VTA's BART Silicon Valley Phase II Extension Project

Community Working Group
Orientation

August 22, 2018



Agenda

- Welcome & Introductions
- CWG Process
- Overview of Project
- Land Use & Planning
- Diridon Integrated Concept Plan
- Workplan
- Discussion
- Next Steps



Introductions

Eileen Goodwin, Facilitator

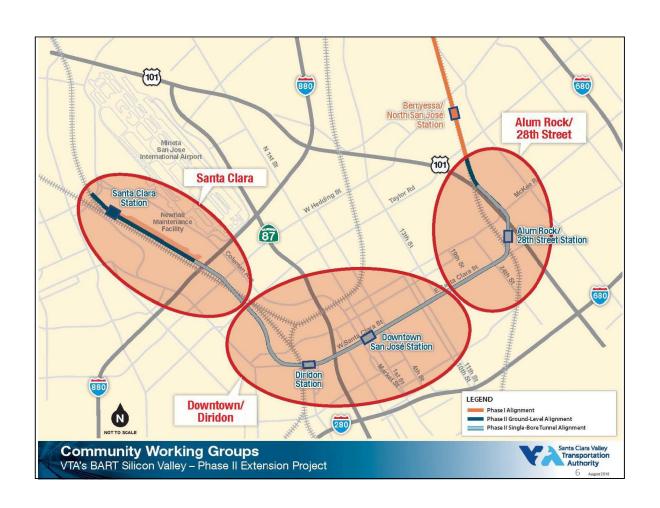


Introductions

Name & Organization & Background



CWG Process Erica Roecks, VTA Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Solutions that move you



Role of the CWG

- Be project liaisons
- Receive briefings on technical areas
- Receive project updates
- Build an understanding of the project
- Collaborate with VTA
- Contribute to the successful delivery of the project



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Your Role as a CWG Member

- Attend CWG meetings
 - Bring your own binder (BYOB)
- Be honest
- Provide feedback
- Get informed
- Disseminate accurate information
- Act as conduits for information to community at large



Helpful Websites

Upcoming Meetings:

http://www.vta.org/bart/upcomingmeetings

CWG Materials:

http://www.vta.org/bart/phaseIICWGs



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Role of the CWG Team

CWG Team Member	Role
Eileen Goodwin	Facilitator
Gretchen Baisa	Primary Outreach Contact
Jill Gibson	Phase II Planning & Programming Manager
Michael Brilliot	City of San Jose – Planning Liaison
Charla Gomez	City of San Jose – Planning Liaison
Ahmad Qayoumi	City of San Jose – DOT Liaison
John Davidson	City of Santa Clara – Planning Liaison
Erica Roecks	Technical Lead – Santa Clara & Alum Rock/28 th Street
Erin Sheelen	Technical Lead – Downtown/Diridon
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Project Background

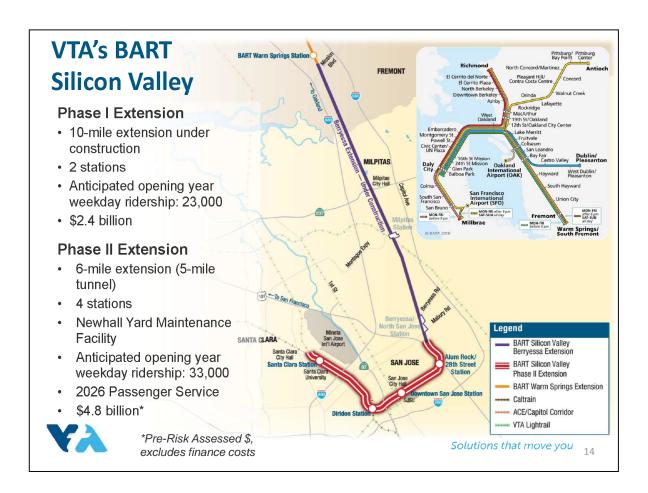
Jill Gibson, VTA



Project History

- 2001 Major Investment Study
- 2004 16-mile Project Environmental Document
- 2009 Project split Phase I (10-mile) Project Advanced & Phase II (6-mile) put on hold
- 2010 10- & 16-mile Project Environmental Document
- 2012 Phase I Construction Began
- 2014 Phase II planning efforts renewed
- 2016 Draft Phase II (6-mile) Environmental Document
- 2018 VTA Board Certified Phase II Project Description & FTA **Record of Decision**





VTA/BART Partnership

- Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) Responsibilities
 - Pay all costs associated with the extension
 - Contracting/Procurement
 - Construct to applicable BART/industry standards, codes, and regulations
 - Retain ownership of infrastructure
- Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) Responsibilities
 - · Technical assistance
 - Operations
 - Maintenance
 - Service Planning



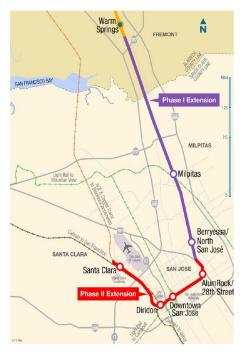
A Comprehensive Agreement provides a framework for the partnership.

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10-mile Extension to Santa Clara County

- \$2.4 billion
- Two Stations:
 - Milpitas, near the Great Mall
 - Berryessa/North San José,
 near the San Jose Flea Market

