

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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File Number: PLN2014-00430

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APN: Various

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CONNECT THE COASTSIDE BACKGROUND















WALKING

BIKING



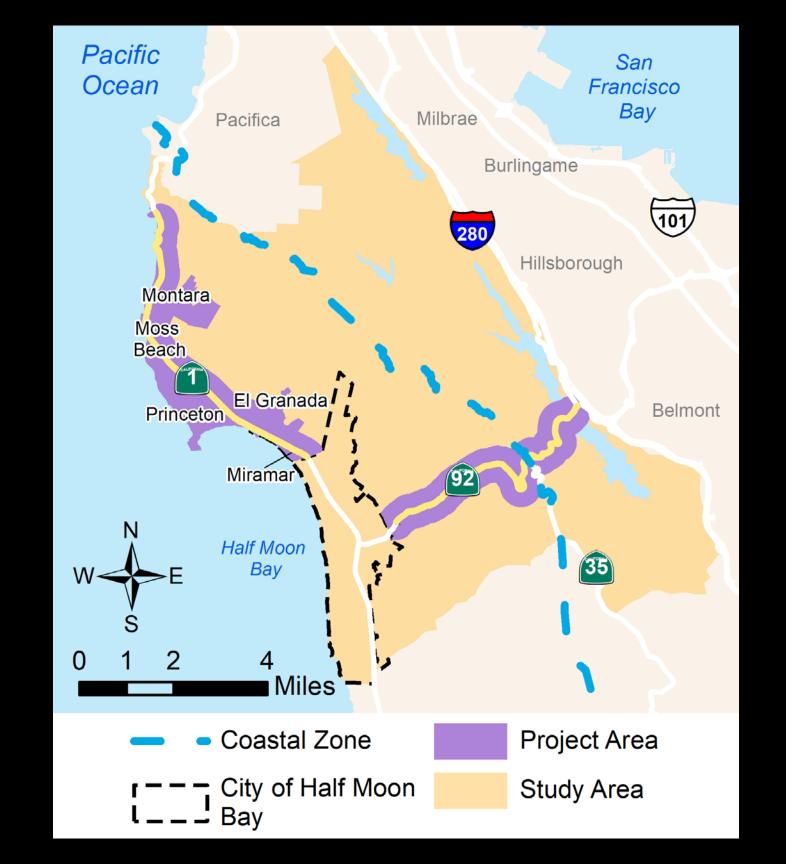


PUBLIC TRANSIT

DRIVING



LAND USE





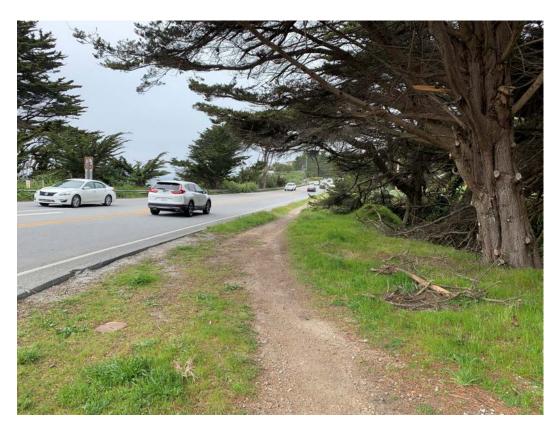


TIMELINE





EXISTING CONDITIONS







ENGAGEMENT











Project Website

Email
Updates &
Social Media

Online Surveys

Workshops & Community Meetings

Public Meeting Presentations









Community
Groups
Presentations

Spanish Language Outreach

Technical Advisory Committee

1:1 Meetings



FEEDBACK



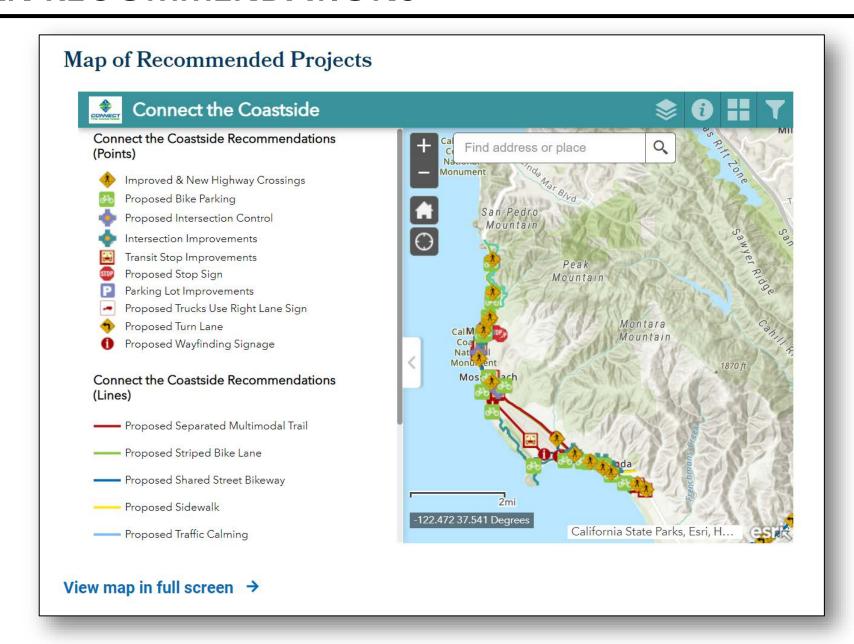
- Support for projects and policies that create safer places to walk, bike and take transit, and address roadway congestion
- Protect coastal resources and public access
- Respect the character of the Midcoast and environment



