### Programming & Communications

#### **TDM Strategies**

Programmatic and marketing strategies can be used to give people more information about their commute options, and to provide a balance of incentives and disincentives to make it easier to change commute behaviors.



#### **Economic Strategies**

#### Commuter Financial Incentives

- Pay users to arrive using mode other than driving alone.
   Some companies pay employers a per daily or monthly incentive to not drive alone.
- Can also include free/reduced transit passes, pre-tax transportation benefits, or purchasing discounts (bike, helmet, etc).

#### Commuter Financial Disincentives

- Makes driving alone seem less financially viable.
- Some companies charge employees a daily parking fee.





#### **Human Behavior**

#### Flextime/ Alternative Scheduling

- Provides flexibility in daily work schedule to have some people to come in earlier and leave earlier or come in later and leave later.
- Results in lower number of people arriving at the same time.

#### Guaranteed Ride Home

- Guarentees users a free ride home from work if they have an emergency and have not driven alone to work.
- Companies will reimburse or pay for a taxi or rideshare service.

#### **Mobility Concierge**

- A person who provides information to new residents or employees about their commute options.
- Mobility concierges can connect with new residents when they move-in and attend orientations for new employees.

#### **Telecommuting**

- Allows people to work from home, using internet, email, and telephone to stay connected.
- Reduces number of people commuting in general.

#### Promotions/ Competitions

- Encourages friendly competitions between individuals, departments, or residential buildings to use alternative transportation modes.
- Tracks peoples' green commute days, GHG emmissions saved, etc.

#### **Social Events**

- Social events on-site encourages people to stay in an area for an additional reason.
- Includes work-out classes, festivals, and other social gatherings.







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#### **Communications and Information**

#### Real Time Displays

- Provides users real time information on their transportation options.
- Provides arrival times for bus, train, or light rail service

#### Transportation Marketing / Information Sharing

• Provides communication portals (i.e. websites, apps) to help people explore their commute options.

#### Multimodal Wayfinding

 Helps people navigate an area using different modes of transportation with on-street and in building signage.





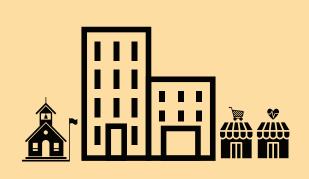


## Land Use and Parking

#### TDM Strategies

The combination of land use and parking standards play a role in shaping the travel behavior of residents and workers. When retail, residential, and office uses are within close proximity of each other, it reduces the need for vehicle trips and increases the likelihood of walking and biking trips, therefore reducing traffic impacts. Decreaseing the amount of free parking will also reduce vehicle trips.

#### **Land Use Strategies**



#### **Residential Supportive Uses**

Reduces vehicle trips by providing amenities for residents to use on a daily or weekly basis such as grocery stores, pharmacies, schools, day care facilities, restaurants and others within walking distance



#### **Office Supportive Uses**

Reduces vehicle trips by providing on-site amenities for office workers including dry cleaning, day care, restaurants, and other retail and service businesses



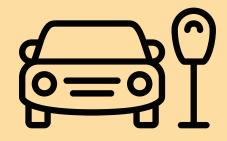
#### **Mixed-use to Promote Live/Work**

Reduces vehicle trips by providing residential, office, and retail in close proximity to each other so people can live and work in the same area





#### Parking Strategies



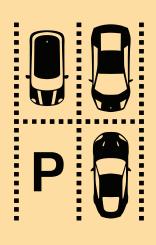
#### **Charging for Parking**

Influences driving behavior when the price of parking is more expensive than transit and other alternative transportation modes. Parking revenue can be invested in transit, active transportation, and TDM incentives.



