# Solano Transportation Authority

**ITEM** 

#### **SOLANO TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY**

**Member Agencies:** 

**STAFF PERSON** 

Diane Dooley, PAC Chair

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#### BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (BAC & PAC) SPECIAL JOINT MEETING AGENDA

6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., Thursday, June 5, 2025
The meeting is being held both in-person at 423 Main St., Suisun City, CA 94585
Third Floor of the STA Building

#### **STA Zoom Link**

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**Meeting ID:** 827 3484 7570 **Passcode:** 956136

#### MEETING AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER/INTRODUCTIONS/CONFIRM QUORUM

	(6:0)	0 - 6.05  p.m.	
2.		PROVAL OF AGENDA 5 – 6:10 p.m.)	David Belef, BAC Chair
3.		PORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC & STAFF COMMENTS 0 – 6:15 p.m.)	Diane Dooley, PAC Chair
	<b>A.</b>	Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) Community Outreach	Kathrina Gregana, STA
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4.		<b>ESENTATIONS</b> 5 – 6:35 p.m.)	David Belef, BAC Chair
	<b>A.</b>	Overview of the Transportation Development Act Article 3 (TDA-3) Discretionary Funds and Proposed STA Staff Draft Funding Recommendations (6:15 – 6:25 p.m.)	Kathrina Gregana, STA
	В.	East Tabor/Tolenas Safe Routes to School Gap Closure Project (6:25–6:35 p.m.)	Jason Riley, City of Fairfield David Vong, City of Fairfield

The complete packet is available on STA's website: www.sta.ca.gov

			2025 BA	C MEMBERS				
<u>David Belef</u> City of Vallejo Chair	Dennis Elliott City of Rio Vista Vice-Chair	Nancy Lund City of Benicia	Neal Iverson City of Vacaville	Tyler Meirose City of Suisun City	Jacob Francisco City of Fairfield	Jason Gray County of Solano	Joshua Blissett Member at Large	VACANT City of Dixon
			2025 PA	C MEMBERS				
Diane Dooley	Joseph Green-I		Bob Berman	Glen Giovannoni	<u>Miranda</u>	Teresa Bo		ookie Clark
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	Member at I	Large C	ounty of Solano	City of Suisun	Mem	ber at Large		
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#### 5. ACTION FINANCIAL

(6:35-6:45 p.m.)

# A. Consideration of the STA Staff Transportation Development Act (TDA-3) Fiscal Year 2025-26 and FY 2026-27 Draft Funding Recommendations

Kathrina Gregana, STA

Diane Dooley, PAC Chair

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Recommendation:

Forward the recommendation to the STA Board to approve the following TDA-3 funding allocations for the East Tabor/Tolenas Safe Routes to School Project:

BAC/PAC Members to Discuss and Vote

- 1. \$132,820 in FY 25-26 TDA-3 funds
- 2. \$101.890 in FY 26-27 TDA-3 funds

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#### 6. INFORMATIONAL – DISCUSSION

(6:45 - 7:00 p.m.)

David Belef, BAC Chair

A. Priority Conservation Area (PCA) Implementation: Mankas Corners/Rockville Road Priority PCA Projects

Flint Olsen, Solano County

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#### 7. ACTION – NON-FINANCIAL

(7:00-7:20 p.m.)

Diane Dooley, PAC Chair

#### A. Consideration of a Joint BAC/PAC E-Mobility Safety Committee

Dennis Elliott, BAC Vice Chair

#### Recommendation:

- 1. Approve the creation of a Joint BAC/PAC Ad-Hoc Committee for E-Mobility Safety; and
- 2. Approve the appointment of up to four BAC and PAC representatives to the Joint BAC/PAC Ad-Hoc Committee for E-Mobility Safety.

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#### 8. INFORMATIONAL – NO DISCUSSION

#### A. Solano Transportation Resiliency Plan

Kathrina Gregana, STA

All Committee Members

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#### 9. Member Updates/Roundtable

(7:15 - 7:30 p.m.)

- BAC Member Updates
- PAC Member Updates

#### 10. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the STA BAC is at 6:00 p.m., **Thursday**, **August 7**, **2025**. The next meeting of the STA PAC is at 6:00 p.m., **Thursday**, **September 4**, **2025** 

#### **PAC 2025 Meeting Dates:**

(The PAC meets every First Thursday on even months unless otherwise rescheduled)

#### \*Please mark your calendars for these dates\*

6:00 pm, Thursday, August 7, 2025 6:00 pm, Thursday, October 2, 2025 6:00 pm, Thursday, December 4, 2025

#### **BAC 2025 Meeting Dates:**

(The BAC meets every First Thursday on <u>odd</u> months, unless otherwise rescheduled)

\*Please mark your calendars for these dates\*

6:00 pm, Thursday, September 4, 2025 6:00 pm, Thursday, November 6, 2025

#### **Questions?**

Please contact STA Assistant Planner, Dulce Jimenez, at (707) 399-3214 or djimenez@sta.ca.gov.

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# What is the Comprehensive Transportation Plan?

The Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) is the primary long-range planning document for Solano County designed to create a safe, equitable, and sustainable multi-modal transportation system that meets the diverse mobility needs and sustainability goals of our communities. The plan will serve as a roadmap for the Solano Transportation Authority to guide transportation investments over the next 30 years, including active transportation (walking and biking), roadways and highways, public transit, equity, and land use.

#### Why is the CTP update needed?

The CTP is a foundational document that informs transportation projects and programs considered for the Metropolitan Transportation Commission's (MTC) Regional Transportation Plan, also known as **Plan Bay Area**. STA is updating project priorities and programs for submission to MTC's update of Plan Bay Area. The previous CTP was last updated in 2020.







#### What is the timeline for the CTP update?

Winter - Spring 2025
Identify existing conditions
and define project goals

**Spring - Fall 2025**Develop recommendations and draft plan

Fall 2025 - Winter 2026 Create final plan

#### How to Get Involved

A key element of updating the CTP is collaborating with members of the public to create a shared vision for a transportation system that is safe, equitable, sustainable, and meets the needs of Solano residents. **We want to hear your feedback!** Your input will play a crucial role in shaping transportation decisions in Solano County for the next 30 years.