Phase I: Berryessa Extension



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Phase I History

Federal Funding Secured March 2012

Groundbreaking April 2012

Substantial Construction Complete 2017

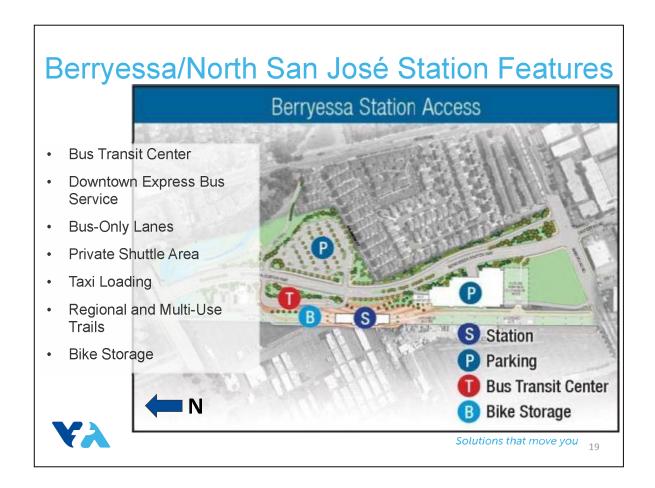
Systems Testing 2017 - 2019

Forecast Opening Date 2019

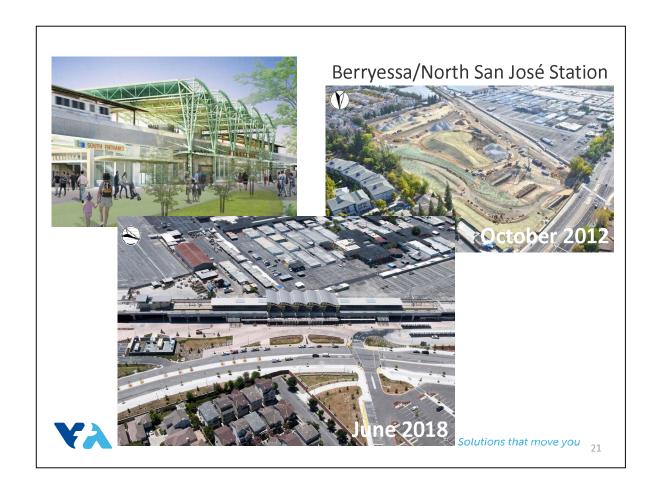


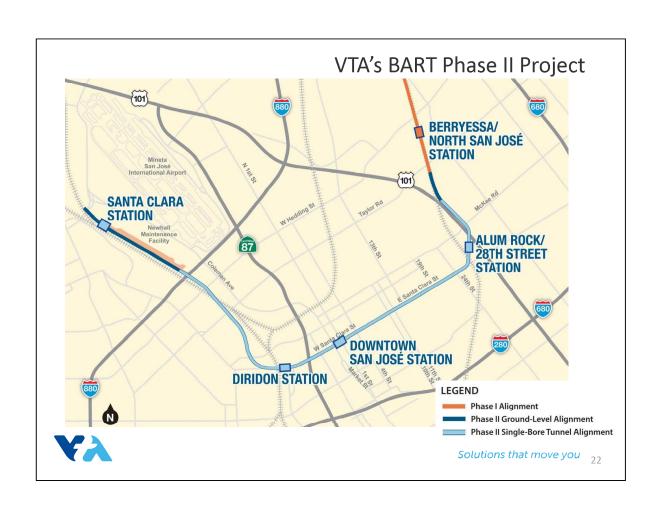
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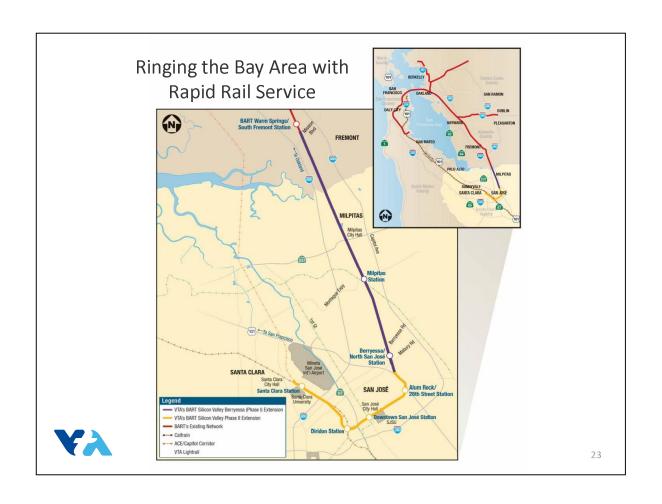
Milpitas Station Features Milpitas Station Access Light Rail Pedestrian Bridge Montague Pedestrian Bridge Transit Area Specific Plan **Bus-Only Lanes** Private Shuttle Area Bike Lanes and Storage S Station P Parking Bus Transit Center B) Bike Storage Solutions that move you 18

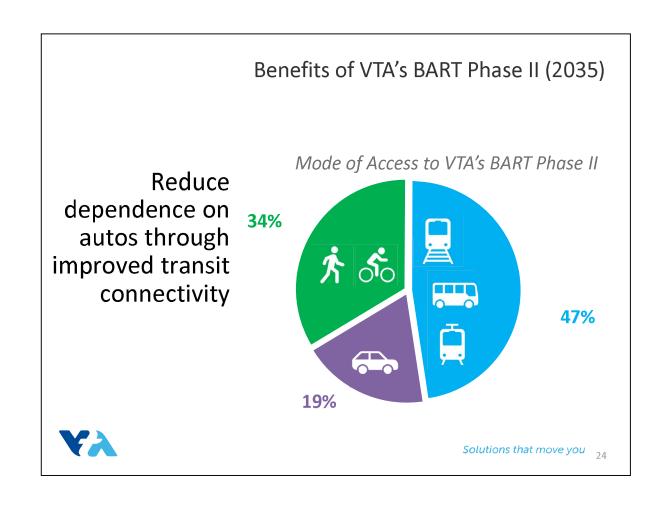






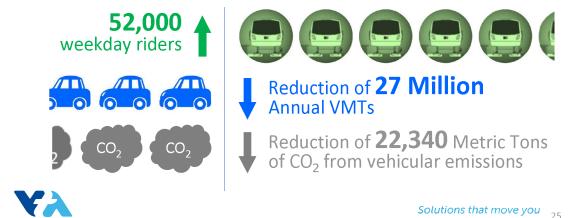






Benefits of VTA's BART Phase II (2035)

Reduced congestion and improved air quality through increased transit ridership and reduced Vehicle Miles Traveled



Benefits of VTA's BART Phase II (2035)

The Project will boost the economy's capacity and output, leading to increased growth and more jobs long after the project ends



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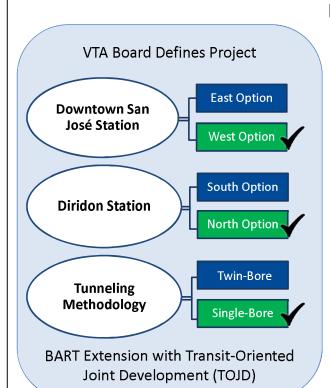


2017 CWG Involvement

- **Downtown & Diridon Station Locations**
- Twin-Bore vs Single-Bore Tunneling Methodology
- Community Education & Outreach Plan
- Transit-Oriented Development (TOD) & Access Planning Study
- Next Network VTA Service Redesign
- **BART Fare Setting Policies**
- **Environmental Documents**
- Station Naming
- ... and More!



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Phase II: Past Year in Review

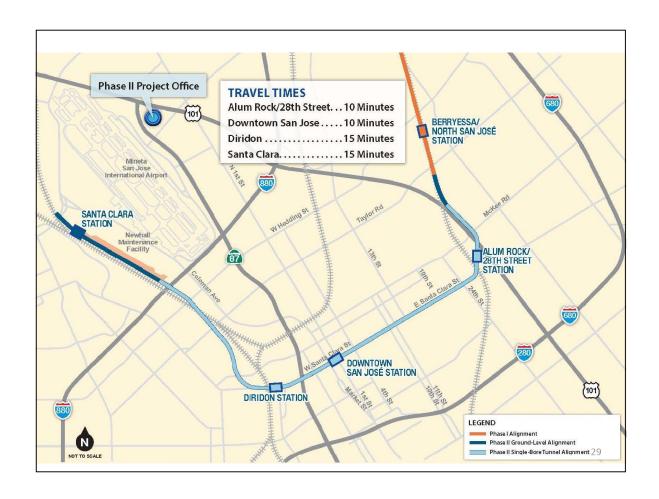
April 2018 - VTA Board Certifies Final SEIR

