



2nd Street Bridge Deck Replacement Project

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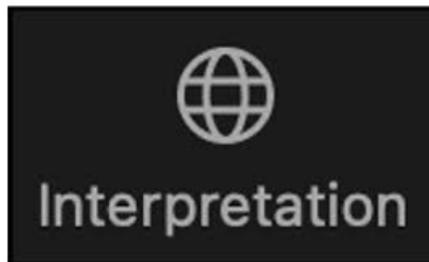
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530+
Budgeted Team Members Across

6
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- People & Culture
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- Grants Administration
- Administration
- Personnel Services
- Capital Budget

Engineering

- Civil Engineering
- Stormwater Management
- Traffic Engineering

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- Right-of-Way Construction
- Clean Team
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- Facilities Management

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- Corridors and Special Projects
- Streets and Alleys

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- Customer Service
- Parking Operations
- Parking Meters
- Mobility Programs
- Parking Enforcement

Project Mgmt.

- Facility Improvements
- Tidelands & Open Space
- Permits & Inspections
- Project Delivery

Agenda

- Introductions
- Project Overview and Bridge Background
- Bridge Structure and Design Considerations
- Project Highlights
- Traffic Safety
- Phased Construction Plan
- Project Funding
- Q&A

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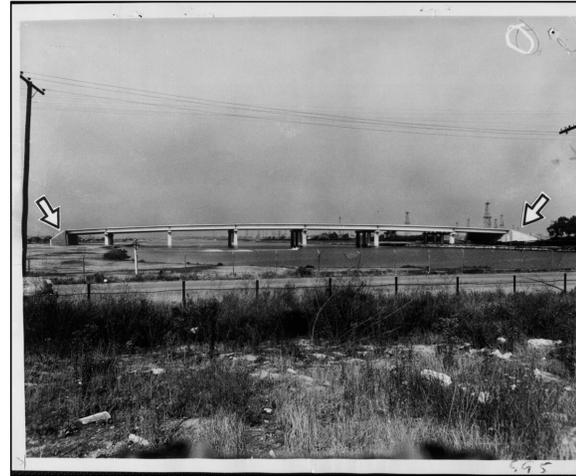
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Bridge History



- 1956**
John H. Davies Bridge (2nd Street Bridge) constructed
- 1959**
Bridge open to traffic once approaches were completed
- 1998**
Seismic retrofits completed
- 2026**
Critical Deck Replacement



Bridge completed.
Pending construction of roadway approaches.

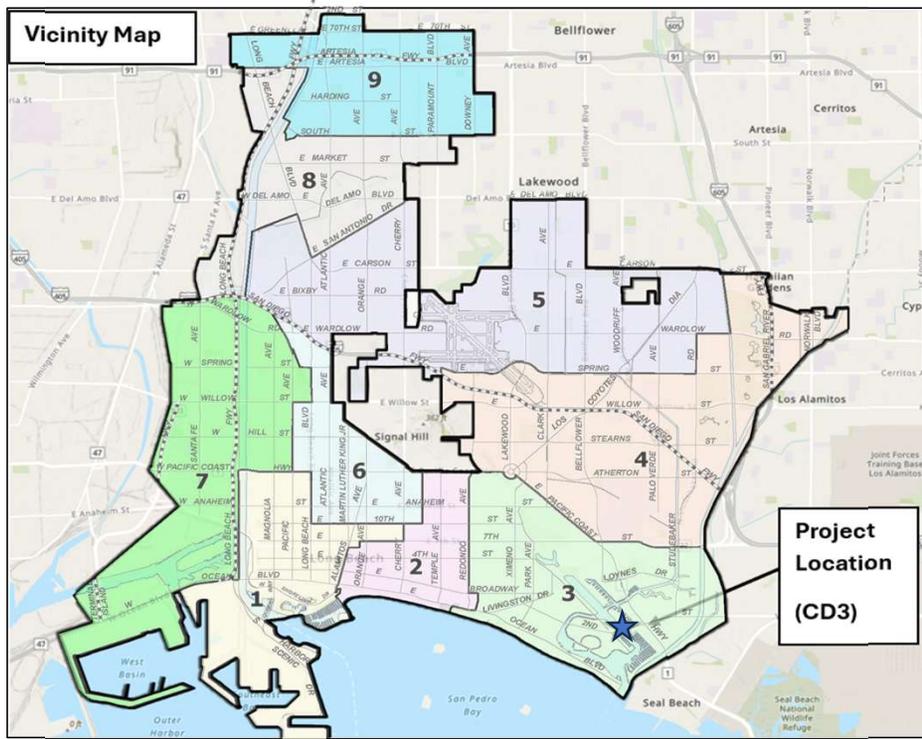
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Project Overview