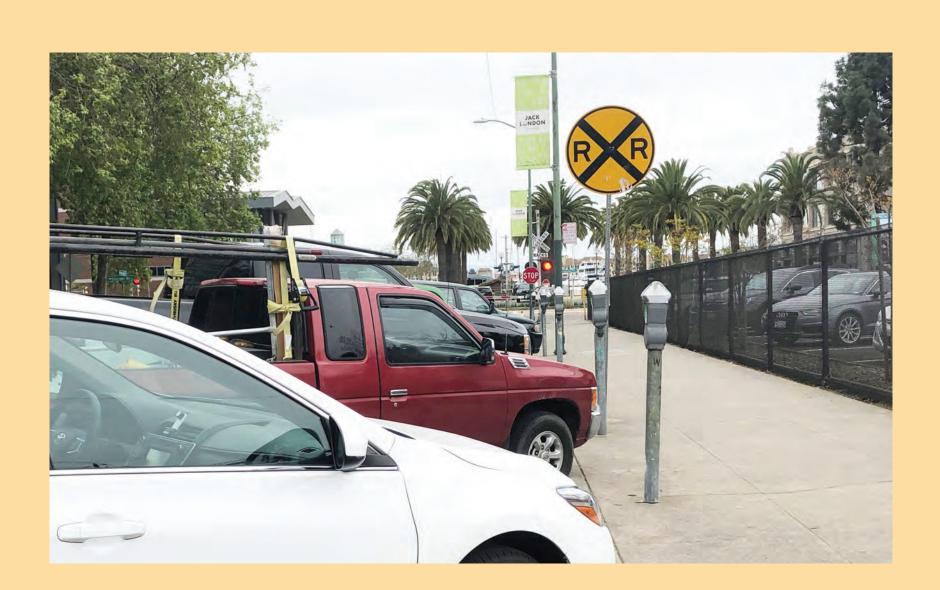
#### **Daily Fee**

Removes monthly or annual payment options, which makes paying for parking a daily choice, discouraging people from driving.



#### **Parking Supply Management**

Reduces the overall supply of parking which helps prioritize non-SOV trips. Available parking should be flexible to serve a variety of uses. For example, curbside parking can be prioritized for retail users.









## Transportation

#### TDM Strategies

Reducing single occupancy vehicle trips (SOVs) will require a suite of strategies to shift vehicle trips to active and shared modes of transportation. By improving the speed, efficiency, and financial incentives for shared and active modes, travel behavior can be changed for workers, residents, and visitors.

#### **Transit Strategies**



#### **Bus Rapid Transit (BRT)**

Provides fast, reliable transit options. Discounted/free passes can be distributed to workers & residents



#### Bus

Provides reliable transit options. Discounted/free passes can be distributed to workers and residents. Can provide links to other mass transit options such as Caltrain



#### **HOVs/Shuttles/Vanpool**

Provides alternatives to SOV trips. Shuttles connect employees to employment or residents to shopping or transit. Circulators can connect transit, offices, residential, and retail uses together. Ride sharing, vanpool, and carpool websites can make it easier for people to connect and ride together



#### **Shared Vehicles**

Provides an alternative to driving alone. Car share users can be given priority parking spaces and memberships can be provided at discounted rates.





#### **Active Transportation Strategies**



#### Walking

Provides a healthy and environmentally friendly way to get around. A well connected pedestrian network will support walking as a mode for shorter trips. Streetscapes with pedestrian amenities and wide sidewalks create a more enjoyable place to walk.



#### **Bicycling**

Provides a healthy and environmentally friendly way to travel. Invest in infrastructure that improves the bicycle network. Include secure short-term and long-term parking, shower and locker facilities, and bike repair stations. Offer bike share options at a free or discounted rate.





#### **Delivery Supportive Strategies**



#### **Package Delivery Coordination**

Reduces vehicle trips and VMT by reducing the need for trips to the store. This can be accomplished by providing Amazon Lockers or other systems to collect and temporarily store employee and residential packages







