

US-101 Improvement Project

Project Update
VCTC Commission Meeting
July 10, 2020















Agenda



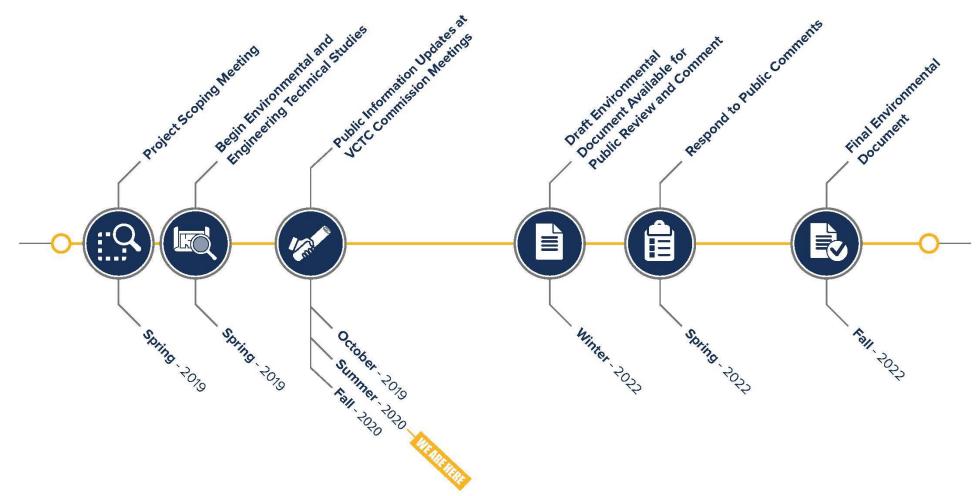
- Current Schedule
- Alternative Selection
- Ongoing Project Tasks
- Closing





Current Schedule











Alternatives Selection









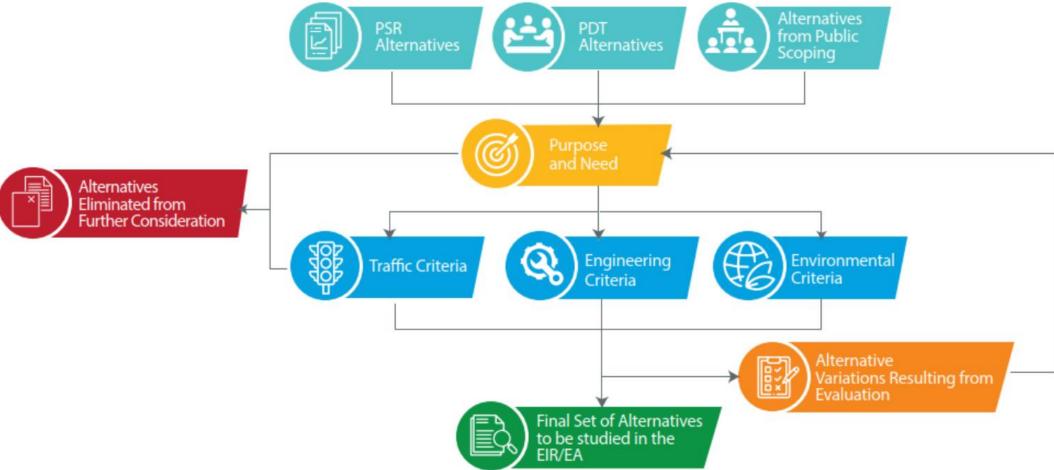






Alternatives Analysis







Alternatives Analysis

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Alternatives Evaluated

- No Build
- HOV Lane Using Non-Standard Section
- HOV Lane Using Non-Standard Section with Auxiliary Lanes
- HOV Lane Using Standard Section with Auxiliary Lanes
- HOV Lane Using Standard
 Section with Design Variations and Auxiliary Lanes

- Two HOV Lanes Using Standard Section with Auxiliary Lanes
- Reversible Lane
- Elevated Dedicated Transit Way
- General-Purpose Lane
- Tolled Lanes
- Combination of HOV Lane and General-Purpose Lane