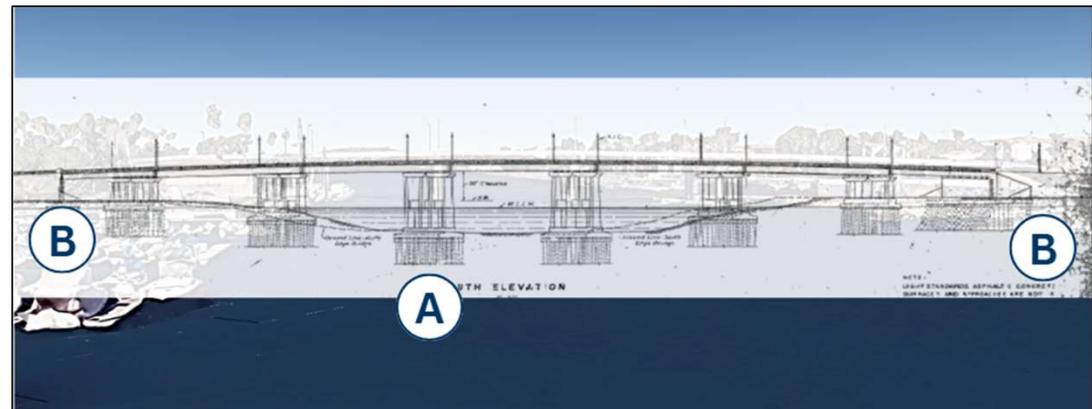
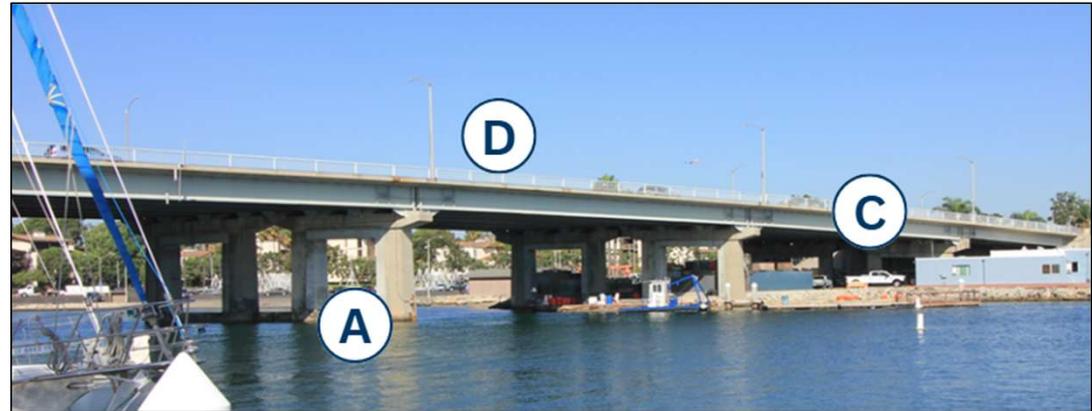


Project Overview



Bridge Structure

- A** Reinforced Concrete Piles, Footing, Piers, & Cap Girders
- B** Reinforced Concrete Abutments & Wing Walls
- C** Welded Steel Girder Superstructure
- D** Concrete Bridge Deck



Timeline

2017 Bridge Inspection

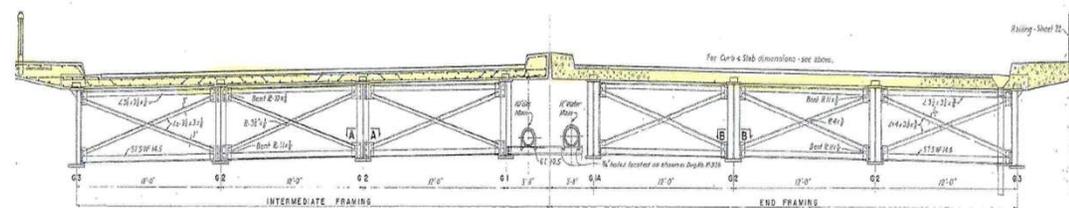
Bridge Inspection Report (BIR) conducted by LA County rated the bridge "*Structurally Deficient*" primarily due to the bridge deck condition.

2019 Material Testing

Material testing of the deck concrete in 2019 supported the BIR finding, resulting in the recommendation to replace the span of the concrete bridge deck as a permanent solution.



Bridge deck inspection photograph.