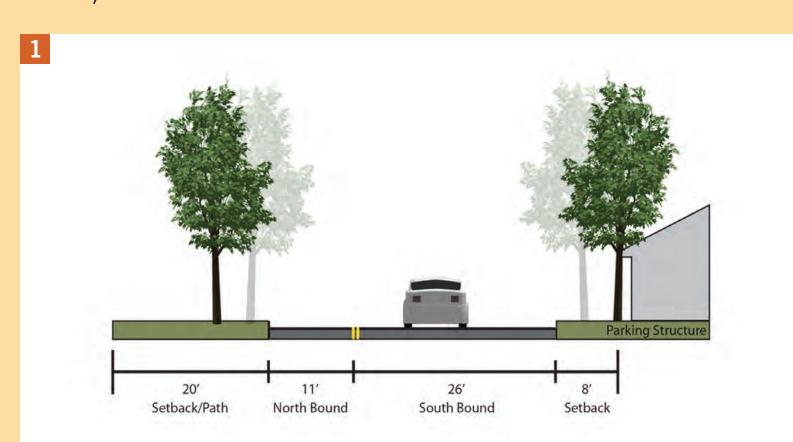
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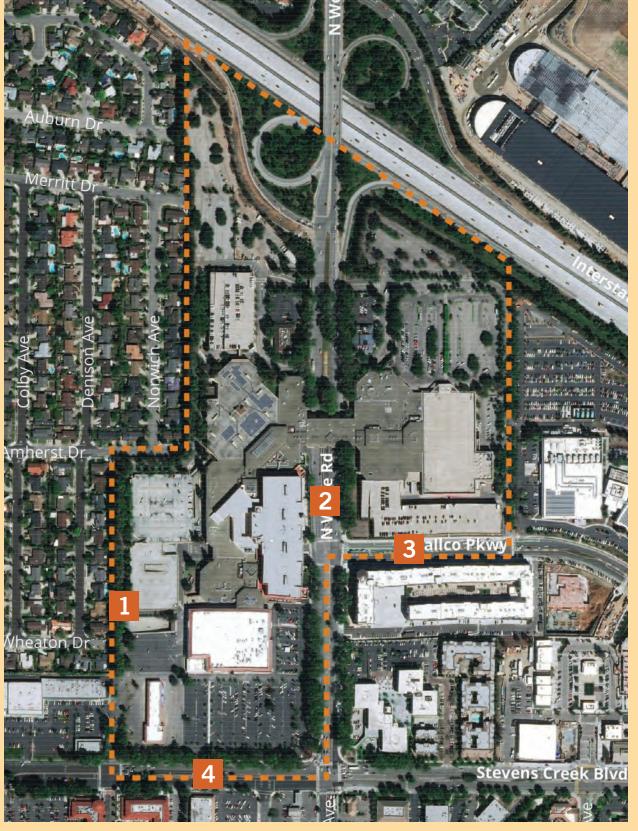