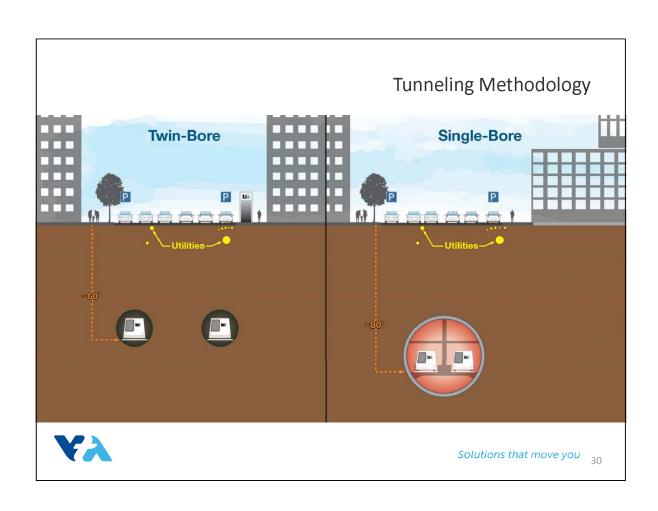
April 2018 – BART Board **Accepts Project**

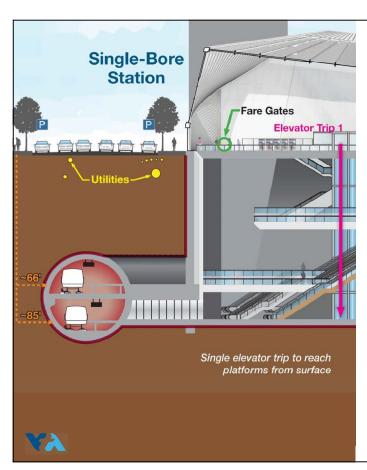
May 2018 – Kicked off General Engineering Consultant (GEC) **Procurement Process**

June 2018 - FTA issued Record of Decision

August 2018 – Opened new Phase II Project Office







Single-Bore **Tunnel & Station**

Tunnel:

- · One 45-foot diameter tunnel
- · Minimal utility disturbance
- First use of single-bore for transit in the United States

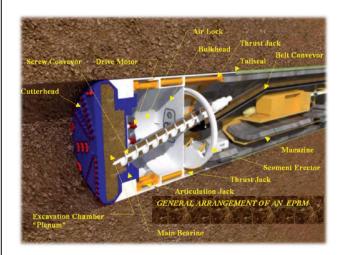
Station:

- · Station platforms constructed within tunnel
- · Platforms accessible with a single elevator trip from surface
- · Station construction off of public right-of-way with mined connection to the platform, reducing construction impacts

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Tunnel Boring Machine (TBM)

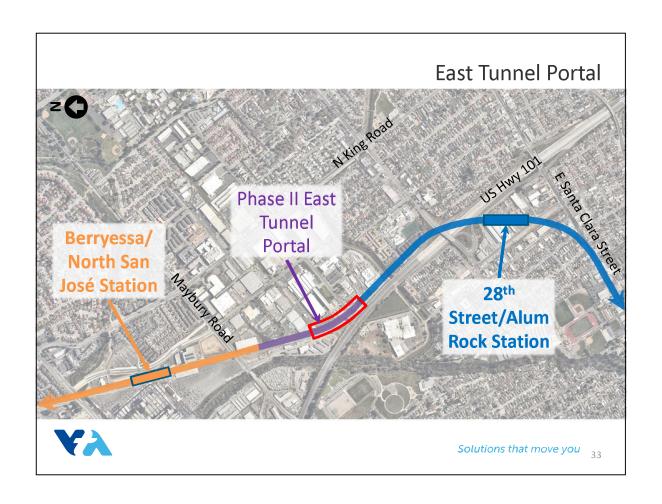


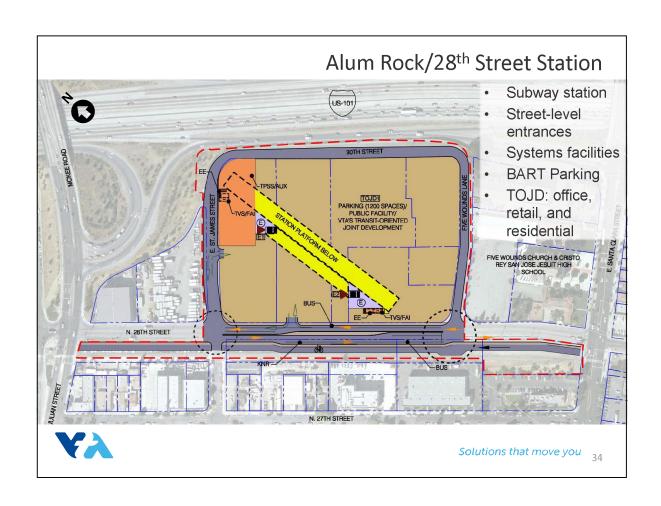
TBM Arrangement

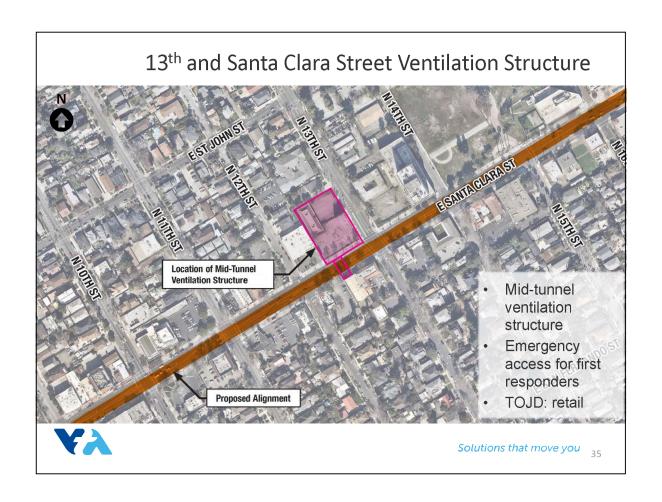


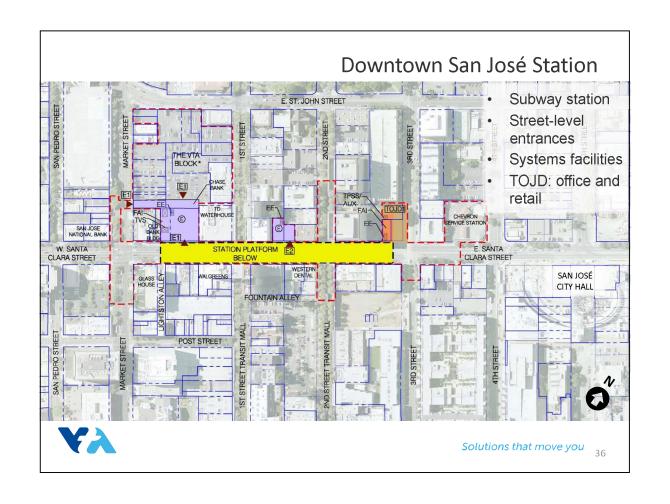
- Excavates ground material
- Creates tunnel structure
- Removes excavated material

