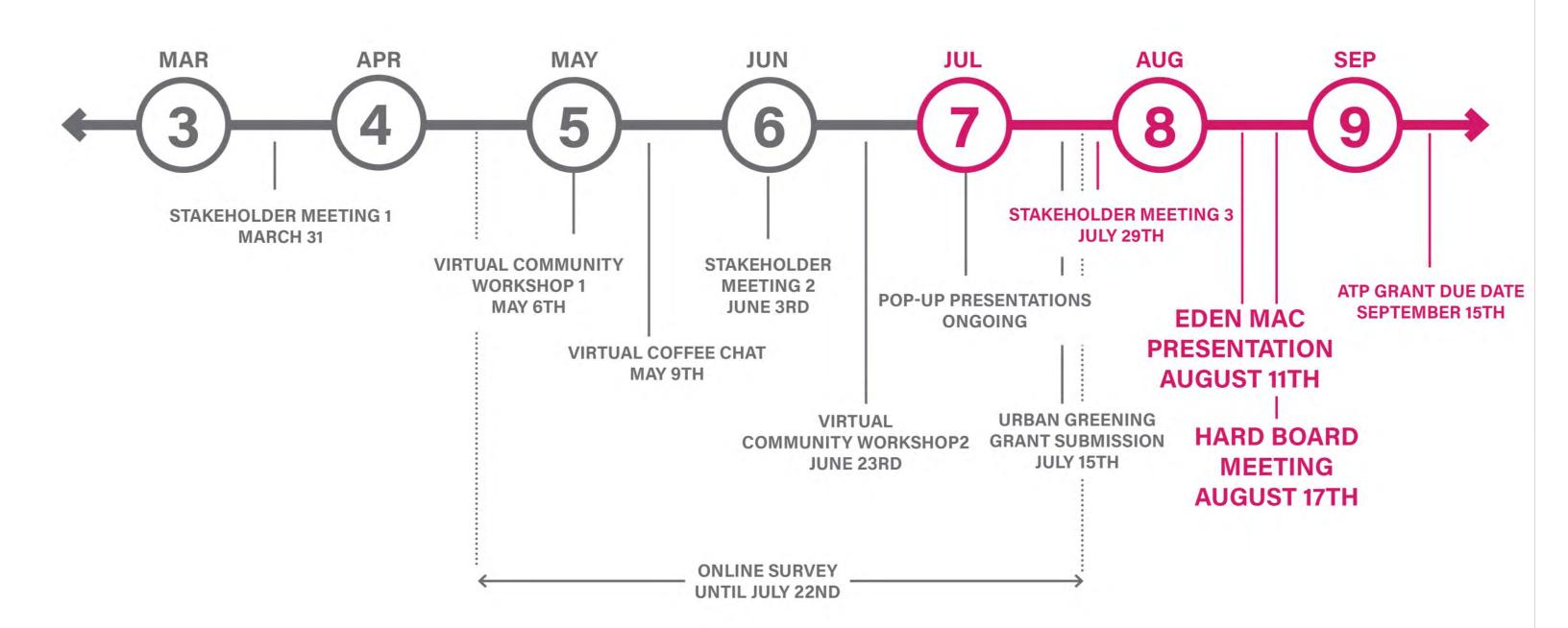






## **CREEKWAY PLANNING TODAY**

Master Plan, Urban Greening, and ATP Grant Schedule



Active Transportation Program (ATP) cycle 5: Grant funding from the State of California that focuses on encouraging the increased use of active modes of transportation. \$100,000,000 is distributed throughout the state.