#### Take the online survey at:



bit.ly/solano-survey

Survey participants may be eligible to receive a reward!

#### For more information, contact:

Kathrina Gregana, Associate Planner kgregana@sta.ca.gov (707) 399-3230





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DATE: May 29, 2025 TO: STA BAC & PAC

FROM: Dulce Jimenez, Assistant Planner

RE: Transportation Development Act Article (TDA-3) Fiscal Year (FY) 2025-26 and

FY 2026-27 Draft Funding Recommendations

#### **Background:**

Transportation Development Act (TDA) funds are generated from a ¼ cent tax on sales throughout California. Two percent of TDA funds go back to the county of origin in the form of TDA Article 3 (TDA-3) to fund Active Transportation (i.e. bicycle and pedestrian projects). Each fiscal year, the Solano Transportation Authority allocates TDA-3 funds. STA works with the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) to administer the TDA funds available for Solano County. MTC typically provides fund estimates each February, July, and September.

As part of the recommendation process, TDA-3 funding allocation requests are reviewed by STA's Bicycle Advisory Committee (BAC) and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (PAC) through a special joint meeting, with the next one scheduled for June 5, 2025. The STA Board, through the recommendation of STA staff, STA TAC, and BAC/PAC committees, annually approves TDA-3 funding allocations for Active Transportation projects.

#### **Discussion:**

There is an estimate of \$532,820 in Transportation Development Act Article 3 (TDA-3) funds to be allocated for Fiscal Year (FY) 2025-26 by STA, with \$400,000 committed to the SR37/Fairgrounds Drive Interchange Project. For reference, the Board action to approve the allocation of FY25-26 TDA-3 funding towards this project can be found on Page 97 of the <a href="December 11, 2024 STA Board">December 11, 2024 STA Board</a> agenda packet. The TDA-3 funding allocation was previously reviewed and endorsed by the BAC/PAC at the Joint BAC/PAC meeting held on December 5, 2024.

Accounting for the TDA-3 allocation to the SR37/Fairgrounds Drive Project, a funding balance of \$132,820 remains to be allocated in FY 25-26 TDA-3 funds. Due to the limited funding available, STA staff prioritized funding projects identified in the TDA-3 Four-Year Funding Plan, which outlines project readiness and funding recommendations to develop a level of certainty that the project identified will be completed within the funding deadline of three fiscal years.

With that said, an eligible candidate project identified was the City of Fairfield's East Tabor Tolenas Safe Routes to School Project – an OBAG 2 priority project with a local match requirement of \$334,710. The project is designed to improve the safety of students attending Grange Middle School and Tolenas Middle School by installing sidewalks, bicycle lanes, and a gated at-grade pedestrian crossing of the Union Pacific Railroad crossing at East Tabor. This

project was also previously presented at last year's Joint BAC/PAC meeting held on June 13, 2024, with the recommendation to be prioritized for TDA-3 funding in FY 2025-26.

To support with the local match requirement, STA has committed \$100,000 in FY 2023-24 Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) 40% Funds with the potential to address their remaining gap of \$234,710 with TDA-3 funds.

Therefore, STA staff recommends the City of Fairfield's East Tabor/Tolenas Safe Routes to School (SR2S) Project be considered for the remaining \$132,820 in FY 2025-26 TDA-3 funds, along with a set-a-side of \$101,890 in FY 2026-27 to fully meet the project's OBAG 2 local match requirement.

A summary of STA's FY25-26 draft TDA-3 funding recommendation is provided as Attachment A for the BAC/PAC to review and consider at the upcoming joint meeting. The City of Fairfield staff will present their project, with time allotted for committee members to ask clarifying questions. For reference, their TDA-3 application from last year's call for projects is included as Attachment B. Additionally, a summary table of previously approved TDA-3 allocations is provided in Attachment C.

Following the project sponsor presentations, both committees will deliberate, identify, and vote on the recommended TDA-3 funding allocations, which will subsequently be forwarded to the STA TAC and STA Board for consideration for approval.

#### **Fiscal Impact:**

None to the STA Budget. The FY 2025-26 TDA-3 discretionary fund capacity is \$535,190. Funds are provided through the Transportation Development Act funds.

#### **Recommendation:**

Forward the recommendation to the STA Board to approve the following TDA-3 funding allocations for the East Tabor/Tolenas Safe Routes to School Project:

- 1. \$132,820 in FY 2025-26 TDA-3 Funds
- 2. \$101,890 in FY 2026-27 TDA-3 Funds

#### Attachments:

- A. Fiscal Year (FY) 2025-26 TDA-3 STA Staff Draft Funding Recommendations
- B. East Tabor/Tolenas Safe Routes to School (SR2S) Project FY24-25 TDA-3 Application
- C. Summary of Previously Approved TDA- Allocations for Projects (FY20-21 to FY25-26)

## Four Year Funding Plan for STA Discretionary Funds: Transportation Development Act Article 3 (TDA-3) & Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) 40% Fund for Upcoming Projects

\* TFCA funds are programmed by STA staff annually to eligible member agencies under the Bay Area Air Baisn (e.g. southern portion of Solano County)

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Project Sponsor	Project Name	Total Project Cost	Remaining Gap	\$519,176	\$415,434	\$535,190	\$308,669	\$532,820	\$330,525	\$450,000	\$350,000	\$450,000	\$350,000	\$450,000	\$350,000	\$450,000	\$350,000
Fairfield	East Tabor Tolenas SR2S Project	\$2,453,000	\$334,710		\$100,000			\$132,820		\$101,890							
County of Solano	SR37/Fairgrounds Drive Interchange Project	\$31,473,000	\$6,173,000			\$400,000		\$400,000	\$100,000								
County of Solano	Farm to Market Phase 4	\$2,000,000	\$2.0 M							Potential Funding for this Year							
County of Solano	Elmira Bikeway Project Phase I	\$2,100,000	\$150,000							Potential Funding for this Year							
Vacaville	Safe Routes to School Pedestrian Crossing Enhancements	\$248,310	\$186,000									for this Year					\$350,000.00
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# SOLANO TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY FY 2024-25 CALL FOR PROJECTS FOR THE FOLLOWING DISCRETIONARY FUND SOURCE: TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 (TDA-3)

