

Community Workshop 1



December 7, 2023

Project Partners













Today's Agenda

Presentation

- 1. Learn About the Project
- 2. Community Engagement
- 3. Q&A

Open House

- 1. Project Overview
- 2. Project Benefits & Vision
- 3. Project Features
- 4. Segments & Crossings
- 5. Comments Station

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Learn About the Project

Project Overview, Schedule, and Benefits

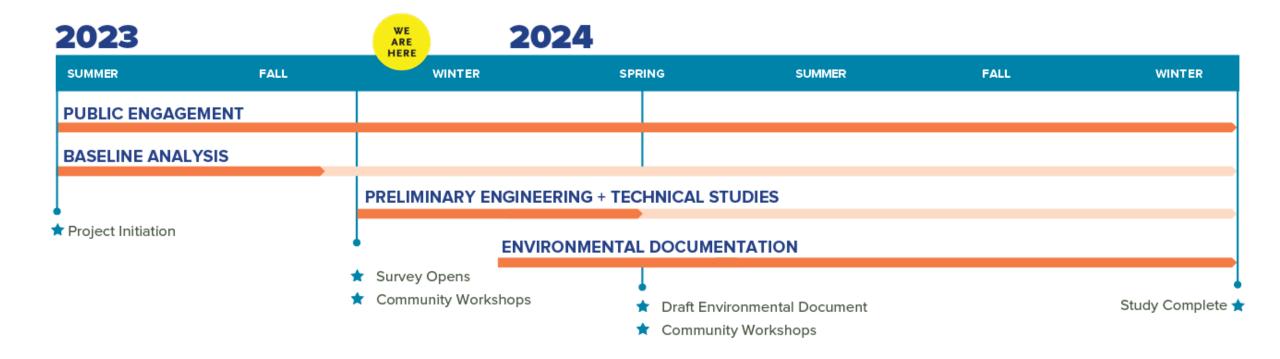




- 1.5 miles Garden Grove
- 2.3 miles in Santa Ana
- Preliminary engineering and environmental approval phase
- Adjacent to OC
 Streetcar from Harbor
 Blvd to Raitt St



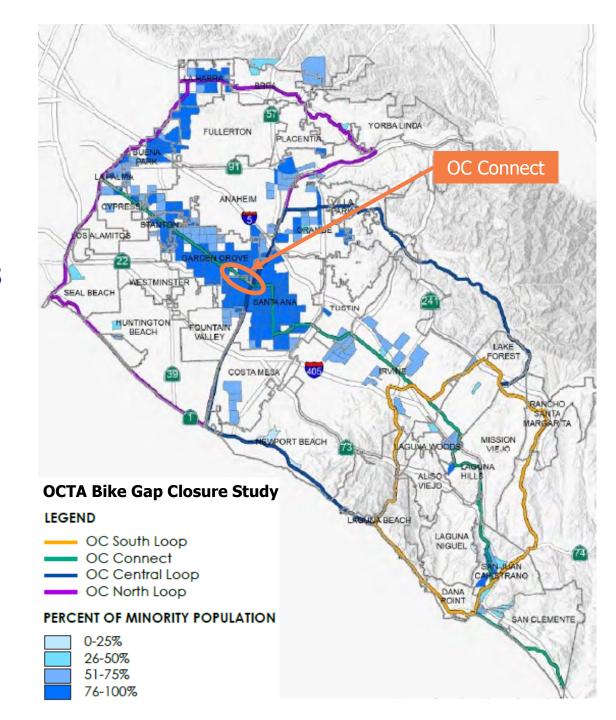
Project Schedule





How did we get here?

- Project Identified in OCTA Regional Plans
 - Regional Transportation Plan (date?)
 - Districts 1 & 2 Bikeway Strategy (2013)
 - OCTA Bike Gap Closure Study (2023)
- Project Identified in local City Plans
 - Re: Imagine Garden Grove Active Streets Plan (2018)
 - Muévete Santa Ana: Santa Ana Active Transportation Plan (2019)
- Community Feedback





OC Connect Benefits



Greater Connectivity



New Parks and Green Space



Promotes Health + Wellness



Provides a Low-Cost Transportation Option



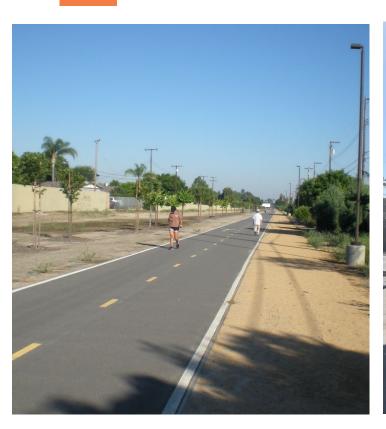
Historic Preservation



Community Identity



Garden Grove Medal of Honor Trail





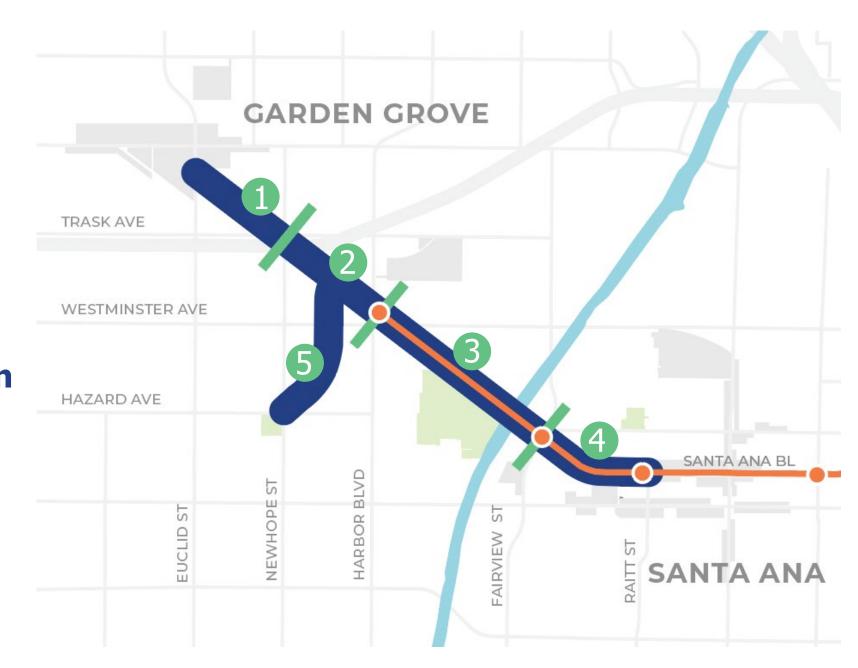






Trail Segments

- A range of trail types based on available space.
- A range of intersection crossings based on existing roadway condition.



Community Engagement

How to Stay Involved



Community Engagement

- **Comprehensive Outreach Campaign (EN, SP and VT)**
- **Multilingual Community Survey**
- **Public Meetings**
 - Virtual Meeting Tues., Dec. 5
 - In-Person Meeting Thurs., Dec 7; Santiago High School, GG
- **One-on-one and neighborhood meetings**
- **Pop Ups**
- **StoryMap**
- **Multilingual Helpline**







Next Steps

- Solicit public and stakeholder input
- Analyze survey results
- Develop preliminary engineering
- Bring draft trail alignment to the community for feedback



Stay Connected

• StoryMap: <u>occonnect-storymap.com</u>

Online Survey: <u>bit.ly/OCConnectSurvey</u>

• **Project Helpline:** (800) 716-8518

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