

Eastside Parkway Background

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Overview





- Eastside Parkway Background
- Roadway Network Overview
- CEQA Goals and Objectives
- Public Comment

Fort Ord Transportation



► Pre-closure network

- Orthogonal grid
- Internally focused routes to serve training
- Built to military needs (non-civilian use)
- External access barriers limiting connectivity





Regional Roads (~1991)





- ▶ No Public Access
- ► Traffic flowed around Fort Ord
 - Hwy 1
 - Reservation Rd
 - Blanco Rd
 - Hwy 68

Background



- ▶ 1997 Fort Ord Reuse Plan (Reuse Plan):
 - Identified Eastside Road as a facility within the "on-site" portion of the Fort Ord transportation network
 - The complete roadway network is mitigation for base reuse
 - Established "Fair Share Financing Program" (Reuse Plan §3.11.5.3 (a)):

FORA shall fund its "Fair Share" of "on-site," "off-site," and "regional" roadway and transit capital improvements based on the TAMC regional transportation model.

Annual CIP Adoptions



- ► Since FORA's first CIP (2001-2), Eastside Road has been included as a future "on-site" transportation facility.
- ➤ On December 11, 2009, FORA Board approved the 2009/10 mid-year CIP. This approval prioritized Eastside Road funding in the CIP.
- County staff suggested renaming Eastside Road to Eastside Parkway in 2010.
- ► The Board maintained Eastside Parkway funding prioritization in subsequent CIP approvals.

1997 Fort Ord Transportation Study



- Study prepared by TAMC in coordination with FORA.
- ► Identified Eastside Road as an "on-site" transportation facility (a 2-lane arterial) from Gigling Road to Imjin Road.
- ► Eastside Road modeled to accommodate 12,100 average daily trips (ADT).
- Established FORA's Fair Share at 72% of total construction cost.

2005 FORA Fee Reallocation Study



- Study prepared by TAMC in coordination with FORA.
- ▶ To avoid impacts to CSUMB circulation, identified a new plan line for Eastside Road as an "on-site" facility from Eucalyptus and Gigling Roads to Schoonover Drive.
- ► Eastside Road modeled to accommodate 12,475 ADT.
- Established FORA's Fair Share at 100% of total construction cost (fund local network first).

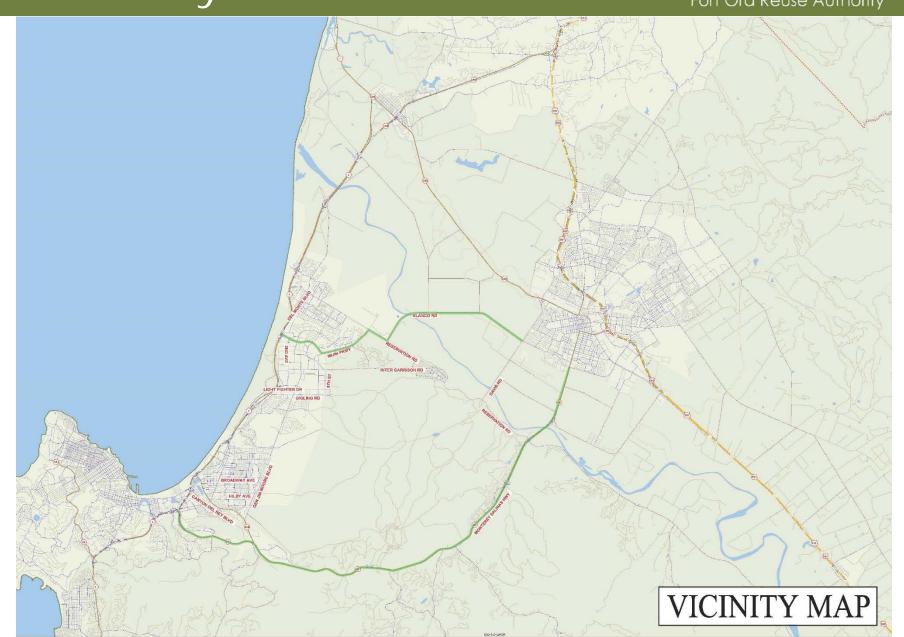
2017 FORA Fee Reallocation Study



- Study prepared by TAMC in coordination with FORA.
- Same network as 2005 study, except Del Monte Ext. added and Highway 1 definition expanded.
- ► Eastside Parkway modeled to accommodate 18,586 ADT.
- Established FORA's Fair Share at 100% of total construction cost (fund local network first).