- No Build
- HOV/Express Bus Lane Using Standard Section with Auxiliary Lanes
- HOV/Express Bus Lane Using Standard Section with Design Variations and Auxiliary Lanes







Alternative 1: No Build

- No further improvements to US 101
- Represents a baseline condition
- Allows PDT to compare the impact of build alternatives to the impact of doing nothing

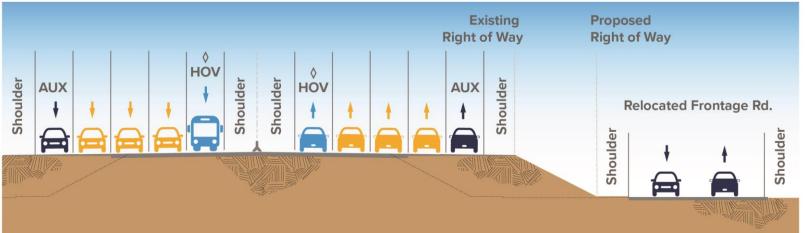






Alternative 2: HOV/Express Bus Lane Using Standard Section with Auxiliary Lanes

- Demonstrates the benefit of the HOV lane for carpools and express bus service
- Auxiliary lanes improve freeway operations at busy on/off ramps
- Freeway bridges require widening; local street impacts
- Some property acquisition



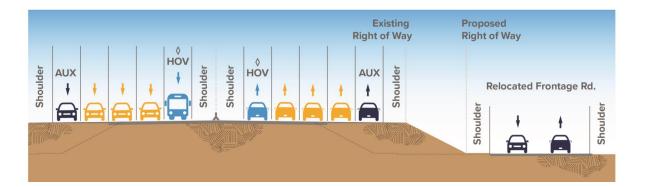






Alternative 3: HOV/Express Bus Lane Using Standard Section with Design Variations and Auxiliary Lanes

Same as Alternative 2, plus...



Design Variations

- Minimize Impact to south hillside on the Conejo Grade
- Four General Purpose Lanes
 From Vineyard to Victoria
 Including Additional Lanes on
 the Santa Clara River Bridge by
 Restriping
- End HOV Lane south of California Street Northbound Off-ramp







Ongoing Project Tasks















Ongoing Project Tasks



- Traffic Modeling Including VMT Analysis
- Engineering Evaluation of Alternatives
- Environmental Technical Studies and Draft EIR/EA
 - Community Impact
 - Visual Impact
 - Traffic Noise
 - Air Quality
 - Water Quality
 - Energy

- Relocation Impacts
- Floodplain
- Paleontology
- Archaeological
- Historic Resources /

Properties

- Cultural Resources/4(f)
- Hazardous Waste
- Biological
- Wetlands
- Natural Environment
- Sea Level Rise



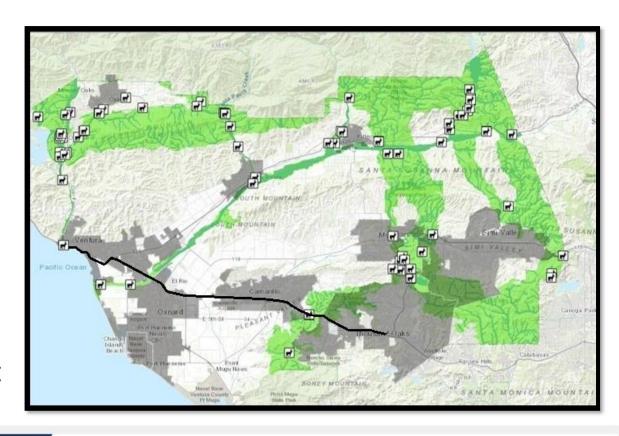


Wildlife Connectivity Assessment



Upcoming Coordination

- National Parks Service
- Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
- Ventura County Planning Division
- California Department of Fish and Wildlife
- Conejo Open Space Conservation Agency
- City of Thousand Oaks
- City of Camarillo
- Pleasant Valley Parks and Recreation District









THANK YOU













