

COMPLETE OUR STREETS



CITYWIDE COMPLETE STREETS PLAN
BURBANK, CA

**PRESENTATION FOR
CITY BOARDS & COMMISSIONS**

February – March 2020



OUTLINE

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4. METHODOLOGY
5. DRAFT POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS
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1. BACKGROUND

WHAT ARE COMPLETE STREETS?

A "complete street" is designed, operated, and maintained to provide safe mobility for all types of users, ages, and abilities.

- Transportation
August 2008
BURBANK Today
TOP STORIES
- Flying Cars
 - More separated bike lanes.
 - More police in the hills - (speeding not stopping at the stop signs)
 - People smiling (and following the rules of the road) while they drive. ☺
- STREETS

- Transportation
August 2008
BURBANK Today
TOP STORIES
- Just Completed! Bike path to Burbank "mud"
 - Stop sign finally installed at corner of Avon & Wyoming!
 - MAKE SAN FERNANDO PEDESTRIAN only. Chasing local streets
 - All main roads have bike lanes!
 - Bike lanes occupied by families for fun
 - BPD Enforces speed limits
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- STREETS

WHY ARE WE CREATING A COMPLETE STREETS PLAN?

- **Burbank2035 General Plan – Chapter 4: Mobility Element**
 - Goal 1: Balance
 - Goal 2: Sustainability
 - Goal 3: Complete Streets
 - Goal 4: Transit
 - Goal 5: Bicycle and Pedestrian Mobility
 - Goal 6: Neighborhood Protection
 - Goal 9: Safety, Accessibility, Equity
- **Burbank Bicycle Master Plan 2009**

WHY ARE WE CREATING A COMPLETE STREETS PLAN?

- Safety
- Public Health
- Quality of Life
- Local Economy
- Sustainability
- Shifting Demographics
- Future Trends
- Fiscal Responsibility

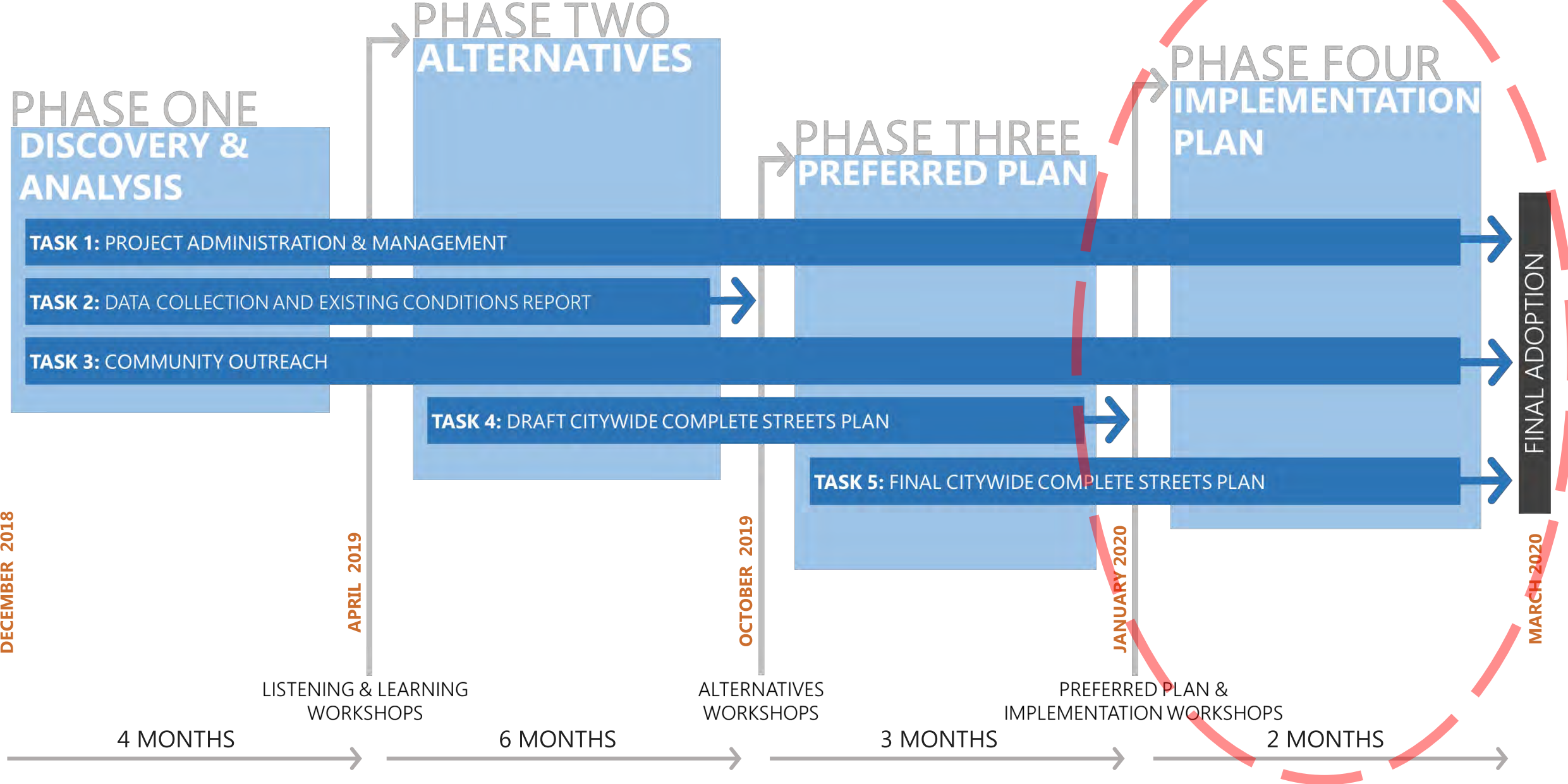


OUTCOMES

- **Engage the community** to shape the future of how people move through the City and interact with the public environment.
- **Establish policies** that will determine the quality and character of future street improvements in Burbank.
- **Provide guidance to City staff** for incorporating the community's values into future street improvements.
- **Provide clarity to private entities** on their role in shaping the City's streets.
- Provide list of **priority projects to pursue for grant funding** and implementation.
- Provides **guidelines and objectives** to which projects in the City will be developed.

PROCESS

PART 1: BACKGROUND



2. COMMUNITY INPUT

Staff conducted 7 events
as part of 2 rounds of outreach.



ROUND 1: VISIONING PHASE

April 2019 – May 2019

- 4 events – approx. 140 participants

1. Downtown Walk & Bike Tour (April 13th)



3. Media District Open House (May 13th)



2. Magnolia Park Pop-Up (April 26th)



4. Downtown Arts Festival (May 18th)



ROUND 2: IDEAS PHASE

October 2019 – November 2019

- 3 events – approx. 200 participants

5. Farmers Market Pop-Up

(Oct. 5th)



6. Bud Ovrom Park Pop-Up

(Oct. 26th)



7. Holiday in the Park

(Nov. 22nd)



Overall Community Impressions

- Vehicle **speeds** have impact on safety.
- Increase **pedestrian crossing** opportunities.
- Need more **east/west connections** over I-5.
- **Don't leave cars out** of conversation. Most people drive.
- **Cleaner vehicles** and transit can help those who may not have the ability or choose to walk or bike.
- Ensure walkability for **seniors and people with disabilities**.
- Desire for more **separated and connected** bicycle network.
- Safe **access to schools** is important.
- **Shade** and pedestrian **lighting** is needed.

3. GOALS



FREE PARKING
UNIVERSITY

COMPLETE STREETS PLAN'S GOALS

1. Complete all networks of travel.
2. Separate the fast and heavy from the slow and vulnerable.
3. Build better neighborhoods.
4. Bridge across infrastructure barriers.
5. Foster a healthier Burbank.
6. Balance competing goals and priorities.
7. Make Burbank a more inclusive City.
8. Enable people to be and feel safe.
9. Spread shade and shelter.
10. Be proactive.

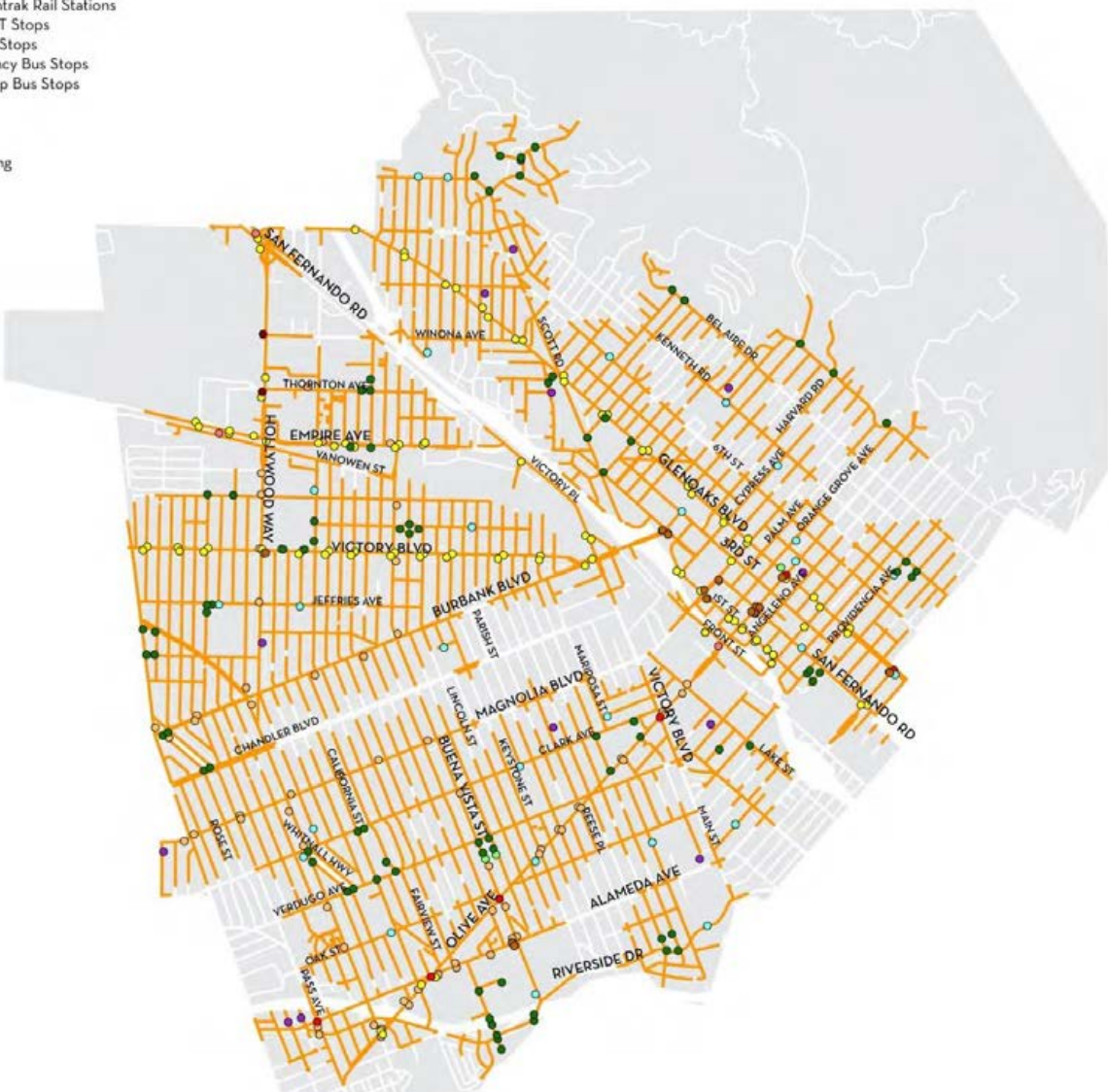


4. METHODOLOGY



PEDESTRIAN PRIORITY STREETS

- Airport/RTIC
- Metrolink/Amtrak Rail Stations
- Proposed BRT Stops
- Burbank Bus Stops
- High-Frequency Bus Stops
- High Ridership Bus Stops
- Schools
- Libraries
- Parks
- Senior Housing



TRANSIT PRIORITY STREETS

- Proposed BRT Line
- Proposed BRT stop
- Burbank Bus stop
- Metro Rapid Bus line
- Metro bus stops with a 16-minute or less headway
- High-ridership bus stop
- High-ridership bus stop with a 16-minute or less headway
- 15-minute stops as per the Metro NextGen Bus Study
- Metrolink/Amtrak stations



FILTER 1: MODE OF TRAVEL

BICYCLIST PRIORITY STREETS

- Existing or Funded Bikeways (Class I-IV)
- High Ridership Streets (without current bicycle infrastructure)
- Streets that Close Gaps/Eliminate Barriers



MOTORIST PRIORITY STREETS

- Intersections with High Instances of Vehicle Collisions
- High-Volume and Speed Streets
- Skewed/Odd Angled Intersections

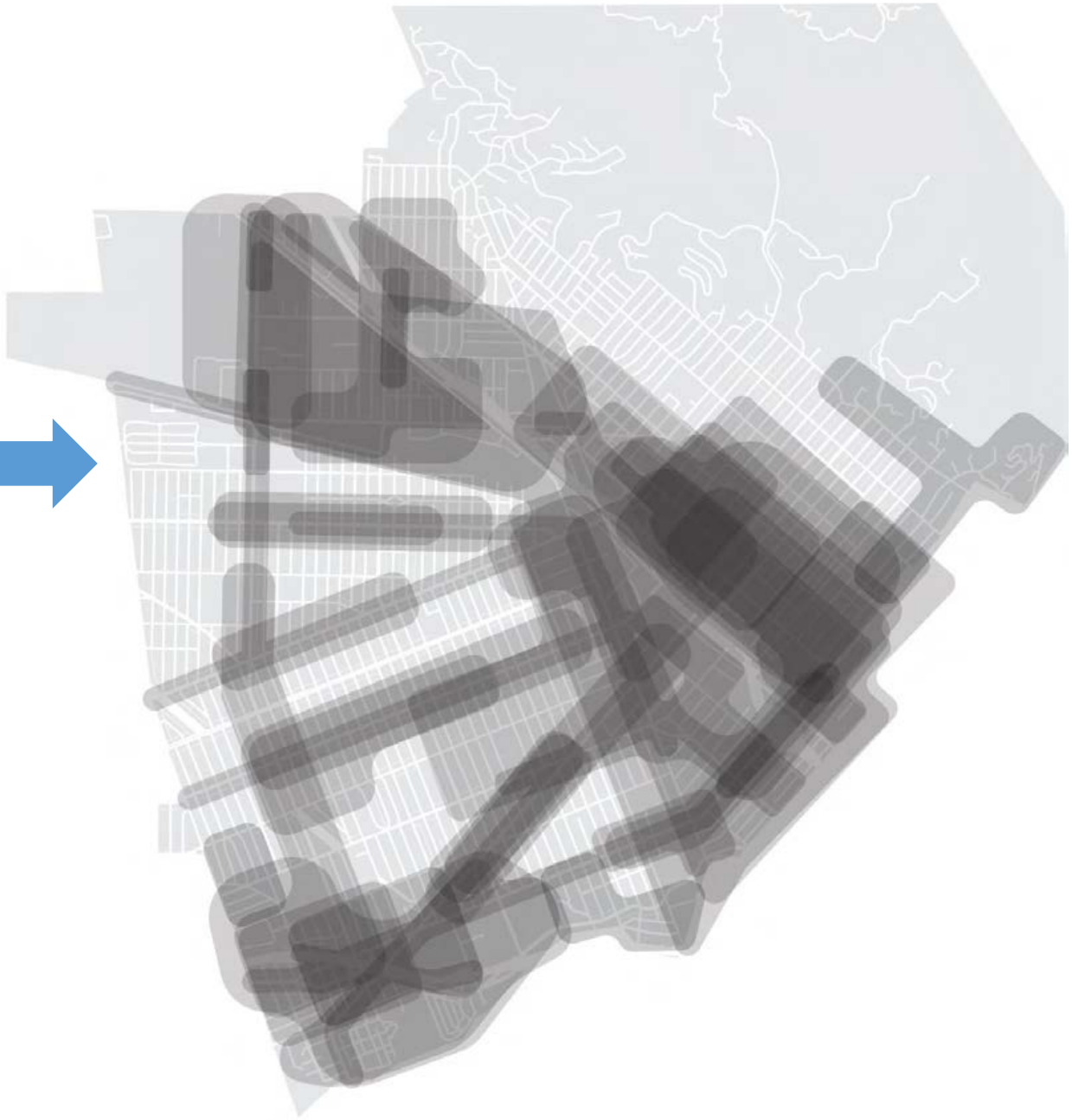
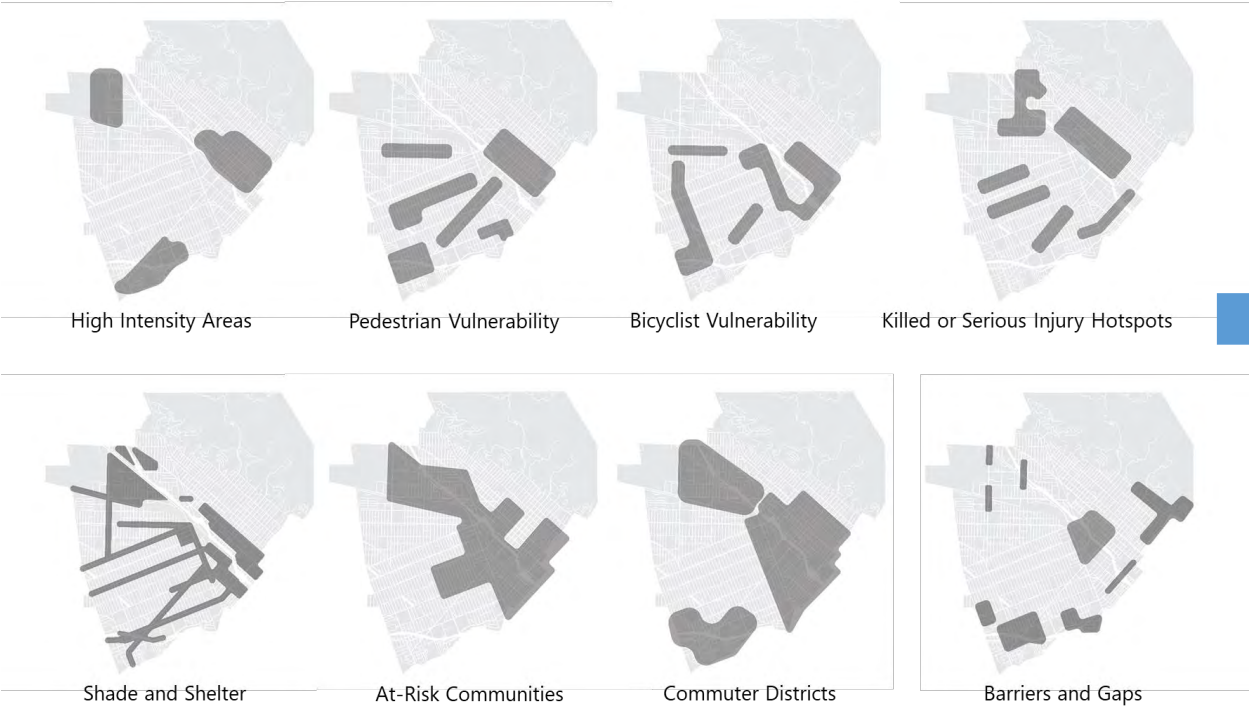