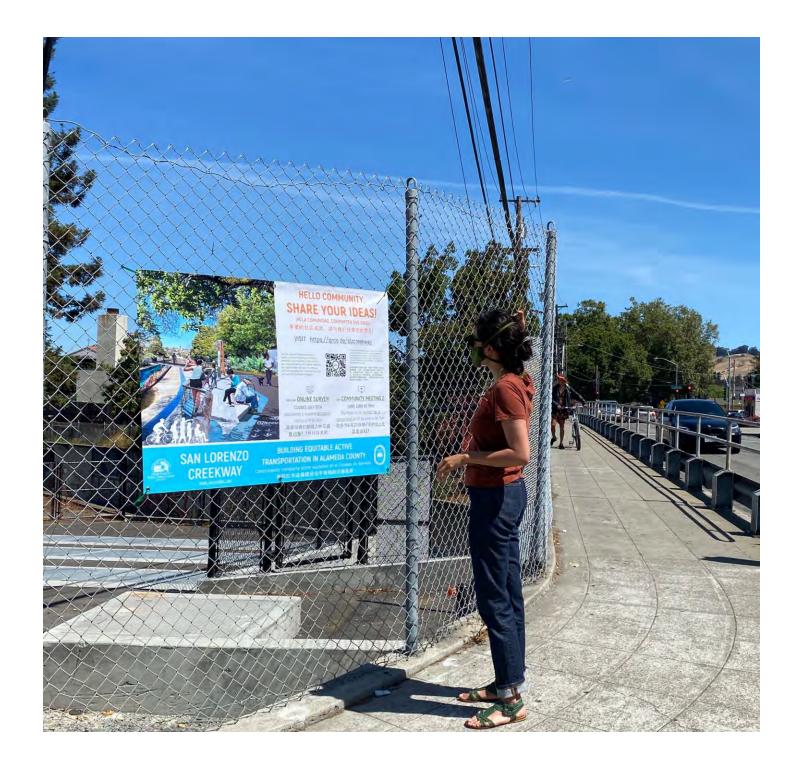






## **CONTINUED OUTREACH**

**Community Banners and Project Website** 





## SAN LORENZO CREEKWAY MASTER PLAN

**Project Website:** www.haywardrec.org/1924/San-Lorenzo-**Creekway** 



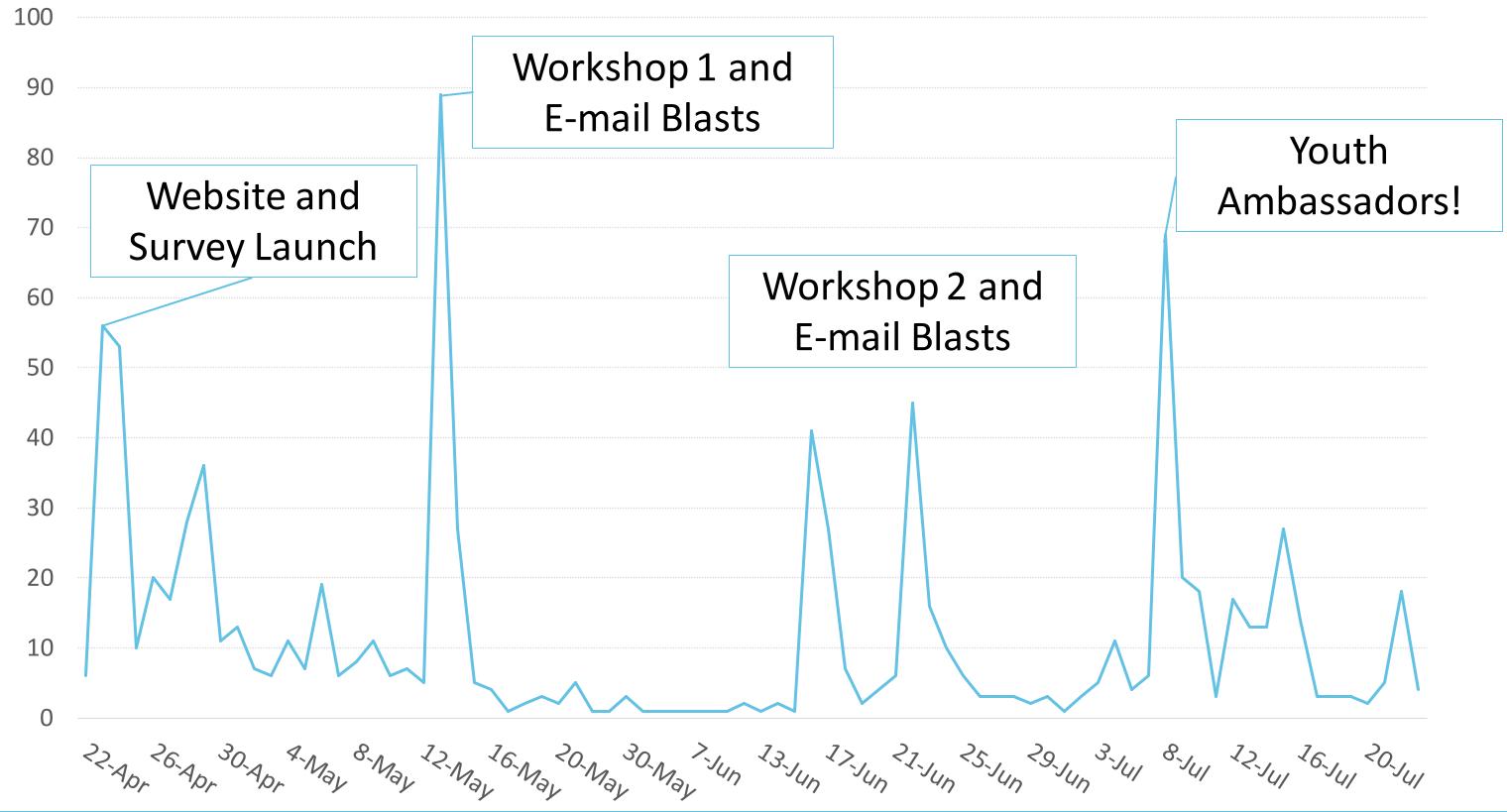






## **SURVEY RESULTS TIMESERIES**

When and why did people take the survey?



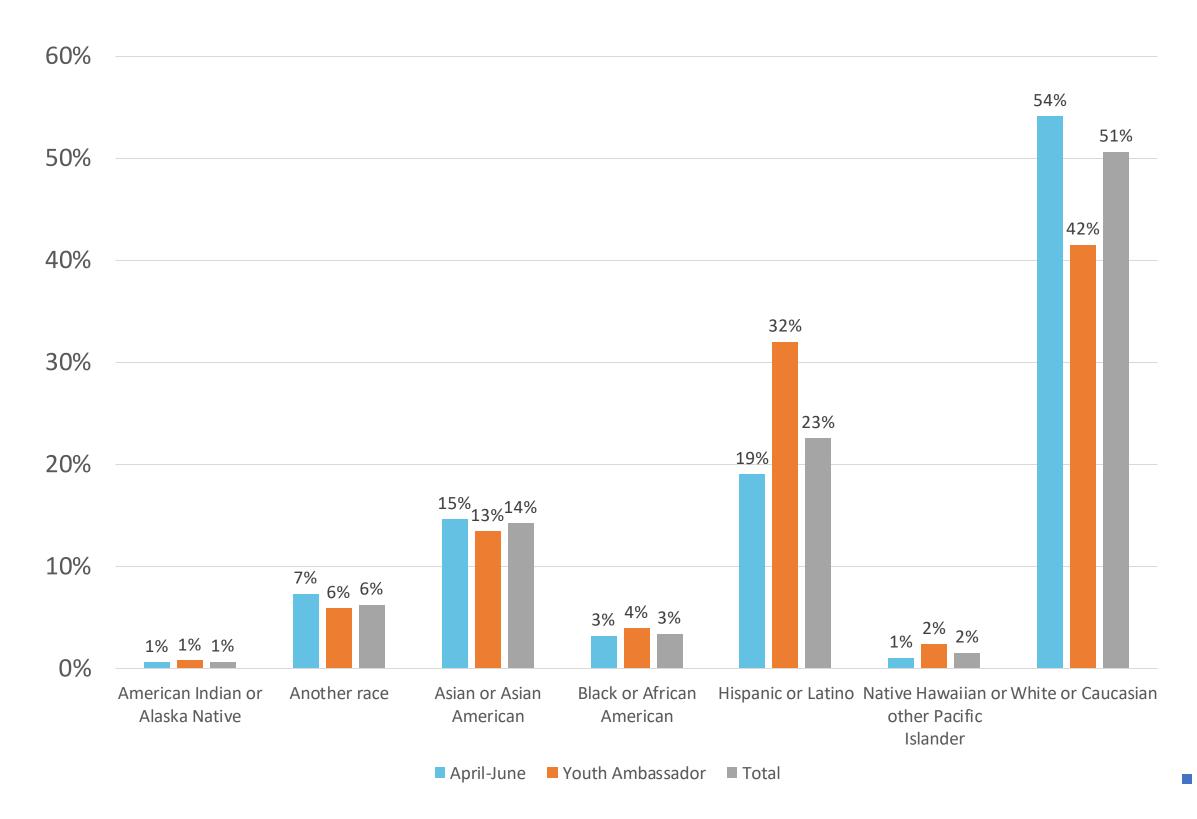


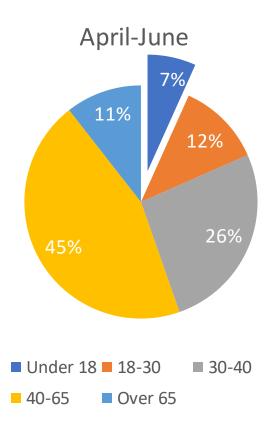




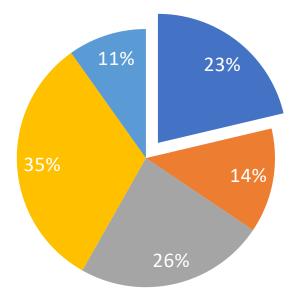
## FINAL SURVEY DEMOGRAPHICS

### How did our demographics change over time?





#### Youth Ambassadors



■ Under 18 ■ 18-30 ■ 30-40 ■ 40-65 ■ Over 65

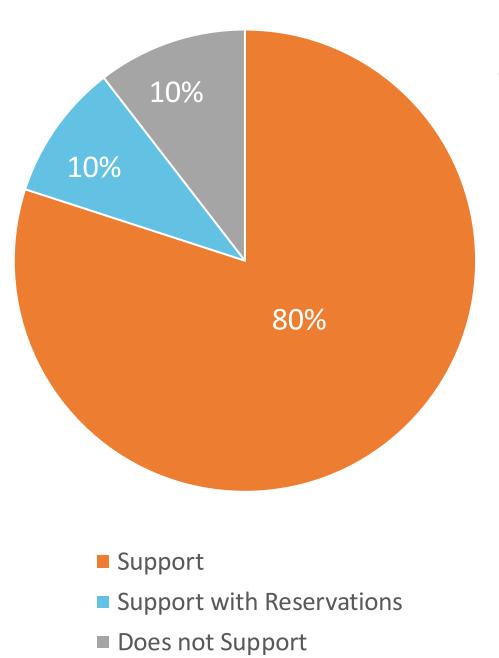






## **PRELIMINARY SURVEY RESULTS**

### **HOW MUCH DO PEOPLE SUPPORT THE CREEKWAY?**



"I think this would be so important for the long-term livability of this area. We need to get people out of cars and this type of car free path would be greatly beneficial. I hope it becomes a reality. "

"I am really excited about this idea. I would be interested in attending public meetings about this and eventually in becoming a volunteer to help care for the creekway."