Detail cross-section of bridge. Deck is highlighted in yellow. 10

Project Highlights



Replace Bridge Concrete Deck

- Extends life of bridge



Build Safety Barrier

- Improves safety for all users

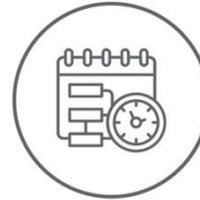
Install New Light Poles

- Enhances visibility and safety



Incorporate Protected Bike Lanes & Reconfigure Traffic Lanes

- Improves circulation and mobility

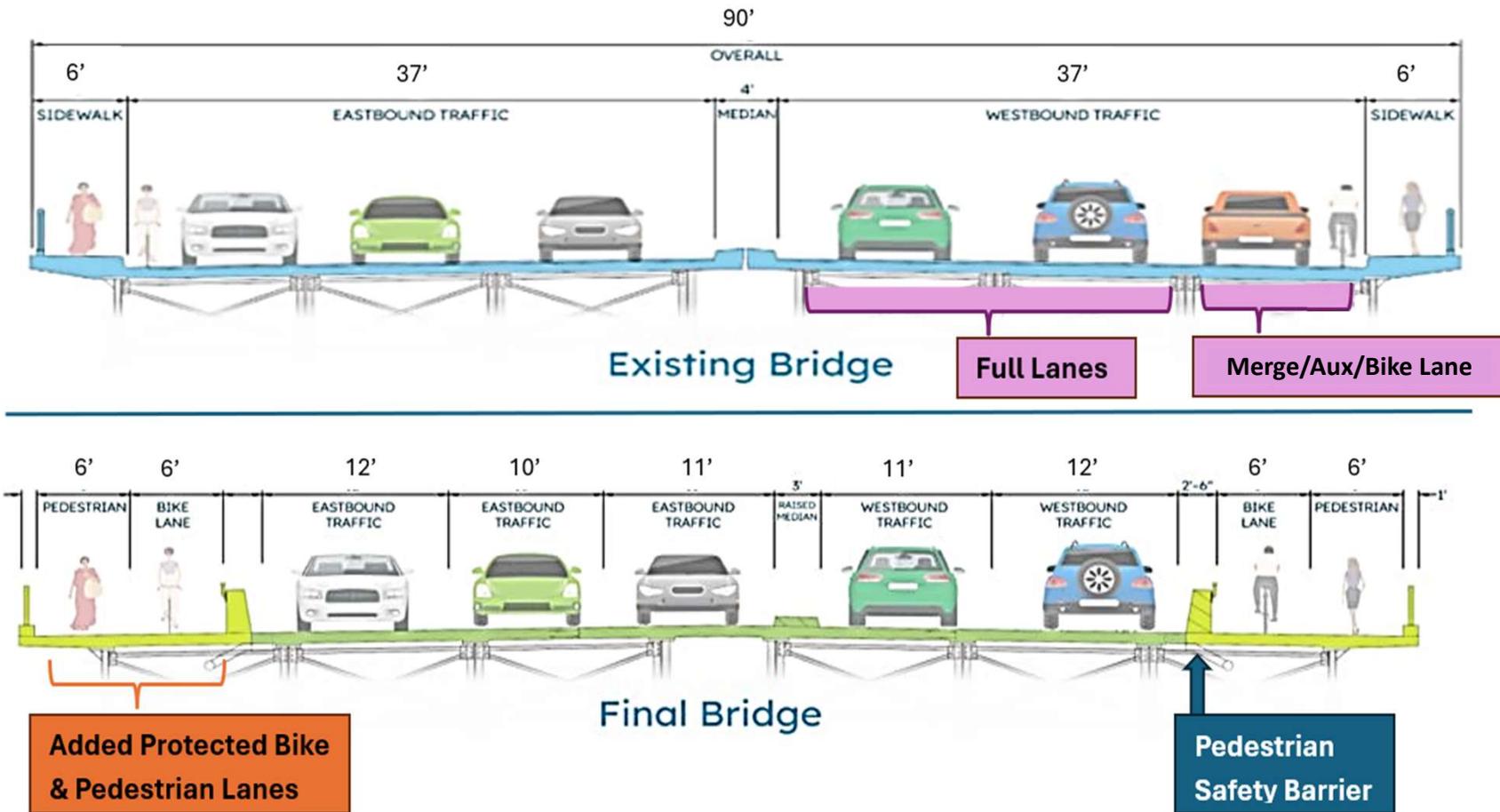


Construction

18-to-24-month duration



Bridge Configuration



Scenic Views of Long Beach from the Bridge



Roadway Configuration – West of the Bridge

Probability of pedestrian survival with no serious injury at vehicle impact speeds of:

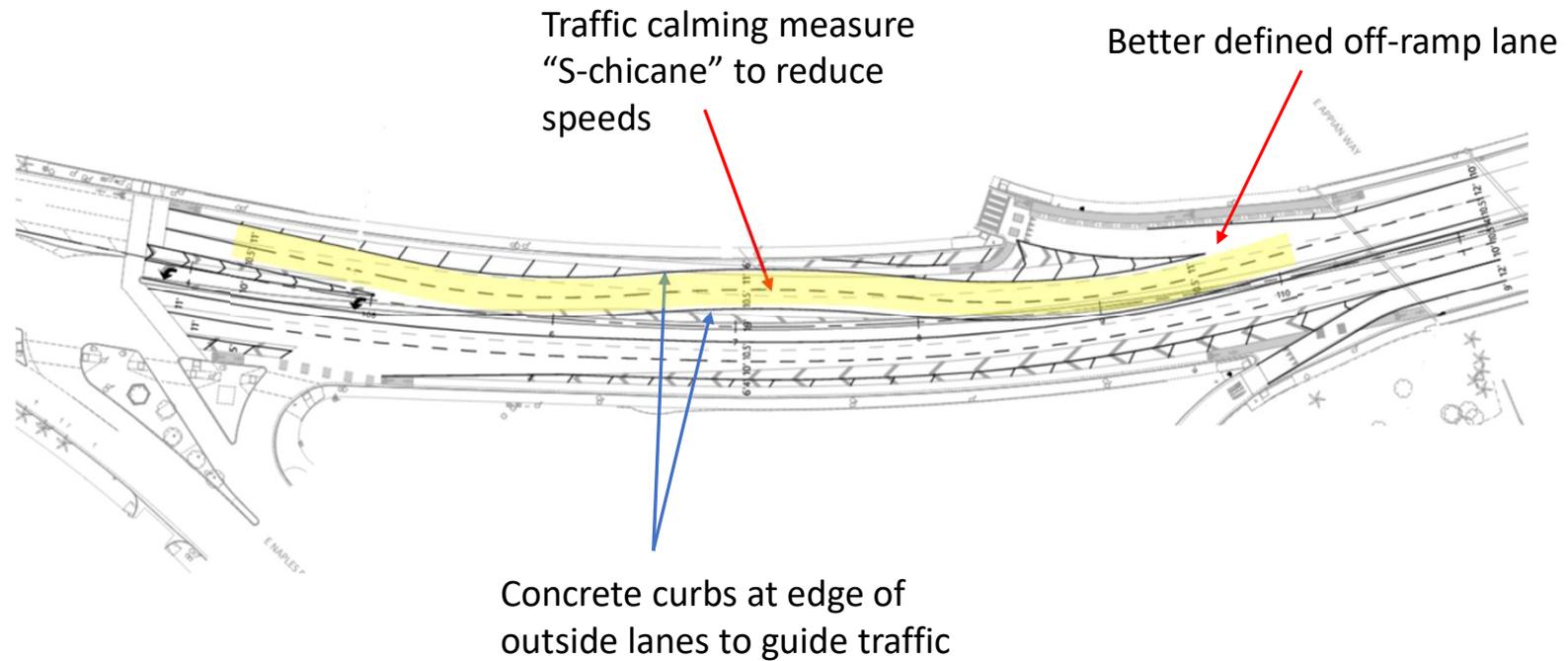


Small reductions in vehicle speed can significantly lower the risk of severe injuries and fatalities for pedestrians.