Roadway Network Overview





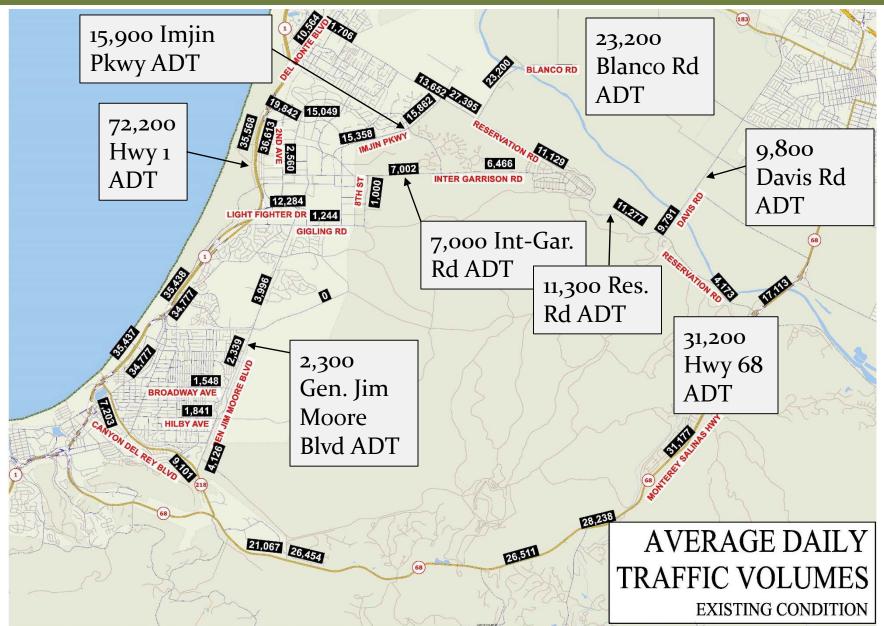
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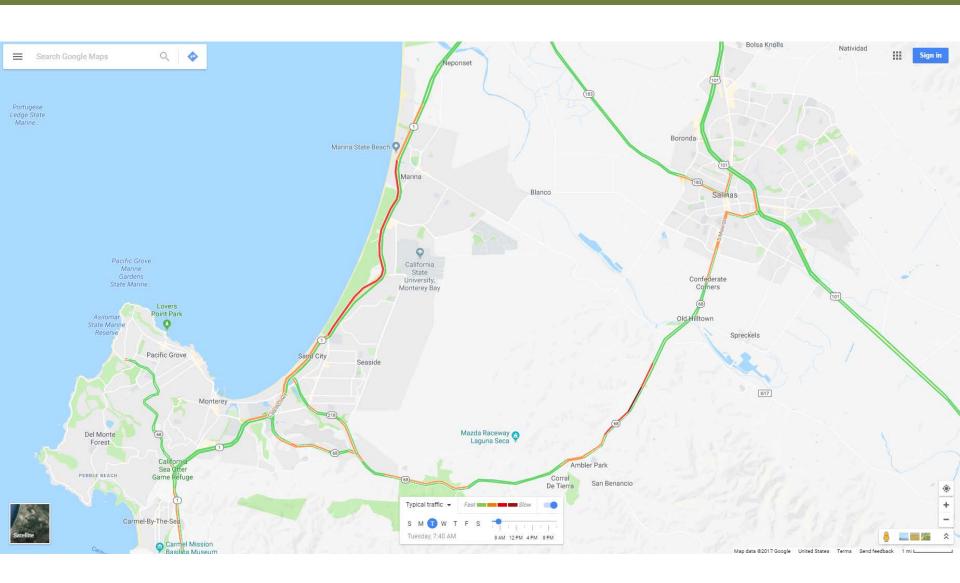