> "My only concern is, as a resident that lives along this creek line, how are you going to keep folks from jumping the fence into peoples houses, or from tossing garbage over the fences ?"

"As homeowners, we need answers to these and more questions when it comes to **public safety**. Please don't invite more problems into our backyards!"

### "Please do this!"





## **PUBLIC COMMENTS & UPDATES TO THE PLAN**

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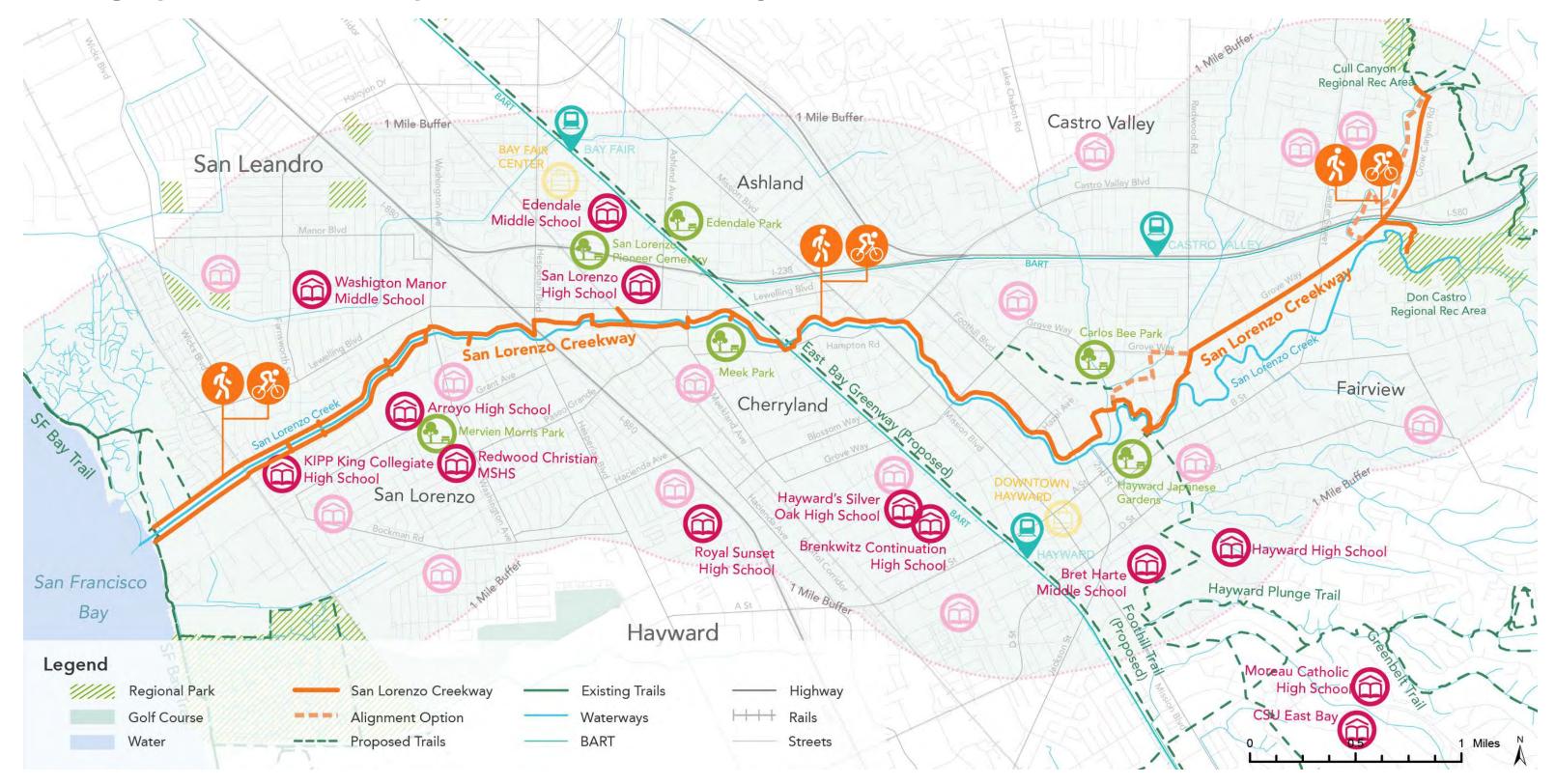






## **SAN LORENZO CREEKWAY VISION & GOALS**

**Building Equitable Active Transportation in Alameda County** 









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**Building Equitable Active Transportation in Alameda County** 



**Benefit Communities** in Need

The Creekway should ensure that disadvantaged communities fully share in the benefits of the program.



**Increase Walking** and **Biking** 

The Creekway should increase the proportion of trips accomplished by walking and biking in the area, especially among students.



#### **Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions**

The Creekway should advance the active transportation efforts to achieve greenhouse gas reduction goals as established pursuant to SB375 and SB 391.



#### Increase **Public Health**

The Creekway should enhance public The Creekway should be driven by a two-way public participation process health, through programs including, but not limited to, projects eligible for involving inclusive interaction and Safe Routes to School Program listening. funding



**Maintain Access to Flood Control Structures** 

ACFCD requires that access to the flood control channel is maintained.



**Foster Community** Identity

The Creekway to help to establish and foster a cohesive community identity for this area.



**Maintain and Improve Public Safety** 

The Creekway will seek to increase public safety in this area by using a mixture of programs and design.



**Improve Pedestrian** and Bicycle Safety

The Creekway should reduce the number, rate, or risk of pedestrian and bicyclist fatalities and injuries.



### **Prioritize Public Participation**



### **Provide Access to Green Space and Promote Environmental Stewardship**

The Creekway should provide access to existing and proposed open and green space and promote environmental stewardship and sustainable behavior.

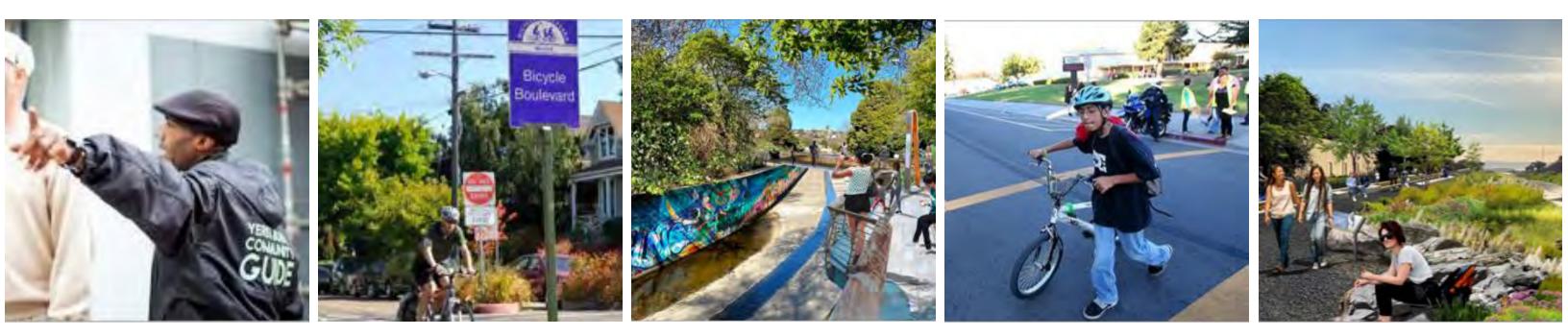






## WHAT DID WE HEAR FROM THE COMMUNITY?

### **Key Themes**



### **PUBLIC SAFETY**

- Major neighbor • concern related to public safety along the trail
- Potential for community partners and ambassador programs to make it safe

