Tamarack Area Coastal Improvements

Community Workshop Jan. 11, 2018





Tonight's Open House

- Share revised conceptual design
- Brief presentation
- Open house with staff for questions
- Comment forms





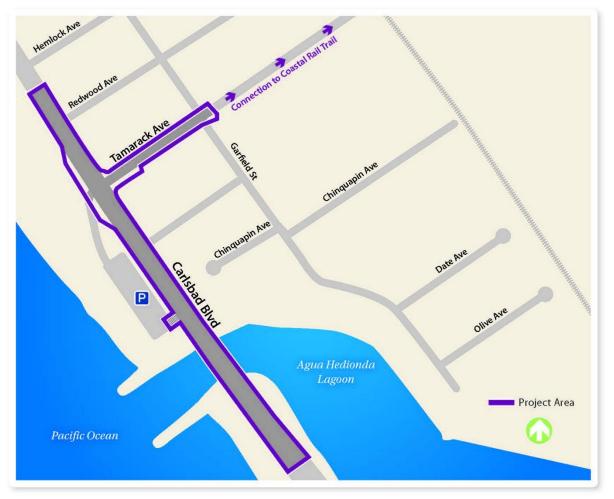
Meeting Ground Rules

- Hold questions until open house
- Be respectful of others
- This is an opportunity to learn and provide comments, not a debate
- You may fill out the comment cards in addition to talking with staff members





Project Area





Project Goals

- Create an environment that is safe, accessible and attractive to all users, including cars, bikes, pedestrians and people who use public transit
- Make existing bus stops accessible for people with disabilities and more inviting for everyone
- Create additional free on-street parking





Project Goals

- Create an enhanced sense of connection between the beach, trails and the community
- Protect the quality of life for the surrounding neighborhood





Previous Workshop

- Three options presented:
 - Roundabout
 - Signal with four lanes
 - Signal with three lanes





Updated Design

- Reflects previous community input received
 - June/July 2016 (more than 2,000 comments)
 - Workshop
 - Online survey
 - Pop-ups at Tamarack





Project Proposal

Signal with three lanes



What's Included

- Bike lane and pedestrian enhancements
- View area
 - More areas to sit and enjoy the view
- New parking spaces
 - On Tamarack Avenue and Carlsbad Boulevard





What's Included

- New crosswalk
 - Across Carlsbad Boulevard south of Sequoia Avenue to lagoon trailhead
- Signs directing people to Coastal Rail Trail
- Removing asphalt island on west side of Carlsbad Boulevard and south of Tamarack Avenue





Next Steps

- Award contract for design services:
 Winter 2017-18
- Obtain permits & approvals:
 Spring/Summer 2018
- Solicit bids & award construction contract: Summer/Fall 2018
- Construction of improvements begins:
 Fall 2018





Open House

Check out design, ask questions and share comments



