### San Leandro Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan Update

**Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee** 

**September 24, 2024** 

### Today's Agenda

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Review of the Draft Plan

Next Steps and Discussion



### Project Recap

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# What is the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan Update?

The Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan is a *focused update* to the 2018 Plan that creates a 5-year work plan of projects and programs to support bicycling and walking in San Leandro.





### What is a "focused update?"



The focused update reviews and updates the 2018 network with new prioritization and implementation strategies.



The community outreach and technical tasks are designed to build off existing work and finalize the update on a shorter schedule.



### We are now in Phase 3 of project outreach through November 2024.

Phase 1: Winter 2023/24

Where we are: Tell us about your experiences walking and biking today

Phase 2: Spring 2024

Where we're going: Give your feedback on the draft bicycle and pedestrian network updates

#### Phase 3: Fall 2024

**How we'll get there:** Review and share feedback on the City's proposed priority projects and draft plan



### **Draft Plan Review**



### Draft Plan: Table of Contents









3. Existing Conditions  $\square$ 







6. Implementation



### 7. Appendices

- Design Guidelines
- Project List
- Comprehensive **Community Feedback**



## The Introduction summarizes the Plan purpose, context, timeline, and engagement.





#### **Policy Context**







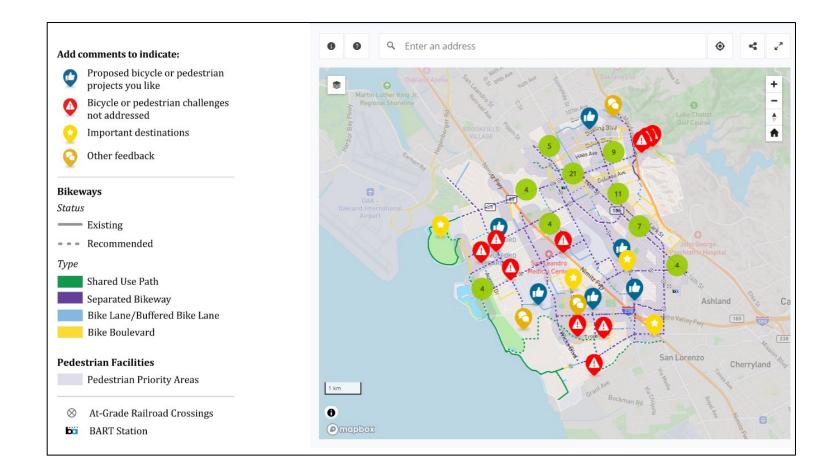
Community Engagement Summary



## We received input in person & online about the bike and pedestrian recommendations.

Website Visitors to Date 355 Web Map Comments Surveys Completed ~170 People Engaged In Person

1,823



## - joint The Plan's vision and goals reflect community feedback and best practice.

Vision Statement: San Leandro will be a connected community where walking and biking are fully integrated into daily life as safe, equitable, and enjoyable transportation options for people of all ages and abilities.

- Goal 1: Safe Systems
- Goal 2: A Comprehensive, Comfortable, and Connected System
- **Goal 3:** Community Support Programs

**Goal 4:** Fund and Implement Active Transportation Projects and Programs



## - join The four goals have accompanying policies to support implementation.

#### Goal 1: Safe Systems

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Consistent with the City's Vision Zero policy, achieve a goal of zero bicycle and pedestrian fatalities and serious injuries.

#### Policies

Policy 1.1: In alignment with the Local Roadway Safety Plan (LRSP) and San Leandro's Vision Zero policy, institutionalize and adhere to the Safe System Approach to work toward eliminating fatalities and serious injuries on San Leandro's streets.

- Define target speeds consistent with urban streets and proactively manage speeds through roadway design, such as reconfiguring roadways with excessive vehicular capacity or with underutilized street parking to accommodate new or enhanced bicycle and pedestrian facilities.
- Following FHWA guidance, evaluate intersection design and control decisions in the planning or scoping stage of projects for opportunities to reduce the frequency of collisions as well as the kinetic energy transfer and therefore the collision severity.