### **BIKE SAFETY**

- Need for more Low-**Stress Bike Facilities**
- Concerns about speeding bikes
- Need for welldesigned safe crossings

### **PUBLIC ART**

- Involve local artists and community groups
- Mural programs
- Interpretation opportunities
- Major plaza opportunities

### **CONNECTIONS**

- East-West Access to Bay Trail and regional parks, jobs, public transit, shops
- Safe Routes to School & Bike Share Program
- North-South Access between communities



### **ECOLOGY**

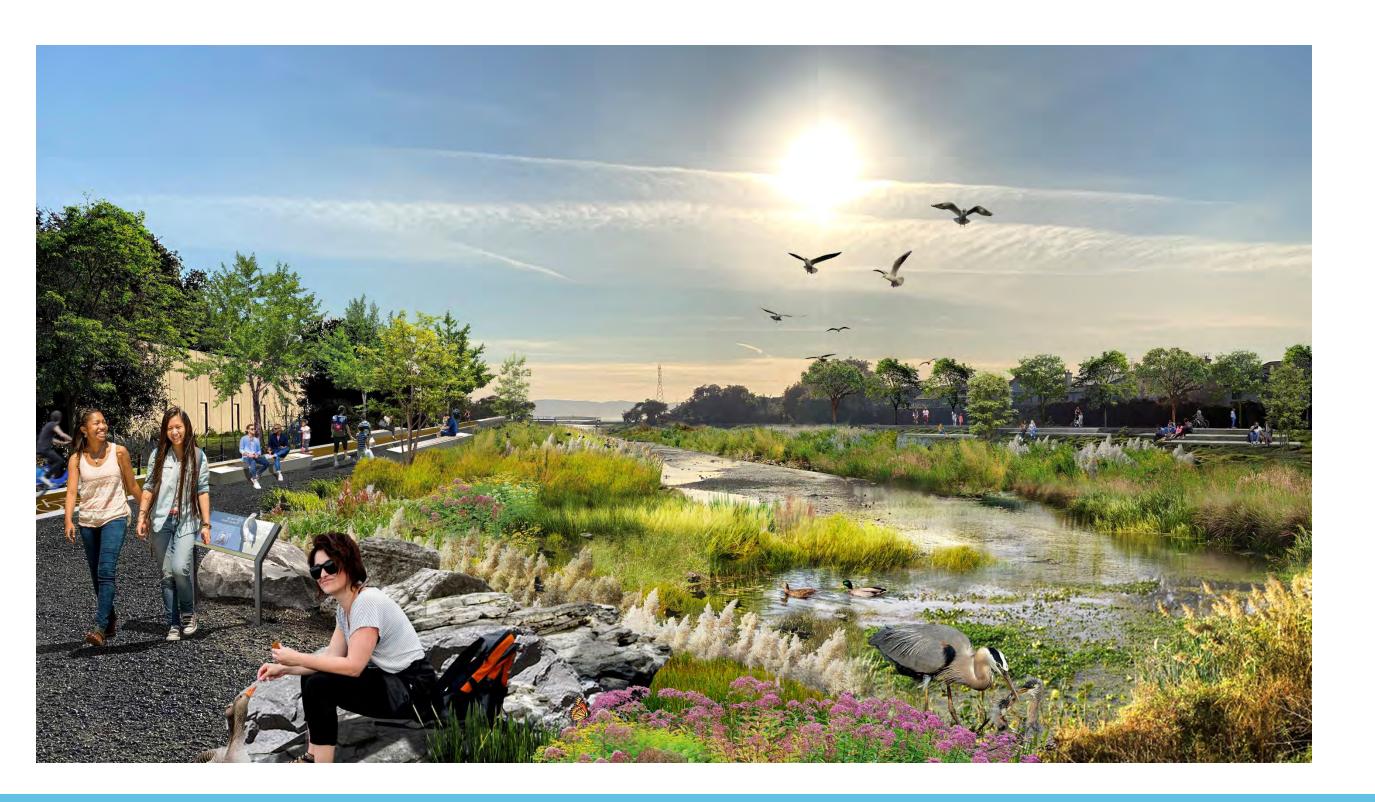
- Incorporate Indigenous people and youth
- Creek setbacks in natural areas
- Pollinators-Bee Friendly, Bee Inspired





### VISION

### **Artist Renderings**









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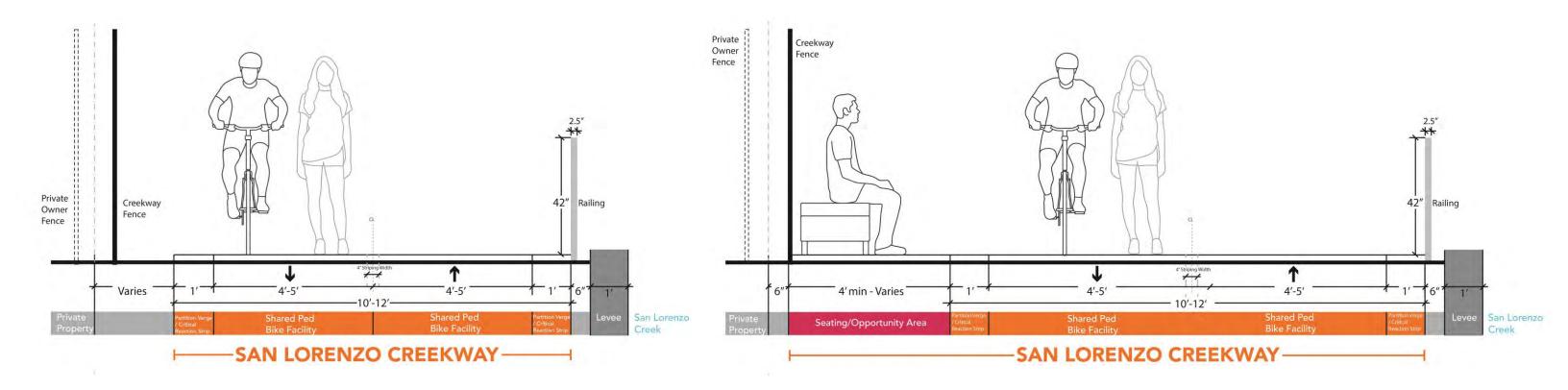






### **DETAILED CREEKWAY SECTIONS**

### **SHARED USE – PREFERRED OPTION**



TYPICAL 12' CREEKWAY ROW

TYPICAL 16' CREEKWAY ROW

Source: Groot, Rik de. Design Manual for Bicycle Traffic. CROW, 2016.