- Pedestrian Priority Streets
- Bicyclist Priority Streets
- Transit Priority Streets
- Motorist Priority Streets



- PEDESTRIAN PRIORITY STREETS
- TRANSIT PRIORITY STREETS
- BICYCLE PRIORITY STREETS
- MOTORIST PRIORITY STREETS

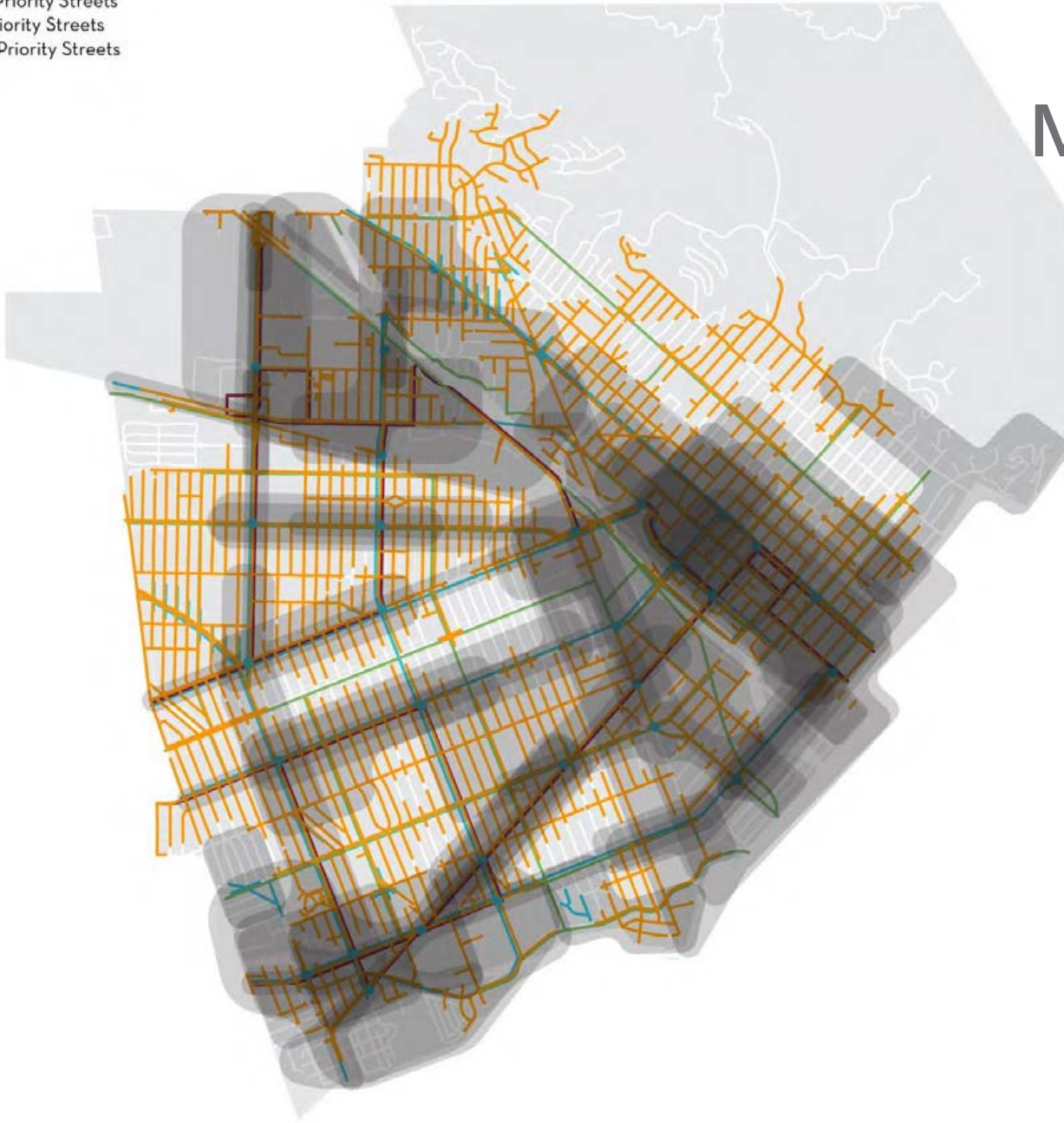
FILTER 2: FOCUS AREAS



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FILTER 1 + FILTER 2

Modes of Travel+ Focus Areas



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What streets should we focus on?

- PEDESTRIAN PRIORITY STREETS
- TRANSIT PRIORITY STREETS
- BICYCLE PRIORITY STREETS
- MOTORIST PRIORITY STREETS

A woman with blonde hair tied back, wearing a dark vest over a pink shirt, is pointing at a large map or informational board mounted on a silver easel. Two young girls are standing next to her, looking at the board. The girl on the left is wearing a white t-shirt with the word 'HERE' printed on it. The girl on the right is wearing a blue t-shirt. They are outdoors, and the background is slightly blurred, showing what appears to be a park or public space with trees and a fence. The text '5. DRAFT POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS' is overlaid on the left side of the image in a large, bold, black font.

5. DRAFT POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS

POLICY GOALS

- Provide **uninterrupted, visible, and safe paths** of pedestrian access throughout the City.
- Encourage walking for **positive public health and environmental benefits**.
- Improve street infrastructure to allow safe and convenient access for people of **all ages and abilities**.
- Promote **access to transit**, such as bus and rail, by prioritizing walkability to transit stops.
- Calm traffic to ensure that **students are able to walk safely** and conveniently to school.
- Provide safe and equitable **access to schools, parks, and libraries** for all ages and abilities.
- Plan streets to be **welcoming to the elderly** so people may enjoy Burbank in their later years.

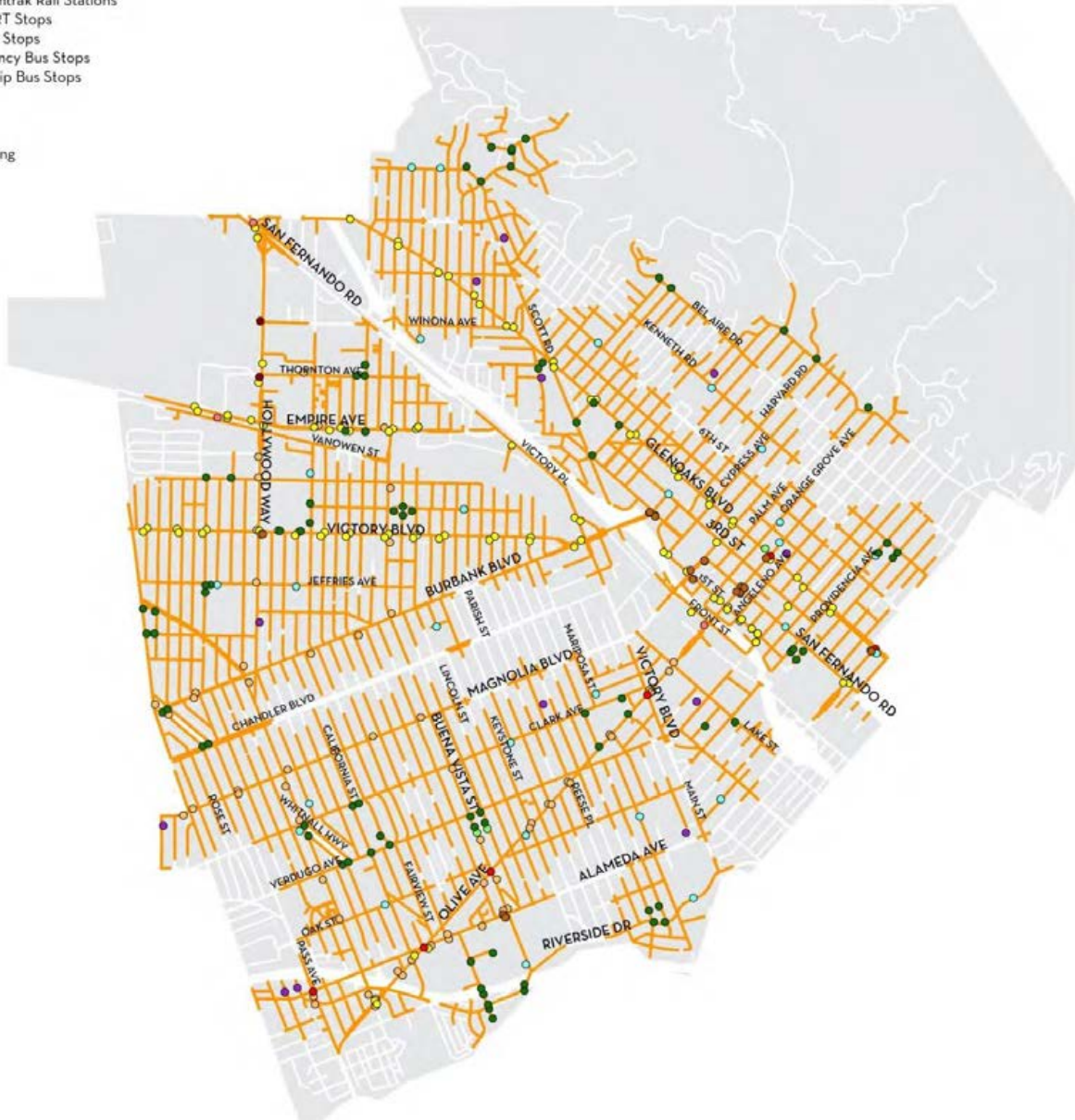


PEDESTRIANS

APPLICABILITY

- 5-minute walking radius (1/4-mi.):
 - Schools
 - Libraries
 - Parks
 - Senior Centers
 - Major transit stops
- High pedestrian volume areas.
- Areas with high levels of pedestrian-involved collisions.
- High-density residential and commercial areas identified in Burbank2035 General Plan.

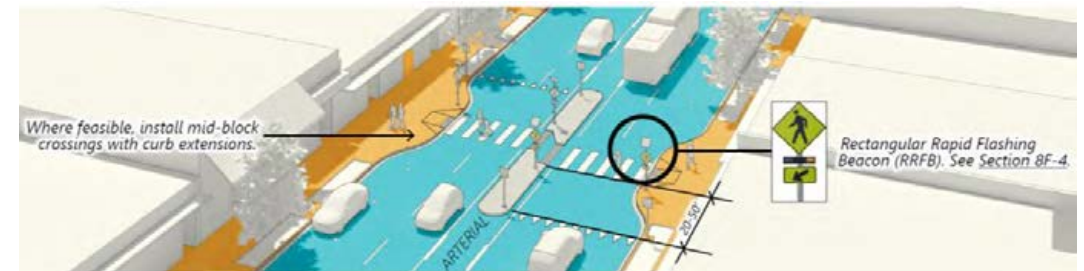
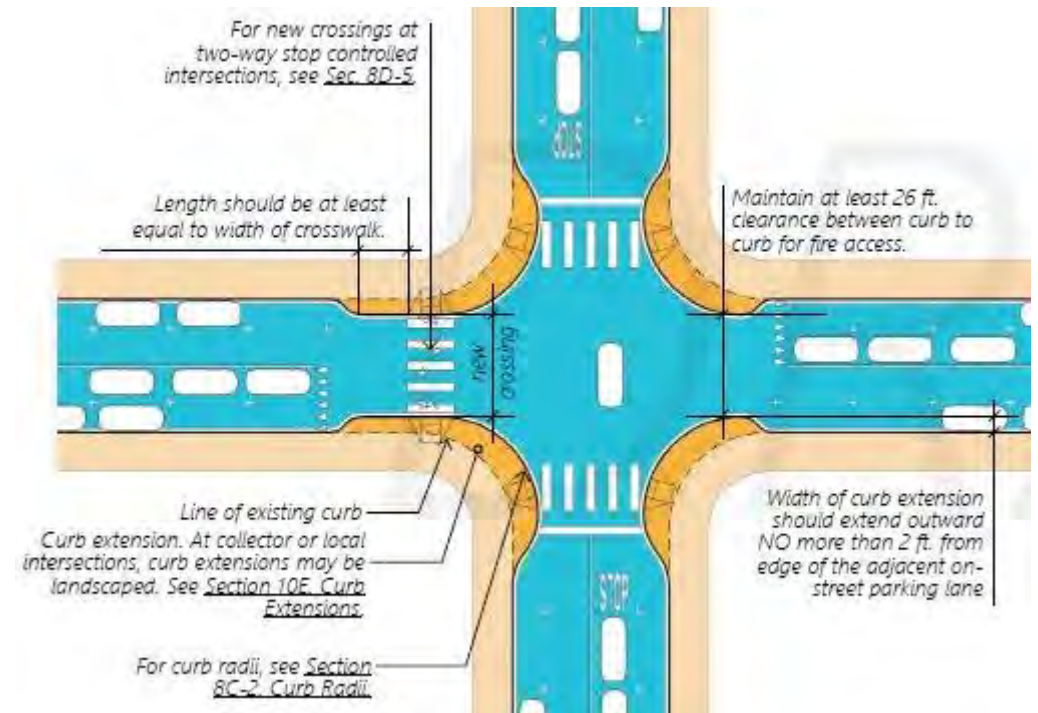
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PEDESTRIANS

PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS

- Bi-directional curb ramps
- High-visibility crosswalks
- Curb extensions
- Mid-block crossings
- Raised crosswalks
- Enhanced crossings at two-way stop-controlled intersections
- Pedestrian walk signal
 - Audible Pedestrian Signal (APS)
 - Advance Walk Signal or Leading Pedestrian Interval (LPI)



PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS ALONG THE STREET

- Complete missing sidewalks
- Wider sidewalks
- Sidewalk zones
- Placement of utilities and overhead utility lines
- Pedestrian-level lighting