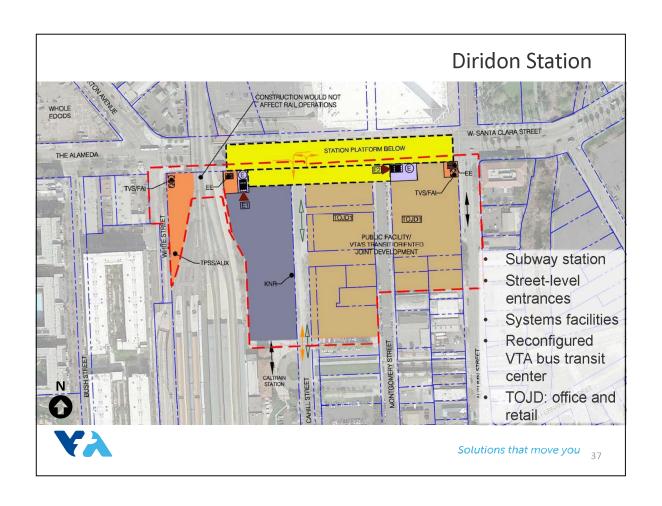


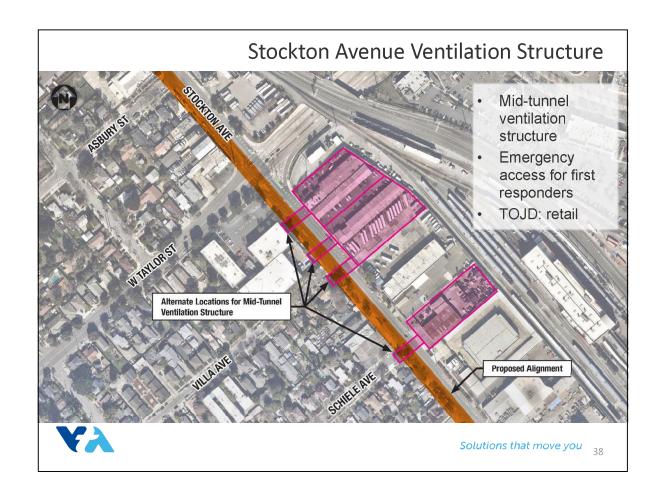


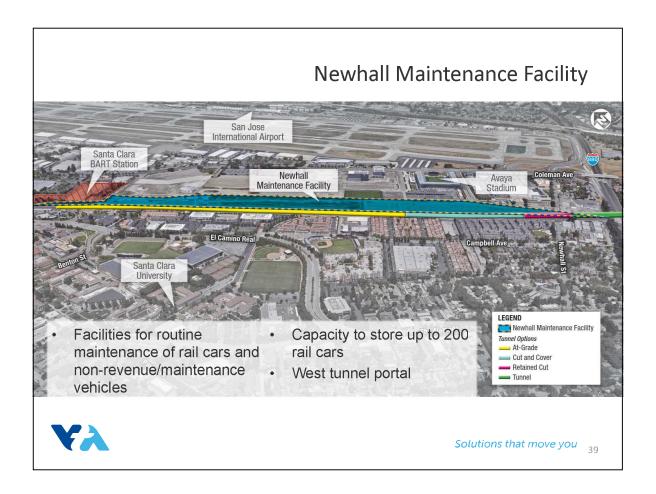


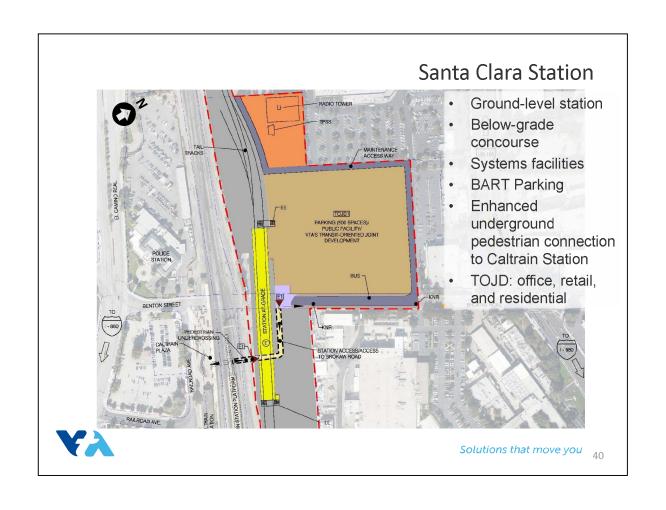












VTA's BART Phase II Project and Transit-Oriented Joint Development (TOJD)

- VTA environmentally cleared transit-oriented joint development (TOJD) on construction staging areas.
- Planning for high-density mixed use development integrated within the station area
- Leverage Joint Development opportunities to maximize ridership, and generate long-term revenue to support operational costs.



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Summary of VTA's BART Phase II Project TOJD



of new office space



of new retail space





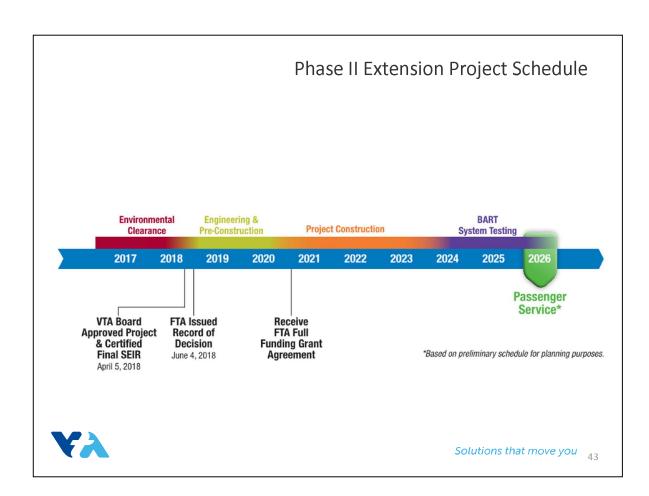






new housing units







Expedited Project Delivery (EPD) Pilot Program

- VTA/FTA met in early May to discuss deliverables necessary for a Full Funding Grant Agreement (FFGA)
- FTA has granted VTA's New Starts process an extension for as long as progress in EPD continues
- Anticipate submitting an FFGA application in late 2019
- FTA to respond to the application within 120 days
- Receipt of FFGA sooner
- FTA funding capped at 25 percent of project cost



Upcoming Field Investigation – Geotechnical & Utility

- Preliminary investigations to inform design effort
- Better understanding of subsurface conditions
- Geotechnical (Soil)
 - Drilling and soil sampling & testing
- Utility (Water, Power, Communications, Sewer)
 - Potholing with backfill
- Late 2018 through corridor & station locations
- City coordination and stakeholder outreach





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General Engineering Consultant (GEC) Scope

- Develop design in accordance with final contracting plan
- Integrate all design scope
- Review design-build progress and final design submittals
- Manage closeout and turnover milestones
- Support of systems integration testing and commissioning
- Coordinate with project stakeholders and developers
- Ensure timely as-built documentation
- Design support during construction



General Engineering Consultant (GEC) Procurement

- May GEC Contracting Forum & RFP Release
- July Proposals due
- August Cost Proposals & Interviews
- October Board Approval
- November Begin Work





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VTA's BART Phase II – Upcoming Efforts

- Hiring General Engineering Consultant (GEC)
- Advancing Design
- Refining Project Cost and Schedule
- Develop Project Delivery Strategy and Project Sequencing
- Apply for FTA Full Funding Grant Agreement (FFGA)
- Pre-Construction Activities
- Real Estate Planning
- Parallel Planning Efforts:
 - VTA's TOD Corridor Strategy and Access Planning Study (TOD/Access Study)
 - Diridon Integrated Station Concept Plan