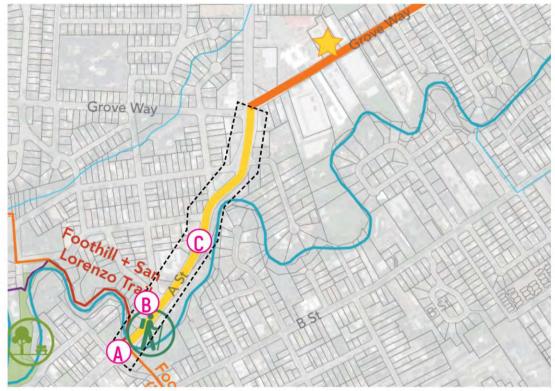






## **CREEK SETBACKS & TREE PLANTING OPPORTUNITIES**

### San Lorenzo Creekway at A Street



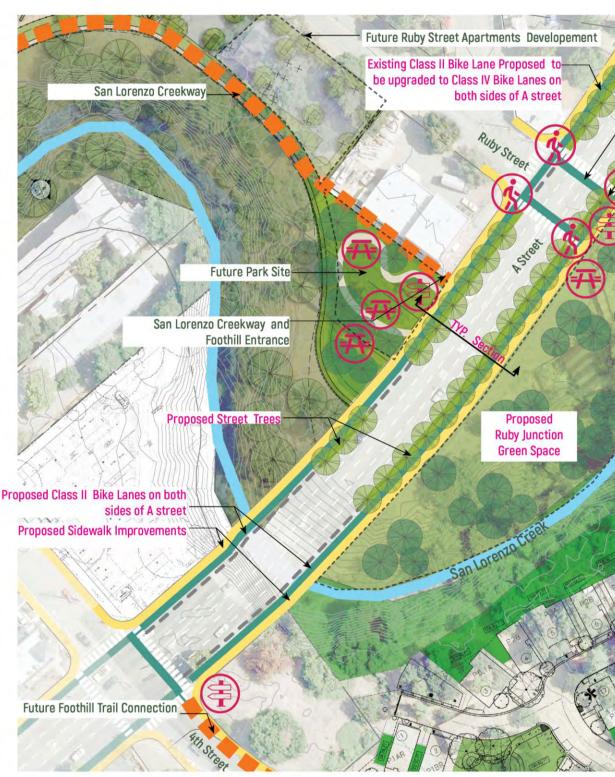
#### A Street Segment:

A. 4th and A St Intersection

- B. Proposed Ruby Junction Amenity Space and upgrades to Ruby Street intersection
- C. Proposed Buffered Bike Lane on both sides of A Street