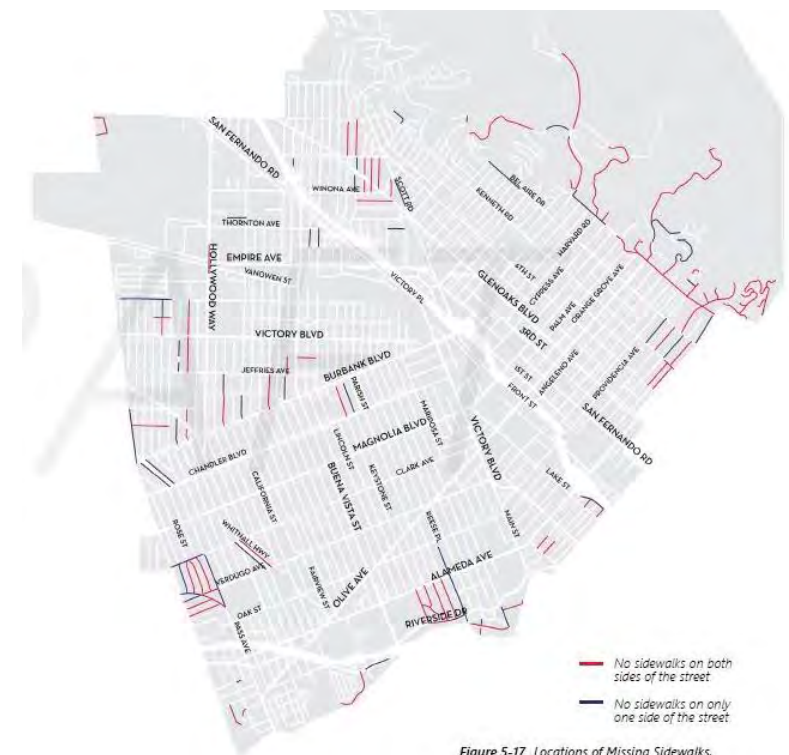
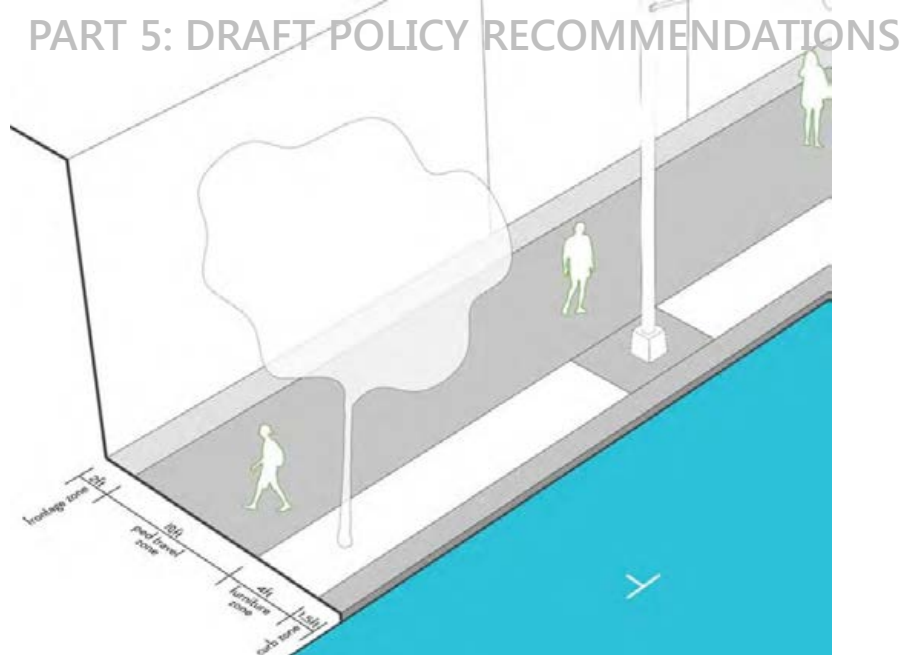
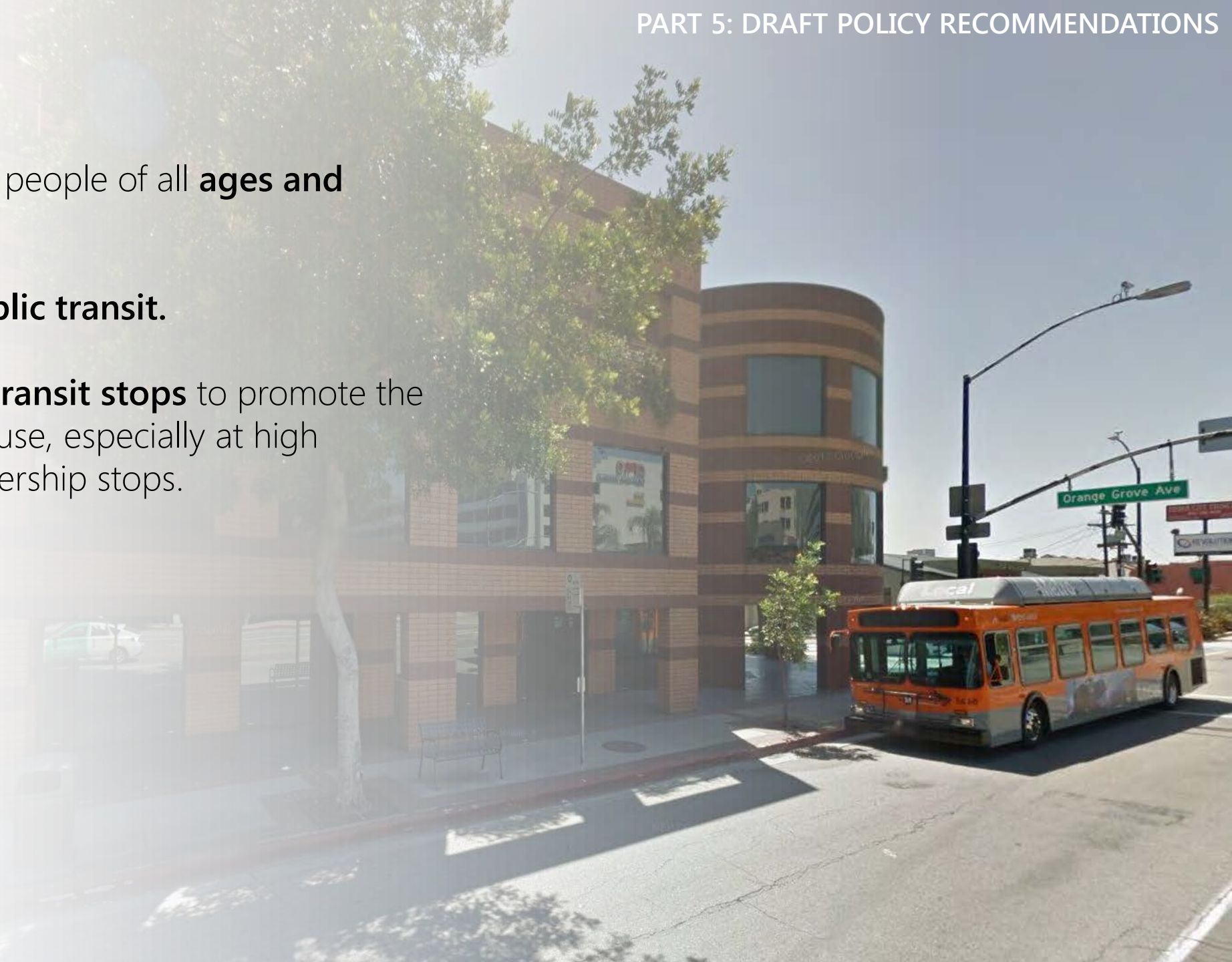


Figure 5-17. Locations of Missing Sidewalks.

POLICY GOALS

- Promote transit use by people of all **ages and abilities**.
- Improve **access to public transit**.
- Provide **amenities at transit stops** to promote the convenience of transit use, especially at high frequency and high ridership stops.

TRANSIT



APPLICABILITY

- Stops with high daily ridership.
- Stops with high-frequency transit service.

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TRANSIT

TRANSIT IMPROVEMENTS

- Guidance on bus stop placement
- Stop Amenities
 - Lighting
 - Seating
 - Signage and wayfinding
 - Trash receptacles
- Accessibility clearances and paths of travel

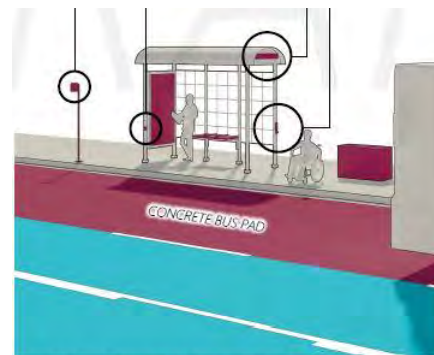


Figure 7-22. Enhanced local bus elements and amenities.

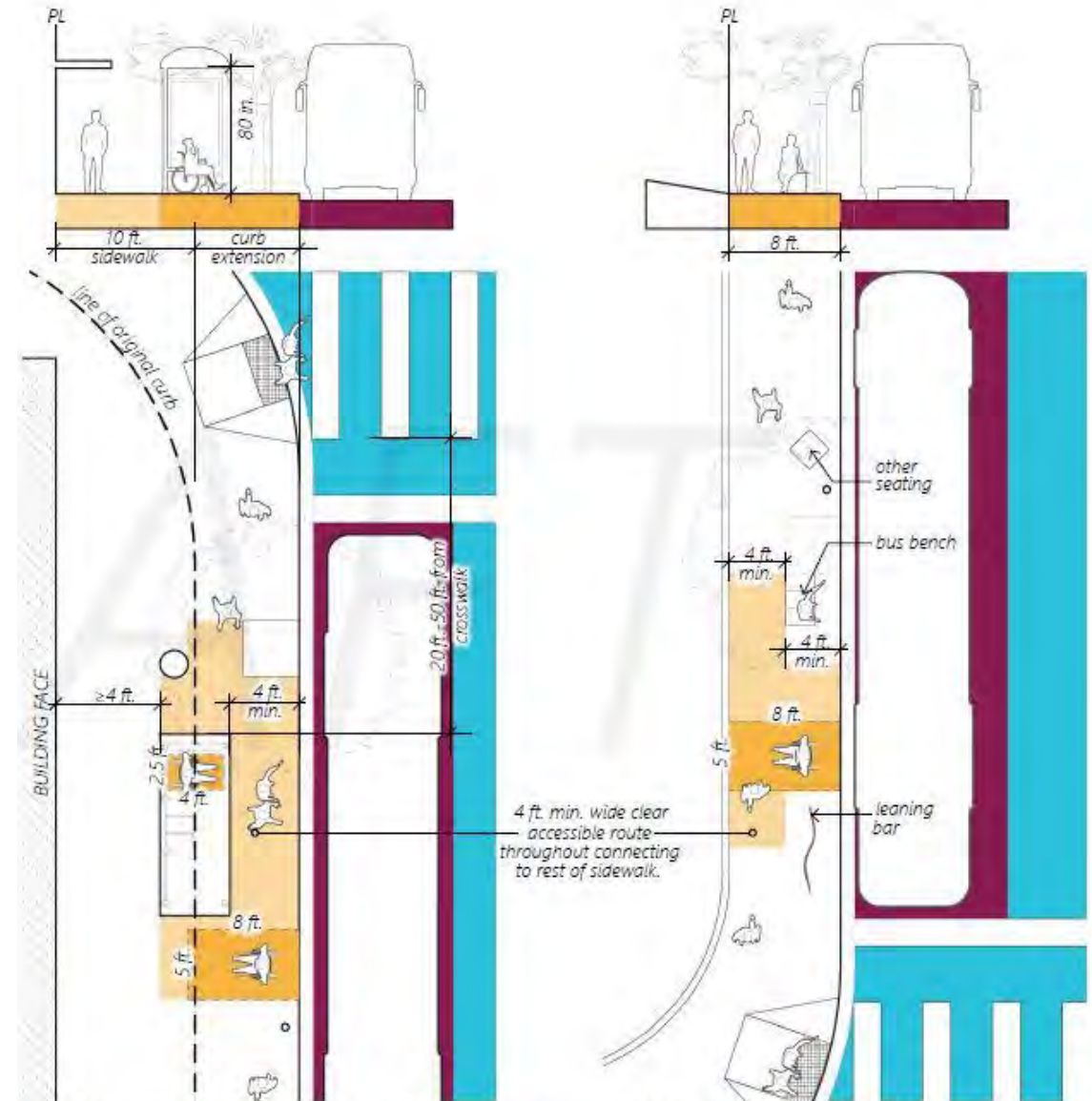


Figure 7-20. 10 ft. wide sidewalk along a retail street, with a far side, in-lane loading bus stop and curb extension.

Figure 7-21. 8 ft. wide sidewalk along a commercial street, with a near-side, pull-out loading bus stop and right-turn only lane (curb extension infeasible)

POLICY GOALS

BICYCLISTS

- Encourage bicycle use throughout the City as an **attractive, safe, comfortable, healthy, reliable, and environmentally sustainable** recreational and transportation alternative.
- Provide bicycle infrastructure that is easily navigable, accessible, and maintainable to all **ages and abilities**.
- **Connect destinations**, including transit centers, job centers, commercial areas, schools, parks, libraries, and residential neighborhoods.
- Close **gaps and eliminate barriers**, especially across freeways, rail corridors, and along first-mile/last-mile connections to transit.
- Ensure **safety and comfort** of all ages and abilities by separating people bicycling from people driving.



- Existing or Funded Bikeways (Class I-IV)
- High Ridership Streets (without current bicycle infrastructure)
- Streets that Close Gaps/Eliminate Barriers



APPLICABILITY

- Areas with gaps and barriers to ridership, especially along first-mile/last-mile connections.
- High bicycle ridership areas.
- Areas with high bicycle-involved collisions.

BICYCLISTS

CHOOSING BICYCLE FACILITY TYPES

- Guidance on **how to select a bikeway type and where to implement it.**
- **Road reconfigurations to accommodate new bikeways** while understanding tradeoffs.
- Typical methods for **how to separate and protect bicycles** at intersections, along street segments, and when in conflict with other modes.

BICYCLIST DESIGN USER PROFILES

Interested but Concerned

51%-56% of the total population

Often not comfortable with bike lanes, may bike on sidewalks even if bike lanes are provided; prefer off-street or separated bicycle facilities or quiet or traffic-calmed residential roads. May not bike at all if bicycle facilities do not meet needs for perceived comfort.

Somewhat Confident

5-9% of the total population

Generally prefer more separated facilities, but are comfortable riding in bicycle lanes or on paved shoulders if need be.

Highly Confident

4-7% of the total population

Comfortable riding with traffic; will use roads without bike lanes.



LOW STRESS TOLERANCE

HIGH STRESS TOLERANCE

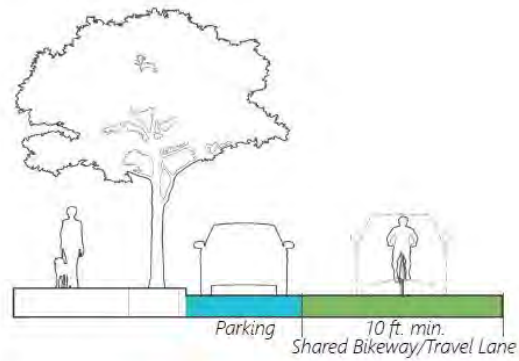
Note: the percentages above reflect only adults who have stated an interest in bicycling.

CHOOSING A BIKEWAY TYPE BASED ON ROADWAY CHARACTERISTICS				
POSTED VEHICLE SPEED	VEHICLE ADT (AVERAGE DAILY TRAFFIC)	NUMBER OF VEHICLE LANES	OTHER CONSIDERATIONS	PREFERRED BIKEWAY TYPE
N/A			Corridors in and around parks, along waterways, or as repurposed utility or rail corridors	Class I Bikeway (shared with pedestrians)
≤25 MPH	≤1,500 ADT	≤2 lanes (single lane in each direction with or without on-street parking)	Streets that are residential or low-intensity	Class III Bikeway or Bicycle Boulevard
25-30 MPH	1,500 - 6,000 ADT	2-5 lanes (one to two lanes in each direction with or without center turn lane or on-street parking)	Streets with low curbside activity or low vehicle congestion	Class II Bikeway (buffered preferred)
≥30 MPH	≥6,000 ADT	≥5 lanes (two or more lanes in each direction with center turn lane and with or without on-street parking)	Streets with high curbside activity, such as frequent bus or vehicle loading, on-street parking turnover, vehicle congestion, or vehicle turning conflicts.	Class IV Bikeway (on-street or sidewalk-level)
Any				

Figure 9-2. Contextual Guidance for Selecting Bikeway Types. Adapted from FHWA.¹

BIKEWAY CLASS TYPES

Bicycle Route (Class III):

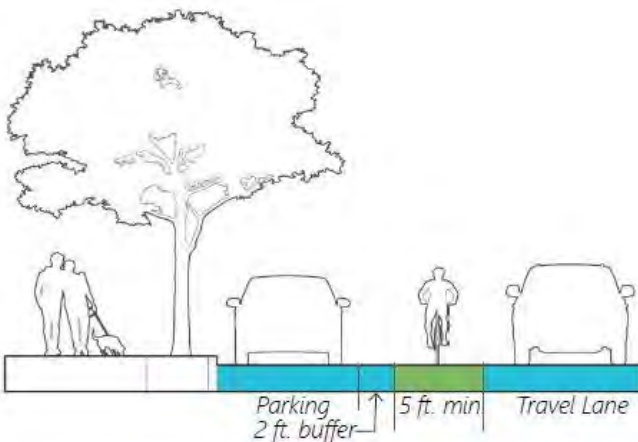


Verdugo Ave./Beachwood Dr.



Kenneth Rd./Providencia Ave.

Bicycle Lane (Class II):



Amherst Dr.

