Proposed Cross Alameda Trail Project

Community Meeting
Public Works Department
Monday, July 28, 2014

Agenda
- Meeting Purpose
- Proposed Project Location
- Why the Cross Alameda Trail?
- What is there now?
- What do you think?
- Next Steps

Meeting Purpose
- Begin dialogue
- Share information
- Hear from participants
- Reach consensus

Proposed Project Location
Why the Cross Alameda Trail?

- Urban Greening Plan (2012)
- Bicycle Plan (1999 & 2010)
- Pedestrian Plan (2009)
- General Plan (1991 & 2009)
- Alameda Climate Action Plan (2008)
- Cross Alameda Trail Study (2005)
- Gap Analysis Study (2005)

Transportation Element

- “Pursue opportunities to utilize the corridor of the former Alameda Belt Line railroad for transit, bicycle and pedestrian transportation.”

Parks & Rec. Element

- “Develop a continuous greenway, east of Main Street...The greenway should include a tree belt and paths for walking, running and biking.”

Why the Cross Alameda Trail?

- City of Alameda Bicycle Plan (2010)
Why the Cross Alameda Trail?

**Countywide Bike/Ped Plans (2012)**

**What is there now?**

- **Sidewalk (north) = 15 feet**
- **Ralph Mem. Appezzato Pkwy = 70 feet**
  - Signalized intersections
  - 4 motor vehicle lanes and left-turn pockets
  - Narrow median with lighting
  - No parking or bike lanes
- **Former railroad portion = 70 feet**
  - Storm water/sewer lines
  - Trees
What is there now? (cont.)
- Webster Street to W. Campus Drive
- West Campus Drive to Fifth Street
- Fifth Street to Poggi Street
- Poggi Street to Third Street
What is there now? (cont.)

Third Street to Main Street

What do you think?

Obtained grant monies (2013 & 2014)

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What do you think?

Initial project concept

- Asphalt path (12 feet wide)
- Jogging path (5 feet wide)
- Shoulder (3 feet wide)
- Connector paths and signs
- Bicycle lockers (12)
- Bioswale / trees (40)

What do you think?

Draft Proposed Project Concept
What do you think?

- **Community Involvement**
  - Publicity efforts
    - List servs
    - Letter (300 foot radius)
    - Barricades
    - Press release
    - Web site (http://alamedaca.gov/public-works/cross-alameda-trail)
  - Focus groups
  - Community meeting

Next Steps

- City’s project web site
- Cross Alameda Trail list serv
- Public Works Dept project manager
  - Gail Payne, gpayne@alamedaca.gov, 510-747-7948
- Additional focus groups
- Transportation Commission
  - Wednesday, September 24 (tentative)
- Construction: 2015

Questions and Comments

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