#### LEGEND





Proposed Enhanced Intersection at A St and Ruby Street

Proposed Bike and pedestrain HAWK Beacon at crossing

Future Development

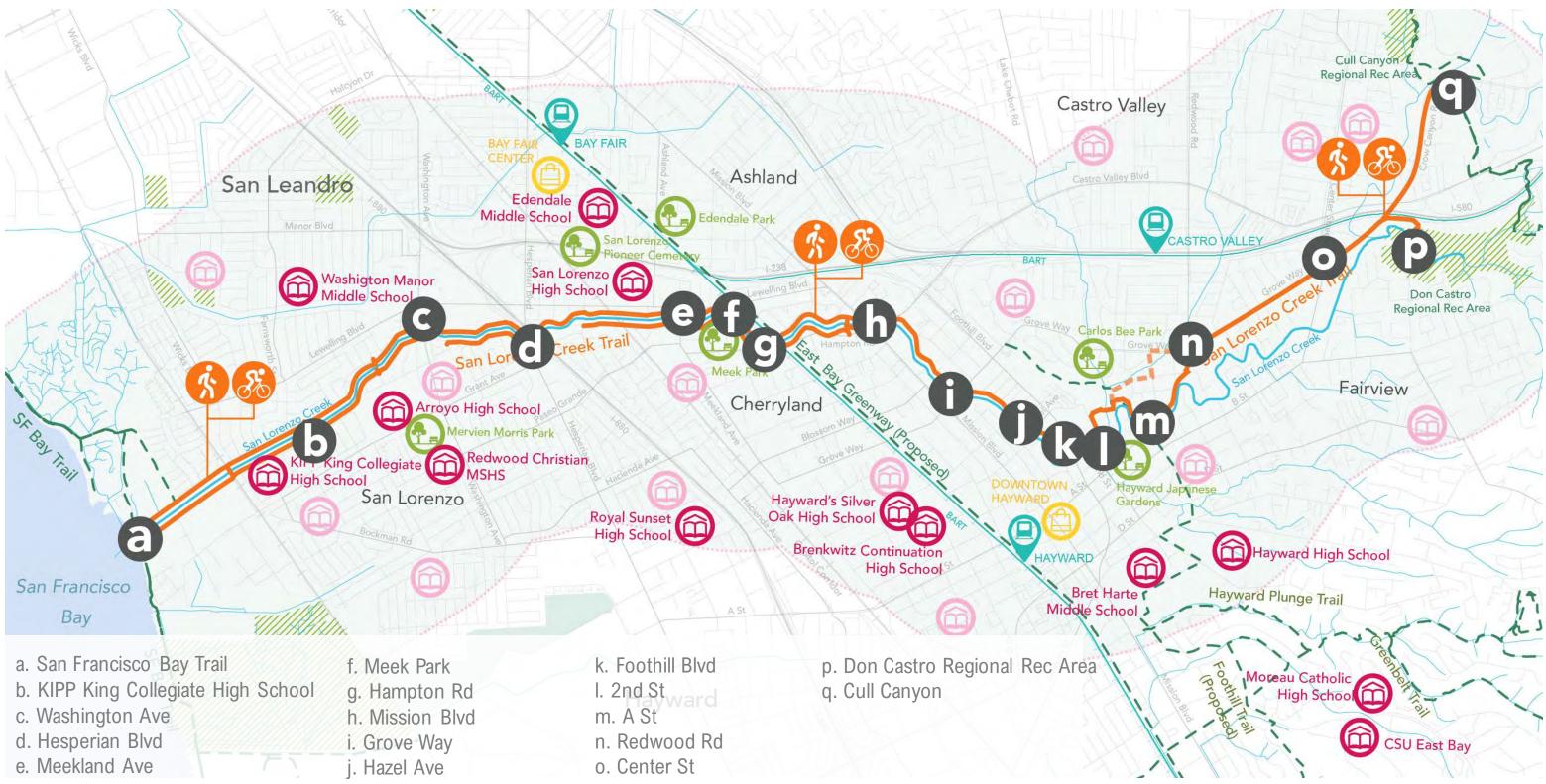






## **CREEKWAY CONNECTIONS**

#### **Entrances & Destinations**



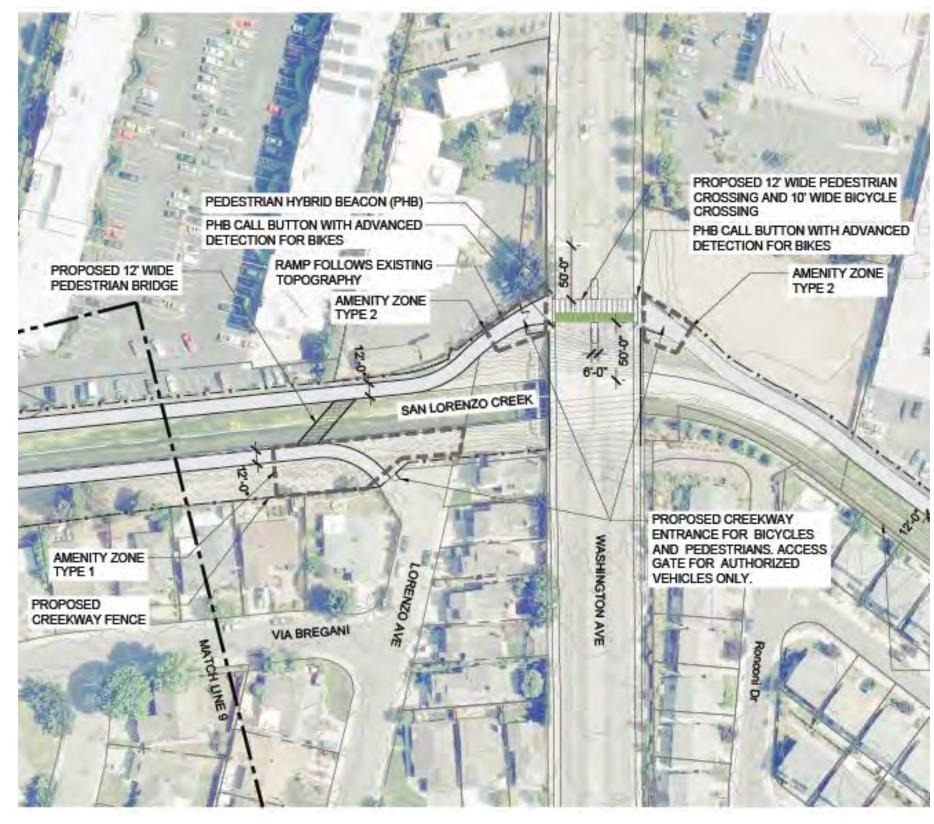






## WASHINGTON AVENUE CROSSING

### **Proposed - Midblock Bike HAWK Beacon**





BIKE HAWK treatment in Tucson AZ

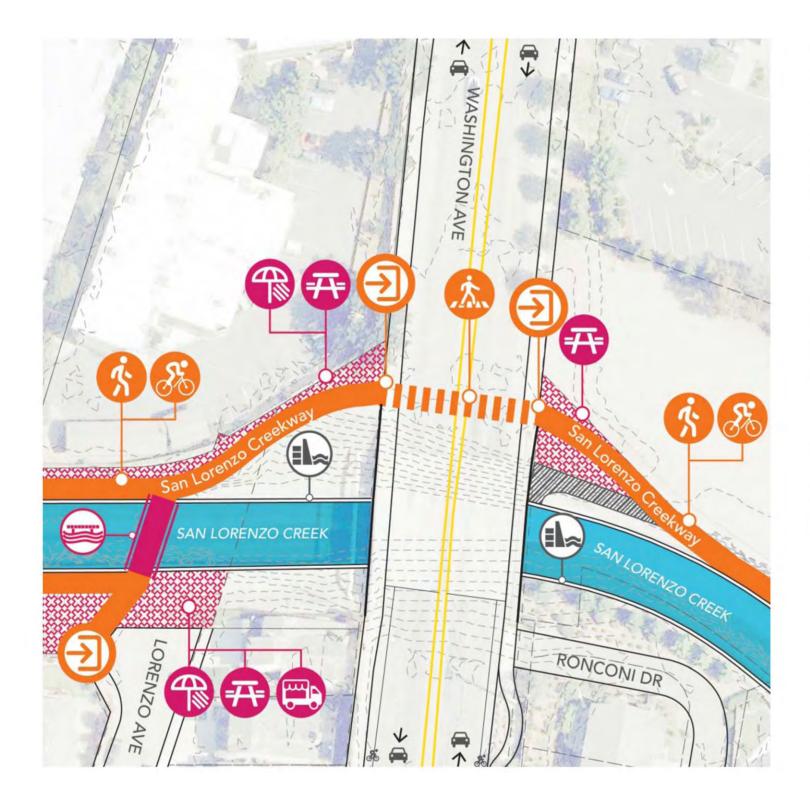






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Existing Conditions at Washington Ave