North Wolfe Road facing Vallco Parkway

#### **Perimeter Road**



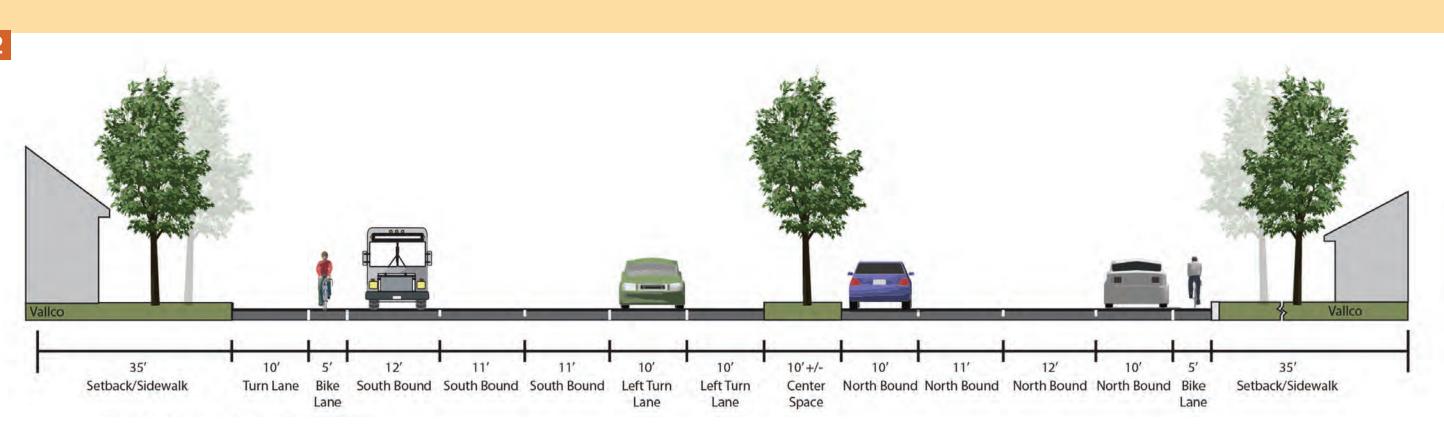




Vallco Site Area Map

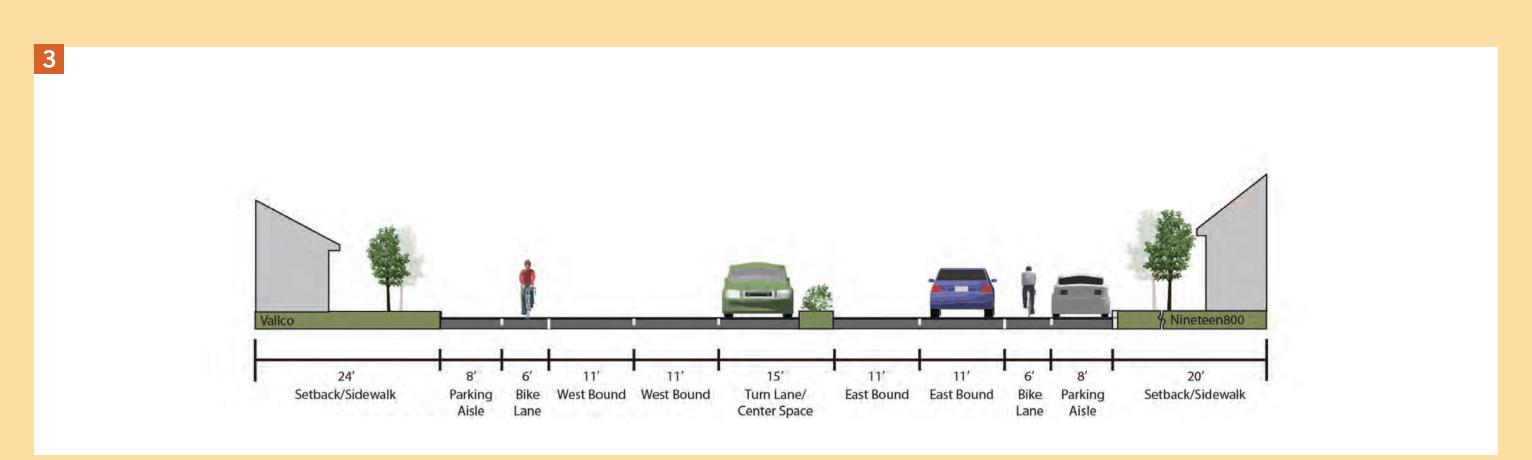
#### North Wolfe Road





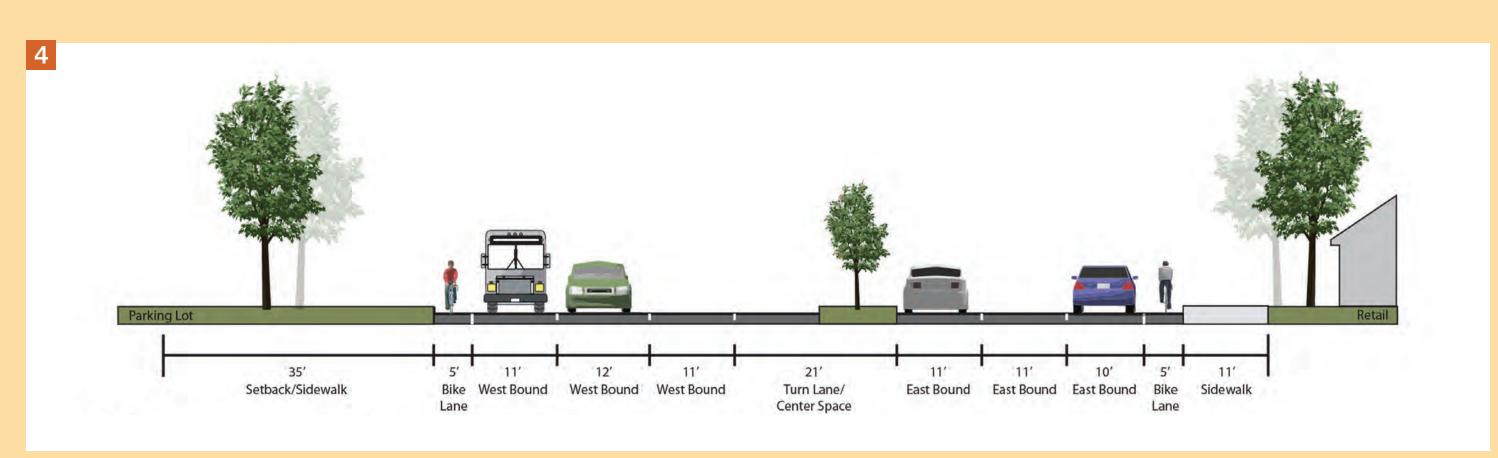
#### Vallco Parkway





#### **Stevens Creek Boulevard**









## Roadway Types

#### LOCAL STREET

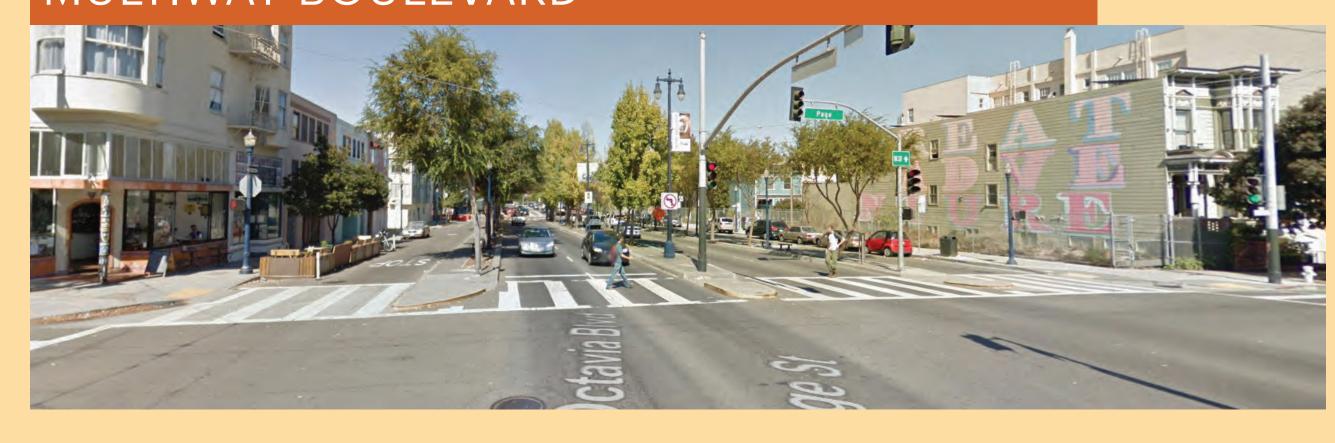


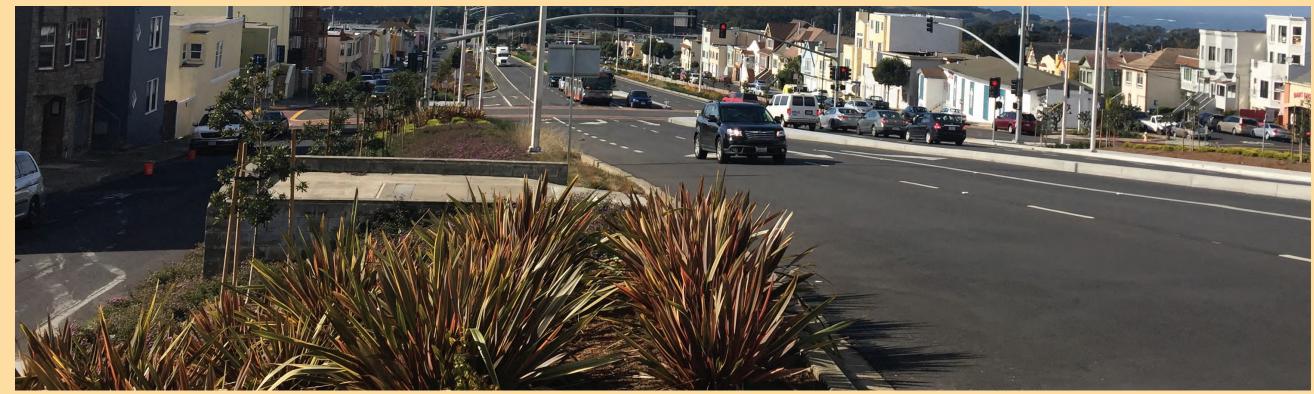






#### MULTIWAY BOULEVARD









## Bicycle Facilities

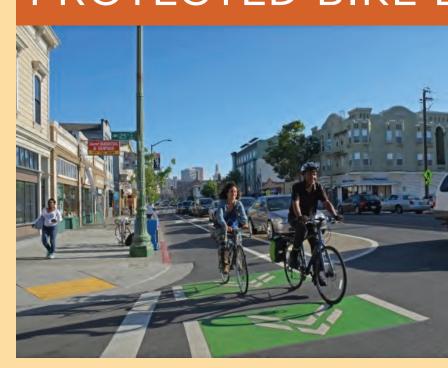