PLAN RECOMMENDATIONS

- Infrastructure and service improvements
- Planning studies
- Programs
- Policies & Evaluation

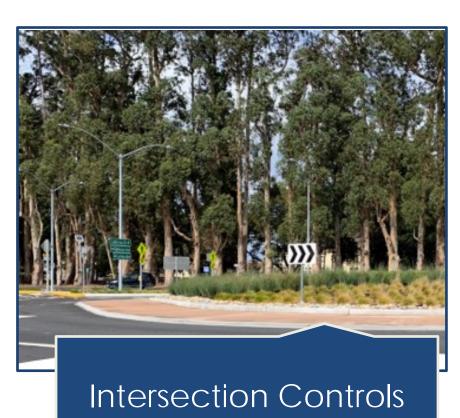
Interactive map at:
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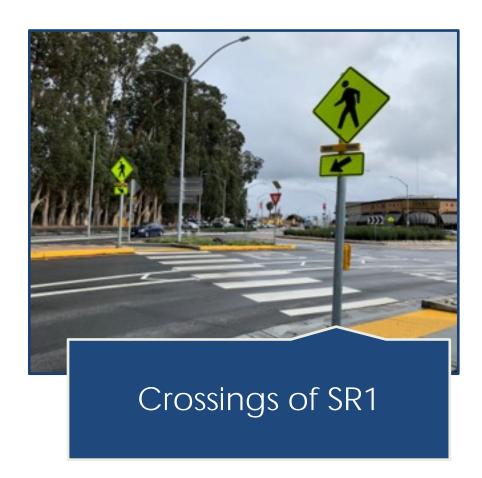




RECOMMENDATIONS – INFRASTRUCTURE EXAMPLES



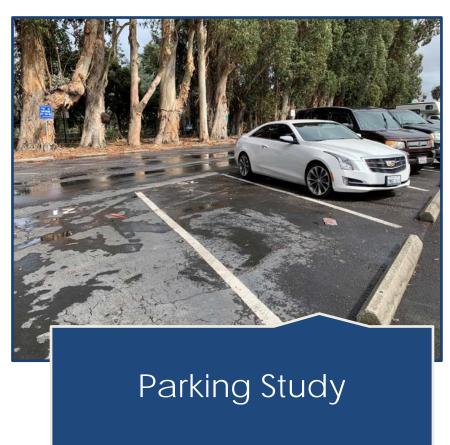






RECOMMENDATIONS – SERVICE IMPROVEMENTS, PLANNING STUDIES, AND PROGRAM EXAMPLES









RECOMMENDATIONS – POLICY EXAMPLES

- In-lieu fee traffic mitigation program
 - Plan recommends pursuing nexus study per Mitigation Fee Act, and includes draft analysis
- Lot merger program
 - Plan recommends current practice of reviewing applications for opportunities to merge contiguously owned parcels



IMPLEMENTATION AND FUNDING

- Partnerships with implementing agencies (Caltrans, SamTrans, Half Moon Bay, others)
- Further project-level design, consistency analysis, community engagement, and environmental analysis
- Funding requirements
 - Staffing
 - Development of various project phases
 - Operations and maintenance
 - Ongoing programs



EARLY IMPLEMENTATION EFFORTS

- Moss Beach SR-1 Congestion & Safety Improvements Project, Project Study Report-Project Development Support
- Midcoastside Transportation Demand Management Plan, with Half Moon Bay
- Caltrans' State Highway Operation and Protection Program (SHOPP)
 Projects
- SamTrans' new service plan
- Multimodal Parallel Trail, Phase 1
- Mirada Road Pedestrian Bridge Replacement



EXPECTED PLAN OUTCOMES

- Enhanced competitiveness for grant opportunities
- Increased collaboration and partnerships
- Improve existing traffic conditions
- Lessen transportation impacts of from future development
- Improve safety and operations
- Offer high-quality walking, biking, and transit options



PLAN POLICY CONFORMANCE

General Plan and Local Coastal Program Consistency

- Locating and Planning New Development
- Public Works and Transportation
- Agriculture and Soil Resources
- Sensitive Habitats

- Visual Resources
- Shoreline Access
- Natural and Man-made Hazards
- Recreation

Staff has concluded that Plan complies with the County's General Plan and Local Coastal program, and specifically meets the requirements of LCP Policy 2.53.



ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

- Connect the Coastside is not considered a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Section 15378(a)CEQA).
- As recommendations contained in the Plan are brought forth for consideration, they will be reviewed by staff to determine CEQA applicability.
- A summary of the determination is available on the Connect the Coastside project webpage as "Connect the Coastside CEQA Considerations (October 2021): <u>CTC CEQA Considerations Memo</u> <u>Final.pdf (smcgov.org)</u>



RECOMMENDATION

- That the Board of Supervisors find Connect the Coastside: The San Mateo County Midcoast Comprehensive Transportation Management Plan, to be consistent with the County General Plan and Local Coastal Program.
- 2. That the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors adopt a resolution to adopt Connect the Coastside: The San Mateo County Midcoast Comprehensive Transportation Management Plan.



PARTNERS & ADVISORS

- Consultants
- San Mateo County:
 - Office of Supervisor Don Horsley
 - Office of Sustainability
 - County Attorney's Office
 - County Executive's Office
 - Public Works
 - Parks

- Midcoast Community Council
- Caltrans District 4
- City of Half Moon Bay
- SamTrans
- Cabrillo Unified School District
- Sewer Authority Mid-Coastside

https://www.smcgov.org/planning/connect-coastside



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