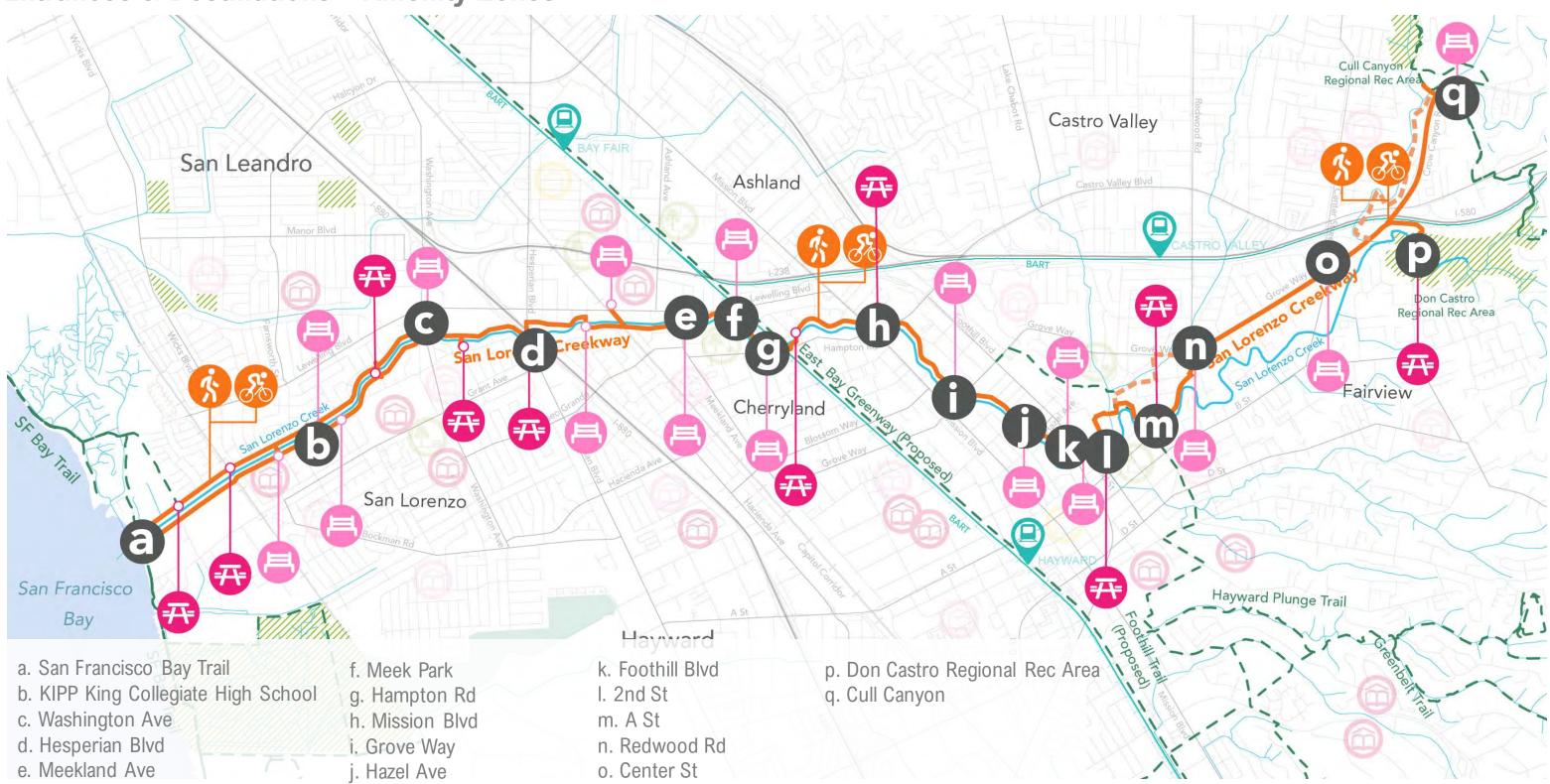






## **CREEKWAY AMENITY ZONES**

#### **Entrances & Destinations + Amenity Zones**



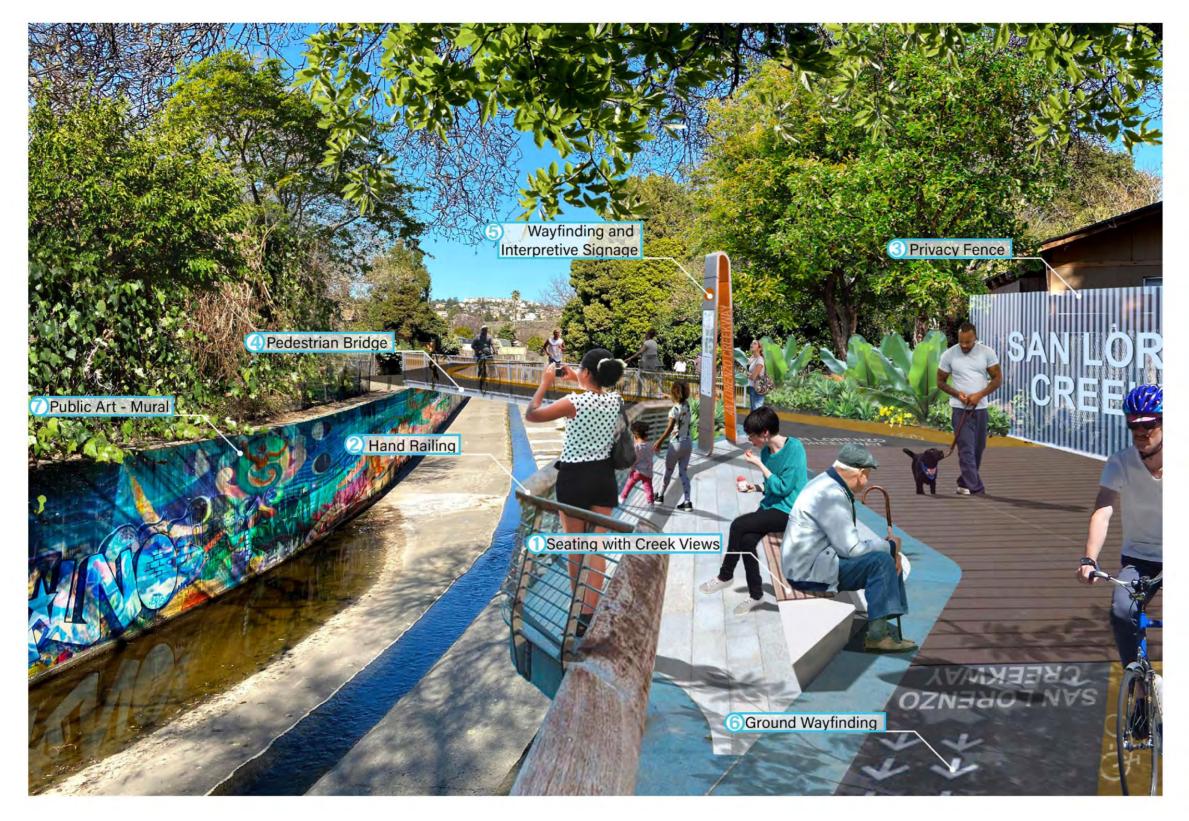






## **CREEKWAY AMENITY ZONE ELEMENTS**

### **Amenity Zone Elements**



- 1. Seating with Creek Views
- 2. Hand Railing
- 3. Privacy Fencing
- 4. Pedestrian Bridge
- 5. Wayfinding and Interpretive Signage
- 6. Ground Wayfinding
- 7. Public Art Mural







## **CREEKWAY PARTNERSHIP STRATEGY**

### PARTNERS

Partners	Trail Development	Maintenance Safety	Education	Ecologica Restoratio
HARD				
City of Hayward				
Alameda County				
Alameda County Flood Control District				
School Districts			(A)	
Social Service Providers				
Developers and HOAs				
Local Community Groups	(x) (%)			
Advocacy Groups		~		-









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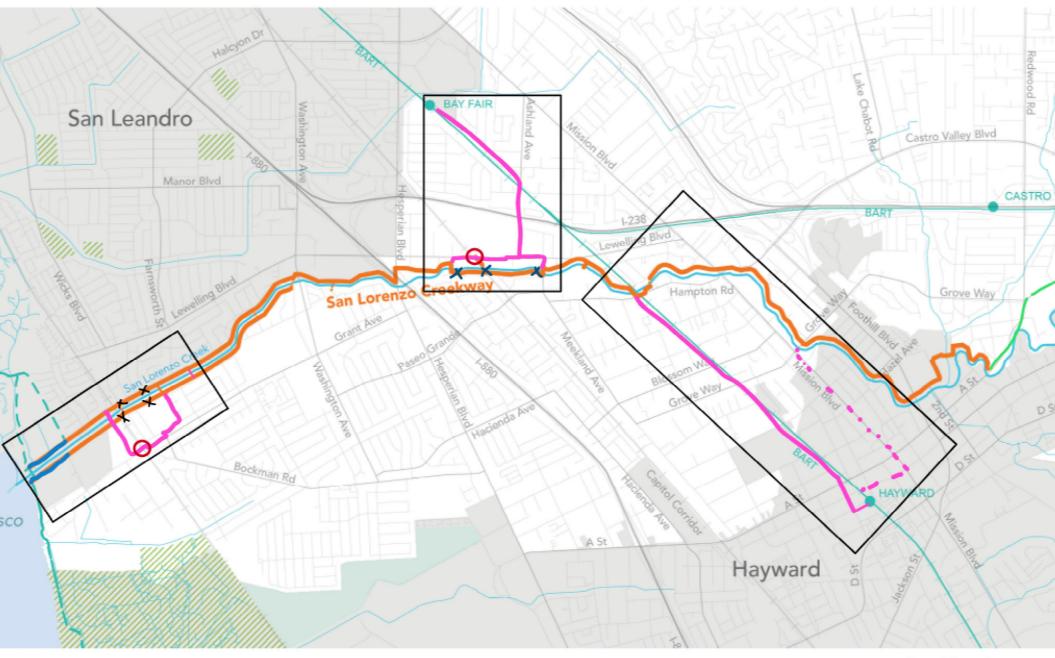
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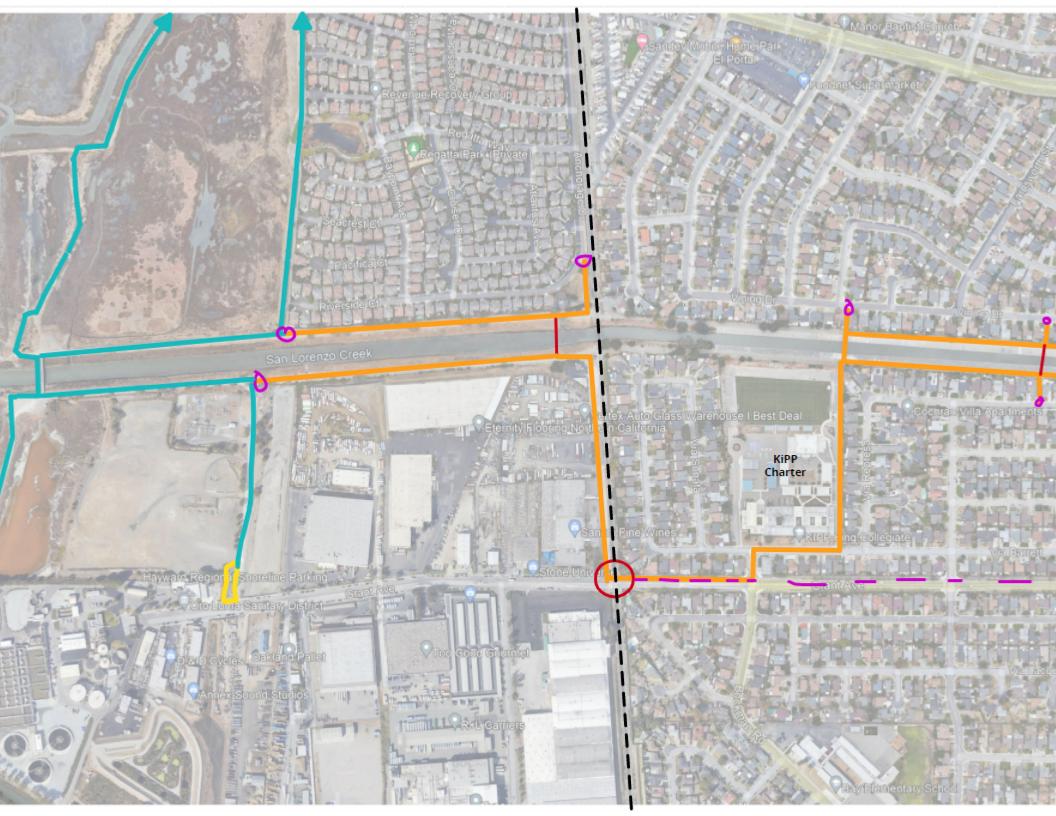
















