



THE SAFER ALAMEDA ACT

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Alamedans are proud to call our City home because of our quality of life — safe streets and neighborhoods, well-maintained parks, reliable public services, and a strong sense of community.

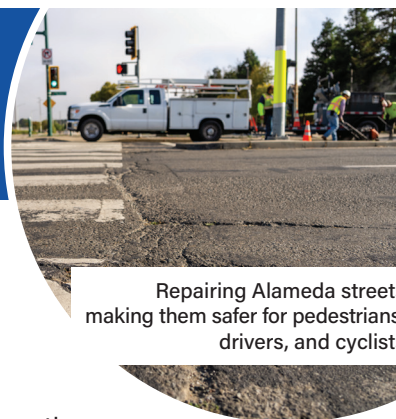
Preparing for Flooding, Earthquakes, and Aging Infrastructure

Alameda's aging infrastructure is increasingly vulnerable to flooding, earthquakes, severe weather, and sea level rise. To keep our neighborhoods safe and functional, the City is working to fund critical repairs before they become even more expensive. Alameda's quality of life depends on infrastructure that works.

Flooding and Sea Level Rise: As an island community, we are on the front lines of rising seas. Our outdated storm drains are too small for today's conditions, causing more frequent street flooding during storms and high tides.

Earthquake Safety: Our fire stations were built decades ago and don't meet today's seismic safety standards, leaving us vulnerable in a major earthquake.

Poor Street Conditions: Potholes, cracked sidewalks, and traffic safety needs make it harder for everyone — especially older adults, students, and people with disabilities — to get around safely.



Repairing Alameda streets making them safer for pedestrians, drivers, and cyclists

Local Funding Solutions to Protect Alamedans

Maintaining the City's financial stability is a top priority, and we know that the City's existing financial resources are not sufficient to address these growing infrastructure needs.

The Alameda City Council voted to place a \$300 million local bond measure that would provide a dedicated funding source for our critical infrastructure needs. If passed, property owners would pay approximately \$49 per year for every \$100,000 of assessed value (not the home's current appraised value), while bonds are outstanding. If approved by voters, the measure could fund identified infrastructure needs, including:



Preventing flooding in the Tubes and on City streets and addressing sea level rise



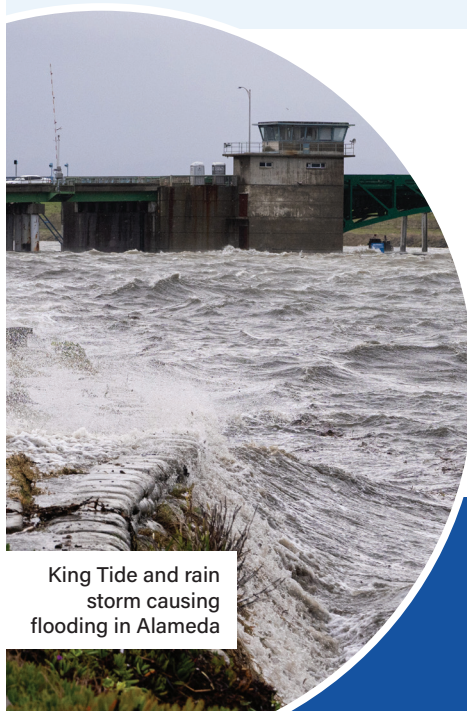
Repairing potholes and improving traffic safety



Maintaining and repairing stormwater infrastructure to keep pollution out of the Bay and prevent flooding



Supporting public safety response to critical fires, crashes, and medical emergencies



King Tide and rain storm causing flooding in Alameda

Local Control and Fiscal Accountability

The local bond measure would require strong fiscal accountability protections and oversight. If approved by voters:



All funds would stay local for Alameda — no funds could be taken by the State or federal government



A detailed project list outlines what projects funds can be used for



An independent citizens' oversight committee and mandatory annual audits would ensure all funds are spent as promised



No funds would be used to increase salaries or pensions

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