#### **APPLICATION FORM**

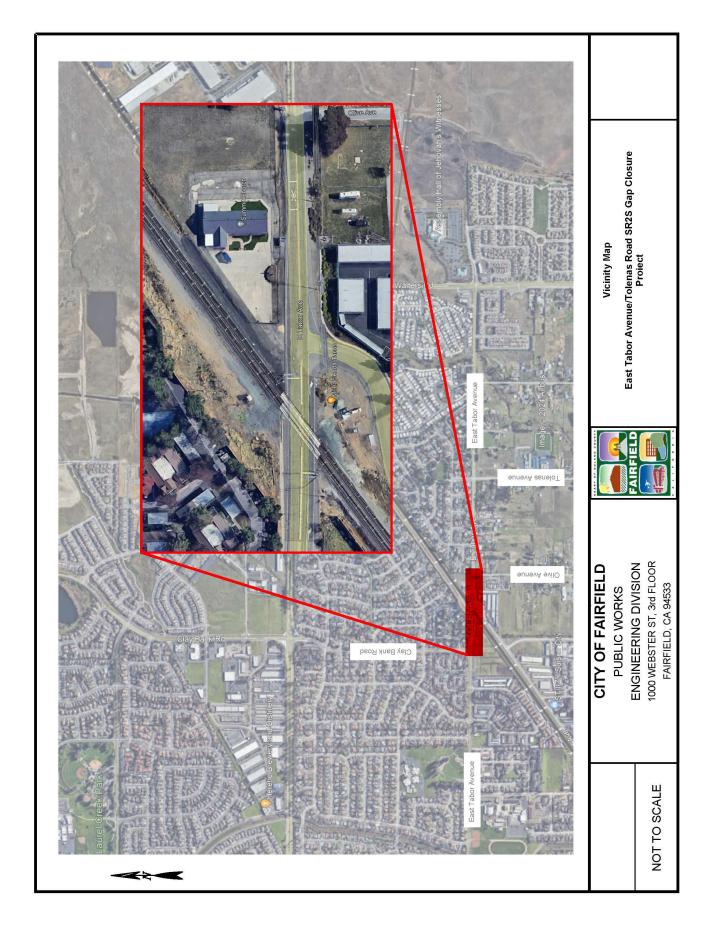
1.	Project Title	East Tabor/Tolenas SR2S Sidewalk Gap Closure					
2.	Agency (Name and Mailing	City of Fairfield					
	Address)	1000 Webster Street, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floo	or, Fairfield, CA 94533				
3.	Primary Contact	Jason Riley, Assistant City Eng	gineer				
	Email Address	jriley@fairfield.ca.gov	Phone Number: (707)428-7481				
4.	Secondary Contact	David Vong, Senior Civil Engineer					
	Email Address	dvong@fairfield.ca.gov	Phone Number: (707)428-7784				
5.	Total Cost of the Project	\$2,453,000					
6.	Funding Request	<del>\$253,000</del>	Minimum Funding				
		\$234,710 (modified request)	Request: \$100,000				
7.	Estimated Start of Project		Estimated End Date of Project:				
		March 2025	<del>November 2025</del>				
8.	Is the project included in an adopted local plan?	Yes. Project is included in the Solano Countywide Active Transportation Plan.					
9.	What project category are you applying for?	✓ Active Transportation Facilities (Biking/Walking Infrastructure)					
		☐ Infrastructure Improvement for Trip Reduction (Traffic Calming/Road Diet)					
		☐ Other Bike/Ped Proje	ct Type				

10. **Description of Overall Project Scope Proposed for Funding and Project Benefits** (Project level environmental, preliminary planning, and ROW are ineligible uses of TDA).

City of Fairfield proposes to improve pedestrian safety by closing sidewalk gaps providing a controlled at-grade pedestrian crossing of the UPRR (two tracks) along the north side of East Tabor Avenue between Claybank Road and Olive Avenue. The also includes widening of the existing sidewalk along the east side of Tolenas Road from Tolenas Elementary School to East Tabor Avenue providing a safe route to school for students attending Tolenas Elementary School.

The TDA Article 3 funding will be used as the local match (\$253,000) required for the \$2,100,000 federal grant the City has received for the project. This local match replacement will allow \$253,000 of local funds to be programmed to other active transportation projects within the city.

2. Is the project in an	<b>Equity Priority Con</b>	nmunity?			Yes⊠	Nol
3. Is this project in a <u>P</u>	riority Developme	nt Area or a <u>Trans</u>	<u>it-Oriented Com</u>	munity?	Yes□	Nol
4. Project Budget and	Schedule					
Project Phase	TDA-3	Other Funds	Total Cost	Estimated Co (Month/	•	
Bike/Ped Plan						
ENV	N/A					
PA&ED	N/A					
PS&E						
ROW	N/A					
CON	\$253,000	\$2,200,000	\$2,453,000	November	2025	
Total Cost	\$253,000	\$2,200,000	\$2,453,000			
pursuant to <u>Chapte</u>	r 1000 of the Calif		m safety design sign Manual?	criteria	Yes⊠	No
pursuant to <u>Chapte</u> <b>1.</b> Is the project care Existing Facility?		ornia Highway Des	sign Manual?		Yes⊠	No No
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ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN



# Recommended Pedestrian Projects

pedestrian network recommendations. The first assessment in the pedestrian realm. This analysis identified 14,5 miles of sidewalk gaps in Fairfield along the backbone networks. Table FA-5 presents the sidewalk gaps along the backbone backbone networks that play a regionally significant role identified sidewalk gaps along the local and countywide networks along with a cost estimate for filling each gap. Figure FA-21 shows the sidewalk network gaps and the The PDT completed two types of analyses to identify backbone network.