#### SHARED USE PATHS





- Paths shared by people walking and biking completely separated from motor vehicle traffic
- Comfortable for people of all ages and abilities
- Typically located within or along parks, rail corridors, rivers, or other bodies of water

#### PROTECTED BIKE LANE





- On-street bike lane separated from motor vehicle traffic by curb, median, planters, parking, or other phyiscal barrier
- Ideal for when a fully separated path is not feasible
- More comfortable for people of all ages and abilities

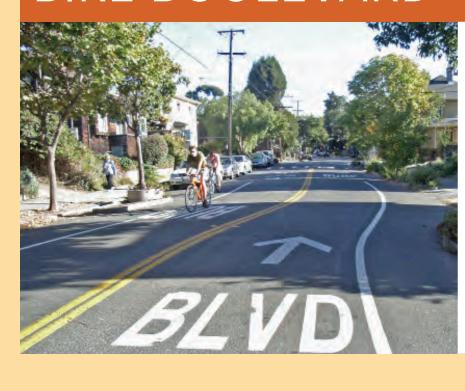
#### BICYCLE LANES/BUFFERED BICYCLE LANES





- Dedicated lane for bicycle travel adjacent to traffic
- Separated from traffic or parking by painted lane line or buffer
- Adding a buffer provides additional comfort and space from motor vehicles and/or parking

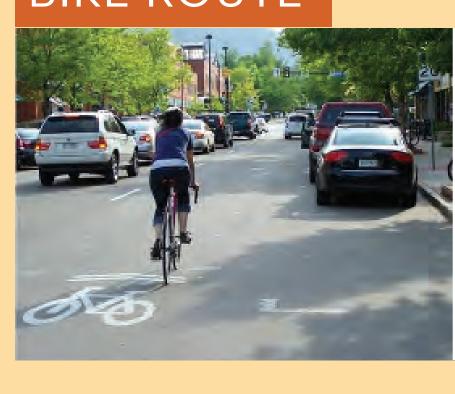
#### BIKE BOULEVARD





- Signed bike route, sharing the roadway with motor vehicles on quiet neighborhood streets
- Includes shared roadway road markings on pavement and additional traffic calming measures like speed bumps
- Comfortable for a wider range biking abilities