BIKEWAY CLASS TYPES

Protected Bicycle Lane (Class IV):

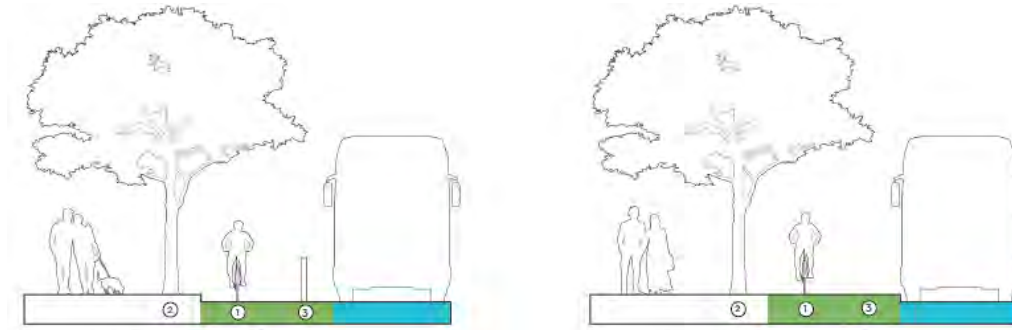


Figure 9-14. Class IV On-Street Bikeway

Figure 9-15. Class IV Sidewalk-Level Bikeway

- ① Bikeway Width
- ② Pedestrian Buffer (also Furnishing Zone 1)
- ③ Vehicle Buffer

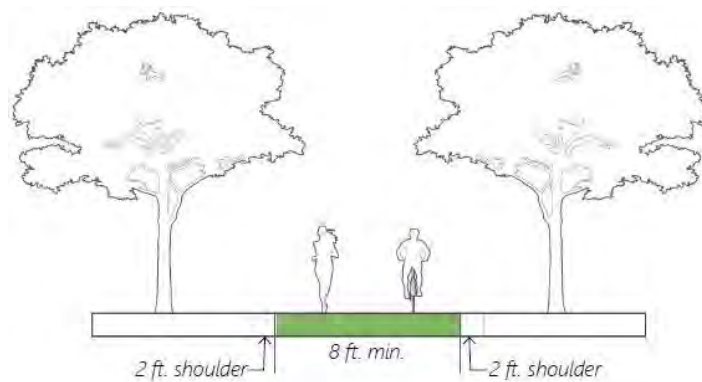


Chicago, IL



Cambridge, MA (Vassar St.)

Shared Multi-Use Path (Class I):



Chandler Bikeway

UPGRADING TO PROTECTED FACILITIES

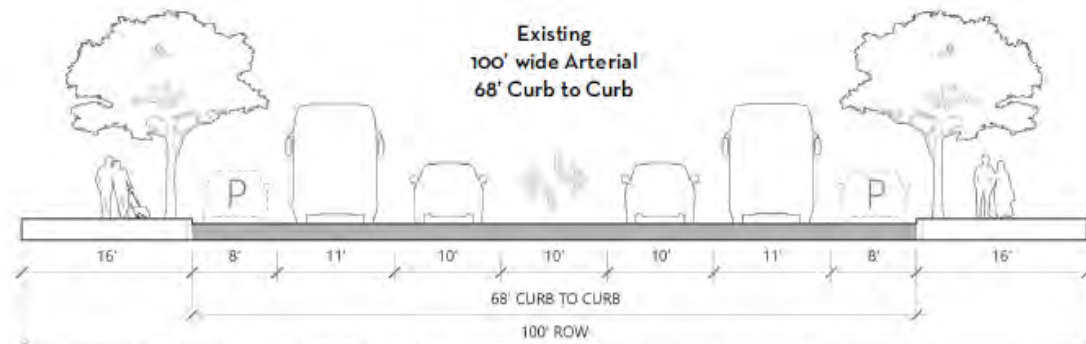


Figure 9-26. Typical 100' wide ROW with 68' wide curb to curb, e.g., north-south stretch of Victory Blvd.

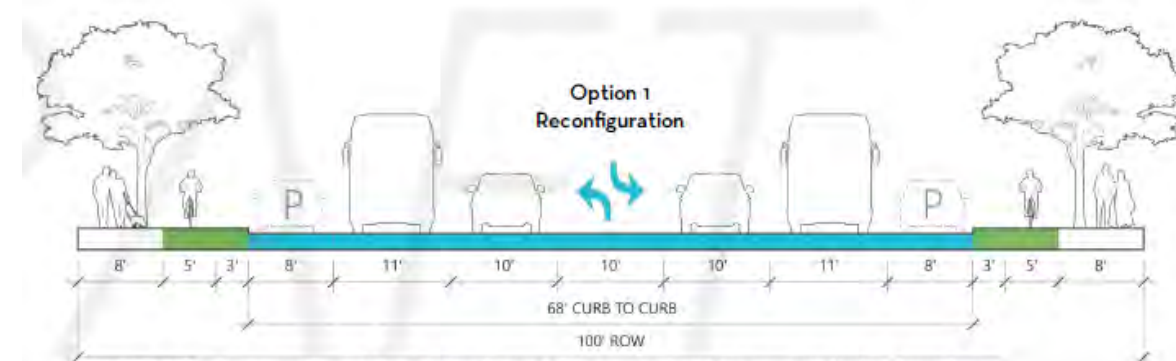
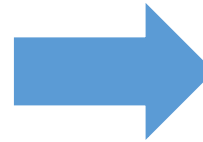


Figure 9-27. Option 1, one-way, sidewalk-level class IV bikeway, with no impact to vehicular throughput.

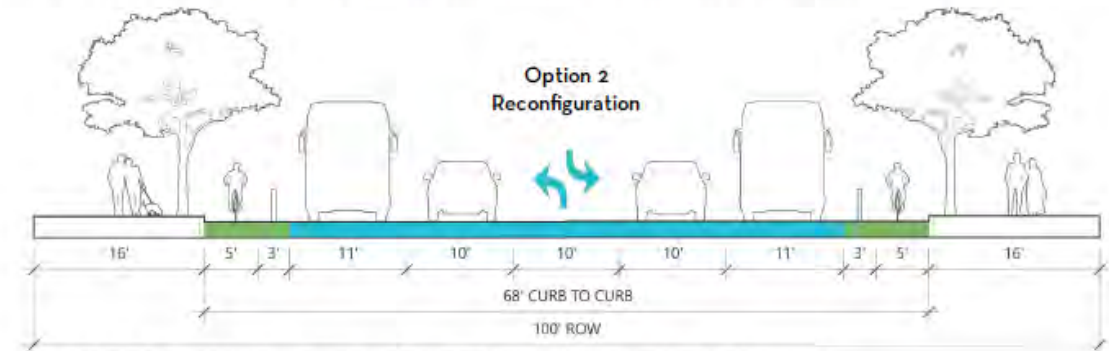


Figure 9-28. Option 2, one-way, on-street class IV bikeway, if on-street parking is removed.

UPGRADING TO PROTECTED FACILITIES

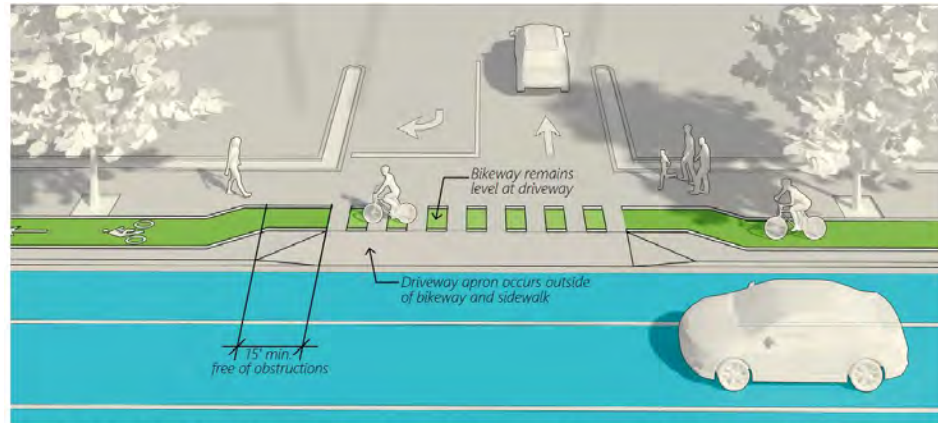


Figure 9-36. Sidewalk-level class IV bikeway at a driveway, where the driveway apron slopes outside of the bikeway and sidewalk.

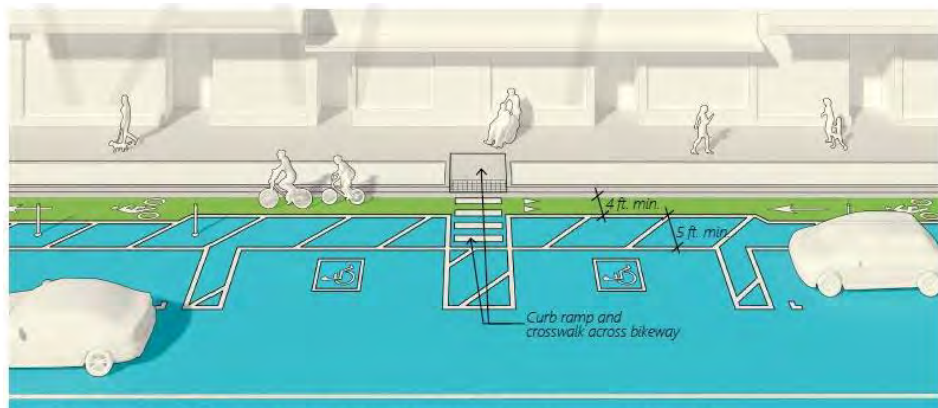


Figure 6-41. On-street class IV bikeway at accessible on-street parking with required clearances and paths of travel.

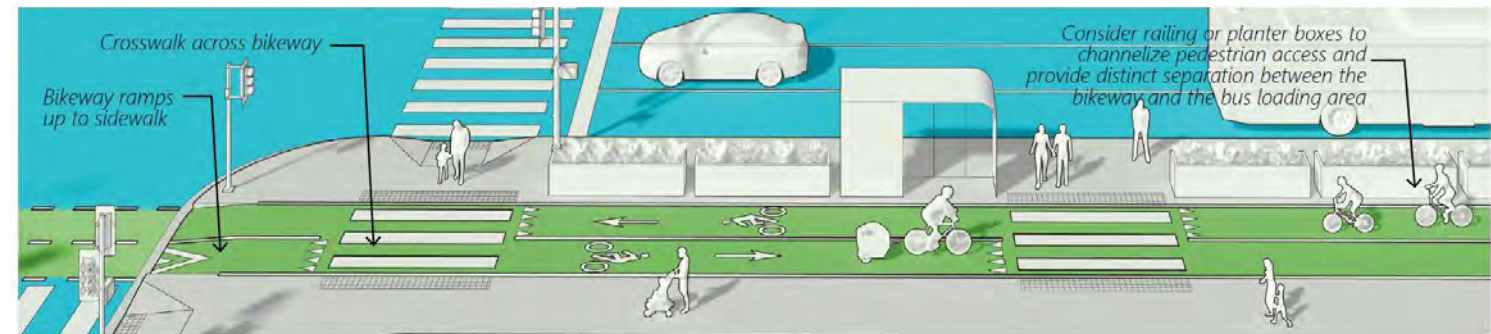


Figure 6-44. Two-way, sidewalk-level class IV bikeway at far side, in-lane loading bus stop.

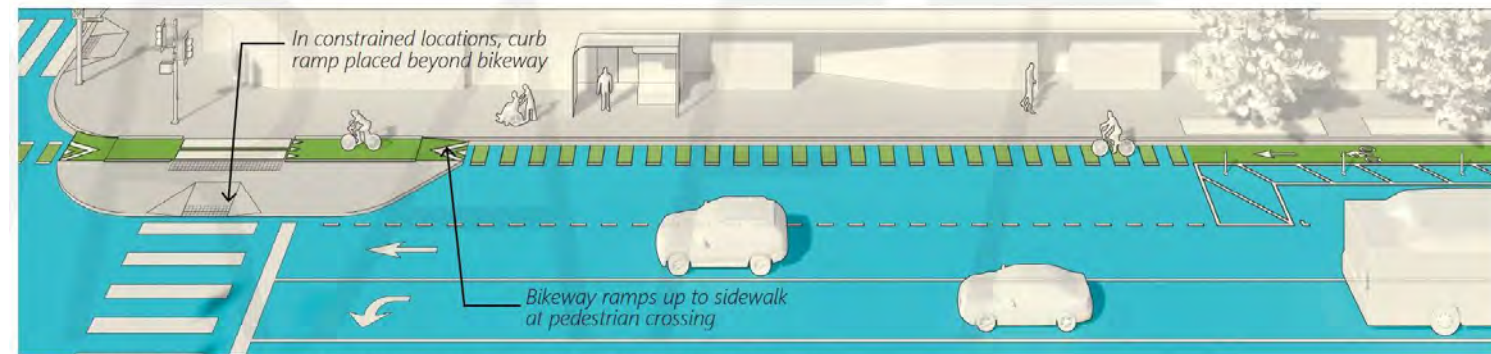
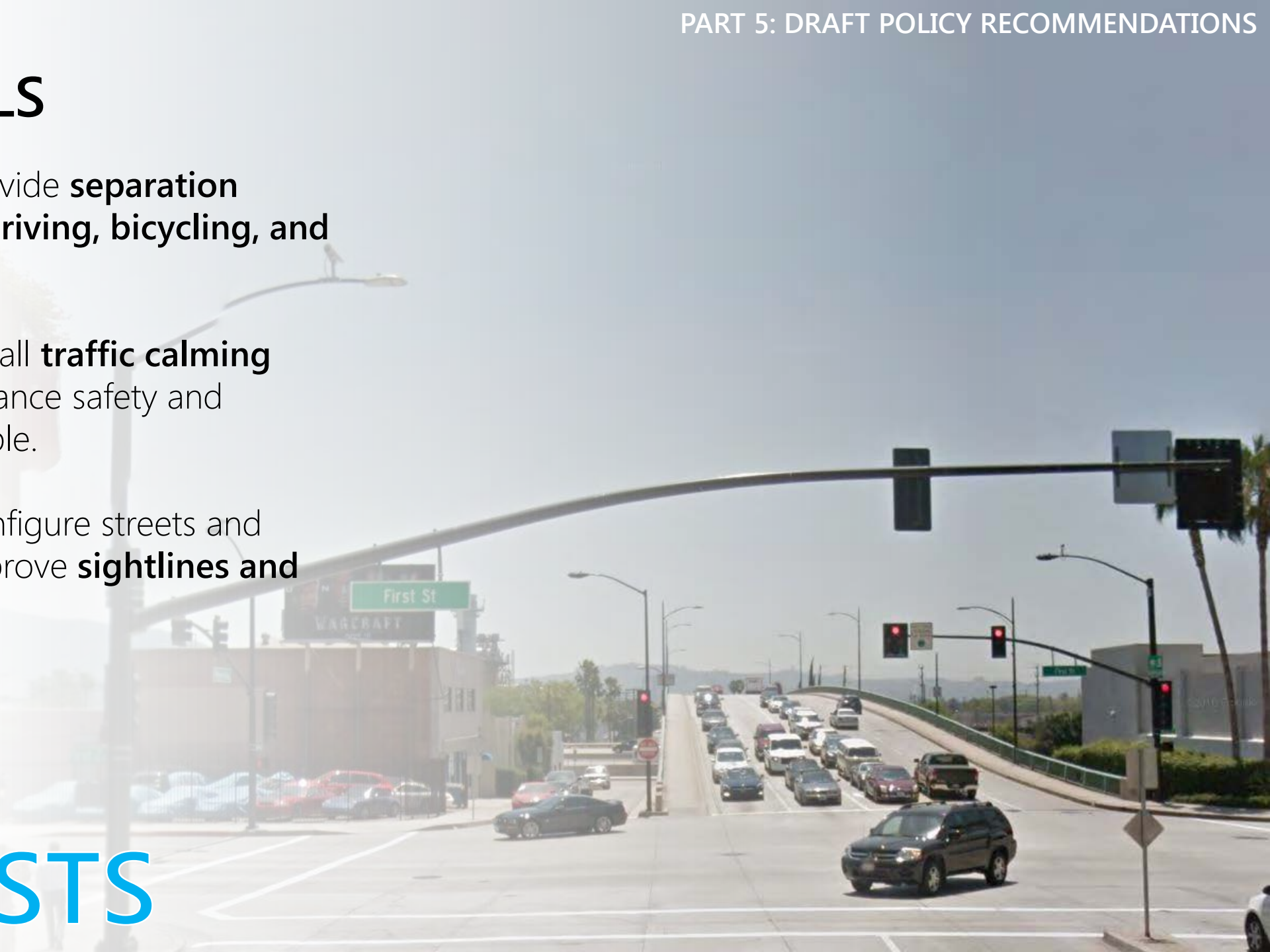


Figure 6-45. One-way in-street class IV bikeway at a near side, pull-out loading bus stop.

POLICY GOALS

- Where feasible, provide **separation between people driving, bicycling, and walking.**
- Where feasible, install **traffic calming treatments** to enhance safety and visibility for all people.
- Redesign and reconfigure streets and intersections to improve **sightlines and visibility.**

MOTORISTS



APPLICABILITY

- Streets and/or intersections that have high vehicle-involved collisions.
- High-volume and high-speed streets.
- Intersections that are odd-angled or skewed in geometry.

- Intersections with High Instances of Vehicle Collisions
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MOTORISTS

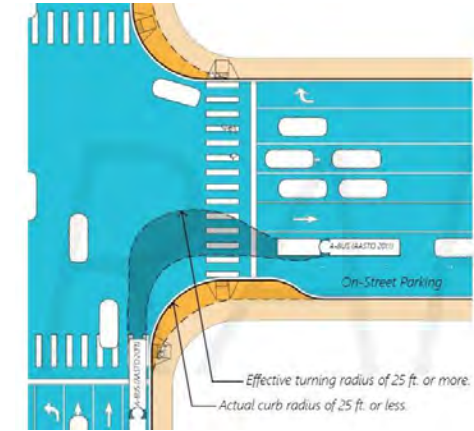
TRAFFIC CALMING & MOTORIST SAFETY

- Speed Humps/Cushions
- Reduced Turning Radius
- **25 ft. minimum**
- Speed Feedback Signs
- Retroreflective Backplates
- Emergency Vehicle Pre-Emption
- Minimum Lane Widths:

- Travel lane not adjacent to curb	10 ft.
- Travel lane adjacent to curb or in-street bicycle lane	11 ft.
- On-street parking lane	8 ft.
- On-street parking lane adjacent to curb and in-street bicycle lane	7 ft.