that it is more comfortable for people of all ages and abilities. analyses will help improve Fairfield's pedestrian network so arterials in close proximity to transit stops or schools (see Table FA-6). Note that there is some overlap in projects identified in each process for sidewalk gap closure projects sidewalk gaps located in high-demand areas, such as along assessment. All of the projects identified through these two community outreach, or previous transportation plans; or the list of pedestrian projects identified using this second The second assessment identified pedestrian projects highlighted through the safety analysis, walk audits. as local priorities were evaluated. Figure FA-22 shows

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Street / Facility Name	Extents	North or West Side of Street Distance (mi)	South or East Side of Street Distance (mi)	Total Distance (mi)	Cost
Red Top Road	McGary St to River Rd	0.37	97.0	0.82	\$811,800
Lopes Rd	Red Top Rd to Cordelia Rd	0.60	0.95	1.55	\$1,534,500
Cordelia Rd	Pittman Rd to Romania Rd	0.66	99.0	1.32	\$1,306,800
Cordelia Rd	Hale Ranch Rd to Pennsylvania Ave	1.21	1.92	3.13	\$3,098,700
Business Center Dr	Green Valley Rd to Suisun Valley Rd	0.42	0.41	0.82	\$811,800
Business Center Dr	Suisun Valley Rd to Suisun Creek	0.00	070	0.40	\$396,000
West Texas St	Oliver Rd to Beck Ave	0.00	0.22	0.22	\$217,800
Pennsylvania Ave	Empire St to Kansas St	0.44	0.00	97.0	\$435,600
Travis Blvd	Holiday Ln to Maupin Rd	0.29	0.00	0.29	\$287,100
Manuel Campos Pkwy	Hilborn Rd to North Texas St	0.27	00:00	0.27	\$267,300
E Tabor Ave	Railroad Ave to Walters Rd	0.09	0.89	0.99	\$980,100
Walters Rd	E Tabor Ave to Huntington Dr	0.15	0.41	0.57	\$564,300
Huntington Dr	Walters Rd to Peabody Rd	1.14	0.70	1.84	\$1,821,600
Peabody Rd	Huntington Dr to Vanden Rd	0.48	0.00	0.48	\$475,200
Peabody Rd	Vanden Rd to Huber Dr	0.52	0.55	1.07	\$1059,300
Peabody Rd	Josheph Gerevas Dr to Chuck Hammond Dr	0.00	0.19	0.19	\$188,100
Total		999	777	16.42	\$14 275 800

SOLANO COUNTY ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN | FAIRFIELD

Print Form

Not	ice of Exemption			Appendix E
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	County Clerk			JUN 27 2019
	County of: Solano 675 Texas Street		(Address)	Birgitta E. Corsello, Clerk of
	Fairfield, CA 94533			the Board of Supervisors of
Proje	ect Title: East Tabor/ Tolenas Safe F	coutes to School Gap	Daniel	ounty of Sojano, State of California
Proje	ect Applicant: City of Fairfield, Public	Works Department		
E. Ta	ect Location - Specific: bor Ave. at Railroad Ave., Tolenas Rd. bo eld, Solano County, CA	etween Tolenas Elemen	tary School and E. Tabor	Ave., City of
	ect Location - City: Fairfield		cation - County: Solano	
Close betw	pription of Nature, Purpose and Benefic e sidewalk gaps along E. Tabor Ave. and geen its existing end points adjacent to ide a controlled at-grade pedestrian cro	l Tolenas Rd, extend sid Union Pacific Railroad F	ROW on the west and Oliv	e Ave on the east,
Nam	e of Public Agency Approving Project:	City of Fairfield, Public	Works Department	
Nam	e of Person or Agency Carrying Out Pr	oject: City of Fairfield,	Public Works Departme	ent
	npt Status: (check one):			
1	☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 1526	8);		
1	☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080)	b)(3); 15269(a));		
1	☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)	(4); 15269(b)(c));	ec 15301 Existing Fac	ilities
	■ Categorical Exemption. State type     Statutory Exemptions. State code in		cc. 10001. Existing 1 ac	
The	sons why project is exempt: project will involve a variety of transit in e will be no expansion of use and no ex	nprovements and main		les within the City.
	Agency act Person: Amy Kreimeier	Area Code	/Telephone/Extension:	707-428-7450
	ed by applicant:  1. Attach certified document of exemption.  2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed.	d by the public agency		
Sign	ature:	Date: 06/25/2019	Title: Associate	Planner
	☑ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Sig	ned by Applicant		
	ty cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Rence: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Pu		Date Received for filing at OF	PR:
	Documen	t Posted From		
		_ to		Revised 2011
	Deputy Cle	erk of the Board		

#### CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION/CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION DETERMINATION FORM

City of Fairfield			ATPL-5132(047)				
DistCoRte. (or Local Agency)	P.M./P.M.	E.A/Projec	t No. Federal-Aid Project No. (Local Project	ct)/Project No.			
activities involved in this box. Use	(Briefly describe page 13 Continuation Sheet	project including et, if necessary.)	need, purpose, location, limits, right-of-way require	ments, and			
City of Fairfield proposes to improve pedestrian safety by closing sidewalk gaps along E Tabor Ave and Tolenas Road. The proposed project will extend sidewalk on the north side of the E Tabor Ave between its existing end points adjacent to UPRR ROW on the west and Olive Ave on the east. The proposed project will provide a controlled at-grade pedestrian crossing of the UPRR (two tracks). The proposed project also includes widening the existing sidewalk along Tolenas Road (east side) from Tolenas Elementary School to E Tabor Ave in Fairfield. Continued on next page.  CALTRANS CEQA DETERMINATION (Check one)							
CALTRANS CEQA DETER	RMINATION (CI	neck one)					
	roposal, supporting	g information, a	Not Applicable – Caltrans has prepared an Environmental Impact Report under CEQA nd the above statements, the project is:	Initial Study or			
Exempt by Statute. (PRC 21 Categorically Exempt. Class		084; 14 CCR 1	5200 ot cog \				
Based on an examination of t apply:	his proposal and s	upporting inform	nation, the following statements are true and exception	ions do not			
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Briefly list environmental commitments on continuation sheet. Reference additional information, as appropriate (e.g., CE checklist, additional studies and design conditions).