#### BIKE ROUTE



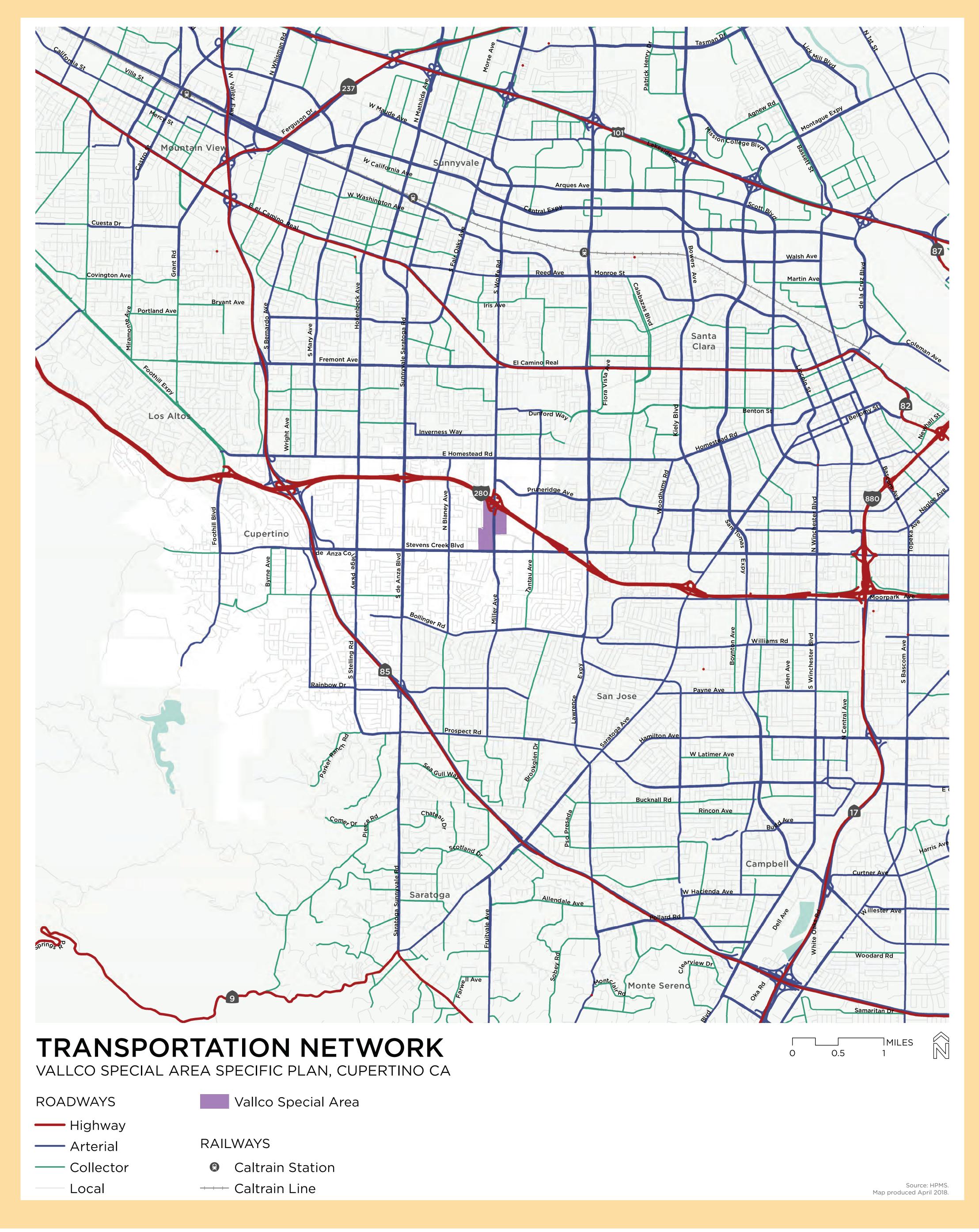


- Signed bike route, sharing the roadway with motor vehicles
- Can include pavement markings
- Comfortable for more confident people biking
- Used when space for bike lane may not be feasible





## Transportation Network







# Seattle Children's Hospital Seattle, WA

#### Comprehensive Transportation Plan

Seattle Children's Hospital hosts over 7,000 active employees and has over 400,000 patient visits a year. The main campus is located in the Laurel Hurst neighborhood in Seattle and is not well served by buses or trains. Seattle Children's Hospital continues to plan for new facilities and wants to reduce vehicle traffic to its buildings.

#### **Issues Addressed**

As part of an agreement with the City for a permit to build a new clinical space, Seattle Children's developed a target to reduce solo car commuters to 30% by 2028. The Comprehensive Transportation Plan lays out a strategy to aggressively reduce the number of single occupancy vehicles parking at the hospital and invest in making Northeast Seattle a better place to bike and walk.

#### Outcomes

Between 2004 and 2006, the percentage of daytime employees who solo car commuted reduced from 50% to 38%.

#### **Key Strategies**

- Commuter financial incentives
- Daily parking fees
- Vanpool and carpool coordination
- Mixed use on campus
- Investment in neighborhood bike/ped projects

#### **TDM Approach**

#### Daily Parking Fees

Parking fees are charged daily instead of monthly and are variable, costing more if you arrive during commute hours.



#### Vanpool Programs

35 vans serve the hospital and about 19% of the hospital's employees use vanpool or carpool to get to work.





#### On Campus Amenities

The hospital attracts business and services for employees that reduce their need for daytime trips, such as restaurants and daycare.





#### Northeast Seattle Improvements

Seattle Children's invested over \$3M in bike/ped and traffic flow projects in Northeast Seattle.









**Public Charrette** 

# Tysons, VA Tysons, VA

#### Access Tysons TDM Program

Tysons Corner Center was built in 1968 and was originally a suburban mall complex in Tysons, Virginia, an "edge-city" outside of Washington D.C. The developer Macerich Company bought the mall and built a high-density, mixed use center that, along with retail, includes a hotel and two residential buildings. "Access Tysons" is Macerich's TDM program.