Existing Traffic Conditions

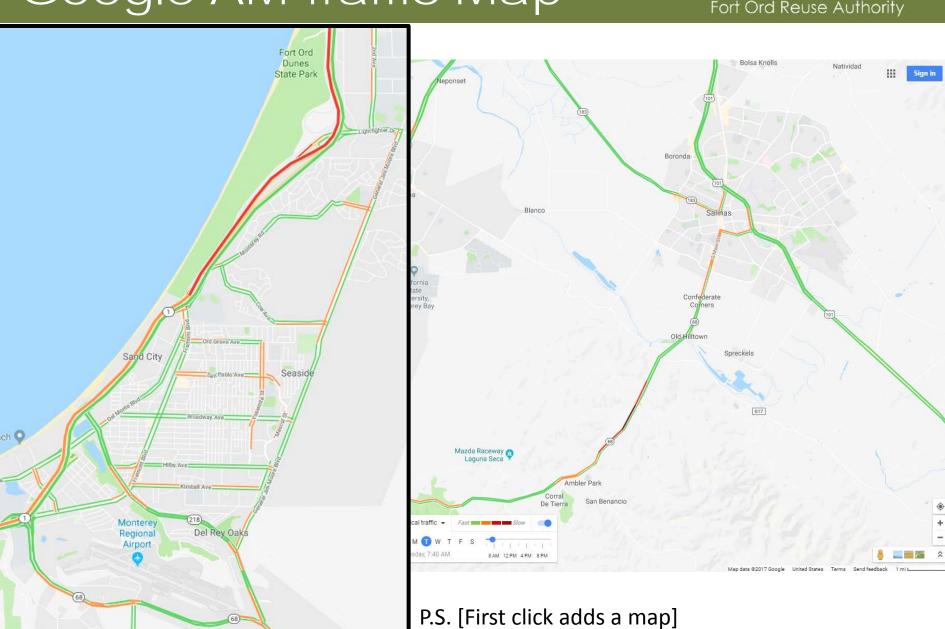




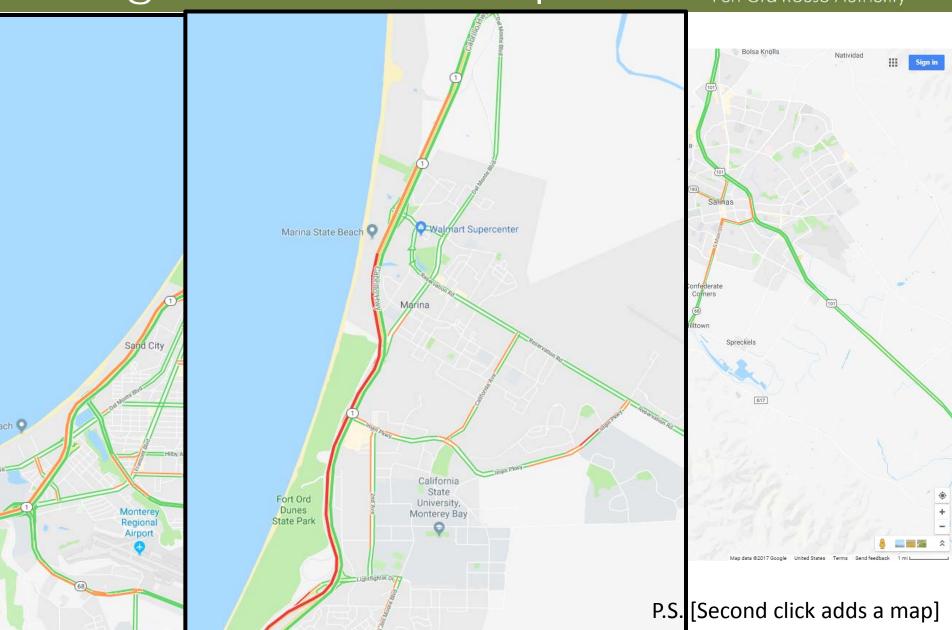




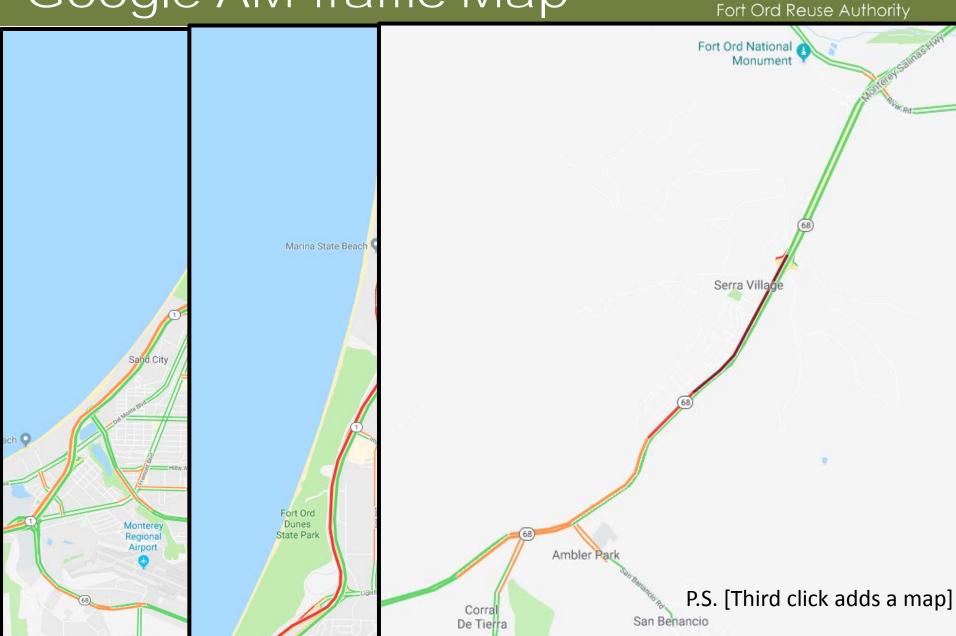