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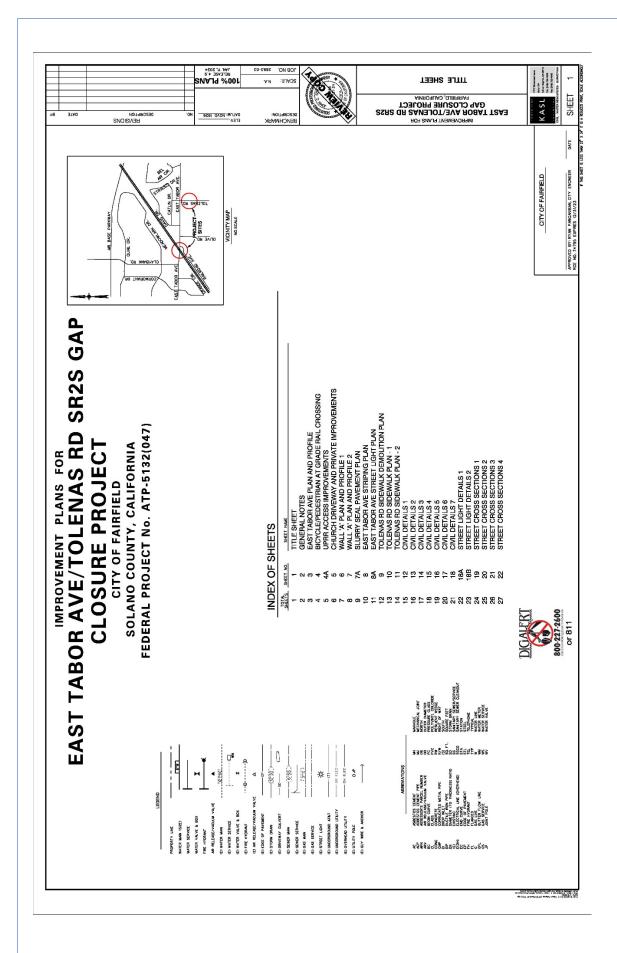
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Federal-Aid Project No. (Local Project)/Project No.

#### Project Description Continued from page 1:

The project will result in the installation of 499 feet of sidewalk on north side of East Tabor Avenue from the end of existing sidewalk at Olive Drive west to a point near an existing westbound UPRR vehicle control crossing arm. From this point the sidewalk will be fenced and will diverge northwesterly into the UPRR right of way to a new gated and controlled pedestrian railroad crossing. The crossing will consist of pedestrian arm gates on each side of the railroad tracks. From the crossing gate on the west side of the tracks, the project will result in the installation of 85 feet of fenced sidewalk southwesterly to the terminus of the existing sidewalk on the west. Additionally, 473 feet of curb and gutter will be installed along the Tabor Avenue frontage from the sidewalk diversion point near the existing railroad crossing east to the Olive Drive intersection. Because of a change in grade between the existing roadway and the property to the north, a retaining wall with a maximum height of 2-feet will be constructed. Excavation necessary to install new lighting and signage would be limited to a depth of 5-6 feet. New pavement would be laid in the project vicinity to conform the edge of East Tabor Avenue to the newly installed curb and gutter. Except for an existing stormdrain drop inlet and a connection between the inlet and the main stormdrain within East Tabor Avenue that would be reconstructed, no utilities would be affected or relocated as a result of the project. An existing unpermitted driveway within the UPRR right of way serving the church north of the project would be closed. This access point would be relocated to the east on East Tabor Avenue and reconstructed. A second existing driveway would be modified to match the grade of East Tabor Avenue. Construction within the City of Fairfield's right of way for East Tabor Drive would be completed by the City or its contractors. Construction within the UPRR right of way would be completed by the UPRR. No additional right of way would be needed to complete the project. The only encroachment outside of the right of way would occur at the relocated and modified driveways to serve the church. No equipment or materials staging area is identified as part of the project subject to this PES. The proposed project also includes widening approximately 600 feet of the existing sidewalk along Tolenas Avenue (East Side) from Tolenas Elementary School to East Tabor in Solano County. The existing sidewalk is to be widened from 4 feet to 6 feet minimum.

#### **Environmental Commitments:**

<u>Hazardous Waste/Material:</u> During the site field investigation, one minor oil spill was identified and was likely a result of a motor vehicle accident. The identified spill area is approximately three cubic feet of material. Prior to start of construction, soil assessment will be completed from the spill area.



Contact Name Jason Rile, Assistant City Engineer

Email Address jriley@fairfield.ca.gov

Contact Phone Number (707)428-7481

City/Jurisdiction/Agency (If your option is not listed, select "Other")

Fairfield

County Solano

Is your project seeking regional discretionary funds or an endorsement?

Regional discretionary funding

Please include the name of the regional discretionary funding program that this project is seeking.

TDA Article 3

Project Name/Title East Tabor/Tolenas SR2S Sidewalk Gap Closure

Project Area/ Location East Tabor Avenue from Claybank Road to Olive Avenue and Tolenas Avenue from Tolenas Elementary School to Eat Tabor

Avenue - Fairfield CA

Project Area Map
(Attach if applicable)
Please save the file with
the project name and
the jurisdiction
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Add the name of the file
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Then Click Here to
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East Tabor Tolenas SR2S Sidewalk Gap Closure - Fairfield

Project Description (2000 character limit).
You may also attach additional project documents, cross sections, plan views or other supporting materials.