Source: Tefft, Brian C. Impact speed and a pedestrian's risk of severe injury or death. Accident Analysis & Prevention. 50. 2013.

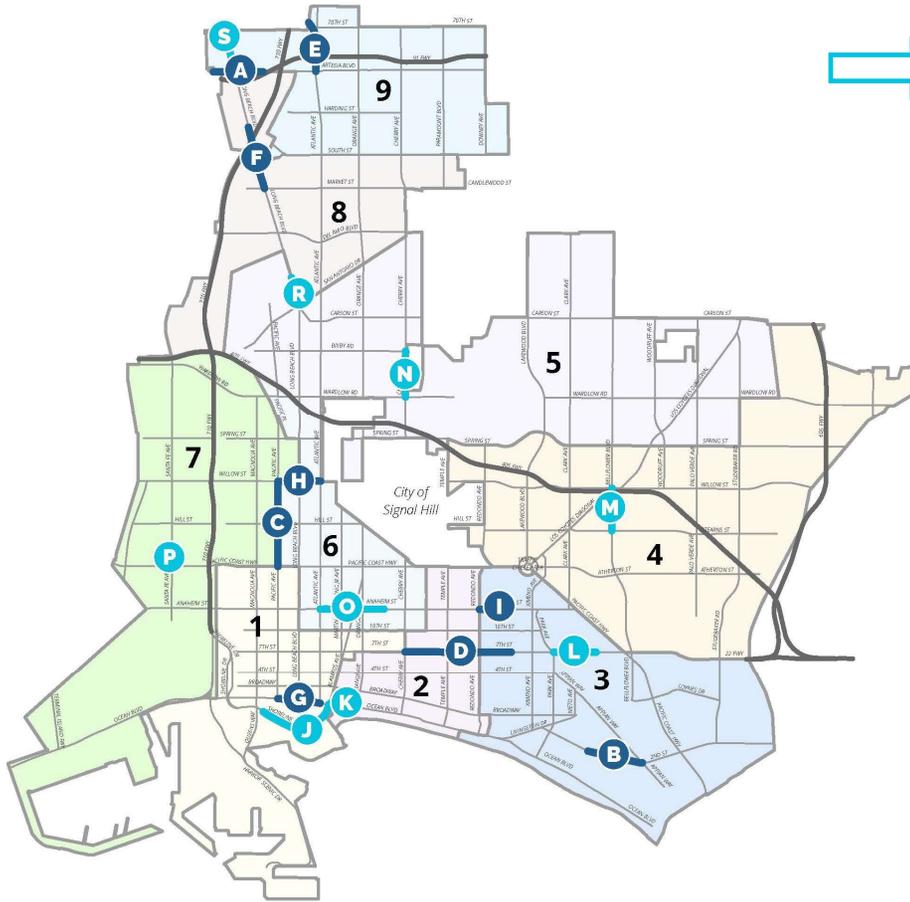
Roadway Configuration – West Approach

Project will realign the roadway to influence vehicular speeds.



Automated Speed Enforcement

Speed Safety System Pilot Program



Need Based Prioritization

- | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| A Artesia Blvd | Harbor St - Butler Ave |
| B Second St | Bay Shore Ave - Appian Way |
| C Pacific Ave | Pacific Coast Highway - Willow St |
| D Seventh St | Cherry Ave - Termino Ave |
| E Atlantic Ave | Artesia Blvd - LA River |
| F Long Beach Blvd | Market St - Victoria St |
| G Ocean Blvd | Pacific Ave - Atlantic Ave |
| H Willow St | Pacific Ave - Atlantic Ave |
| I Anaheim St | Redondo Ave - Termino Ave |

Geographic Diversity Prioritization

- | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| J Shoreline Dr | Pine Ave - Ocean Blvd |
| K Ocean Blvd | Alamitos Ave - Orange Ave |
| L 7th Street | Park Ave - Santiago Ave |
| M Bellflower Blvd | Stearns St - Willow St |
| N Cherry Ave | Wardlow Rd - Bixby Rd |
| O Anaheim St | Atlantic Ave - Walnut Ave |
| P Santa Fe Ave | Pacific Coast Highway - 21st St |
| R Long Beach Blvd | San Antonio Dr - 45th St |
| S Long Beach Blvd | Artesia Blvd - 70th St |

Need Based Prioritization

Geographic Diversity Prioritization

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Design Considerations & Requirements

State Laws

Assembly Bill 1358 (Complete Streets Act of 2008)

Roadway projects that safely accommodate all users—including pedestrians, bicyclists, transit riders, motorists, children, seniors, and people with disabilities

Senate Bill 1216 (Class III Bikeway Prohibition)

Prohibits Class III shared-lane (sharrow) markings on higher-speed roadways for safer, lower-stress environment for cyclists

California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices

Encourages facilities that reduce conflicts and improve predictability

Master Plans

Bicycle Master Plan (2016)

Safe Streets Long Beach Action Plan (2020)

Long Beach Mobility Element (2013)

Long Beach Climate Action Plan (2022)



Existing Merge/Aux/Bike Lane was reevaluated to comply with laws and master plans. Sharrow lane replaced with protected Bike/Ped Facility.