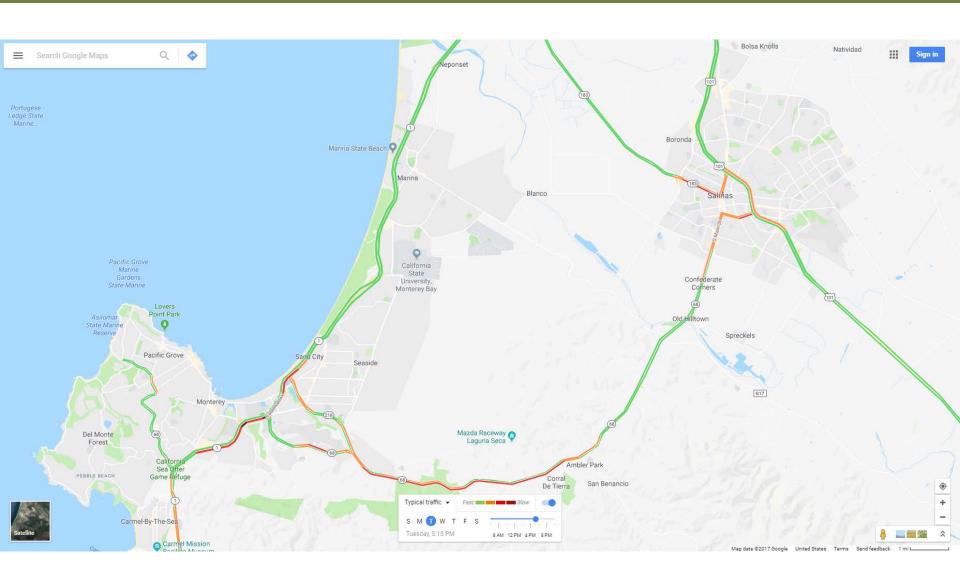








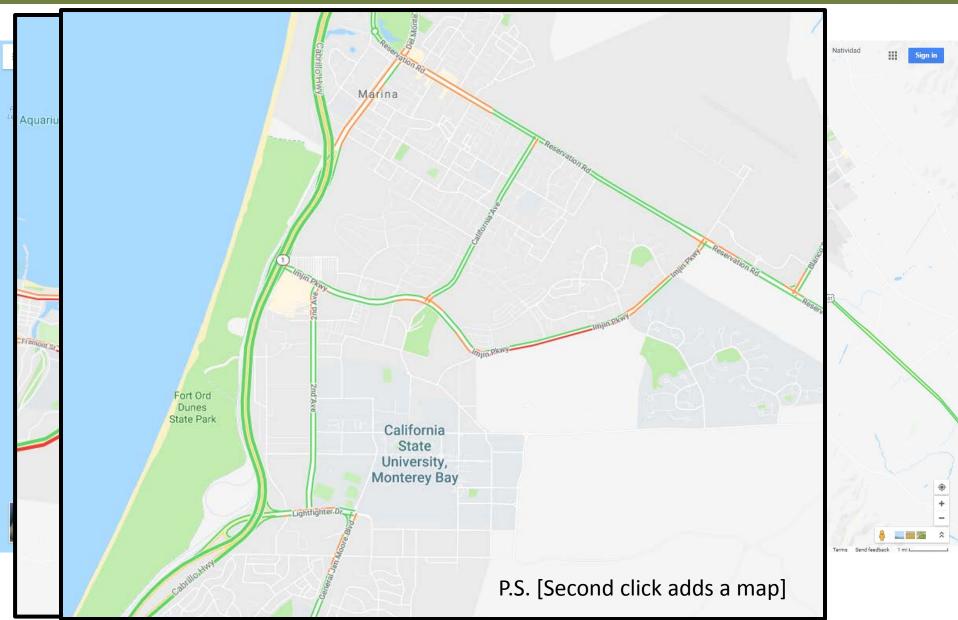




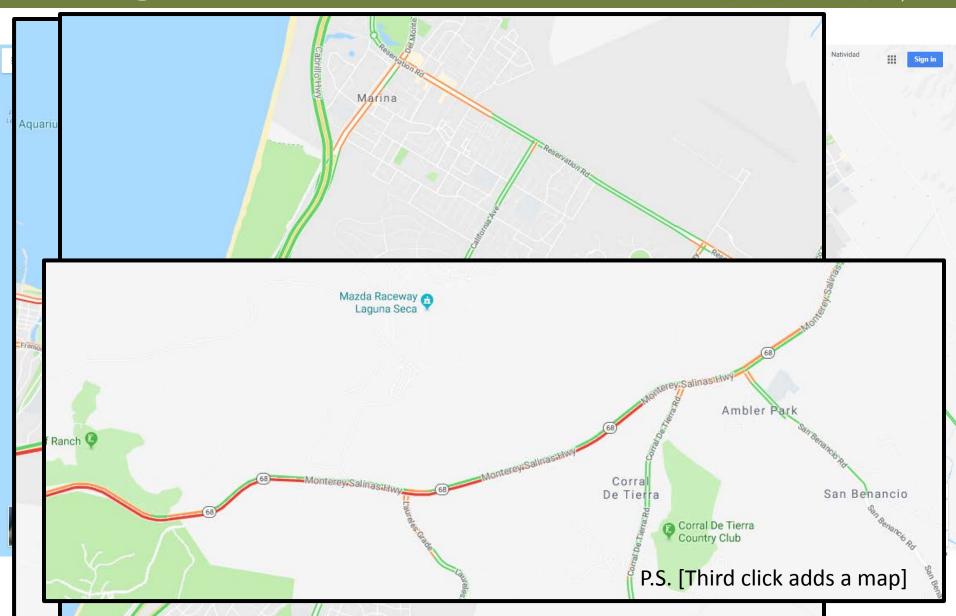












17-18 FORA CIP



- Regional Transportation Projects:
 - Hwy 1 (Seaside and Sand City)
 - Hwy 1 (Monterey Rd Interchange)
 - Hwy 156 (Hwy 1 to Hwy 101)