#### Goal 4: Fund and Implement Active Transportation Projects and Programs

Align the City's funding, Capital Improvement Program (CIP) project prioritization, and implementation work plans with the Plan's goals of safety, equity, and connected access.

#### Policies

Policy 4.1: Pursue a variety of funding channels and equip the City with technical resources to enhance its competitiveness in securing funding opportunities.

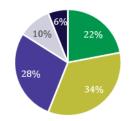
- Pursue funding for projects at the local, regional, state, and federal levels that address safety proactively, benefit Equity Priority Communities, and serve schools, parks, business districts, transit hubs, and social service destinations.
- Pursue multi-jurisdictional funding applications with Alameda County neighboring cities and other potential partners such as BART and the East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD).

Policy 4.2: Base the allocation of project funding on equity and safety as primary considerations.

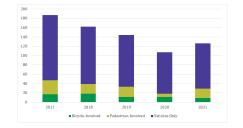
- Invest equitably by undertaking projects in communities that have seen less infrastructure investment and are disproportionately impacted by collisions, such as Equity Priority Communities.
- <u>Update the</u> paying prioritization program to prioritize safety and active transportation needs in addition to pavement condition when selecting segments for paving.



## The Plan includes a focused update of existing conditions in San Leandro.



Demographics



Safety Conditions



Progress on the Bicycle and Pedestrian Network



Existing Bike Facilities



Existing Pedestrian Conditions



Barriers to Biking and Walking



## The draft bikeway network focuses on providing access for all ages and abilities.



#### **Recommended Bicycle Network**

#### **Recommended Bikeways**

- •••• Shared Use Path
- Separated Bikeway
- Bike Lane/Buffered Bike Lane
- Bike Boulevard

#### **Existing Bikeways**

- Shared Use Path
- Separated Bikeway
- 🛑 Bike Lane; Buffered Bike Lane
- 🛑 Bike Route

At-Grade Railroad Crossings
BART Station
Railroad
Commercial Areas
Parks



## Pedestrian priority areas focus on schools, business districts, and transit.



#### **Pedestrian Priorities**

Pedestrian priority areas provide access to schools, parks, transit hubs, and commercial areas.

These areas are the highest priority for pedestrian investment and they have specific design expectations.

- Safety Priority Corridors (LRSP)
- Pedestrian Priority Areas
- Including:
- 1/4th mile buffer around BART stations
- 1/8th mile buffer around schools, parks, and key commercial corridors

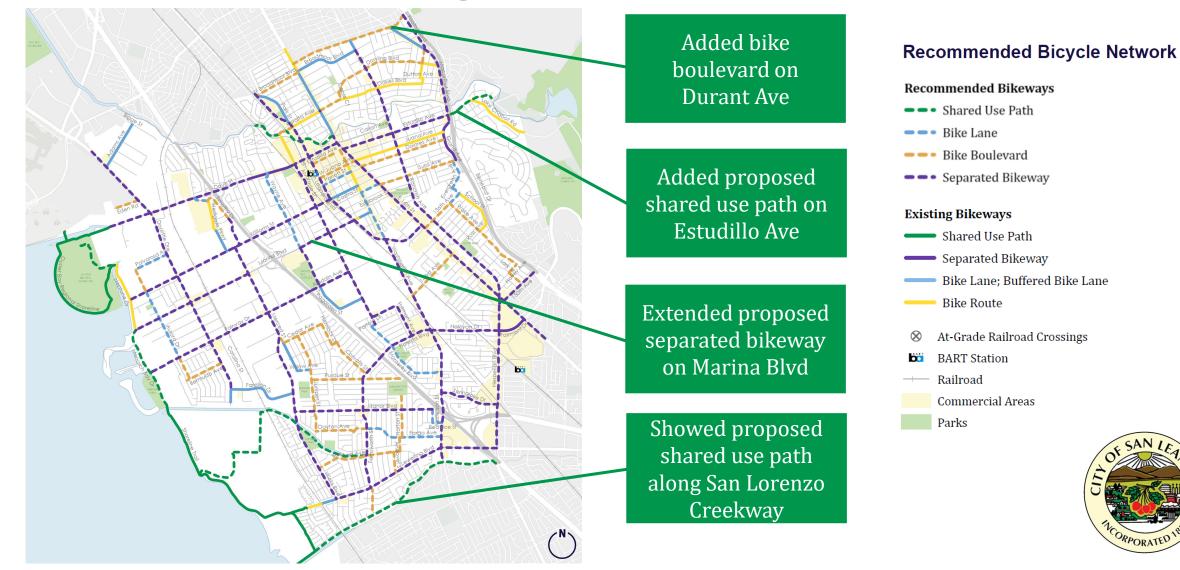
- Public Schools
- **bo** BART Station
  - Railroad