Design Considerations & Requirements



Defined Merge Area

Less Confusion, Predictable Driving Patterns



Defined Bike Area

Less Conflicts with Vehicles

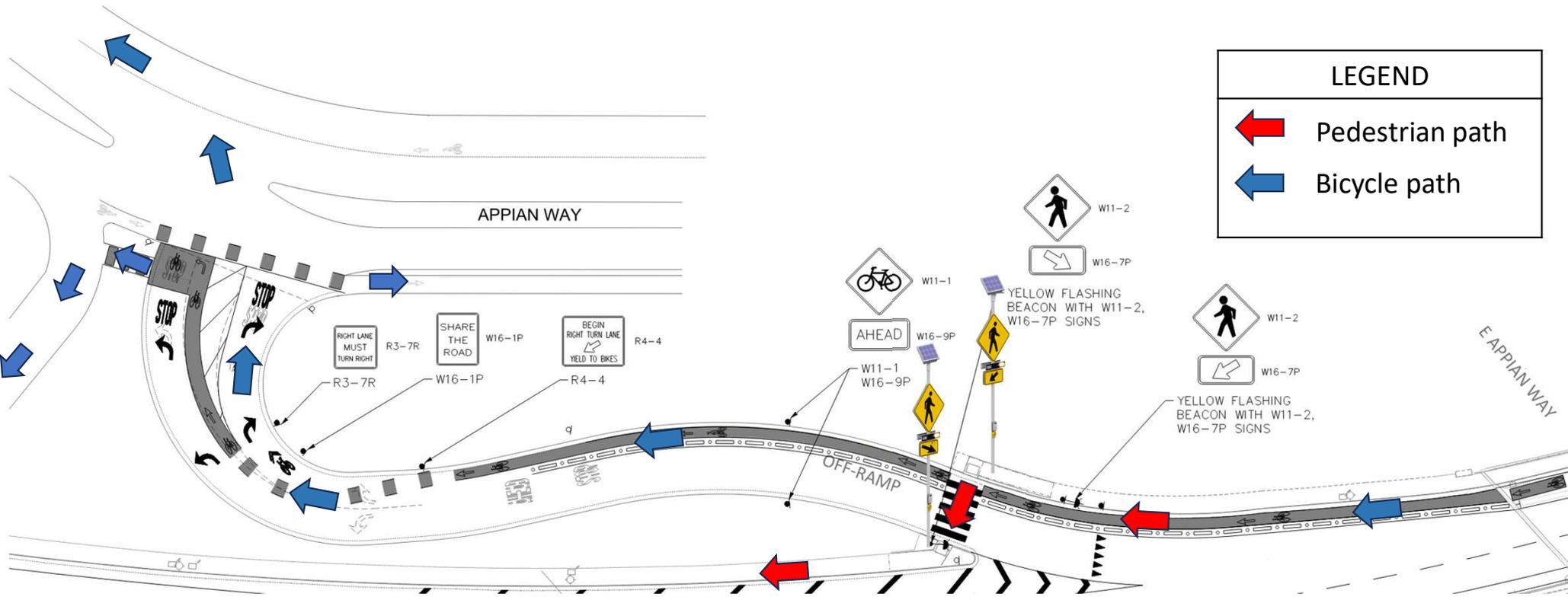


Get there as fast as possible



Get there as safely as possible

Roadway Configuration - Appian Way Off-Ramp



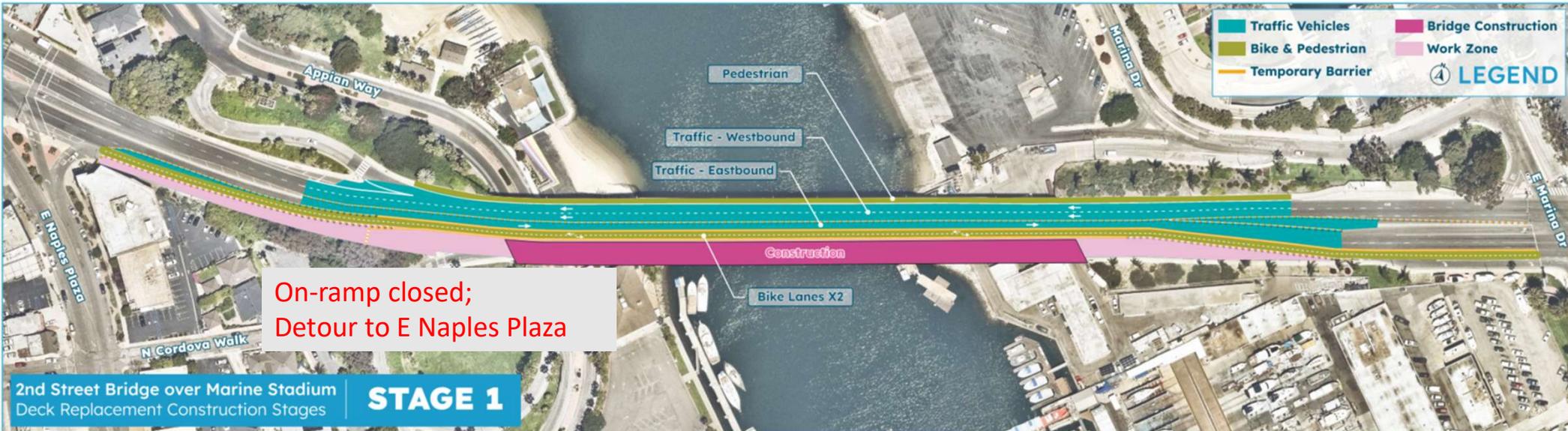
LEGEND	
	Pedestrian path
	Bicycle path

What to Expect During Construction

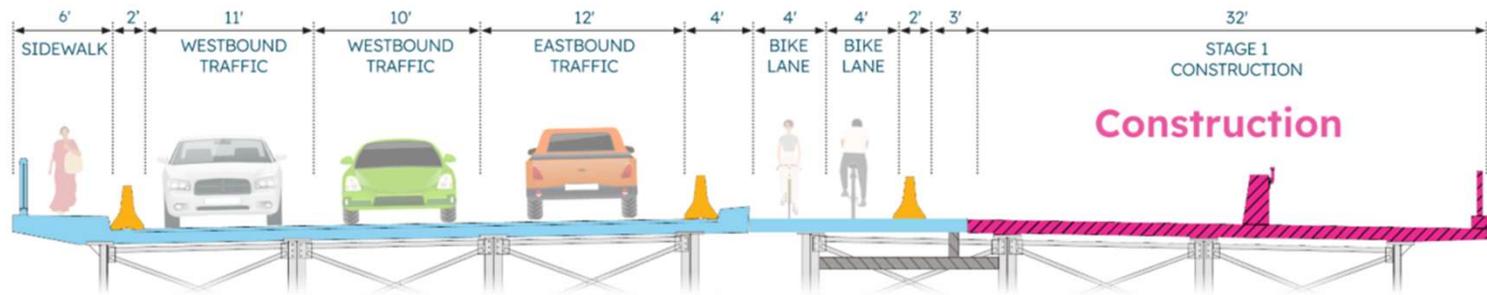