Speed Cushions



Turning Radius



Speed Feedback Signs



Retroreflective Backplates



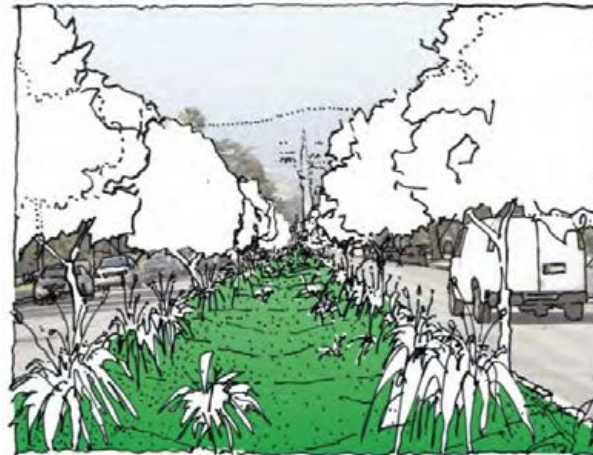
Emergency Vehicle Pre-Emption

STREET RECONFIGURATIONS

- Improve sightlines
- Landscaping, urban greening, and storm water capture
- Improve right-of-way delineation



Existing Conditions at North Olive Avenue



OPTION 1: 20-FOOT WIDE LANDSCAPED MEDIAN



Figure 11-4. Existing skewed intersection at Edison Way and Hollywood Way.



Figure 11-5. Reconfigured intersection, with new crosswalk, and open space opportunities.

POLICY GOALS

- Treat **storm water** more effectively.
- **Reduce the demand** on traditional infrastructure.
- Integrate with **traffic calming** measures.
- Improve **air quality**.
- Reduce **heat-island effect**.
- Integrate street **beautification**.
- Fulfill existing **Green Streets Policy**.



GREEN STREETS

APPLICABILITY

- Streets that may lack shade.
- Wide streets that may benefit from traffic calming.
- Skewed/odd-angled intersections to improve safety for all modes of travel.



Figure 10-1. Locations lacking tree canopies.



Figure 10-2. Locations of skewed/odd-angle intersections.

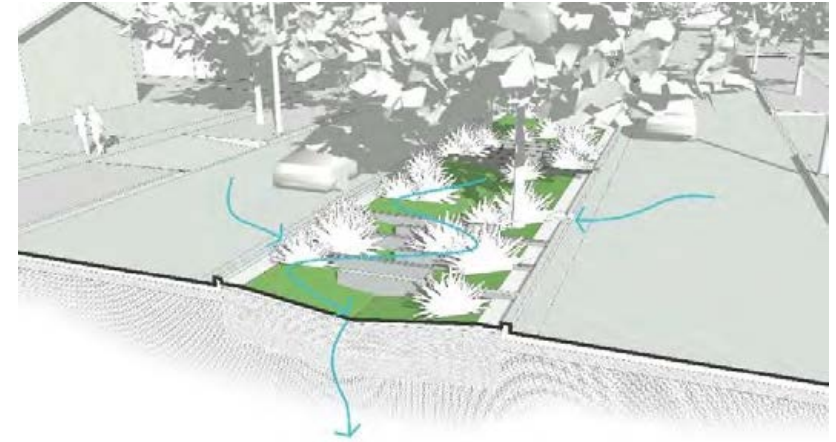
GREEN STREETS

URBAN GREENING & LANDSCAPING

- Curb Extensions
- Medians
- Parkways
- Community Gardens or Butterfly Gardens



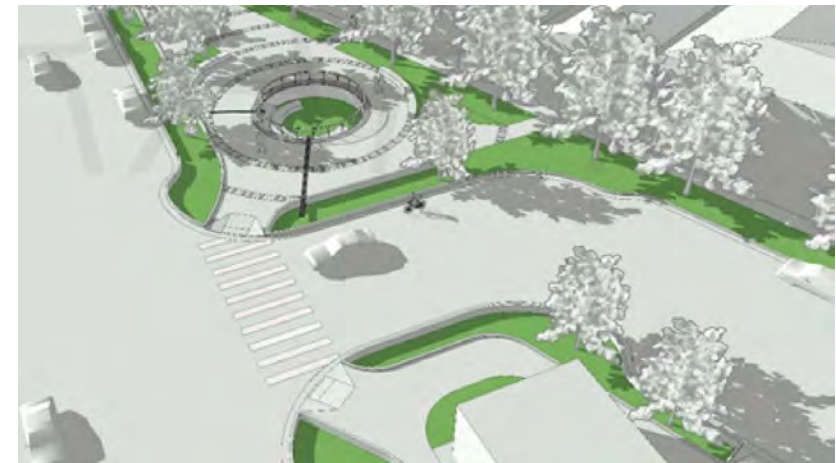
Curb Extension



Landscaped Median



Parkway



Community Garden

POLICY GOALS

- **Facilitate and accommodate** the unique access and mobility requirements of equestrians within the Rancho neighborhood.
- **Promote safety** of horses, their riders, and other street users in the Rancho neighborhood.

EQUESTRIANS

EQUESTRIANS

APPLICABILITY

- Land uses zoned R-1-H: Single Family Residential Horse-keeping.
- Streets that connect to equestrian trails and facilities along the L.A. River.



Figure 9-1. Equestrian Priority Locations

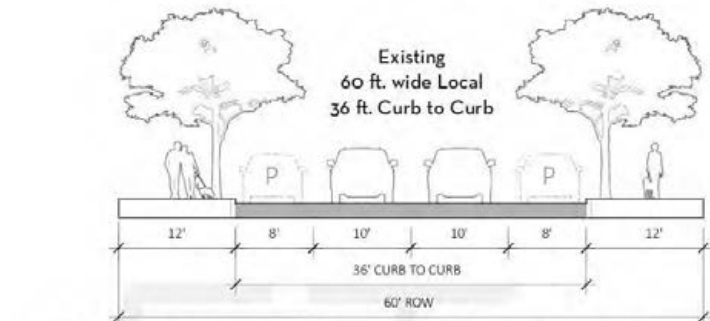


Figure 9-3. Typical 60 ft. wide ROW with 36 ft. wide curb to curb local street.

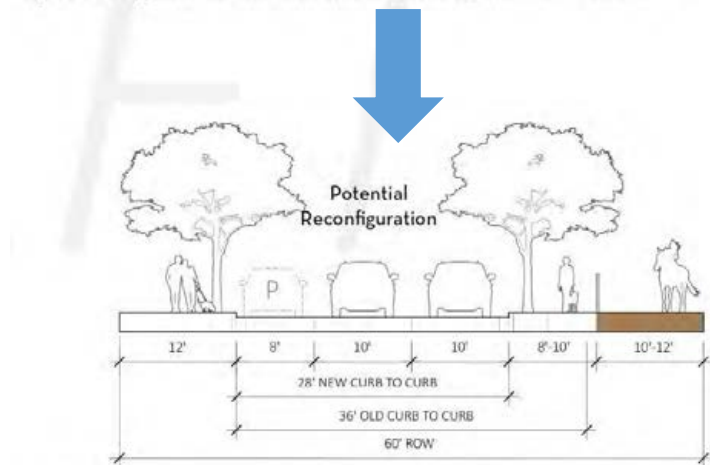


Figure 9-4. New bridle path by removing on-street parking on one side of the street.

SMART STREETS

POLICY GOALS

- Address new trends and technologies that are increasing competition for curb space and the public right-of-way.

APPLICABILITY

- Streets with high pedestrian, bicyclist, and vehicular volumes.
- Transit stops and routes with high-frequency service and/or high-ridership.
- Areas zoned for high-density residential and commercial land uses.
- High curbside activity areas.

Essential Right-of-Way Functions		
Function	Definition	Uses
Mobility	Moves people and goods	Sidewalks Bus or streetcar lanes Bike lanes General purpose travel lanes - includes freight Right-of-left-turn only lanes
Access for People	People arrive at their destination, or transfer between different ways of getting around	Bus or rail stops Bike parking Curb bulbs Passenger load zones Short-term parking Taxi zones
Access for Commerce	Goods and services reach their customers and markets	Commercial vehicle load zone Truck load zone
Activation	Offers vibrant social spaces	Food trucks Parklets and streateries Public art Seating Street festivals
Greening	Enhances aesthetics and environmental health	Plantings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Boulevards Street trees Planter boxes Rain gardens and bio-swales
Storage	Provides storage for vehicles or equipment	Bus layover Long-term parking Reserved spaces (e.g. for Police or other government use) Construction

Primary right-of-way functions identified by Seattle Department of Transportation.

(Photo Credit: Medium)



Relocate curb spaces to better utilize the curb zone.



Convert curb space to different uses to better utilize the curb zone.



Convert curb spaces to *flexible time of day zones* to meet demand-based uses throughout the day.

6. DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS





Burbank Citywide Complete Streets Plan

PRIORITY PROJECTS

SHORT-TERM

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

- Located within Filter 1 **AND** Filter 2
- Low capital cost, “quick-build”
- Grant-eligibility
- Could utilize existing funds or likely to be implemented via private developer in near future

MID-TERM

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

- Located within Filter 1 **AND/OR** Filter 2
- Medium capital cost
- Grant-eligibility

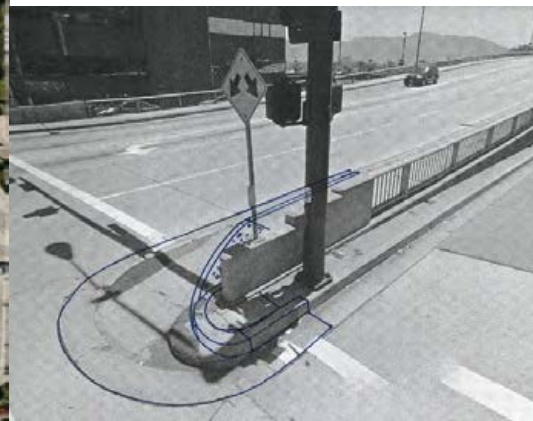
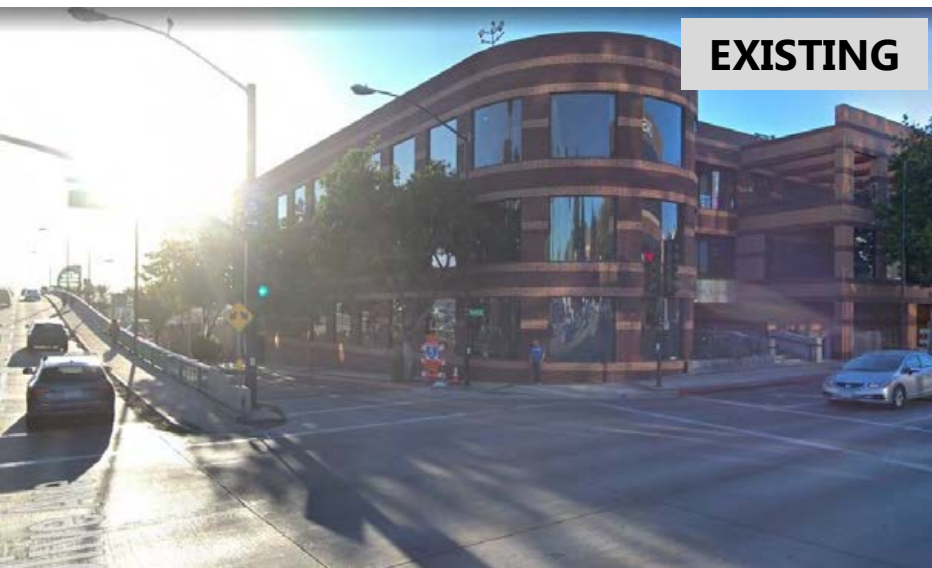
LONG-TERM / ASPIRATIONAL

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

- Located within Filter 1 **AND/OR** Filter 2
- High capital cost
- Grant-eligibility
- Multi-agency and/or multi-jurisdictional
- Requires additional public engagement and support
- Significant intervention that would transform City’s public realm

SHORT-TERM PROJECT

BONNYWOOD PLACE CLOSURE PROJECT



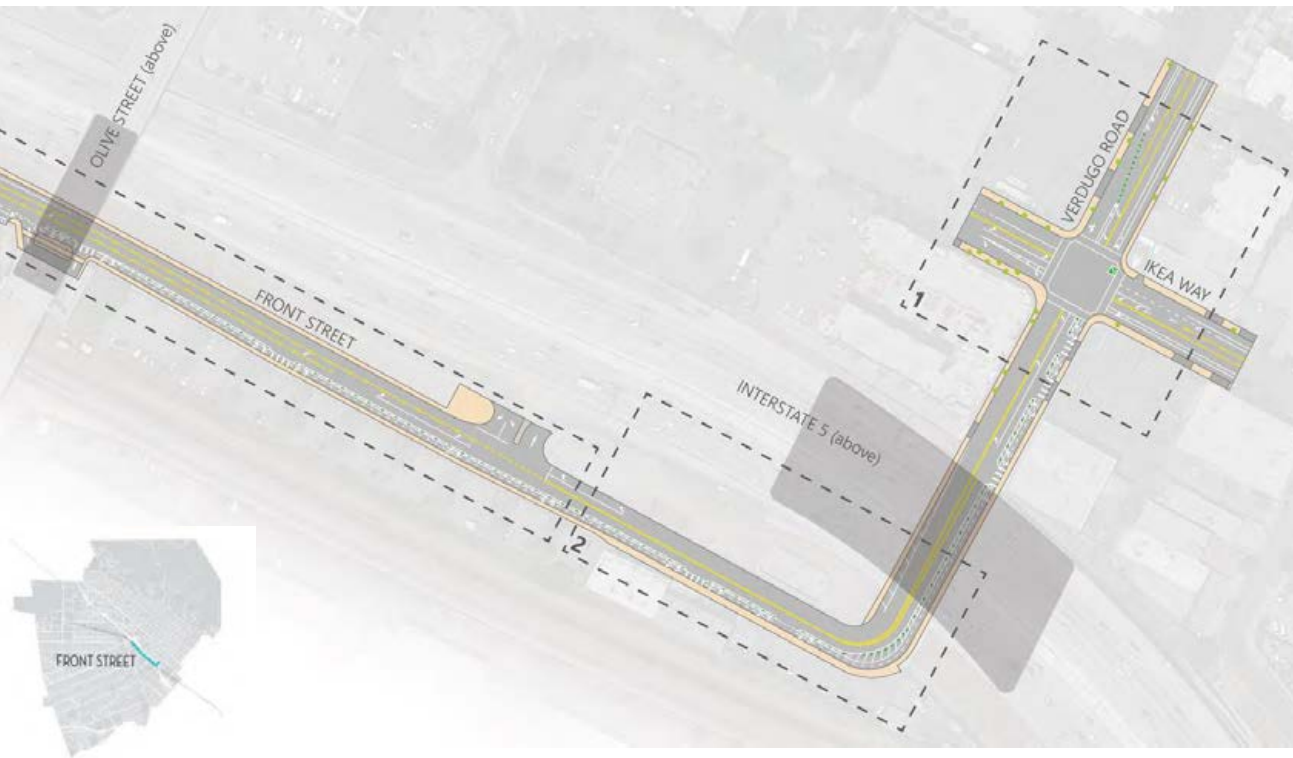
- **Project Location:**
 - Bonnywood Pl. at 1st St. and Olive Ave.
- **Project Description:**
 - Close vehicular access to Bonnywood Pl.
 - Improve pedestrian crossing by adding high-visibility crosswalks, upgrading ADA ramps, and enlarging pedestrian landing area at the bottom of Olive Bridge.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian safety in Downtown Burbank.
 - Improve first/last-mile connectivity to the Downtown Burbank Metrolink Station.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Transit
 - Bicyclist
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

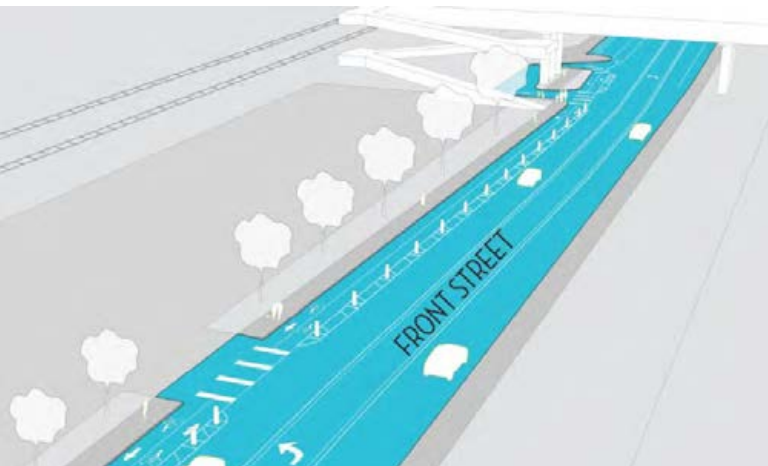
SHORT-TERM PROJECT

FRONT STREET CLASS IV BIKEWAY – PHASE 1

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



- **Project Location:**
 - Front St. between 1st St. and Olive Bridge underpass.
- **Project Description:**
 - Two-way, in-street Class IV protected bikeway with bollards.
- **Purpose:**
 - Provide east/west connectivity between the Downtown Metrolink Station and Downtown Burbank to eliminate first/last-mile gap.
 - Connect to future LaTerra (777 Front St.) development's sidewalk-level bicycle lane.



