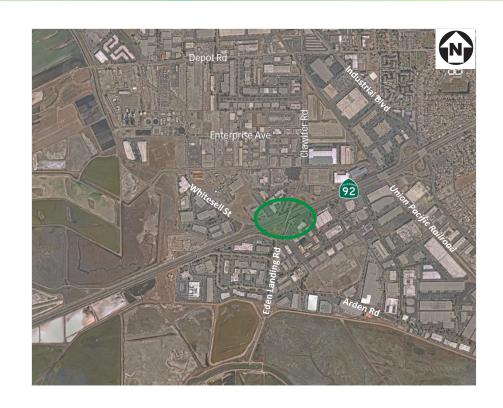


# SR 92/CLAWITER-WHITESELL INTERCHANGE UPGRADE PROJECT

Project Initiation Document Phase

February 2024











# "SR-92/Clawiter – Whitesell Interchange and Reliever Route Project" Project Background

### • Phase I - Complete

- Provide for better access in and out of the industrial area and to help relieve congestion on major arterials.
- Whitesell St Depot Rd to Breakwater Ave: Roadway extension and widening with bike lanes, curb, gutter, sidewalk, landscaping, utilities, and street lighting.

### Phase II

 Provide new interchange access off Whitesell St for better local and regional traffic circulation.

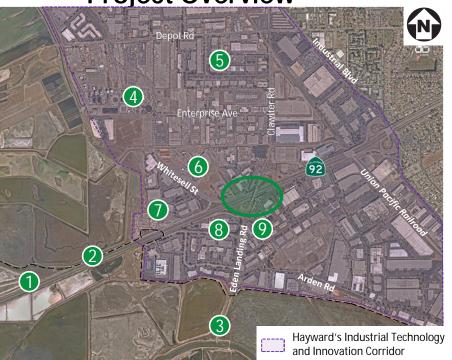








### **Project Overview**



#### Purpose:

- Improve multimodal access and connectivity across SR 92 at Clawiter Road, including access to regional recreational facilities.
- Improve access to the industrial/business western portion of the City of Hayward from SR 92.
- Improve and optimize traffic operations at the SR 92/Clawiter interchange and along local roadways in proximity to the interchange.

#### Need:

- Lack of bicycle/pedestrian facilities on Clawiter Road across SR 92.
- The existing SR 92/Clawiter Road interchange has high traffic congestion and is deficient in meeting the current and future traffic demand of the industrial/western portion of the city.
- Significant roadway deficiencies resulting in inefficient traffic operations.

- San Mateo Toll Plaza and Bridge
- 2. SF Bay Trail
- 3. Eden Landing Ecological Reserve
- Hayward Wastewater Treatment Facility
- 5. Hayward's Industrial8. Technology and Innovation9. Corridor
- 6. Dow Chemical
- 7. Bay Center Business Park
- 8. Britannia Point Eden
  - Eden Plaza







## **Risks and Opportunities**



### **Physical Constraints:**

- High Voltage Transmission Power Lines through Interchange
- 2. Clawiter Rd Overcrossing Structure
- 3. Columns of Existing Pedestrian Overcrossing

### **Design Considerations:**

- 4. Lack of Bike Lanes and Poor Sidewalk Connectivity
- 5. High Truck Volumes from Whitesell St accessing SR 92







# Schedule by Phase

### Planning/Scoping:

The City, in cooperation with Caltrans and Alameda CTC have initiated the Project Initiation Document (PID).

The PID defines the general scope of the environmental studies and engineering reports that will be necessary to comply with California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) in the next phase.

\\/o		PHASE	BEGIN	END
We Are Here		Planning/Scoping	Spring 2023	Spring 2024
		Preliminary Engineering/ Environmental Clearance Phase*	Winter 2025	Fall 2027
		Final Design*	Winter 2028	Summer 2030
		Right-of-Way/Utility*	Winter 2028	Summer 2030
		Construction*	Spring 2031	Fall 2033
		*Currently Unfunded		







### **Current Phase Schedule**

- 1. PID Kick-Off February 2023
- 2. Project update to Hayward CIC June 28, 2023
- 3. Draft scoping document (PID) to Caltrans November 2023
- 4. Updated draft scoping document (PID) to Caltrans February 2024
- 5. Anticipated PID Approval from Caltrans April 2024







Alternative 1: Combined Whitesell/Clawiter

#### Benefits:

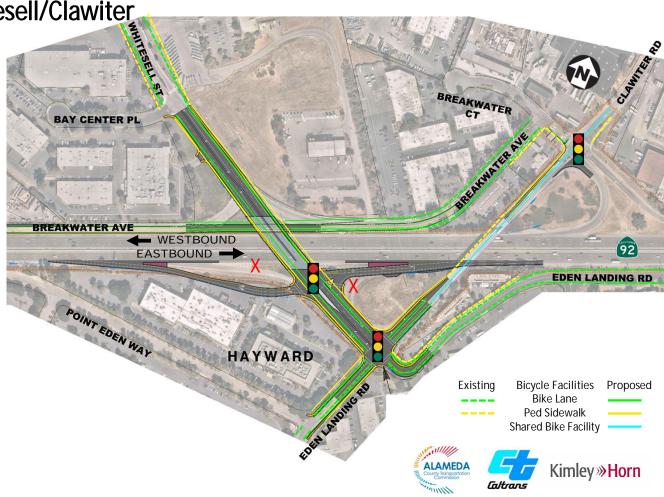
- Least Right of Way acquisition.
- Breakwater Ave access maintained.
- Minimal improvements targeted to meet traffic demand.
- Scalable

### Disadvantages:

- No direct access to Whitesell St industrial parcels from Westbound SR 92.
- Does not provide Class II or Class IV bike Lanes on the existing Clawiter Rd Structure.