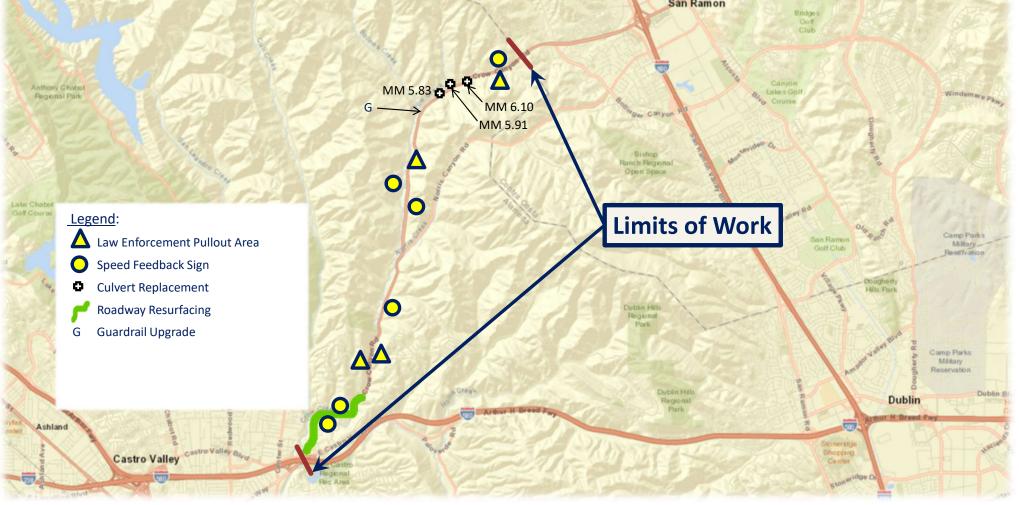
### UPDATE ON CROW CANYON ROAD RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee Unincorporated Area of Alameda County March 24, 2022 Rick Yeung, P.E. Traffic Engineer

### OUTLINE

- Limits & Scope of Work
- Improvements Highlights
- Schedule Outlook

### CROW CANYON ROAD RESURFACING & SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS



### PAVEMENT RESURFACING



### BUFFERED BIKE LANE

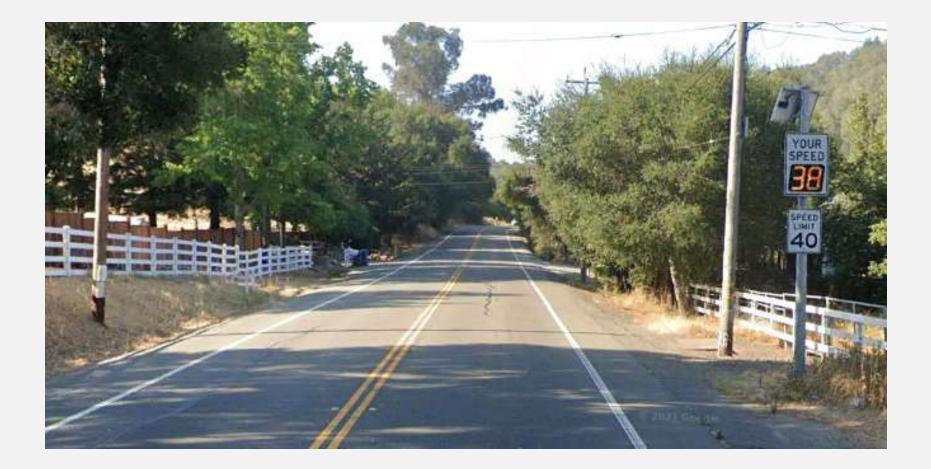




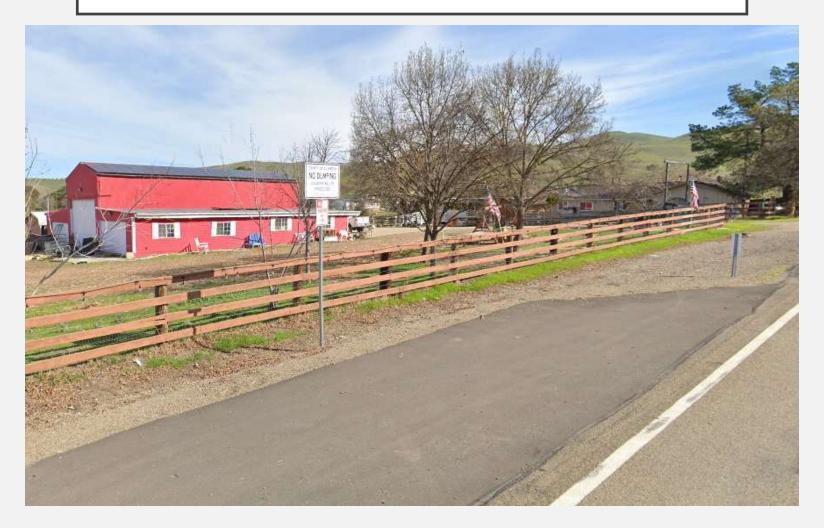
### PEDESTRIAN RAMP UPGRADE



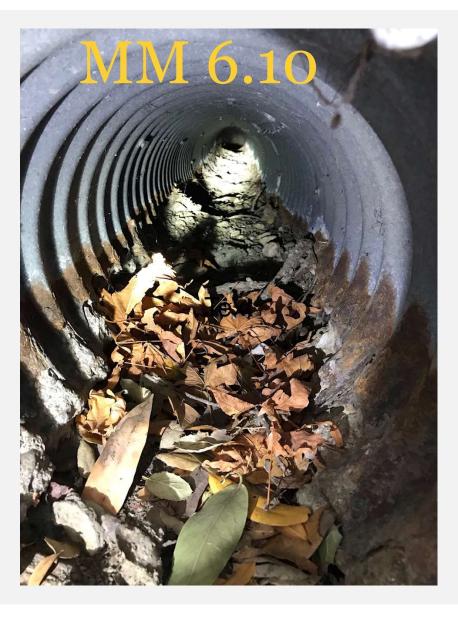
#### SPEED FEEDBACK SIGN INSTALLATION



#### ENFORCEMENT PULL OUT AREA



### CULVERT REPLACEMENT



#### SCHEDULE OUTLOOK

- Upcoming Work
  - Final paving
  - Signing and striping
  - Speed feedback signs
  - Guardrail
  - Culvert work
- Projected Completion: Summer 2022

### TRANSPORTATION FUNDING UPDATE

**Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee** 

Unincorporated Area of Alameda County

March 24, 2022

Rick Yeung, P.E.

Traffic Engineer



### **Upcoming Funding Opportunities**

- TDA Article 3 (Fiscal Year 2022 2023)
  - \$170,000 for pedestrian ramps construction
- RAISE Grant
  - Application due in April 2022
- One Bay Area Grant 3 (OBAG3)
  - Call for projects due May 2022
- Active Transportation Program (ATP)
  - Application due in June 2022
- Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)
  - Call for projects 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2022