City of Fairfield proposes to improve pedestrian safety by closing sidewalk gaps providing a controlled at-grade pedestrian crossing of the UPRR (two tracks) along the north side of East Tabor Avenue between Claybank Road and Olive Avenue. The also includes widening of the existing sidewalk along the east side of Tolenas Road from Tolenas Elementary School to East Tabor Avenue providing a safe route to school for students attending Tolenas Elementary School.

Please choose the project phase(s).

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Do you think your project qualifies for a No Statement of Exception?

Topic: Bicycle, Pedestrian and Transit Planning

Does the project implement relevant plans, or other locally adopted recommendations?

Yes

Please provide details on plan recommendations affecting the project area, if any, with Plan adoption date. If the project is inconsistent with adopted plans, please provide explanation.

2020 Solano Countywide Active Transportation Plan

Does the project area contain segments of the regional Active Transportation (AT) Network? [See MTC's AT Network map here]

Nο

Is the the project on a known High Injury Network (HIN) or has a local traffic safety analysis found a high incidence of bicyclist/ pedestrian-involved crashes within the project area?

No

Please summarize the traffic safety conditions and describe the project's traffic safety measures. The Bay Area Vision Zero System may be a helpful resource.

The project includes construction of an at-grade pedestrian crossing over the railroad tracks with railroad gates, lights and bells as well as closure of sidewalk gaps and widening of sidewalk to provide additional pedestrian capacity near Tolenas Elementary School.

Does the the project seek to improve conditions for people biking, walking and/or rolling? If the project includes a bikeway, was a Level of Traffic Stress Yes

(LTS), or similar user experience analysis conducted?

Describe how project seeks to provide lowstress transportation facilities or reduce a facility's LTS. The project includes construction of an at-grade pedestrian crossing over the railroad tracks with railroad gates, lights and bells as well as closure of sidewalk gaps and widening of sidewalk to provide additional pedestrian capacity near Tolenas Elementary School. The sidewalk improvements provide connectivity and prevent the need to walk in the street adjacent to vehicular traffic.

A. Are there existing public transit facilities (stop or station) in the project area?

No

C: Is there a MTC Mobility Hub (map) within the project area?

No

If applicable, please describe the pedestrian focused improvements and cite the design standards used (links to standards are not needed).

The project includes construction of an at-grade pedestrian crossing over the railroad tracks with railroad gates, lights and bells as well as closure of sidewalk gaps and widening of sidewalk to provide additional pedestrian capacity near Tolenas Elementary School. Improvements at the railroad crossing are designed in accordance with UPRR and CPUC standards. Sidewalks along local streets are designed in accordance with City of Fairfield and Caltrans standards.

Will the project improve active transportation in an Equity Priority Community (EPC)?

Yes

Has a local (city or county) Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Commission (BPAC) reviewed this Checklist? The Checklist will begin MTC review once the BPAC meeting has occurred.

The submission of this checklist will be reviewed by the BPAC.

Please provide the meeting date(s).

June 13, 2024

#### Compliance and Exemption

Please check below if Yes. If no, complete the Statement of Exception. If Yes, this Checklist is complete and the rest of Yes

the form can be skipped. If No, please fill out the Statement of Exception section.

Has a local (city or county) Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Commission (BPAC) reviewed this Checklist? The CS Checklist will begin review once the BPAC meeting notes are included in this form.

The Checklist is being submitted to send to the BPAC for review.

Please provide the meeting date(s).

June 13, 2024

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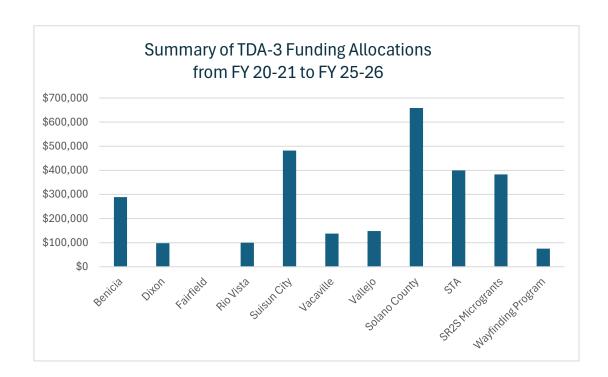
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#### Projects Previously Approved for TDA-3 Funds Fiscal Years 2020-21 to 2025-26

Grant	Cycle	Project Name	Project Sponsor	TDA-3 Approved Allocation	Status
TDA-3	20-21	Panorama Drive Improvements (Bulbouts and RRFB)	Benicia	\$23,801	Completed
TDA-3	20-21	Bicycle Improvements on Main Street	Suisun City	\$50,000	Completed
TDA-3	20-21	Railroad Avenue Bike Lane Improvements	Suisun City	\$124,675	Completed
TDA-3	20-21	Wayfinding Program (Year 1)	STA	\$25,000	Completed
TDA-3	20-21	SR2S Micro Grant Cycle 2	STA	\$170,689	Completed
TDA-3	21-22	Military West Bike and Pedestrian Improvements	Benica	\$200,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	21-22	Benicia Road Complete Streets	Solano County	\$133,590	Completed
TDA-3	21-22	Sacramento Road Diet Phase I	Vallejo	\$73,093	Completed
TDA-3	21-22	Wayfinding Program (Year 2)	STA	\$25,000	Completed
TDA-3	22-23	Military East/East 5th Street Ped/Bike Safety Improvements	Benicia	\$65,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	22-23	State 113 Pedestrian Safety Improvements	Dixon	\$97,776	In-Progress
TDA-3	22-23	Bike Lane Improvements on Norman Richards Drive and Airport Road	Rio Vista	\$50,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	22-23	Rockville Park Crossing Improvements (Project is Currently Not Progressing)	Solano County	\$125,000	
TDA-3	22-23	Wayfinding Program (Year 3)	STA	\$25,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	22-23	Markham School Pedestrian Improvements	Vacaville	\$52,350	In-Progress
TDA-3	22-23	Sacramento Street Road Diet Phase II	Vallejo	\$75,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	23-24	SR2S Micro Grant Cycle 3	STA	\$212,176	In-Progress
TDA-3	23-24	Driftwood Drive Project	Suisun City	\$307,000	Completed
TDA-3	24-25	Safe Routes to School Reduced Speed Zones and Alternative Improvements	Vacaville	\$85,190	In-Progress
TDA-3	24-25	Front Street Sidewalk Completion Project	Rio Vista	\$50,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	24-25	SR37/Fairgrounds Drive Interchange Project	Solano County	\$400,000	In-Progress
TDA-3	25-26	SR37/Fairgrounds Drive Interchange Project	STA	\$400,000	In-Progress