### Relative Project Cost:

• Low (\$)





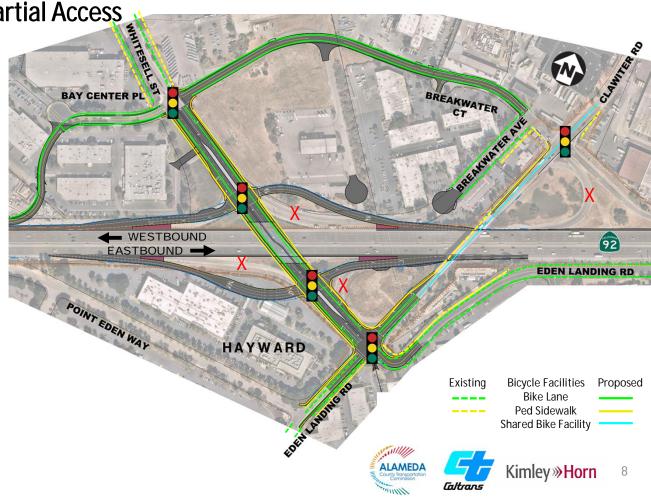
Alternative 2: Full Diamond with Partial Access

#### Benefits:

- New Interchange at Whitesell St.
- Improves SR 92 by increasing spacing to Industrial Blvd Interchange.
- Access to Clawiter Rd from WB 92 is maintained.
- Clawiter Rd provides local circulation. Disadvantages:
- Significant Right of Way acquisition.
- Provides only partial access to Clawiter Rd from SR 92.
- Requires new local connection for Breakwater Ave.
- Class II or Class IV Bike lanes not provided on the existing Clawiter Rd Structure.

### Relative Project Cost:

Medium (\$\$)





### Alternative 3: Whitesell Interchange Only

#### **Benefits:**

- New Interchange at Whitesell St.
- Improves SR 92 by increasing spacing to Industrial Blvd Interchange.
- Reduced skew across SR 92 increases intersection spacing and improves operations.
- Existing Clawiter Rd overpass to be demolished. Disadvantages:
- Significant Right of Way acquisition.
- Provides no access to Clawiter Rd from SR 92.
- Requires new local connection for Breakwater Ave.
- Requires new structure over SR 92.

### **Relative Project Cost:**

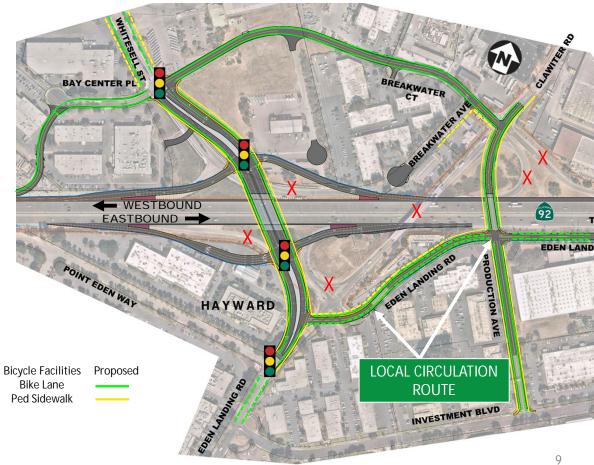
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High (\$\$\$)



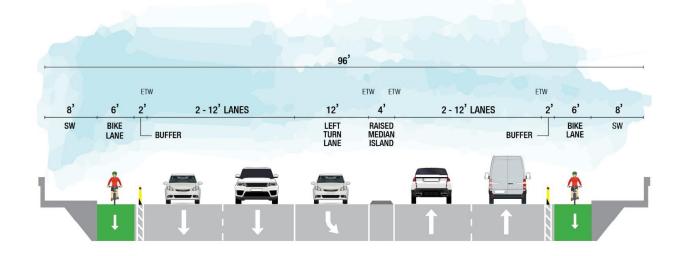
Existing







# **Whitesell Street Overcrossing**









# **Project Cost Estimate**

	Alternative 1: Combined Whitesell/Clawiter	Alternative 2: Full Diamond with Partial Access	Alternative 3: Whitesell Interchange Only
Construction Cost:	\$49,600,000	\$71,500,000	\$102,300,000
Right of Way:	\$3,800,000	\$26,100,000	\$33,900,000
Support Cost:	\$17,400,000	\$27,200,000	\$38,300,000
Total Project Cost (Today)	\$70,800,000	\$125,000,000	\$175,000,000
Total Project Cost (Escalated to 2032)	\$95,300,000	\$167,000,000	\$233,000,000







# **Next Steps**

- 1. Recommend City Council authorize the Director of Public Works to sign the final PID on behalf of the city.
- 2. Seek Caltrans approval on the PID which defines the scope and cost of the Environmental Review Phase\*.

Notes: \* Initiation of the Environmental Review Phase is contingent upon funding.

\* Preliminary Alternatives will be refined during the Environmental Review phase with public stakeholder input.





# Q&A