Land Use & Planning

Adriano Rothschild, VTA Jill Gibson, VTA



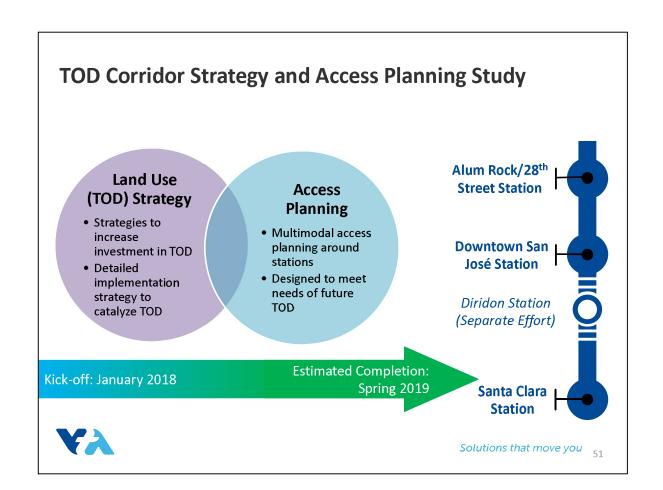
Transit-Oriented Development (TOD)

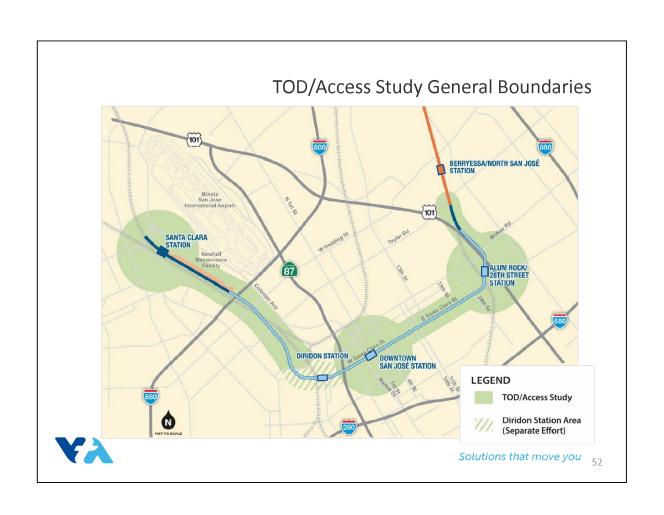
- Walkable mixed-use development that is close to transit.
- Provides diverse housing, employment, and transportation options.

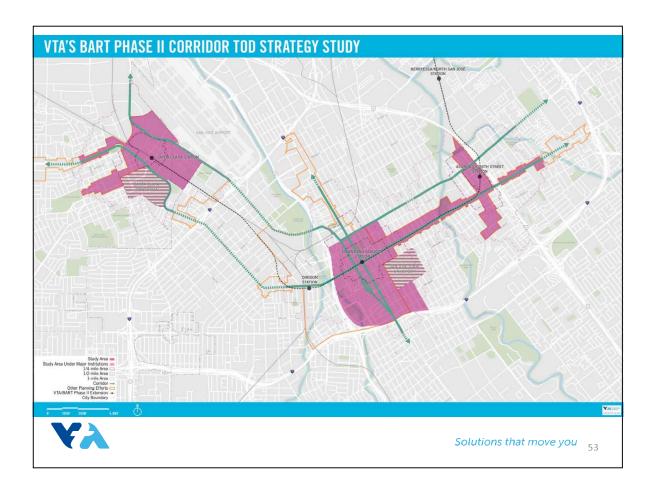
Transit-Oriented Joint Development (TOJD)

TOJD refers to transit-oriented development that has been environmentally cleared as part of the BART Phase II Project.









CWG Next Steps in TOD/Access Study

Alum Rock/28th Street Workshops

Mexican Heritage Plaza 1700 Alum Rock Ave, San Jose, CA 95116

- September 12, 2018, 5:30 pm 6:30 pm (Topic: TOD Opportunities/Constraints)
- November 14, 2018, 5:30 pm 6:30 pm (Topic: TOD Strategies/Guidelines)

Downtown/Diridon Workshops

San Jose City Hall Wing 118/119: 200 E Santa Clara St, San Jose, CA 95113

- September 11, 2018, 5:30 pm 6:30 pm (Topic: TOD Opportunities/Constraints)
- November 13, 2018, 5:30 pm 6:30 pm (Topic: TOD Strategies/Guidelines)

Santa Clara Workshops

Santa Clara University, Manrissa Room, 475 El Camino Real, Santa Clara, CA 95050

- September 13, 2018, 5:30 pm 6:30 pm (Topic: TOD Opportunities/Constraints)
- November 15, 2018, 5:30 pm 6:30 pm (Topic: TOD Strategies/Guidelines)

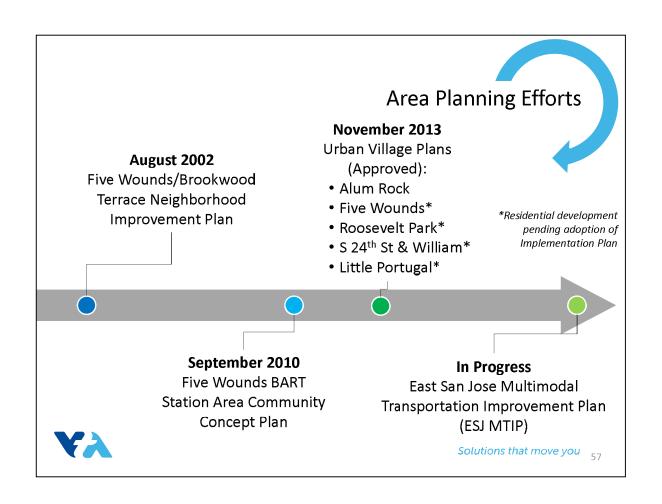


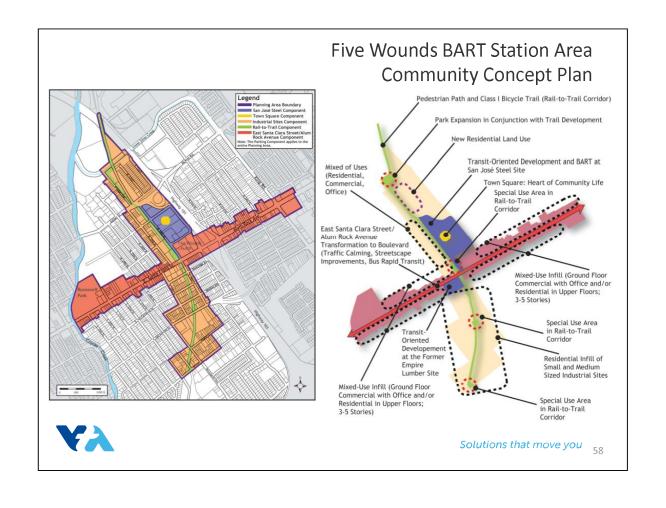
Project Website & Resources:

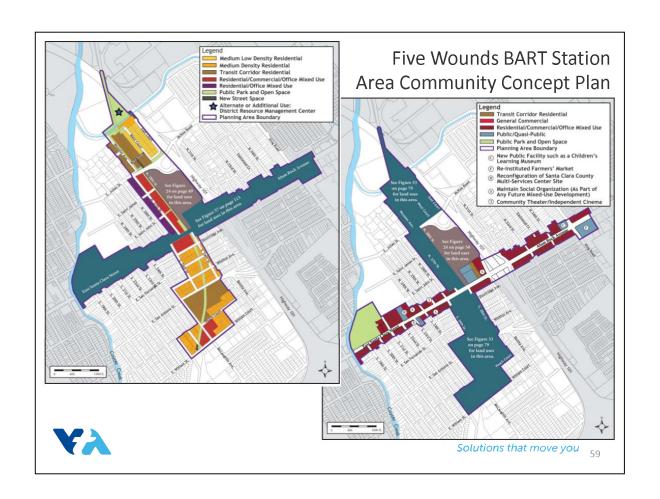
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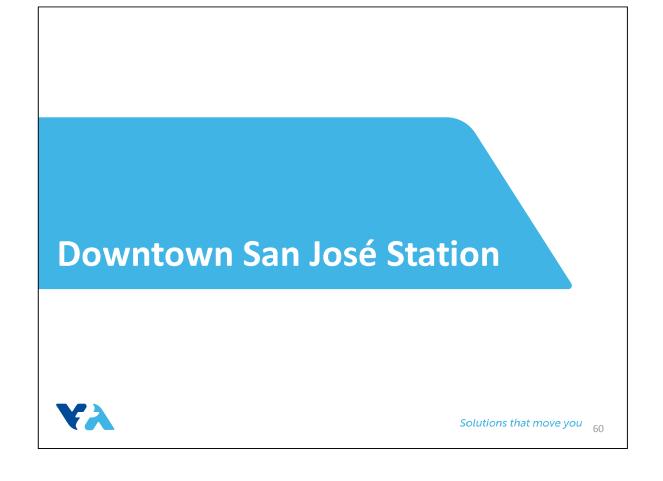
Alum Rock/28th Street Station