Front St - Existing

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Bicyclist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

SHORT-TERM PROJECT

FIRST STREET COMPLETE STREET PROJECT – PHASE 1

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

- **Project Location:**

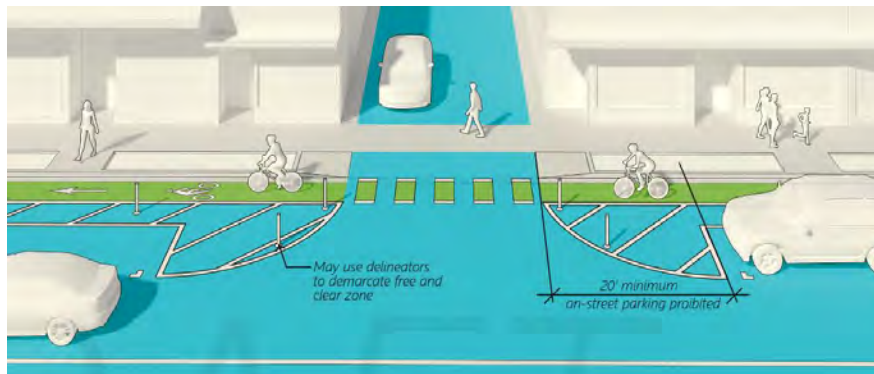
- 1st St. between San Fernando Blvd. and Verdugo Ave.

- **Project Description:**

- In-street Class IV protected bikeway with bollards and bus boarding islands

- **Purpose:**

- Provide east/west connectivity between the Downtown Metrolink Station and Downtown Burbank to eliminate first/last-mile gap.
- Connect to future First Street Village development's sidewalk-level bikeway at 1st St. and Magnolia Blvd. and the proposed Front Street Class IV Bikeway Project.



1st St - Existing

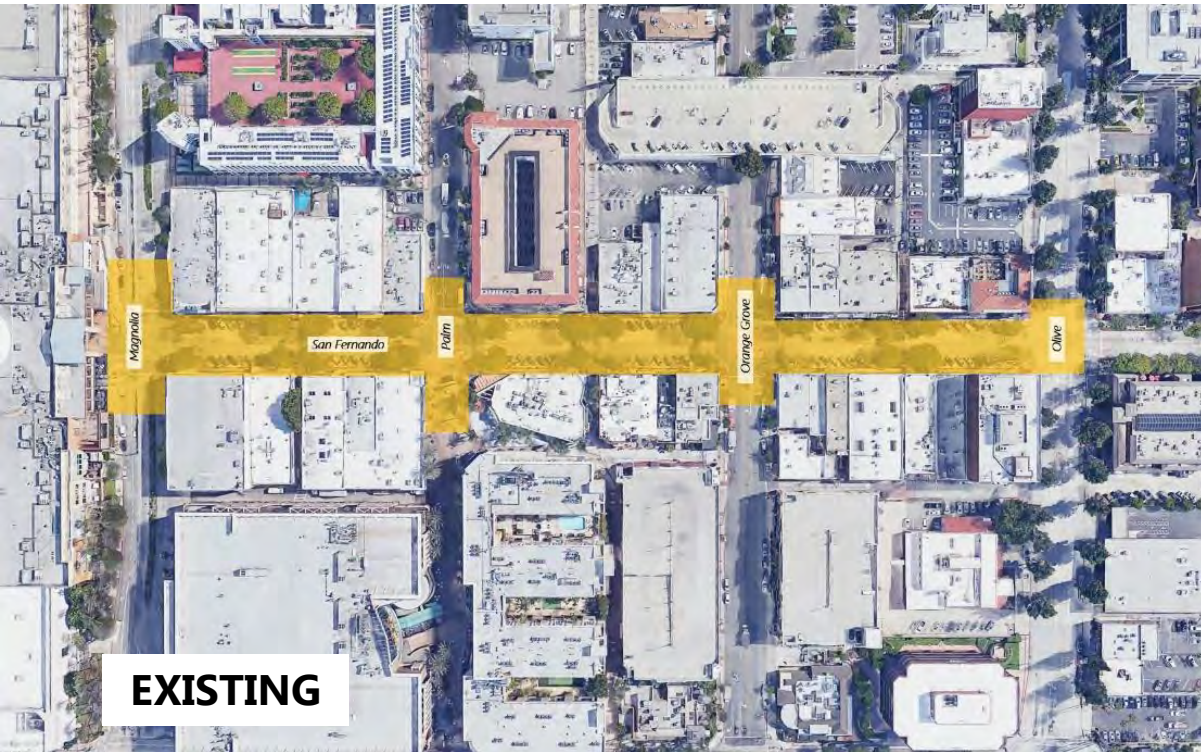
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- Transit
- Bicyclist
- Motorist

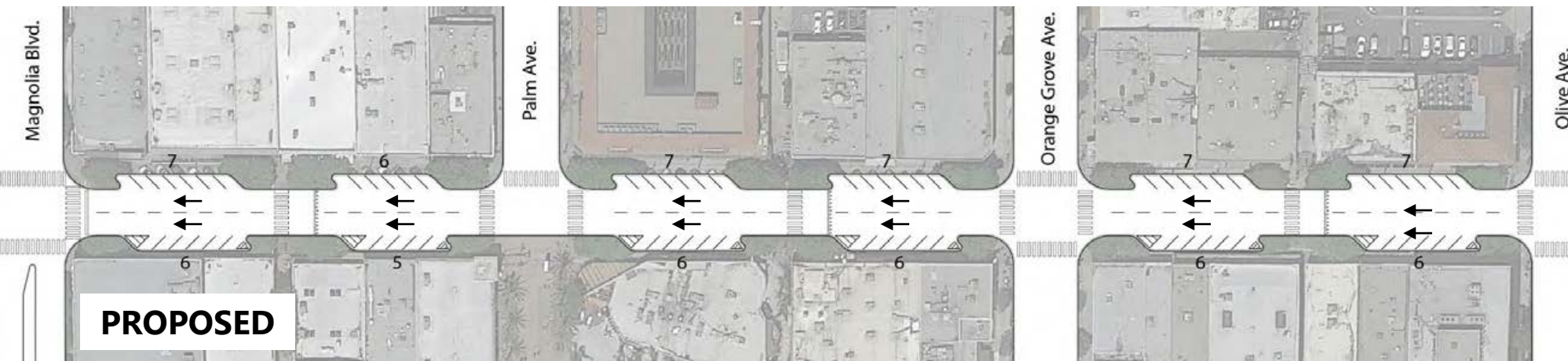
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

SHORT-TERM PROJECT

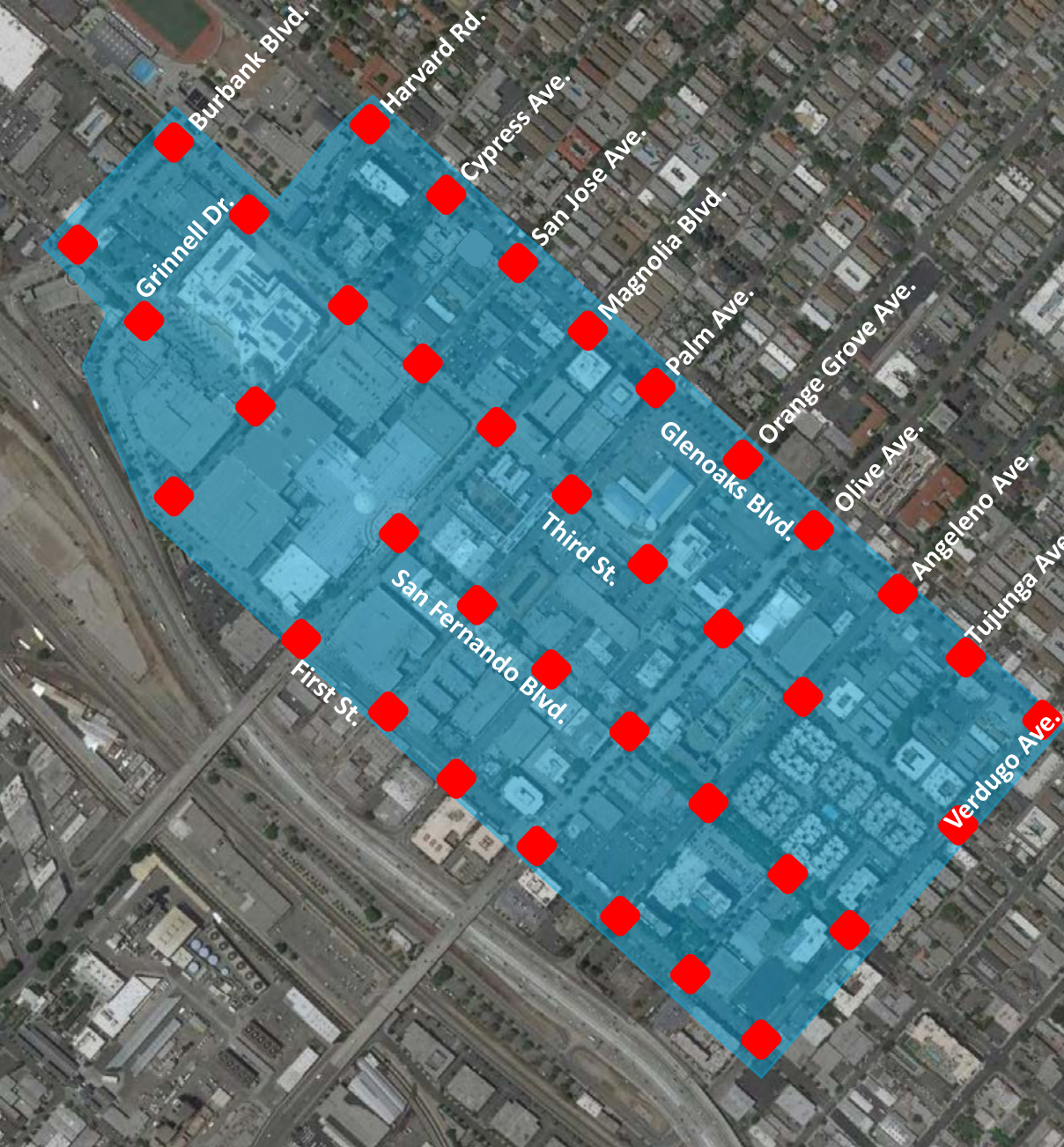
DOWNTOWN SAN FERNANDO BLVD. RECONFIGURATION – PHASE 1



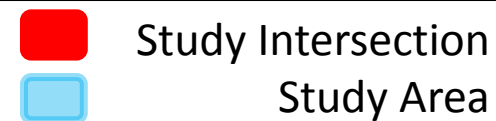
- **Project Location:**
 - San Fernando Blvd. between Magnolia Blvd. and Olive Ave.
- **Project Description:**
 - Change vehicular flow of traffic to be two lanes one-way only traveling northbound on San Fernando Blvd.
 - Install signage and modify roadway striping.
 - Remove 6 parking spaces to maintain head-in angled parking on west side of San Fernando Blvd.
- **Purpose:**
 - Enhance vehicular and pedestrian safety.
 - Phase 1 would be a short-term test project. If successful, a Phase 2 project would create a more long-term improvement with wider sidewalks and traffic calming.



- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
- **Focus Area?:** Yes



- **Project Location:**
 - 38 intersections in Downtown from Burbank Blvd. to Verdugo Ave. between Glenoaks Blvd. and 1st St.
- **Project Description:**
 - Conduct a study and conceptual engineering design for potential pedestrian safety improvements in the Downtown core.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian safety in Downtown Burbank, which has shown the highest pedestrian volumes and pedestrian-involved collisions in the City.



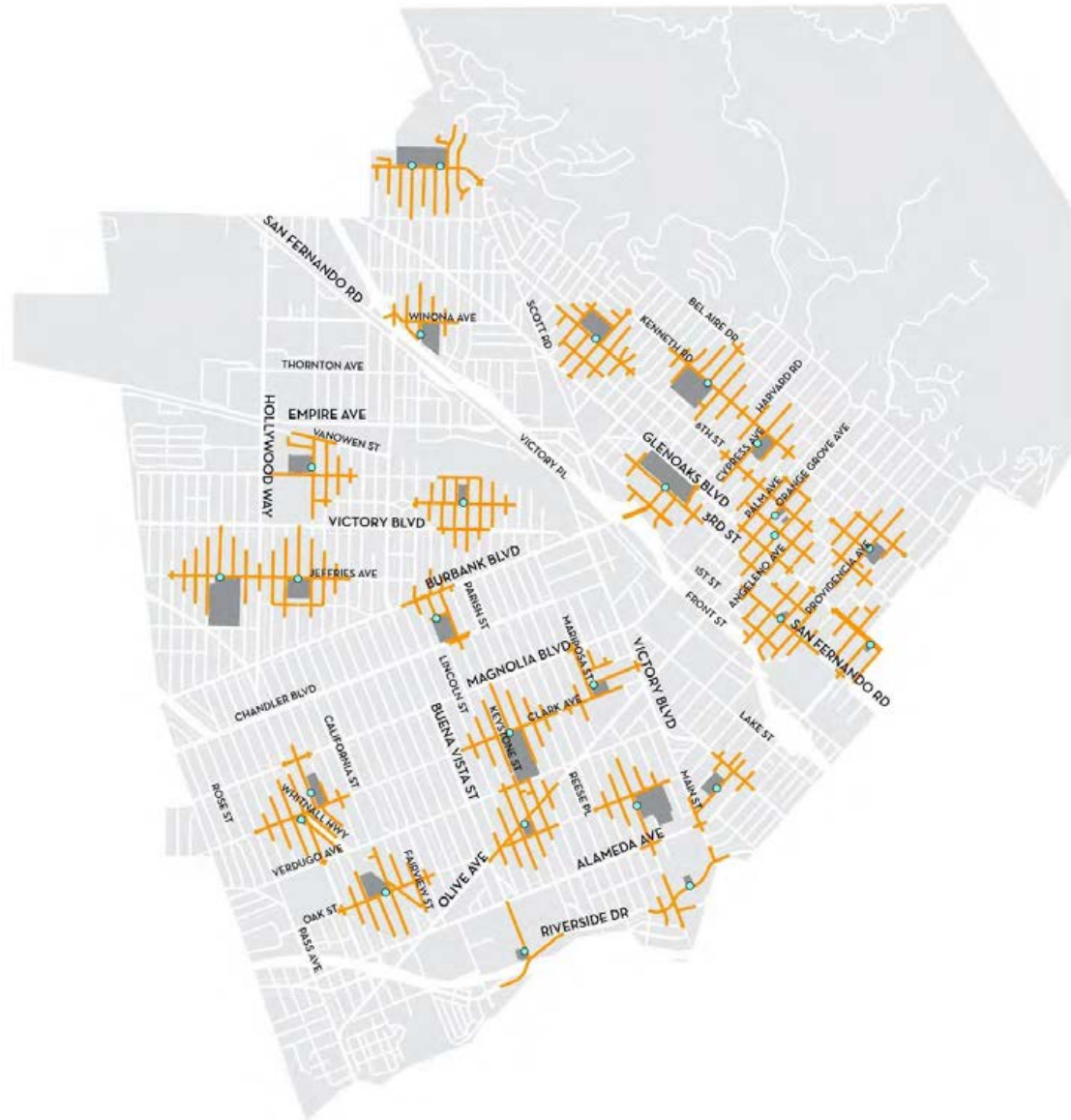
- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

SHORT-TERM PROJECT

CITYWIDE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL

SITE ASSESSMENTS AND CONCEPTUAL DESIGN PLANS

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



- **Project Location:**
 - All 27 schools Citywide.
- **Project Description:**
 - Conduct site assessments at every school in the City and create conceptual plans for traffic safety improvements.
 - Create an implementation plan for future grant funding opportunities or to be installed gradually over time.
- **Purpose:**
 - Council adopted a local all-way stop and 15 mph school speed zone criteria in November 2018 to support school traffic safety. This project would be the next step in reinforcing school traffic safety and to calm traffic.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Transit
 - Bicyclist
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

