NORTHERN CALIFORNIA PROJECT UPDATE
Local Policy Maker Group

November 29, 2018
AGENDA

Statewide Update
Northern California Update
Environmental Justice Outreach
Connecting Communities Strategy
BOARD CERTIFICATION OF FRESNO TO BAKERSFIELD PROJECT SECTION FINAL SUPPLEMENTAL EIR
BOARD CONCURRED WITH THE STAFF RECOMMENDED STATE PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE FOR THE BAKERSFIELD TO PALMDALE PROJECT SECTION
NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING

Concurrence of remaining 3 Staff Recommended State Preferred Alternatives
BOARD CONCURRED WITH THE STAFF RECOMMENDED STATE PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE FOR THE PALMDALE TO BURBANK PROJECT SECTION
BOARD CONCURRED WITH THE STAFF RECOMMENDED STATE PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE FOR THE BURBANK TO LOS ANGELES PROJECT SECTION
BOARD CONCURRED WITH THE STAFF RECOMMENDED STATE PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE FOR THE LOS ANGELES TO ANAHEIM PROJECT SECTION
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA UPDATE
Incorporated Feedback

- Feedback received:
  - General concurrence with design, minor feedback on footprint
  - Staff shared a number of current and future planning projects
- No significant changes to the design based on feedback received
- Minor feedback on footprint addressed in Draft PEPD
SAN FRANCISCO TO SAN JOSE OUTREACH

Environmental Milestones

- **2018**: Summer 2018
  - Preliminary Engineering & Project Definition

- **2019**: December 2019
  - Preferred Alternative

- **2020**: March 2020
  - Draft Environmental Impact Report/Statement (DEIR/S)
    - (45-day comment period)

- **2021**: March 2021
  - Final Environmental Impact Report/Statement (EIR/S) & Record of Decision (ROD)

Open Houses and Hearing

- **2018**: Fall
  - Open Houses

- **2019**: Spring
  - Open Houses & Hearing

- **2020**: Spring
  - Public Comment

City/County Staff Coordinating Group

Community Working Group Meetings

- **2018**: Fall
  - October #1
  - Winter #2
  - Spring #3

- **2019**: Spring #4

- **2020**: Spring #5

- **2021**: Spring #6

Statewide NorCal Update EJ Outreach CCS
# SAN JOSE TO MERCED OUTREACH

## Environmental Milestones

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## Open Houses and Hearing

- **Fall/Winter Open Houses & Hearing**
- **Public Comment**

## Community Working Group Meetings

- **November #1**
- **Winter #2**
- **Spring #3**
- **Summer #4**
- **Fall-Winter #5**

## Community Outreach

- **Statewide**
- **NorCal Update**
- **EJ Outreach**
- **CCS**
SAN FRANCISCO TO SAN JOSE OCTOBER COMMUNITY WORKING GROUPS

Meetings

South Peninsula
October 15 at 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

San Mateo County
October 22 at 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

San Francisco
October 24 at 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Morgan Hill-Gilroy
November 7 at 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

San Jose
November 28 at 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Participation to Date

- 31 CWG members
- 11 members of the public
OCTOBER COMMUNITY WORKING GROUPS

Key Themes

- Caltrain coordination
- Interagency coordination and connection to other projects
- Grade separations and other safety modifications
- Continued neighborhood-specific outreach
- Intermodal connectivity and mobility
- Ridership
ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE
OUTREACH
**EJ OUTREACH CANVASSING**

### Key Themes

**Concerns**
- Safety
- Noise
- Toxins, pollution and air quality
- Displacement via gentrification
- Construction impacts
- Access to education/services

**Benefits**
- Economic opportunities for residents (e.g., project labor agreements, local hiring)
- Community benefits for the neighborhood (e.g., parks, lighting, road improvements, safety improvements)
Next Steps

**San Jose to Merced Segment Canvassing (October-January)**
- Morgan Hill, Gilroy, San Martin, San Jose, Monterey Corridor, Los Banos

**Continued community partners**
- AdelanTECH leadership program
- Asian Americans for Community Involvement

**San Jose to Merced Segment Canvassing (October-January)**
- Service provider meetings and small groups.
CONNECTING COMMUNITIES
STRATEGY
Caltrans Transportation Planning Grants
(Application due November 30, 2018)
- Sustainable Communities Planning Grants ($29.5 million)
- Strategic Partnership Grants ($4.5 million)
- Adaption Planning Grants ($6 million)

Department of Housing and Community Development Grants
(Application due February 11, 2019)
- Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Program (AHSC) ($395 million)
THANK YOU & HOW TO STAY INVOLVED

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