SUMMARY OF TDA-3 FUNDIN FY20-21 to FY25	
Benicia	\$288,801
Dixon	\$97,776
Fairfield	\$0
Rio Vista	\$100,000
Suisun City	\$481,675
Vacaville	\$137,540
Vallejo	\$148,093
Solano County	\$658,590
STA	\$400,000
SR2S Microgrants	\$382,865
Wayfinding Program	\$75,000



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DATE: May 29, 2025 TO: STA BAC & PAC

FROM: Dulce Jimenez, Assistant Planner

RE: Priority Conservation Area (PCA) Implementation: Mankas Corners/Rockville

Road Priority PCA Projects

#### **Background:**

Priority Conservation Areas (PCAs) are open spaces that provide agricultural, natural resource, scenic, recreational, and/or ecological values and ecosystem functions in the nine Bay Area counties. The PCAs are one of the key regional policy tools available to support a broader set of conservative-related strategies identified in the Metropolitan Transportation Commission's Regional Transportation Plan or Plan Bay Area 2050.

At present, PCAs encompass five primary designations: natural landscapes, agricultural lands, urban greening, regional recreation, and climate adaptation. Currently, there are ten (10) identified in Solano County: one (1) in the City of Fairfield, three (3) in the City of Vallejo, and six (6) in the unincorporated County of Solano. There are a total of 185 PCAs in the Bay Area.

#### **Discussion:**

At the request of County of Solano staff, Flint Olsen will provide a presentation on Mankas Corners and Rockville Road PCA Priority Projects. Solano County staff looks forward to hearing committee members' feedback on enhancing the active transportation components of the two projects.

For committee members' reference, Attachment A is the PowerPoint presentation from the May 14, 2025 Active Transportation Committee. A similar presentation will be provided at the June 5th BAC and PAC Meeting.

#### **Recommendation:**

Informational.

#### Attachment:

A. Solano County PowerPoint Presentation for Mankas Corners and Rockville Road PCA Projects

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# Farm to Market Phase 4: Rockville Corners

**Needs in Our Priority Conservation Areas** 

Presentation by:

Solano County's Department of Resource Management

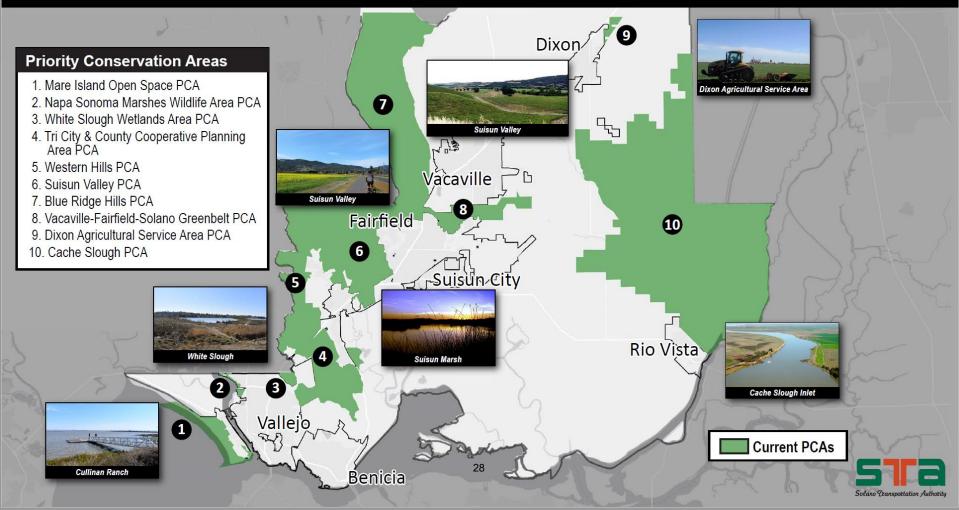
- Riley Martinson, P.E.
- Matt Tuggle, P.E., Extra Commentary



# **Solano County Priority Conservation Areas**

 Opportunities to invest in projects that enhance the County's agricultural heritage, recreation options, and open space areas.

