Active Transportation Update

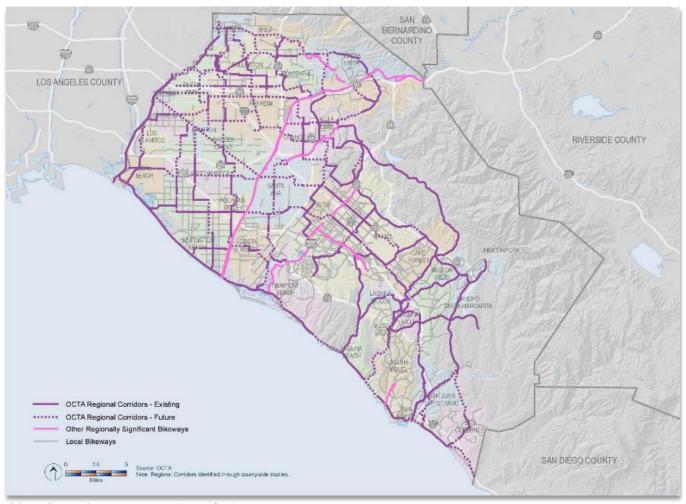




Regional Bikeways Network

Backbone System

- 41 regional corridors
- 500 miles in length
- 60 percent built
- \$400 million to complete



OCTA - Orange County Transportation Authority

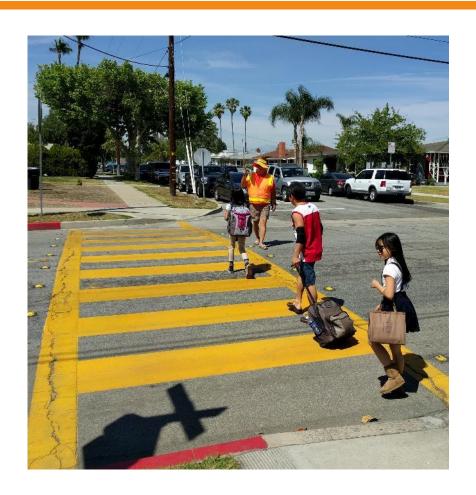
Orange County Grant Success

- Statewide Active Transportation Plan
 - \$43.5 million awarded in Cycles 1 and 2
 - Cycle 3 funding results are pending
- OCTA Bicycle Corridor Improvement Program
 - \$29.5 million awarded since 2012
- Total Funding (two sources): \$73 million



OCTA Planning Efforts

- OCTA Complete Streets Checklist
- OCTA Grant Success
 - OCTA Secured Four Grants for \$950,000
 - Planning, Analysis, and Education Campaigns
- Countywide Active Transportation Plan
 - Commence Early 2017
 - Consolidate Recent Regional Bikeway Planning Efforts
 - Identify Pedestrian Focus Areas
 - Position Local Agencies for Future Grants



Bicycle/Pedestrian Subcommittee Suggestions

Suggested Bicycle and Pedestrian Design Treatments at Freeway Interchanges

- 1. Incorporate traffic control devices such as Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon (HAWK), full signal, flashing beacon, Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon, etc.
- 2. Where dual-lane on- or off-ramps are provided, signalize the junction.
- 3. Utilize California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (CA MUTCD) standardized R4-11 sign (bicycles may use full lane) and shared lane markings where appropriate.
- 4. Evaluate and limit dual-lane on-ramp entrances where feasible.
- 5. Evaluate and limit option through/right-turn lane next to right-turn lane where feasible.
- 6. Stripe bike lanes regardless of status of bike lane on either side of interchange.
- 7. Provide bike lane between through lane and right-turn lane.
- 8. Widen roadway over/undercrossing to provide bike lanes in addition to motorist lanes.
- 9. Change Highway Design Manual standards where appropriate to provide proactive measures to accommodate all modes, support driver awareness, and provide visibility of users at the interchanges.
- 10. Reconfigure interchange to provide full 90-degree turn for motorists as they enter freeway ramp.
- 11. Incorporate raised crosswalks and speed humps at crosswalks.
- 12. Consider rumble strips or raised crosswalks, accounting for travel routes by bicyclists.

Marketing and Outreach

- May National Bike Month
- "Brake the Cycle" Campaign
- "Go Human" Campaign





Next Steps

- Begin the Countywide Active Transportation Plan
- Continue Coordination with Local Agencies
- Collaborate for Local and Regional Projects
- Position for Grant Funding Opportunities



