

Update on Interstate 5 Improvement Project from Interstate 405 to State Route 55

Presentation to:

Bicycle/Pedestrian Subcommittee

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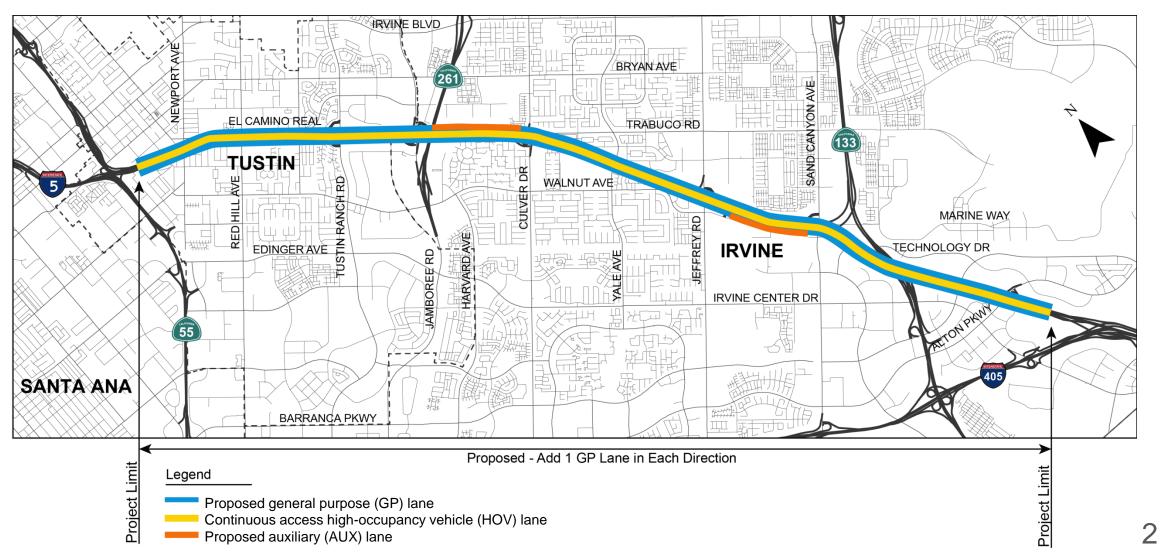




Project Limits and Area of Improvements occo



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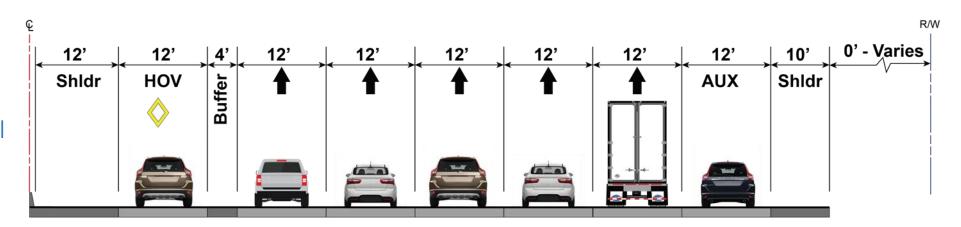


Comparison of Alternatives



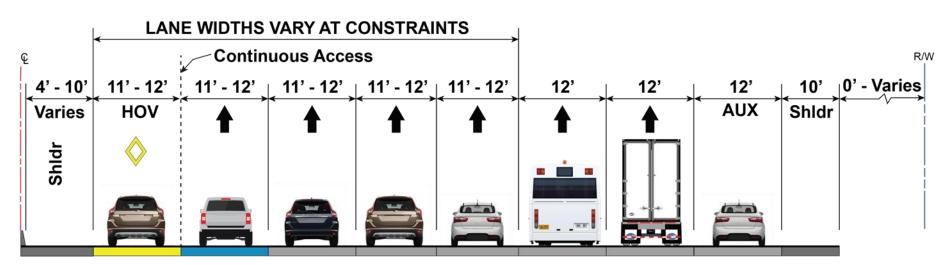
Alternative 1 (Alt 1) – No Build (Existing)

No capital or operational improvements



Alternative 2 (Alt 2) - Build

- Adds one GP lane in each direction
- Adds AUX lanes at certain locations
- Restripes HOV lanes for continuous access



Traffic Benefits



Average Daily Traffic Volumes					
I-5	Existing	2050 – Alt 1 (No Build)	2050 – Alt 2		
Northbound	130,200	215,800	228,700		
Southbound	145,400	213,200	233,400		
Total	275,600	429,000	462,100		

I-5 Freeway Mainline Average Speed (mph)					
Peak Hour – 2050		Alt 1 – No Build	Alt 2		
Northbound	AM	39	44		
	PM	34	38		
Southbound	AM	43	45		
	PM	44	47		

Average Annual Vehicle Hours Saved			
Northbound	1,906,000		
Southbound	1,945,000		

Existing Bikeways





Public Noticing and Outreach





PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETINGS

WHAT IS THE I-5 IRVINE TUSTIN PROJECT?

The I-5 Irvine Tustin Project is a preliminary engineering and environmental study intended to evaluate ways to improve the I-5 between I-405 and SR-55, in the cities of Irvine and Tustin, Currently, about 350,000 motorists drive this nine-mile stretch every day. By 2040, daily traffic volumes are projected to increase to nearly ½ million, so planning for this growth is important to Orange County's mobility,

As Orange County's transportation agencies, OCTA and Caltrans are conducting the study and holding two public information meetings so that members of the public can learn about the project and share their comments. The I-5 Irvine Tustin Project is part of Measure M, Orange County's voter-approved transportation investment plan. The study began in late 2014 and is scheduled to be completed in early 2017. Renewed by nearly 70% of voters in 2006, Measure M can be viewed at www.octa.net/pdf/investmentplan.pdf

Join the project mailing list by signing up at www.octa.net/getconnected

WHY SHOULD I ATTEND THE PUBLIC MEETING:

The I-5 Irvine Tustin Project is about YOUR DRIVE AND YOUR COMMUNITY. If you drive I-5 and/or live or work in Irvine or Tustin. these public information meetings are a great opportunity to:

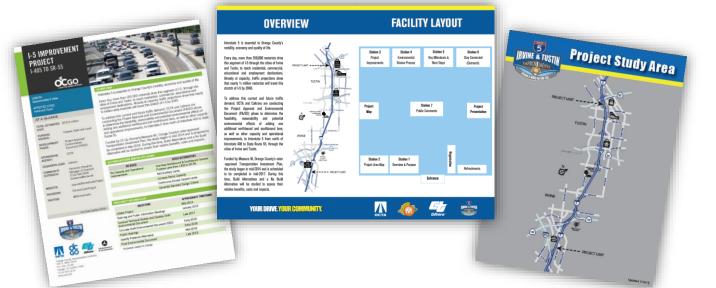
- Learn about the project's scope of adding a general purpose lane in each direction, schedule and the environmental review
- Meet the project team and discuss the proposed alternative
- Provide your comments, concerns or ideas for improving the I-5 within the study area. Comments will be considered in the Final Environmental Document.
- Get to know the project team and technical experts as the study kicks-off and moves forward.















Environmental Phase Schedule