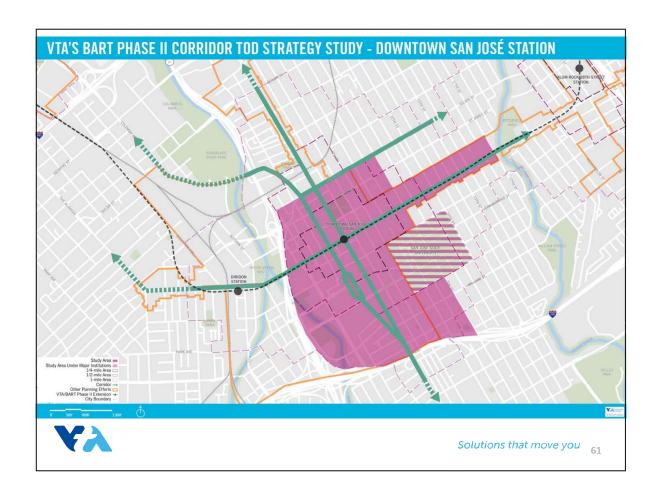


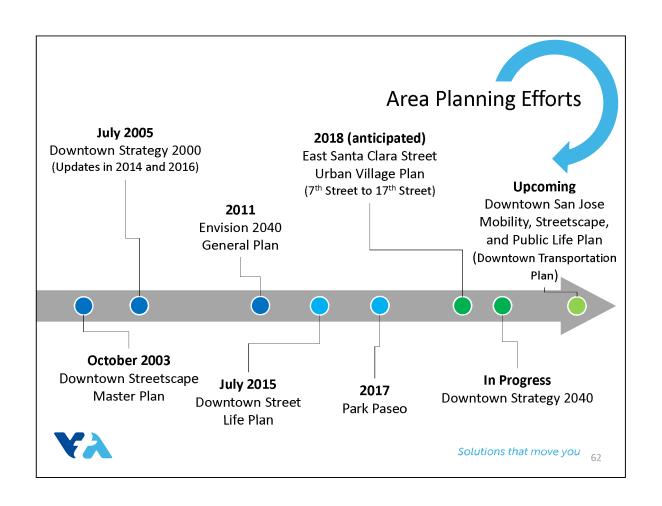


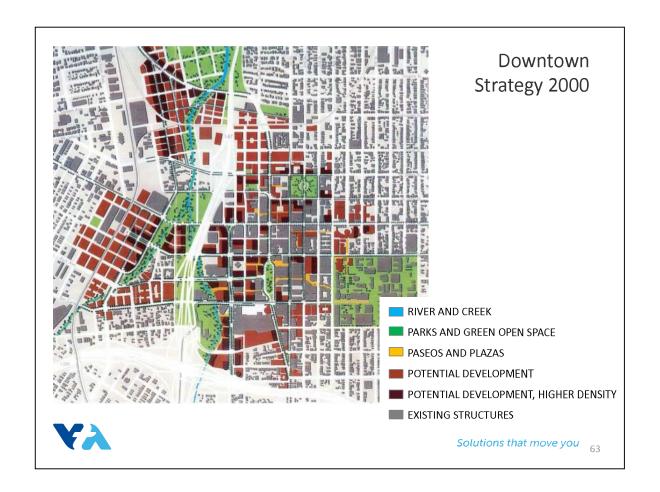


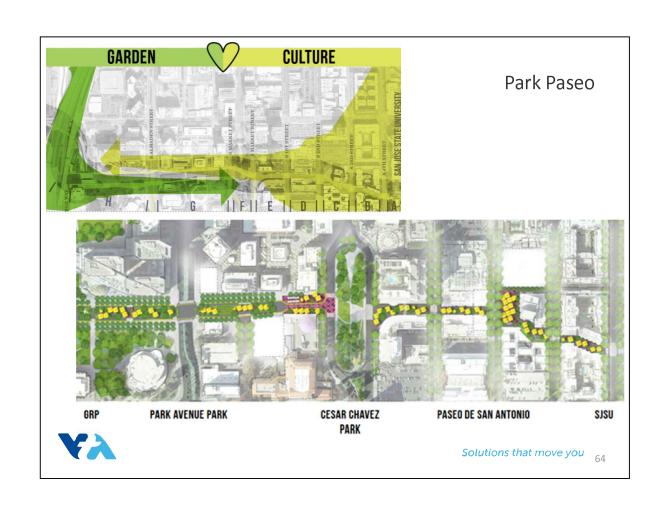


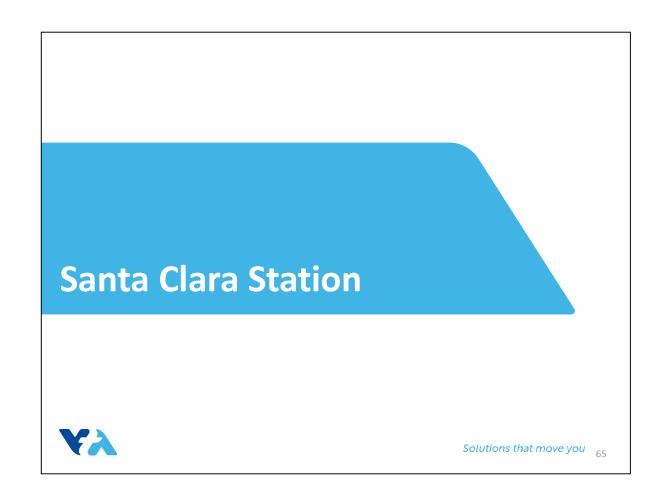


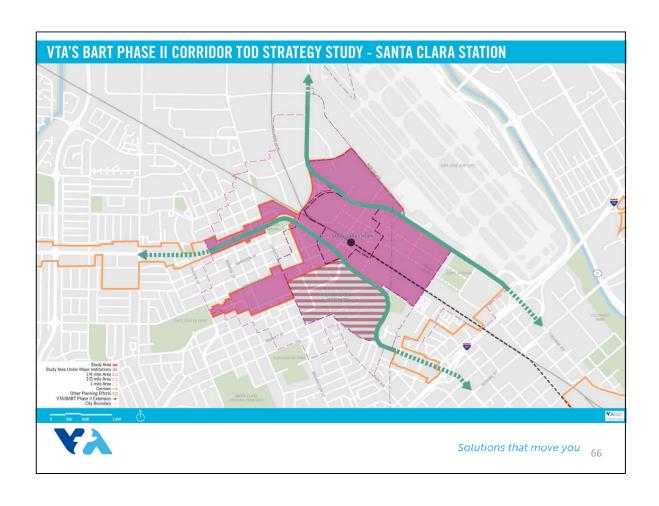


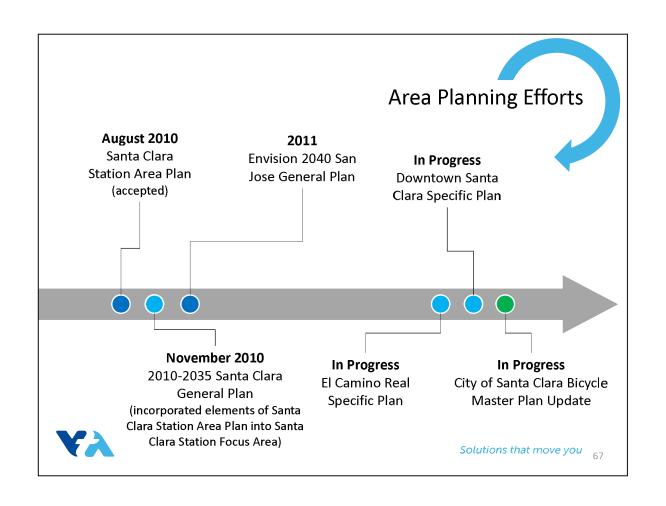


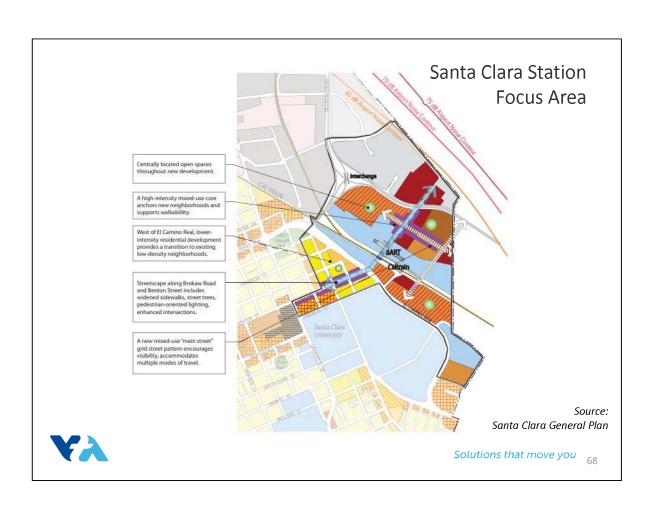


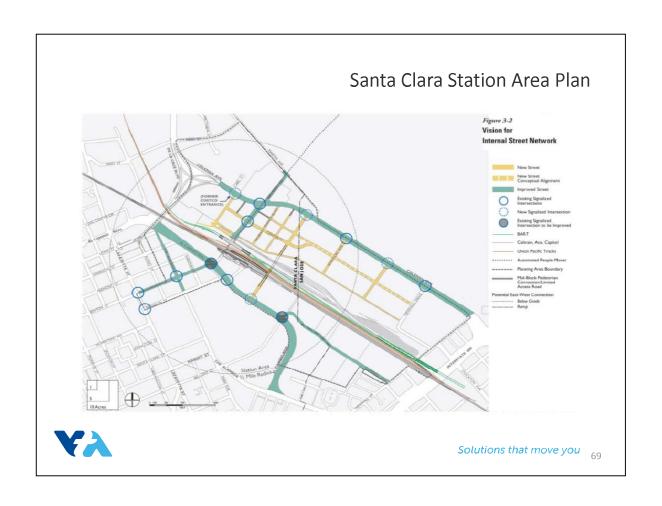




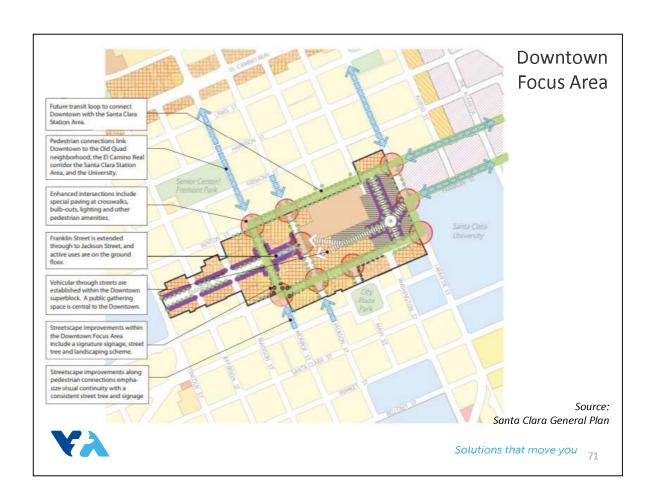


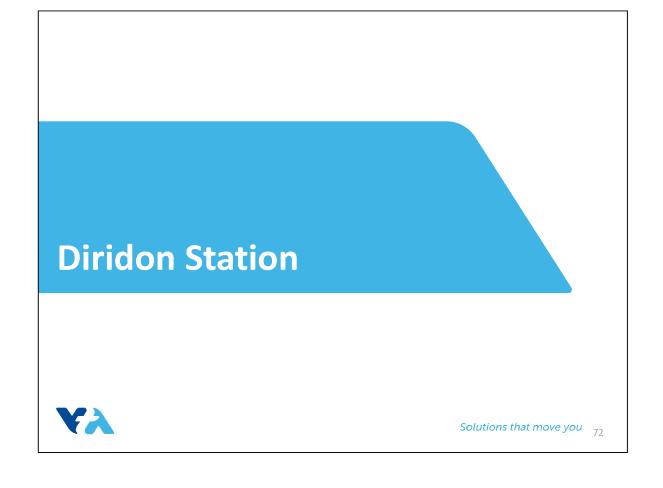












Previous & On-Going Planning Efforts

- Diridon Station Area Plan (2014)
- Diridon Integrated Station Concept Plan (In Progress)
- Google/Private Developers (In Progress)



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Diridon Integrated Station Concept Plan – Purpose

- 1. Harmonize transportation and land-use goals to expand the benefits for all stakeholders.
 - Create a spatial arrangement for the station and its surroundings that that offers seamless transportation connections.
 - Integrate the station facility into surrounding land uses to attract private development and create a sense of place and destination.
- 2. Establish an effective organization that can deliver the vision.