- Open lane(s) maintained in each direction
- Temporary construction traffic
- Temporary lane shifts or closures
- Temporary “No Parking”
- Daytime construction work hours with some night work when needed
- Typical construction equipment, trucks and noise



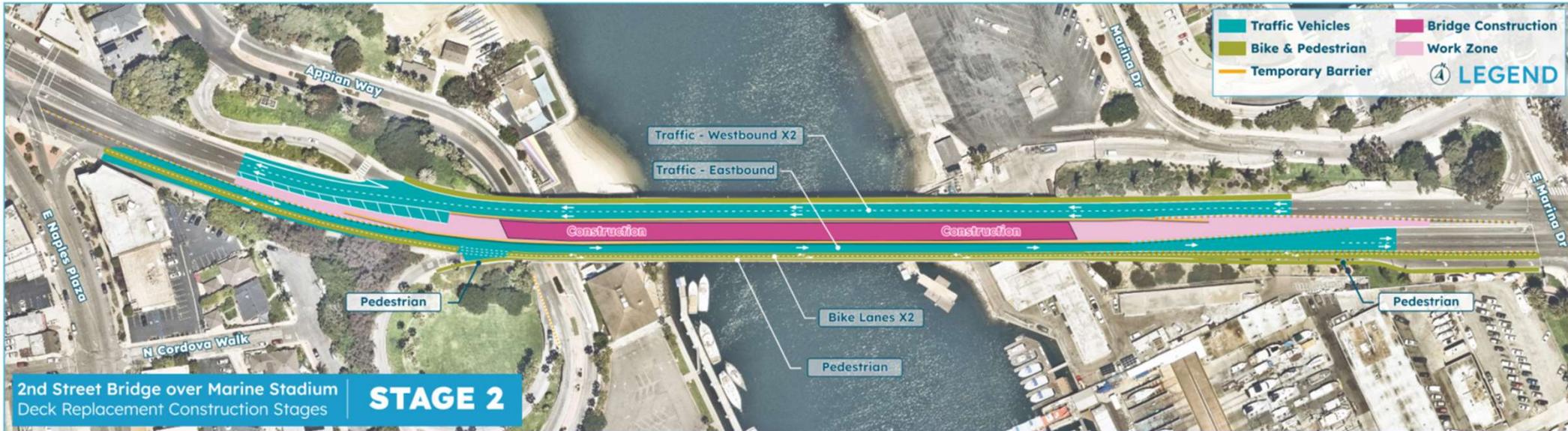
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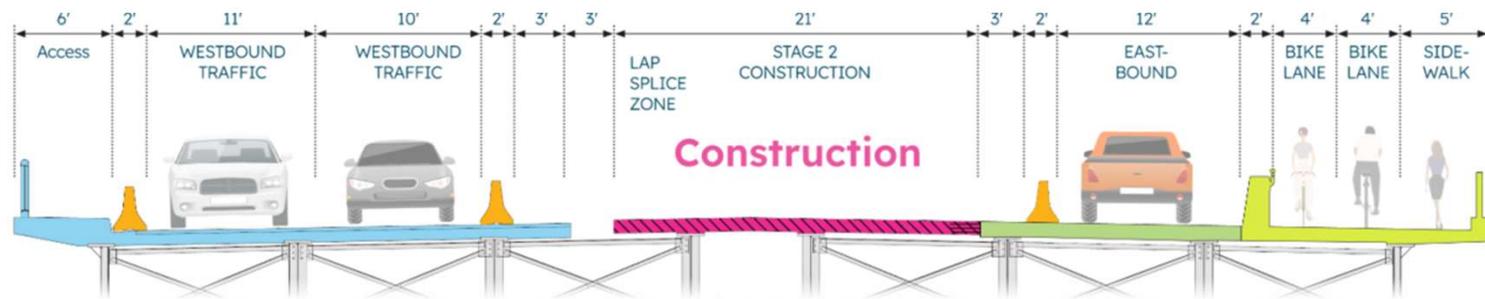
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Traffic Staging - Stage 2