SHORT-TERM PROJECT

CITYWIDE SIDEWALKS IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

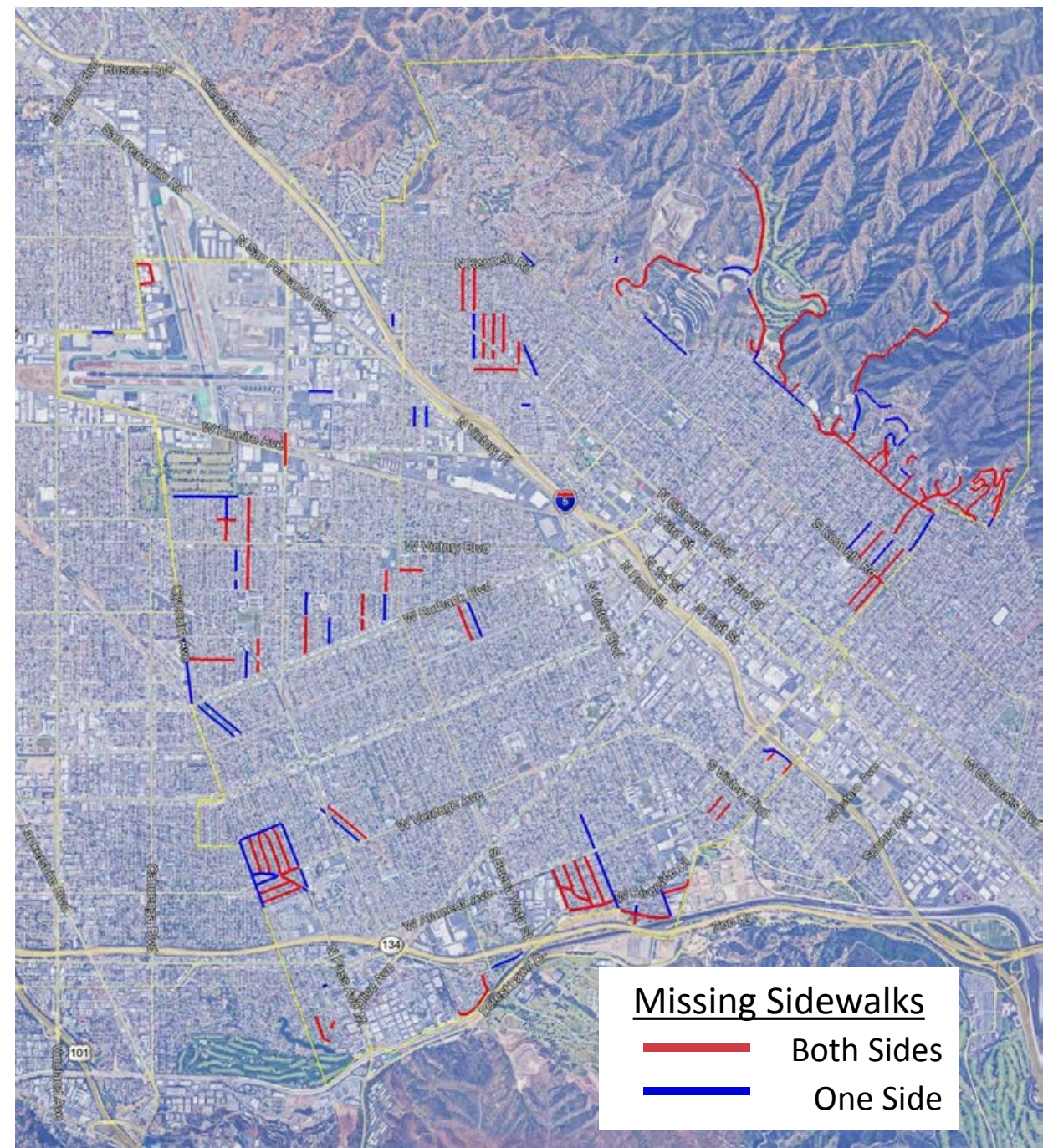
- **Project Location:**
 - Missing sidewalks Citywide.
- **Project Description:**
 - Create an Implementation Plan for how to build currently missing sidewalks Citywide.
 - Locations near schools, parks, libraries, senior centers, and transit stops would be prioritized first.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian safety and connectivity.
 - Complete first/last-mile connections.

■ **Priority Networks:**

- Pedestrian
- Transit
- Bicyclist
- Motorist

■ **Focus Area?:** Yes

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



- **Project Location:**
 - Citywide.
- **Project Description:**
 - Create a framework to systematically identify and analyze traffic safety issues Citywide and recommend future safety improvements based on comprehensive data analysis.
- **Purpose:**
 - Reduce motorist fatalities and serious injuries.
 - Meet state and federal requirements to expand future grant funding eligibility.

▪ **Priority Networks:**

- Pedestrian
- Transit
- Bicyclist
- Motorist

▪ **Focus Area?:** Yes



MID-TERM PROJECT

DOWNTOWN SAN FERNANDO RECONFIGURATION – PHASE 2

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

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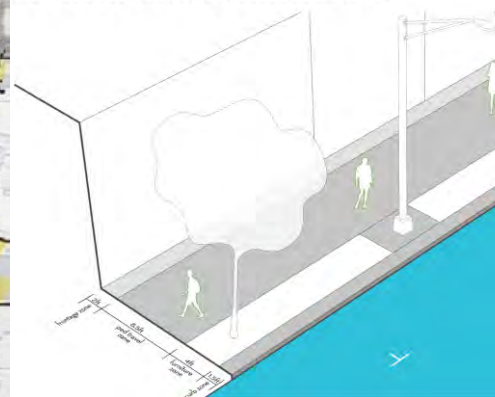


PROPOSED



- **Project Location:**
 - San Fernando Blvd. between Magnolia Blvd. and Olive Ave.
- **Project Description:**
 - Build permanent infrastructure and signs for Phase 2.
 - Make one-way vehicular flow of traffic be permanent.
 - Reduce vehicle travel lanes from two lanes to one lane.
 - Reconstruct curb and gutter to expand parkways from current 10 ft. to about 17 ft.
 - Streamline and reorganize sidewalk zones.
 - Provide more street trees and/or shade structures along San Fernando Blvd.
- **Purpose:**
 - Enhance vehicular and pedestrian safety.
 - Expand shade in Downtown.

NEW SIDEWALK ZONES ON SAN FERNANDO BLVD



- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

MID-TERM PROJECT

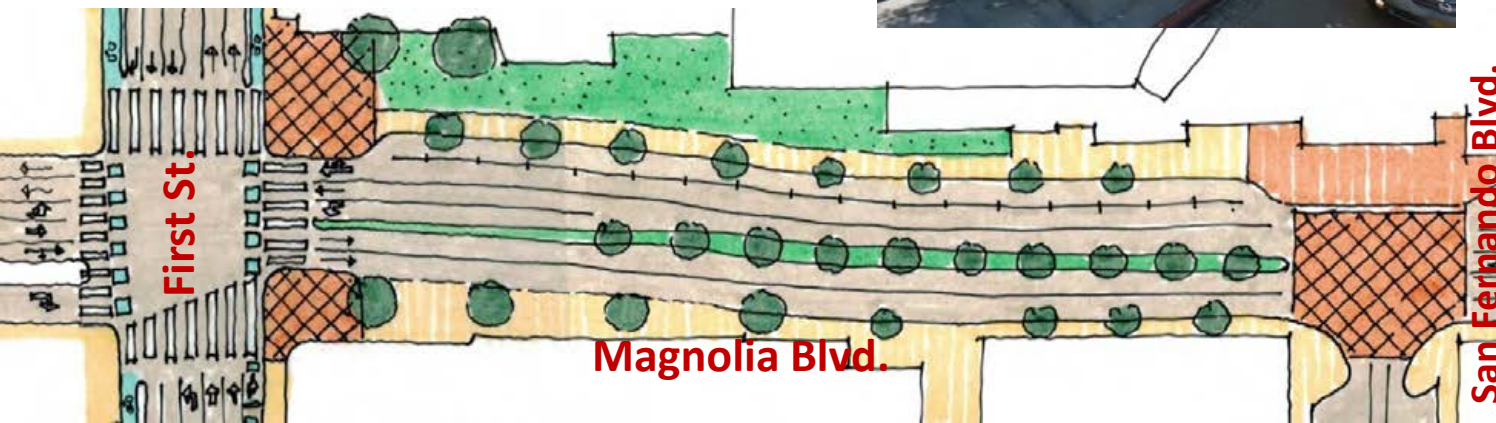
DOWNTOWN MAGNOLIA BOULEVARD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT – PHASE 1

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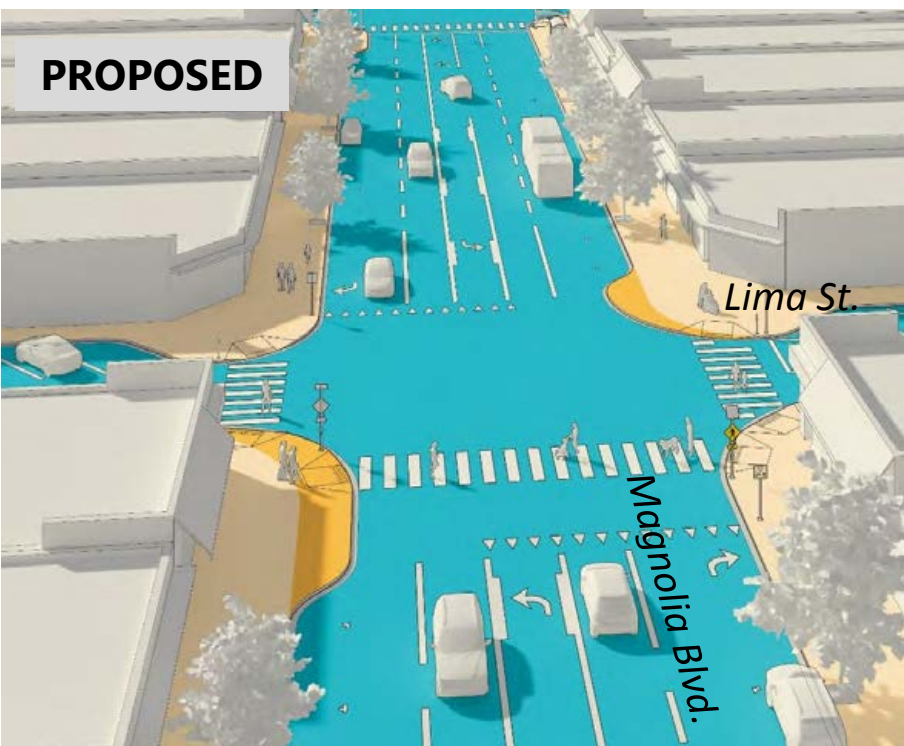


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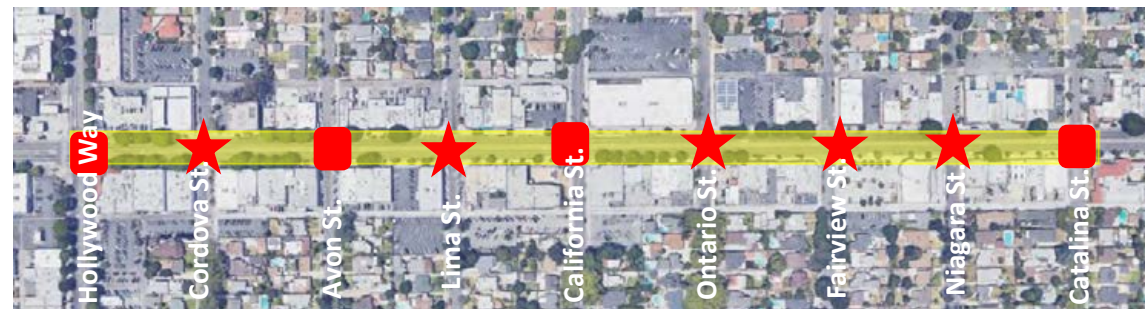
- **Project Location:**
 - Magnolia Blvd. between 1st St. and San Fernando Blvd.
- **Project Description:**
 - Upgrade pedestrian crossing at 1st St. and Magnolia Blvd. intersection to high visibility crosswalks.
 - Widen sidewalks along southern side of Magnolia Blvd. to about 10 ft. by removing about 8 parking spaces.
 - Expand northeast and southeast corner at 1st/Magnolia to reduce pedestrian crossing distance by about 30 ft.
 - Retain vehicular capacity and existing travel lanes.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian safety and connectivity.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Transit
 - Bicyclist
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes



- **Project Location:**
 - 8 blocks along Magnolia Blvd. between Catalina St. and Hollywood Way.
- **Project Description:**
 - Install high-visibility crosswalks and controlled pedestrian crossings at every intersection.
 - Install curb extensions at intersections with high pedestrian volumes.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian safety and connectivity.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

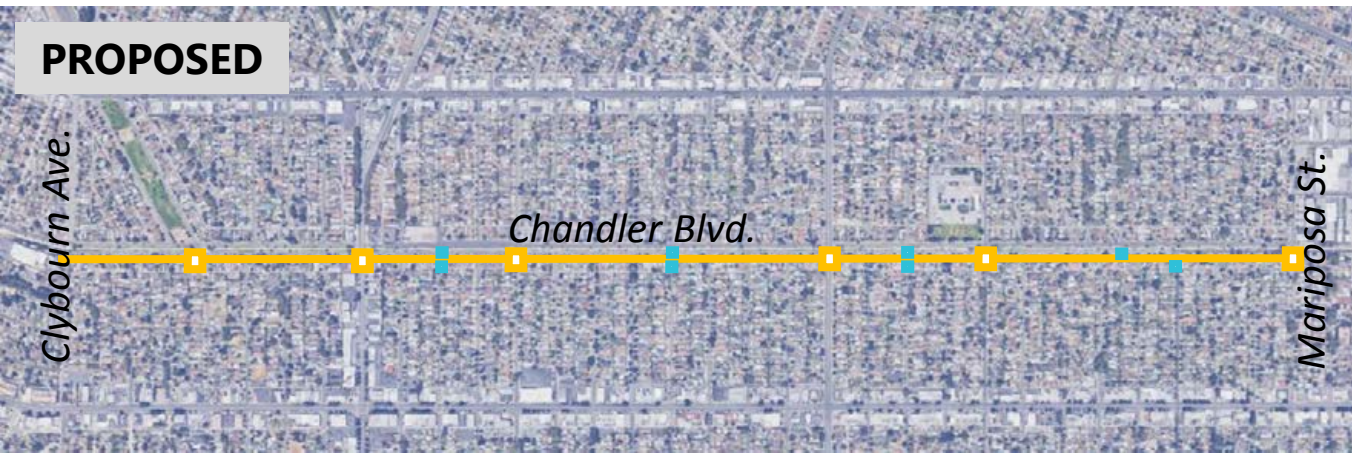


- Project Intersection
- Project Area
- ★ New Controlled Crossing

MID-TERM PROJECT

CHANDLER BIKEWAY ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS & RECONFIGURATION

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



- **Project Location:**
 - Chandler Blvd. between Clybourn Ave. and Mariposa.
- **Project Description:**
 - Construct 26 pedestrian curb ramps with high visibility crosswalks.
 - Create 5 new access points along the existing multi-use path.
 - Re-stripe Chandler Blvd. for vehicular traffic to be the traditional one-way in each direction.
- **Purpose:**
 - Currently, people with disabilities must travel up to ½ mile to access the Chandler Bikeway. The project would provide ADA upgrades and improve pedestrian safety and convenience.
 - Enhance bicyclist safety and accessibility.
 - Improve motorist safety.