Partner Outreach Efforts

- Community Working Groups (CWGs) High Speed Rail (HSR)
- Service / Business Planning Caltrain
- Diridon Station Area Advisory Group (SAAG) - City of San Jose









Questions



Construction Education and Outreach Plan

Gretchen Baisa, VTA



Construction Mitigation and Outreach

Construction Outreach Management Program

Construction Education and Outreach Plan (CEOP)
communication during construction between VTA, various
municipalities, and the public

Construction Transportation Management Plan

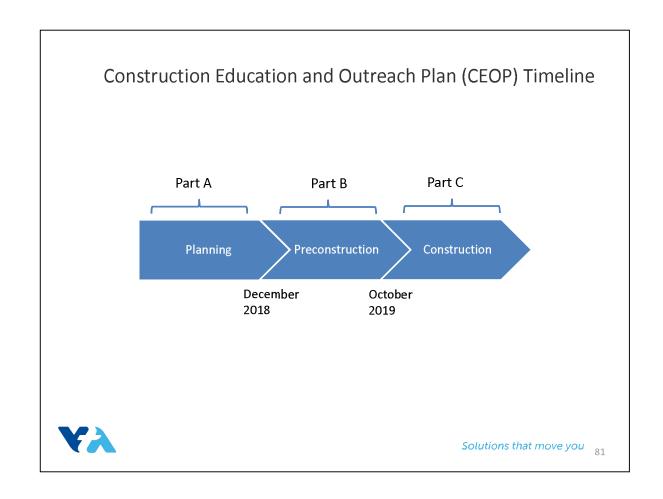
coordinate circulation and access within and around the construction areas for all modes

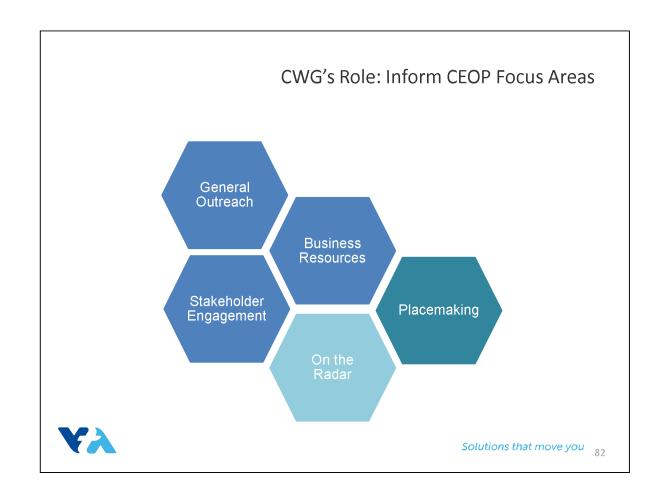
Emergency Services Coordination Plan

minimize impact to local emergency service routes and response times due to construction activities

... to be incorporated into all plans and specifications of all contracts through which Phase II will be implemented







CEOP Elements



Educate general audiences and communities located along the Phase II alignment to raise visibility of the commitment made to deliver the next six-miles of VTA's BART Silicon Valley.

Identify individual stakeholders most impacted by the project area to begin early engagement for the real estate acquisition process, stakeholder intake; nurture relationships





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CEOP Elements

Business Resources

- Business Resource Task Force
- Marketing Campaigns
- Business to Business Mentorship
- Technical Resources
- Small Business Loans
- Partnerships with Institutions and Organizations



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CEOP Elements

On the Radar Tracking Non-VTA projects Events, public art, space activation

Placemaking

- Not an official part of the CEOP
- Communications/Messaging
 - Signage
 - Community outreach and education work
- V)

- Provide exposure to impacted businesses and increase positive public sentiment around construction.
- Involve city and private sector partners.
- Garner positive press coverage for project.

How do the CWG Members Engage?

- April: General Outreach + Stakeholder Engagement: Phase A
- June: Saturation Campaign Vetting (Post-ROD)
- September: Field Investigation Outreach Update, Real Estate Updates
- November: Field Investigation Outreach Update, Real Estate Updates
- February (2019): General Outreach + Stakeholder Engagement: Phase B



Sign up to receive updates and upcoming events at:

http://www.vta.org/phase2info



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Workplan

Erica Roecks, VTA



Work Plan Topics

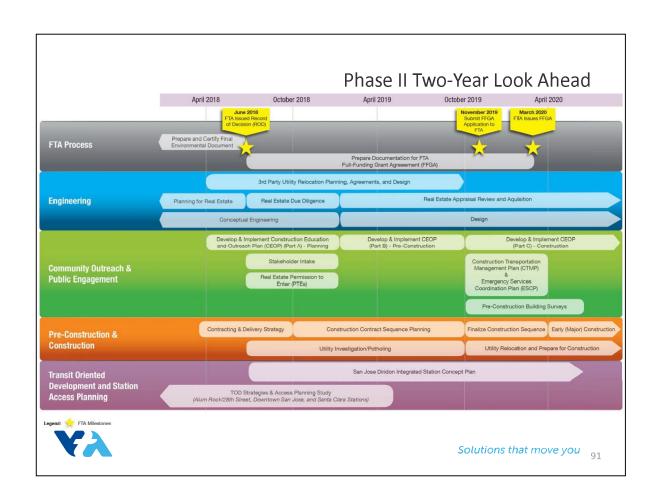
- Overview of Project
- Status Updates
- CWG Next Steps
- San Jose Diridon Integrated Station
 Concept Plan
- Financial Update
- Transit Oriented Development Strategy & Access Planning
- Trails
- Government Affairs
- Construction Education & Outreach Plan
- Schedule

- Station Naming
- FTA Process
- Project Delivery Strategy Approach
 - Utility Relocation Planning
- Real Estate Planning
- Pre-Construction Activities
- Design & Aesthetics of BART Structures
- Right-of-Way Requirements
- Construction Technique Methodology



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Upcoming Meetings

<u>CWG Dates</u> - (http://www.vta.org/bart/upcomingmeetings)

- September 11,12, & 13 2018, 4:00 5:30 PM
- November 13, 14, &15 2018, 4:00 5:30 PM
- February 5, 6, & 7, 2019, 4:00 6:00 PM
- April 16, 17, & 18 2019, 4:00 6:00 PM

VTA Board of Directors - (http://www.vta.org/get-involved/board-of-directors)

- September 6, 2018 5:30 PM
- September 21, 2018 9:00 AM
- October 4, 2018 5:30 PM



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Discussion