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Commercial Areas Parks



### Community and stakeholder feedback informed changes to the recommendations.

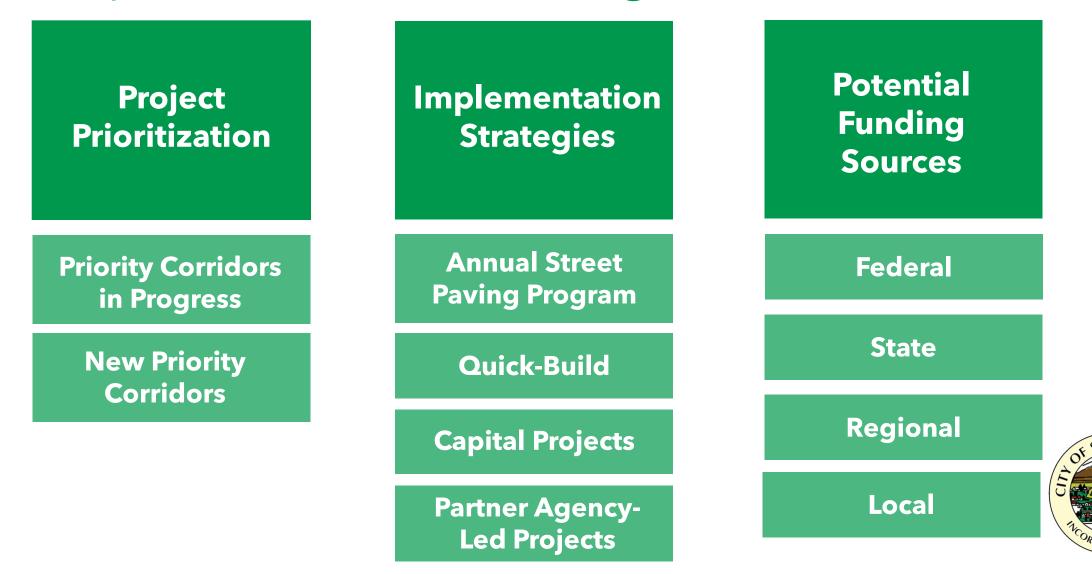


## The Plan outlines existing and potential new programs for the City and its partners.





## The Plan summarizes resources and implementation strategies.



# Project locations have been scored and prioritized based on five criteria:



Safety Need – collisions involving pedestrians or bicyclists, 2017-2021



**Community Input** – comments on Phase 2 webmap of recommendations



**Community Destinations** - Proximity to schools, parks, BART stations, commercial areas, senior centers



**Equity** - within Equity Priority Community, designated by MTC



Growth - within Priority Development Area, designated by MTC



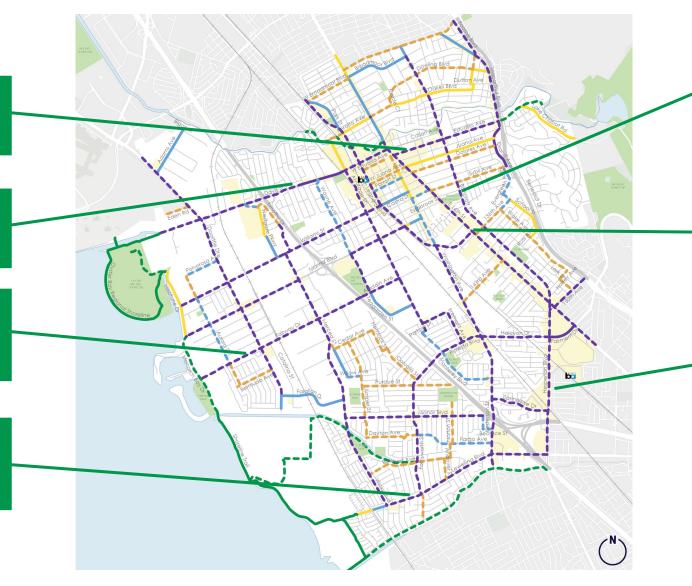
### Many priority projects are already in progress:

Estudillo Ave. under design with repaving

Davis St. partially complete (Caltrans)

Fairway Dr. currently seeking funding for construction

Lewelling Blvd. partially funded for construction



Bancroft Ave. and Williams St. currently seeking funding for Crosstown Corridors

San Leandro Blvd and E. 14<sup>th</sup> East Bay Greenway funded for construction (Alameda CTC)

Hesperian Boulevard under design



# The draft Plan also identifies new priority corridors for implementation.

Corridor	Bikeway Type	Pedestrian Priority Intersections	
150 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Separated Bikeway	Lark Street- Uncontrolled	Paving program
Parrott St	Bike Lane, Bike Boulevard	San Leandro Blvd- Signalized	
West Juana Ave	Bike Boulevard	San Leandro Blvd-Signalized	
Alvarado St	Separated Bikeway	Davis Street, Williams Street- Signalized	Grant-funded capital projects
Washington Ave	Separated Bikeway	Recommendations per LRSP	
136 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Bike Boulevard	E. 14 <sup>th</sup> Street- Signalized	
143 <sup>rd</sup> Ave	Bike Boulevard	E.14 <sup>th</sup> Street, Washington Avenue- Signalized	
Doolittle Dr	Separated Bikeway	Recommendations per LRSP	
Floresta Blvd	Separated Bikeway	Washington Avenue- Signalized Monterey Blvd- Stop Control	
Manor Blvd	Separated Bikeway	Recommendations per LRSP	OF SAN I



# The Design Guide is underway and will be included as an appendix to the Plan.









🚴 Bicycle Facility Selection



- Intersections and Rail Crossings
- Bus Stops



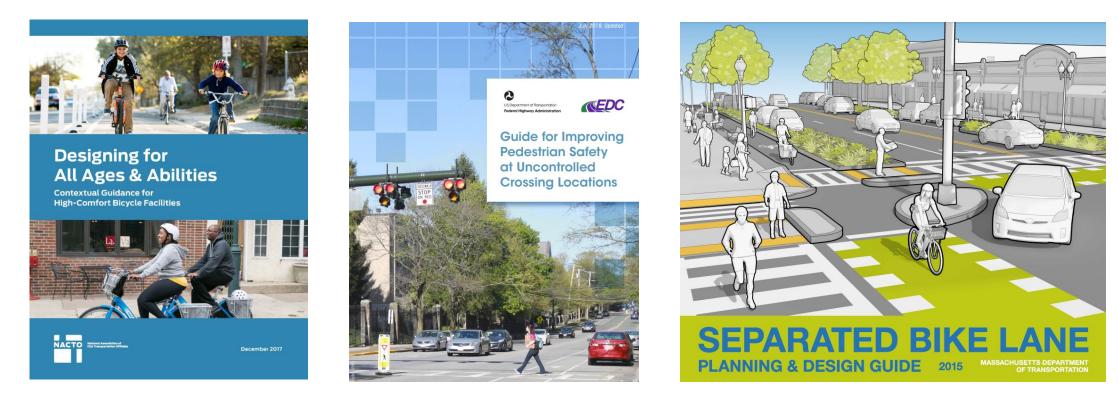
▲ Pedestrian Design Guidelines

Sidewalk Design





# The Design Guide is a focused summary and reference to national best practice.





### Next Steps and Discussion

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Phase 3 online outreach October-November 2024



Council Facilities and Transportation Committee October 2



City Council approval of the final plan in December 2024





- Do you have questions or comments on the contents of the draft Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan update?
- Which support programs should be prioritized?