17-18 FORA CIP



- ► <u>Off-Site Transportation Projects:</u>
 - Davis Rd (north and south of Blanco Rd in Salinas)
 - Reservation Rd (East Garrison to Davis Rd)
 - Crescent Ave Extension to Abrams Dr (Marina)
 - Del Monte Blvd / 2nd Ave Extension (Marina)

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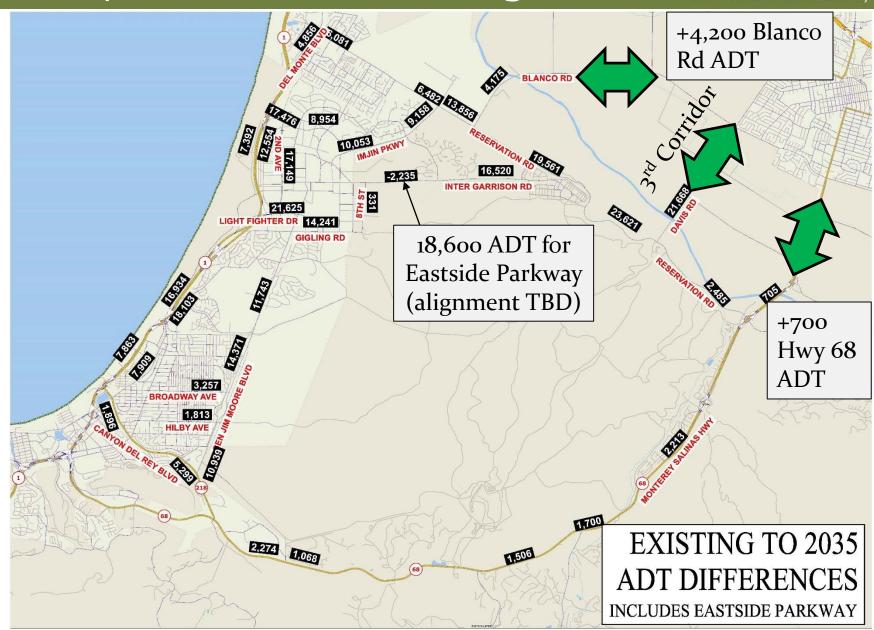


▶ On-Site Transportation Projects:

- Abrams Dr (2nd Ave to Crescent Court, Marina)
- 8th St (2nd Ave to Inter-Garrison Rd, Marina)
- Gigling Rd (Seaside)
- Salinas Ave (Abrams Dr to Reservation Rd, Marina)
- South Boundary Rd Upgrade (Del Rey Oaks/Monterey)
- Eastside Parkway