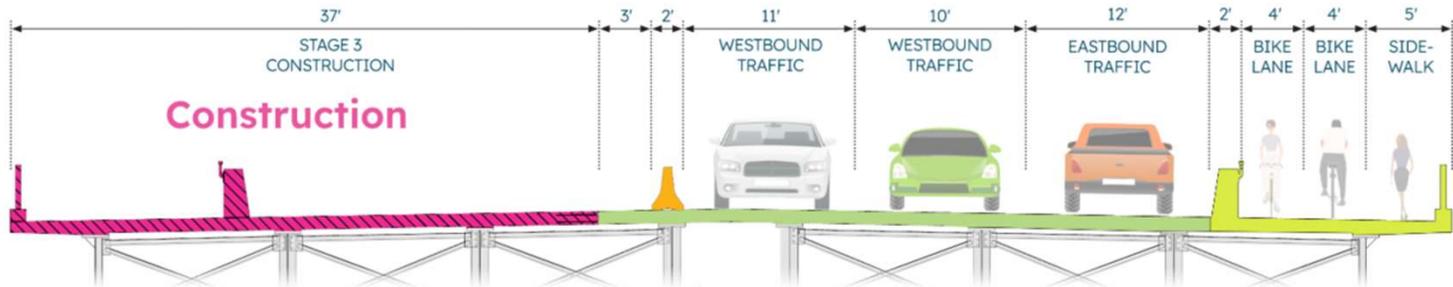
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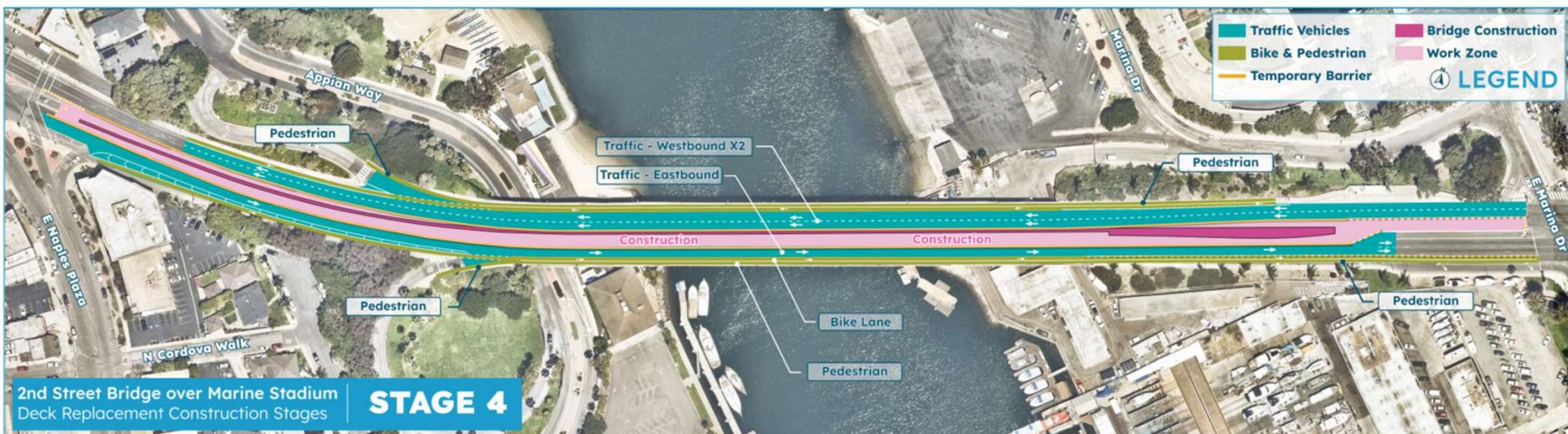
Traffic Staging – Stage 3