	Proposed New Access Point
	Existing Access Point
	Project Area

▪ Priority Networks:
- Pedestrian
- Bicyclist
▪ Focus Area?: No

MID-TERM PROJECT

EDISON/HOLLYWOOD INTERSECTION RECONFIGURATION

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



- **Project Location:**
 - Edison Blvd. at Hollywood Way
- **Project Description:**
 - Reconfigure the intersection to enhance pedestrian and motorist safety.
 - Reduce pedestrian crossing distance across Hollywood Way and install high-visibility crosswalks.
 - Install landscaping, public art, demonstration garden, and/or storm water capture.
- **Purpose:**
 - Increase shade and urban greenery.
 - Improve pedestrian and motorist safety.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
- **Focus Area?:** No

LONG-TERM PROJECT

MAGNOLIA BRIDGE IN DOWNTOWN

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

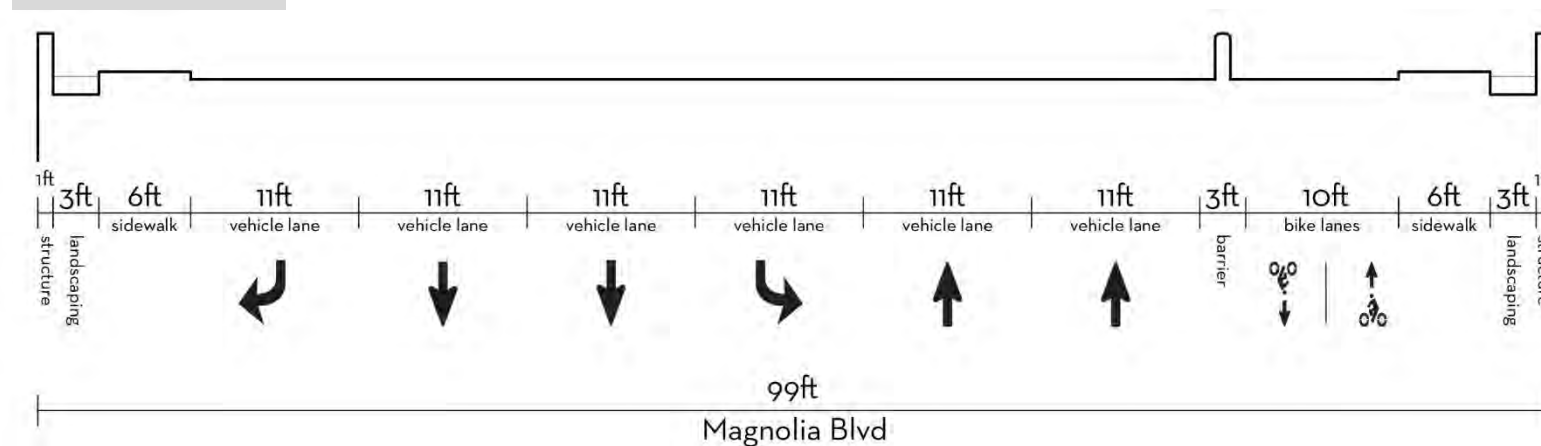
EXISTING



- **Project Location:**
 - Magnolia Bridge from 1st St. to Varney St.
- **Project Description:**
 - When the Magnolia Bridge is rehabilitated, the project should include bicycle and pedestrian paths that are separated and protected from vehicular traffic.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian and bicyclist safety.
 - Enhance east/west pedestrian and bicyclist connectivity over the freeway. There is currently no direct and convenient way to cross over the I-5 freeway.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Bicyclist
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

PROPOSED



LONG-TERM PROJECT

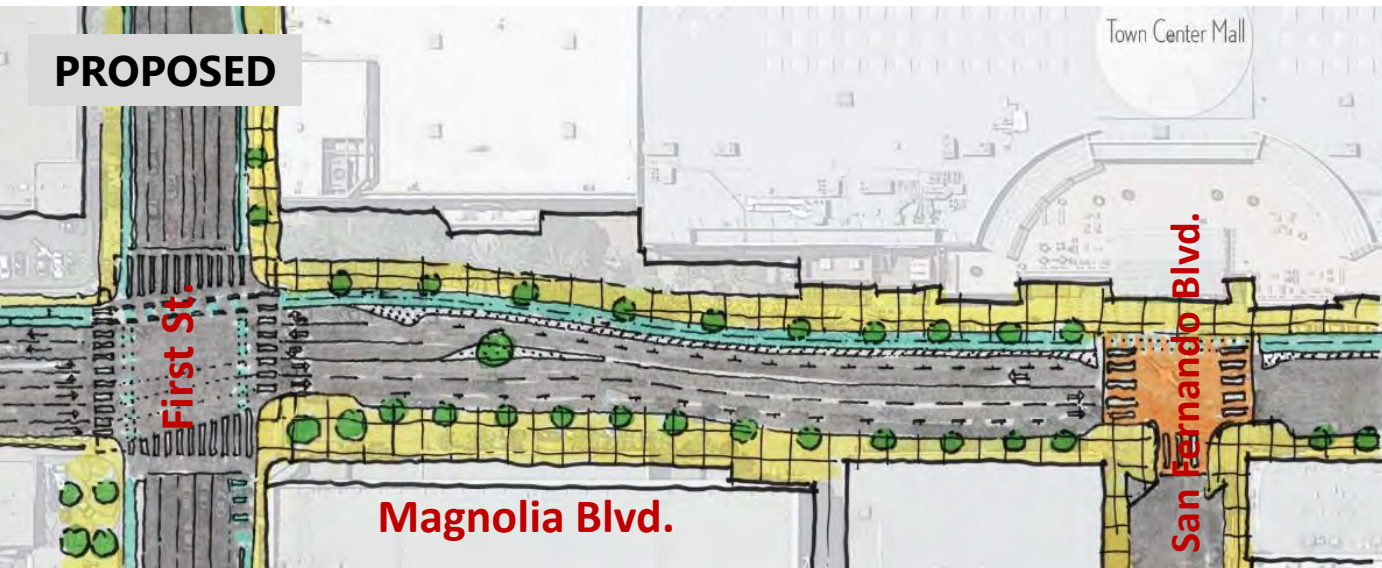
DOWNTOWN MAGNOLIA BOULEVARD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT – PHASE 2

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

EXISTING



PROPOSED



- **Project Location:**
 - Magnolia Boulevard between 1st St. and 3rd St.
- **Project Description:**
 - Remove one westbound travel lane and maintain existing two eastbound travel lanes on Magnolia Blvd.
 - Construct two-way, sidewalk-level Class IV bicycle lanes on northern side of Magnolia Blvd.
- **Purpose:**
 - Improve pedestrian and bicyclist safety.
 - Enhance first/last-mile connectivity.
 - Increase shade and urban greenery.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Bicyclist
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

LONG-TERM PROJECT

NORTH OLIVE AVENUE GREENING PROJECT

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

EXISTING



- **Project Location:**

- Olive Avenue between Sunset Canyon Dr. and Kenneth Rd.

- **Project Description:**

- Construct a landscaped median for storm water capture or a walking path with landscaping.
- Existing vehicular lanes and on-street parking would remain unchanged.

- **Purpose:**

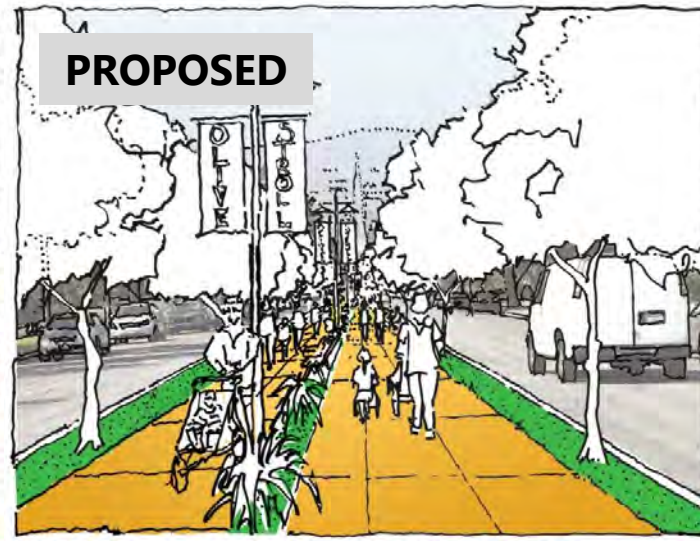
- Traffic calming for a residential street.
- Fulfill City's Green Streets Policy and expand storm water capture.
- Expand shade and urban greenery.

PROPOSED



OPTION 1: 20-FOOT WIDE LANDSCAPED MEDIAN

PROPOSED



OPTION 2: 20-FOOT WIDE WALKING & JOGGING PROMENADE

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
- **Focus Area?:** No

LONG-TERM PROJECT

MARIPOSA BRIDLE PATH PROJECT

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



EXISTING



PROPOSED



Dirt equestrian bridle path with side barrier, in Simi Valley, CA. Source: Sydney Ember.

- **Project Location:**

- Mariposa St. between Riverside Dr. and Valleyheart Dr.

- **Project Description:**

- Acquire right-of-way along eastern side of Mariposa St. and remove about 8 on-street parking spaces to construct a 12 ft. wide equestrian path.
- Construct a high fence to separate equestrian from other street users.
- Would require future dedication.

- **Purpose:**

- Project would improve equestrian access to the only equestrian bridge that connects Burbank to Griffith Park.
- Improve equestrian, pedestrian, and motorist safety.

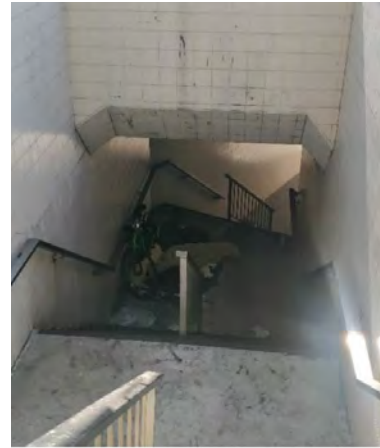
- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
- **Focus Area?:** No

LONG-TERM PROJECT

HOLLYWOOD WAY/EMPIRE IMPROVEMENT UNDERPASS PROJECT

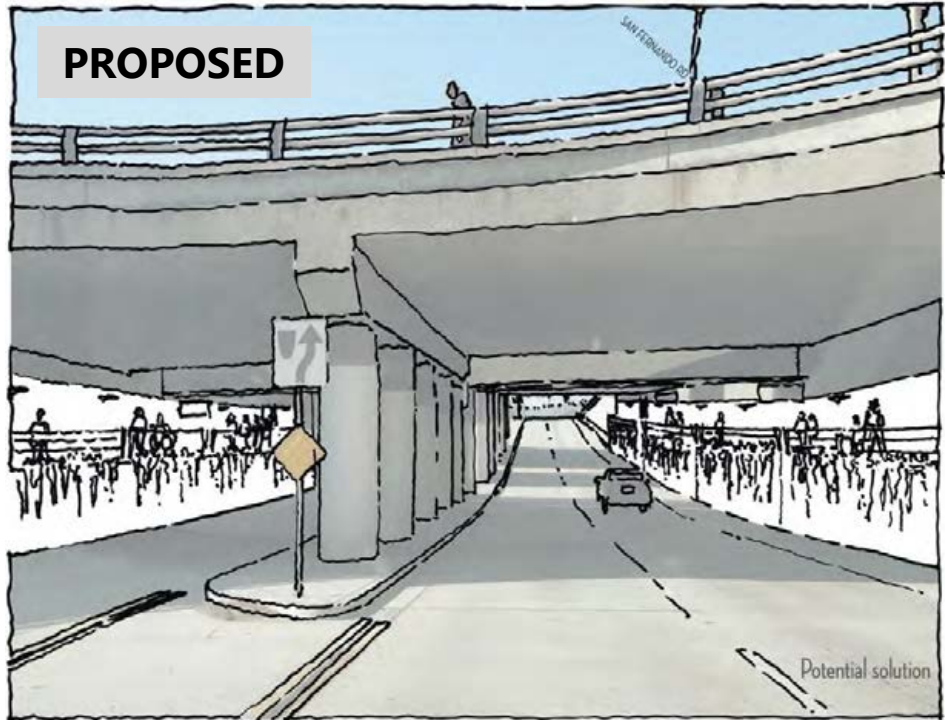
PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

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Existing stairwell

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WHAT COULD THIS LOOK LIKE?



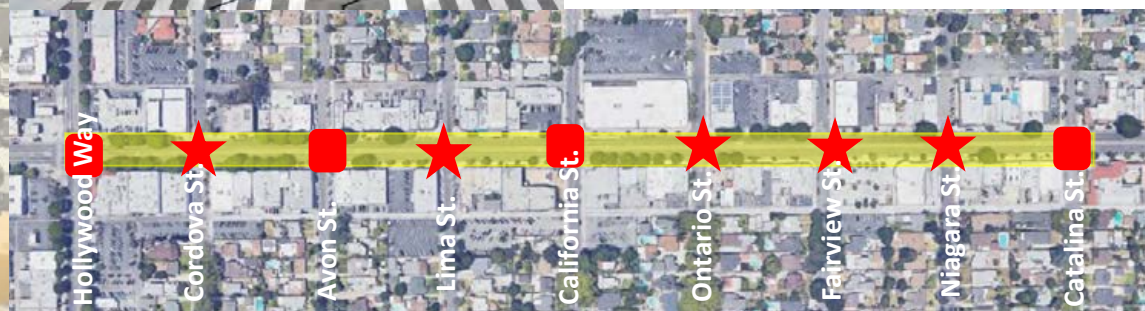
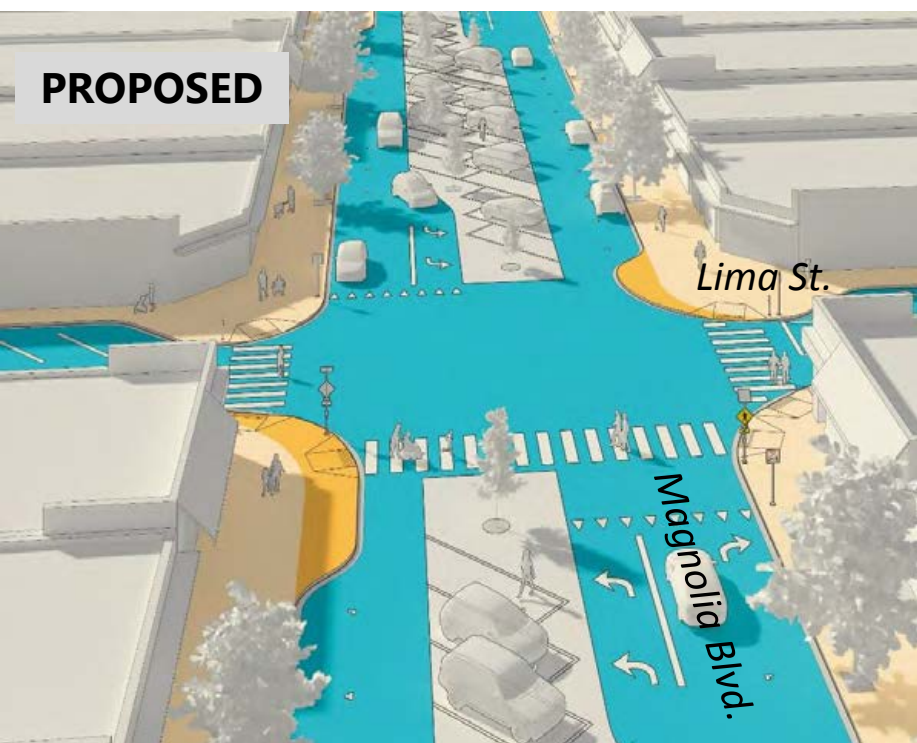
- **Project Location:**
 - Hollywood Way underpass between Empire Ave. and Vanowen St.
- **Project Description:**
 - Construct elevated and separated sidewalks along the underpass.
 - Provide ADA accessibility.
 - Enhance roadway and pedestrian lighting.
- **Purpose:**
 - Currently, there is an existing stairwell, but no sidewalks that connect between Empire Ave. and Vanowen St. along Hollywood Way.
 - Improve ADA access, pedestrian safety, and public safety.
 - Close gaps and improve first/last-mile connectivity.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Transit
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

LONG-TERM / ASPIRATIONAL IDEA

MAGNOLIA BLVD. IN MAG PARK RECONFIGURATION PROJECT – PHASE 2

PART 6: DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS



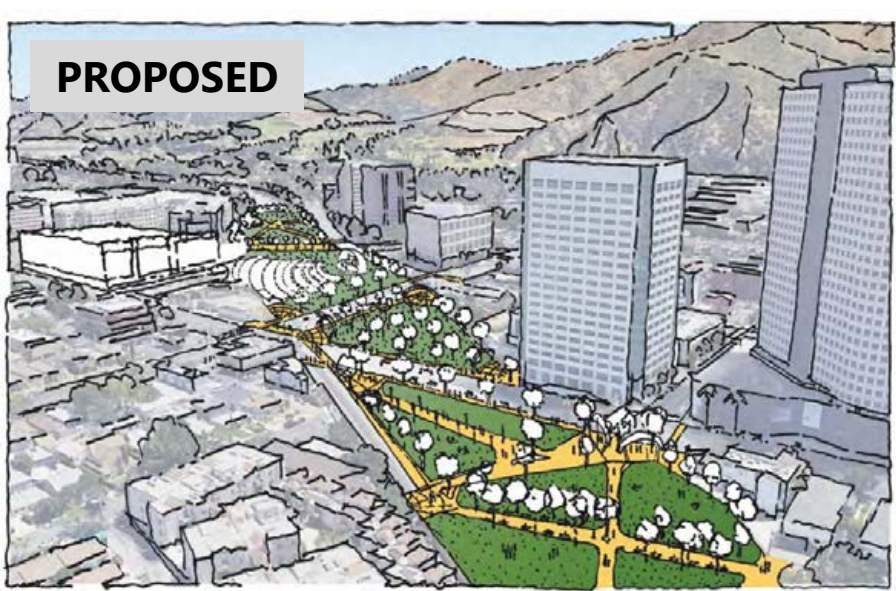
- **Project Location:**
 - 8 blocks along Magnolia Blvd. between Catalina St. and Hollywood Way.
- **Project Description:**
 - Reduce vehicular travel lanes from two lanes in each direction with center turn lane to one lane in each direction with left and right-turn pockets at every intersection.
 - Install 30 ft. center median for parking and landscaping. About 22 additional parking spaces would be added per block.
 - Neighborhood protection study and planning would need to occur to reduce cut-through traffic.
- **Purpose:**
 - Reimagine the segment as a slower, retail street that does not serve as an arterial street in the future.
 - Traffic calming could help businesses and build better neighborhoods.

- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

- Project Intersection
- Project Area
- ★ New Controlled Crossing



- **Project Location:**
 - SR-134 freeway from California St. to Pass Ave.
- **Project Description:**
 - Construct four decks to connect over the SR-134 freeway.
 - Construct passive recreational park with landscaping and greenery.
 - Partner with local organizations and local studios to program the outdoor space with community activities and events.
- **Purpose:**
 - Close gaps and improve first/last-mile connectivity.
 - Expand urban greening and park space.



- **Priority Networks:**
 - Pedestrian
 - Transit
 - Motorist
- **Focus Area?:** Yes

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

- **February 24th**
 - Transportation Commission Meeting
- **March 4th**
 - Magnolia Merchants Association Meeting
- **March 5th**
 - Downtown Burbank Board (P-BID) Meeting
- **March 9th**
 - Planning Board Meeting
- **March 16th**
 - Sustainable Burbank Commission Meeting
- **March 17th**
 - City Council 2nd Study Session
- **March 26th**
 - Infrastructure Oversight Board (IOB) Meeting
- **April 21st**
 - City Council Public Hearing for Adoption of the Final Plan



QUESTIONS?

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