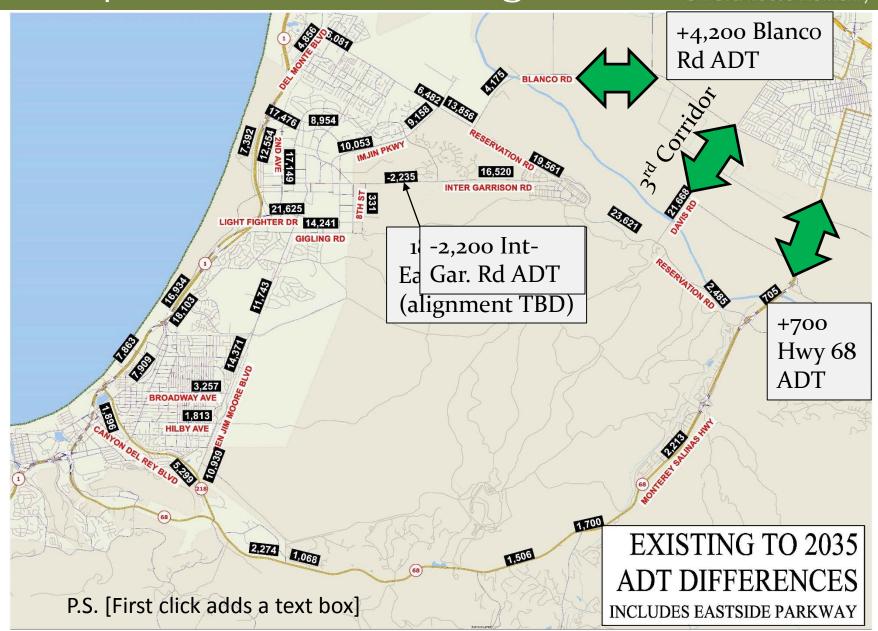
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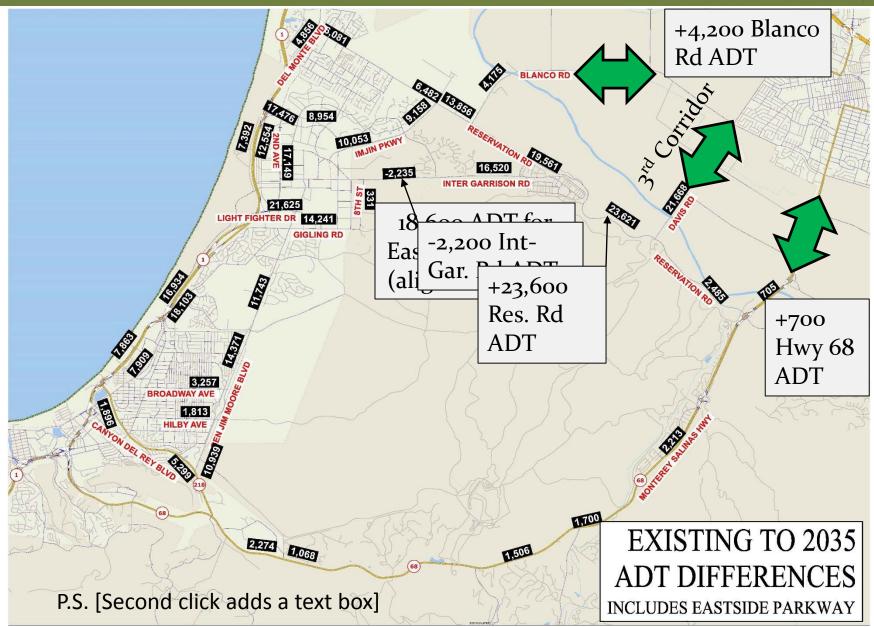
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Environmental Review Process



- California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)
 - High-quality environment
 - Provides information to public and decision makers
- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
 - Program-level vs. Project-level
- FORA acting as Lead Agency
 - Primarily responsible for analysis and consultation

CEQA Guidelines



- Goals and Objectives
 - Statement of the objectives sought by the proposed project
 - Underlying purpose
 - Clearly written
- Guide Alternative Analysis
 - Starting point to develop reasonable range of alternatives to be evaluated in EIR
 - Determine whether there is a feasible way to achieve basic objectives of project while avoiding impacts

Goals and Objectives



- Describe Underlying Purpose
- Setting goal is first step toward developing the project description
- ► Goal = WHAT
- Define objectives that would help in achieving the goal
- Objective = HOW

Example



- ► GOAL: Reduce patient waiting time to less than 1 hour to see a physician
 - Objective 1. Ensure sufficient staffing
 - Objective 2. Acquire software to manage scheduling capacity
 - Objective 3. Establish appointment confirmation procedures

Draft Schedule



- December 6, 2017 Community Workshop on project goals and objectives
- ▶ January 2018 Presentation of project goals and objectives for FORA Board consideration
- March 2018 Distribute Notice of Preparation for 30-day review period
- April 2018 EIR Public Scoping Meeting
- December 2018 Distribute Public Review Draft EIR for 45-day review period
- December 2018 Public Review Draft EIR Public Meeting
- July 2019 Final project approval and EIR certification for Board consideration

http://www.fora.org/EastsideParkway.html

Public Comments



- Comment sheets hand in today
- ► Email planning@fora.org subject line: Eastside Parkway
- ► Mail FORA, 920 2nd Ave., Ste. A, Marina, CA 93933
- Verbal comments today Please fill out a speaker card
- ► If not today, please submit by December 22, 2017 deadline – by email or mail