## **Solano County 2021 PCA Designations**





# **Green Space, Viniculture, and Fresh Produce**

#### The Ledgewood/Suisun Valley Plaza

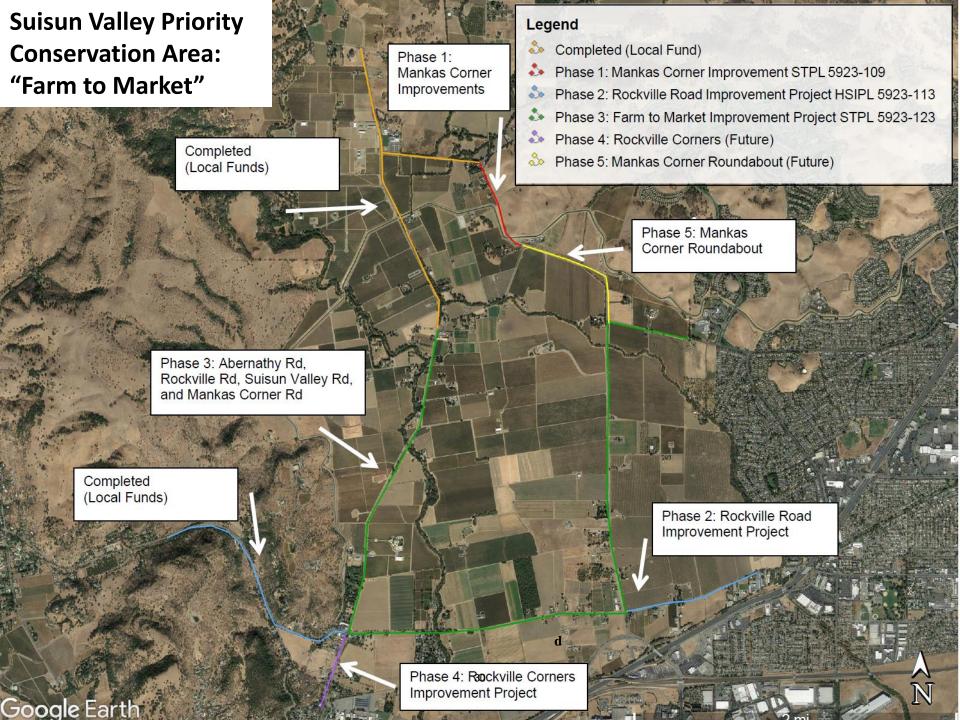








**Mankas Corner** 





# **Suisun Valley PCA – Completed Phases**

- 2017 Farm to Market Phase 1: Mankas Corner Improvements \$1.4 million
  - Widened roadway, installed pedestrian improvements, truncated domes, and crosswalks with decorative pavements for traffic calming
- 2018 Farm to Market Phase 2: Rockville Road \$650K
  - Widened roadway, installed Class II bike lanes, upgraded signage and striping
- 2021 Farm to Market Phase 3 \$3 million
  - Widened roadway, installed Class II bike lanes, upgraded signage and striping on Abernathy Road, Mankas Corner Road, Rockville Road, and Suisun Valley Road
- 2024 Ledgewood Plaza at Larry's Produce \$750K
  - Created pedestrian and bicycle facilities at Ledgewood Road and Suisun Valley Road



# Farm to Market Phase 4 - Background

- Two Segments Rockville Corners and Suisun Valley Road
- Promote local small businesses & regional green spaces
- Encourage hotel and winery development
- Create the "Welcome Mat" to Suisun Valley
- Preserve historic Pony Express station marker
- Build better connectivity with Solano Community College
- Ensure public engagement and dialogue







# **Rockville Corners – Preliminary Design**

- Ready for construction by Summer 2027
- Design is at 50%
- Proposed transit stop
- Connection to proposed hotel and winery developments
- Build complete streets interface with sidewalks and site furnishing
- Class II bike lanes and traffic calming
- EV charging stations





# Suisun Valley Road — Preliminary Design

- Popular egress/ingress point for cyclists to the Suisun Valley Region
- Caltrans emphasized this section for connectivity with community college
- Minimal shoulder width
- PCI below 70
- Cross slope/drainage issues
- Environmentally cleared by Caltrans
- Supported by the Yoche Dehe Tribe

- Widen the roadway and better drainage
- New class II bike lanes
- Repair the roadway and new surfacing
- Protects archeological resources, minimal earth disturbance





### Farm to Market Phase 4- Needs

- Total project cost \$2.1 million
  - Previously received \$750K
  - Need \$1 million total to complete Farm to Market Phase 4
  - Federal funds work for this project

- Public Engagement
  - Build on previous outreach endeavors
  - What do you want?



- How do we best serve our constituents?
- Please reach out!



# Farm to Market Phase 4: Rockville Corners

Any questions?



DATE: May 29, 2025 TO: STA BAC & PAC

FROM: Dulce Jimenez, Assistant Planner

RE: Consideration of a Joint BAC/PAC E-Mobility Safety Committee

#### **Background:**

The Bicycle Advisory Committee at their March 6, 2025, meeting established an Ad-Hoc Subcommittee to take a deeper dive in investigating trends in accidents related to e-mobility devices, such as e-bikes, e-scooters, in Solano County. The goal of the committee was to develop a set of recommendations to inform future polices and procedures to enhance the safety of users on e-mobility devices in Solano County.

#### **Discussion:**

Since e-mobility devices affect both bikers and pedestrians, the BAC committee looked to have further discussion on this topic with the intention of creating a Joint BAC/PAC Ad-Hoc Committee for E-Mobility Safety. Dennis Elliott, the BAC Vice Chair, will be leading the discussion during the June 5<sup>th</sup> Joint BAC/PAC meeting.

#### **Recommendation:**

Approve the creation of a Joint BAC/PAC Ad-Hoc Committee for E-Mobility Safety and approve the appointment of up to four BAC and PAC representatives to the Joint BAC/PAC Ad-Hoc Committee for E-Mobility Safety.

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#### **SOLANO TRANSPORTATION RESILIENCY PLAN**







#### **Project Background**

Extreme weather events increasingly threaten Solano County's transportation system, with wildfires and flooding disrupting key routes and infrastructure. In response, local jurisdictions have initiated climate adaptation and resiliency plans.

Building on this work, the Solano Transportation Authority (STA) is developing the Solano Transportation Resiliency Plan to make the county's transportation network more reliable and resilient to the extreme weather events of both today and the future. The Solano Transportation Resiliency Plan, in partnership with all seven Solano County cities and the County of Solano, will assess the existing transportation system—from Routes of Regional Significance, Transit Facilities of Regional Significance (such as the Vallejo Ferry Terminals and the Solano Rail Hub and Hannigan Station), and active transportation facilities—to identify infrastructure vulnerable to extreme weather events and recommend improvements.

#### **Project Goals**

- Protect Solano County's transportation infrastructure by developing proactive responses to extreme weather event risks
- Make the system more adaptable and resilient to future hazards
- Identify and prioritize capital projects that preserve vital transportation routes
- Identify funding opportunities to support recommended projects

#### **Get Involved**

During this process, STA will ask for your feedback, experiences of extreme weather event impacts to the local transportation infrastructure, and your priorities for the Solano Transportation Resiliency Plan. Get involved and share your input at bit.ly/solano-resiliency-plan.

#### **Project Timeline**