#### **Issues Addressed**

As part of a comprehensive planning process for the site, the developer had to come up with a TDM program to help shoppers, residents, and workers find their way around the development without expanding road systems and building extensive parking lots.

#### Outcomes

Macerich surveyed residents at their onsite residential buildings. Between 2015 and 2016, drive alone rates have decreased between 3-9% while walk to work rates have increased from 11% to 24%.

#### **Key Strategies**

Communications and decision making tools

On-site amenities and events

Coordination with city-wide TMA

#### TDM Approach

#### **TMA**

The developers is part of a Transportation Management Association that coordinates transportation demand with businesses city-wide.

Real-time transportation displays

Displays show real-time transportation options, such as for Metro buses and trains.

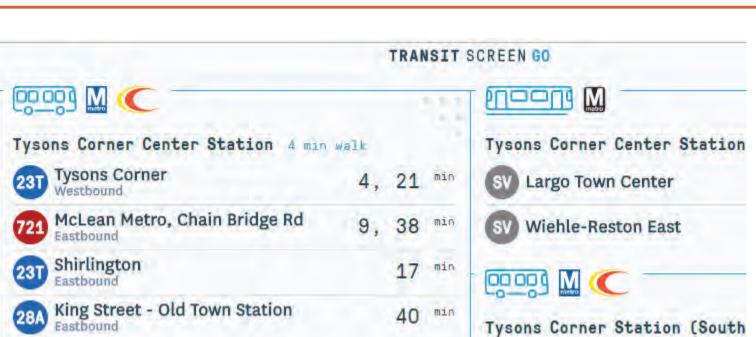
#### Website

AccessTysons.com provides detailed information on travel options, resources, and routes.

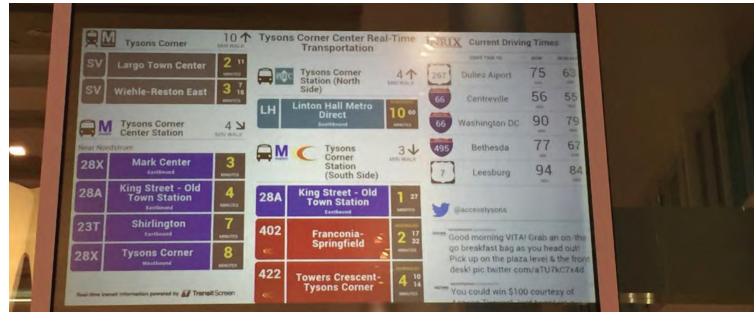
#### **Community Events**

Macerich hosts events such as free on site work out classes, campus fairs, and markets.





















## Stanford University Palo Alto, CA

#### Transportation Strategy for No Net New Trips

Over 18,000 students, faculty, and staff study, teach, or work on the Stanford University campus, located centrally in Palo Alto. As the University plans for growth and expanding its campus, it has committed to a transportation strategy that produces no net new vehicle trips during commute times.

#### Issues Addressed

To address additional transportation impact during commute times, Stanford developed a "no net new commute trips" standard. The resulting transportation strategy is part of Stanford's 2000 and 2018 General Use Permit which provides strategies to minimize the impact of Stanford's future development.

#### Outcomes

Single occupancy vehicles have decreased from 69% in 2002 to 43% in 2016.

#### **TDM Approach**

Clean Air Cash \$25/month incentive for those who commute to campus by bike, transit, carpool or vanpool)

Free Bus Shuttle
Includes "first-mile/last
mile" routes between the
Palo Alto Transit Center
and campus, as well as the
"East Bay Express" providing
service to Fremont and
Union City. Shuttles are
publicly available.

#### Bicycle Programs and Infrastructure

Stanford has been named a Platinum Bicycle Friendly University by the League of American Bicyclists.

Subsidized Vanpool
Users can sign up for one
of 19 existing vanpools
or form their own 5+
person vanpool that is fully
subsidized.

#### **Key Strategies**

- Commuter financial incentives
- Parking disincentives
- Walking and bicycle improvements
- Shuttle services
- Bicycle parking and repair facilities
- Carpool and vanpool incentives



