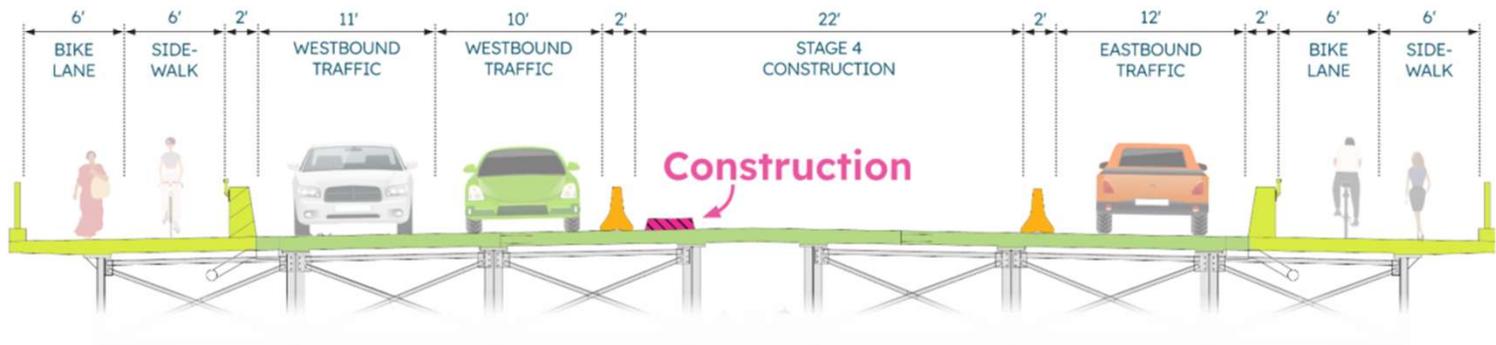
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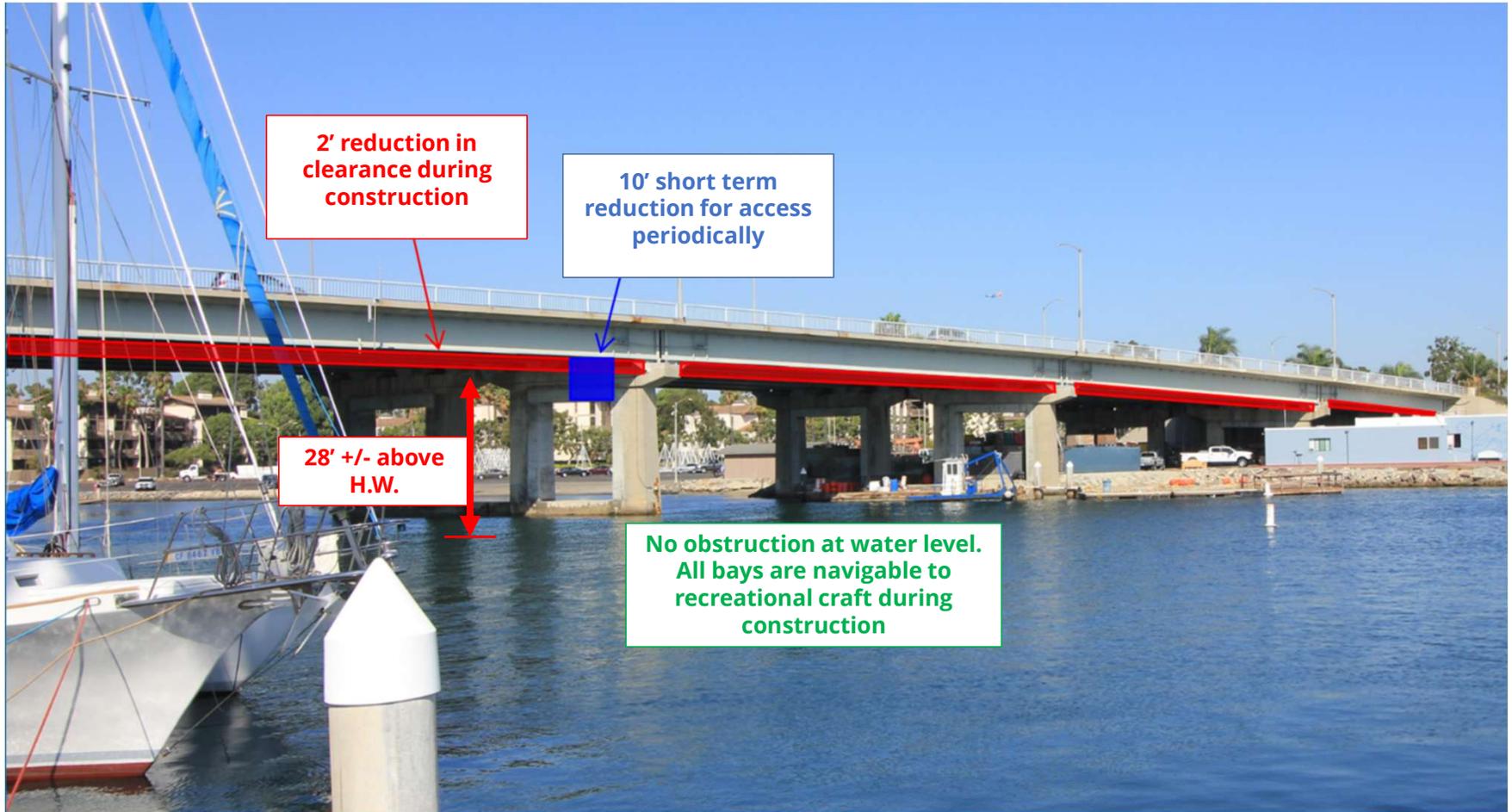
Traffic Staging - Stage 4



Stage 4



Temporary Clearances Under the Bridge



Project Grant Funding

Federal Highway Bridge Program (HBP)

- HBP is funded by Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Administered through Caltrans
- Local Agencies request funds for Bridge Replacement, Rehabilitation, Retrofitting, Preservation, Protection, and other Safety Related Projects

Bridge Highway Local System (BHLS)

- BHLS is a funding mechanism within HBP which focuses on local bridges and roads
- Prioritizes aging or deficient bridges

2nd Street Bridge's "structurally deficient" rating, mobility enhancements, and significant connection of communities qualified the project.



Project Budget

Preliminary Estimate - \$20.4M*

Funding Source	Environmental (Past)	Design (Present)	Construction* (Future)	TOTAL
HBP-BHLS Grant	\$531,180	\$1,239,420	\$16,074,835*	\$17,845,435*
Measure A (Public Works Capital Projects Fund)	\$98,820	\$138,582		\$237,402
Measure A (Bond - Local Match)		\$229,400	\$2,082,665*	\$2,312,065*
TOTAL	\$630,000	\$1,607,402	\$18,157,500*	\$20,394,902*

*The project budget/costs is subject to change as the design develops and may be influenced by external factors.

Thank You!



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Q & A

- Two minutes per question
- One response per question
- Unanswered questions may be submitted via question card for follow-up by Public Works

Appendix

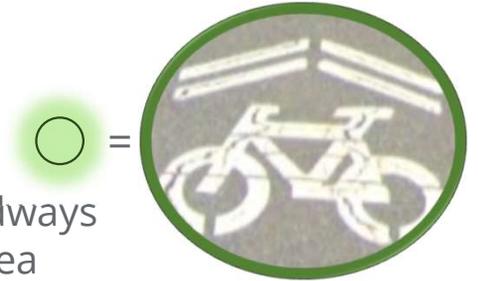




Roadway Configuration

•Senate Bill 1216 (Class III Bikeway Prohibition)

- Restricts use of Class III shared-lane (Sharrow) markings on higher-speed roadways
- The law requires that we reconsider the existing condition when upgrading area



- Effectively, the 2nd Street from Marina Drive to Appian Way uses “Sharrows”
- CITY OF LONG BEACH The City **must** provide a more defined/protected bicycle facility to comply with SB 1216

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This law aims to create a safer, lower-stress environment for cyclists of all abilities by discouraging the combination of high-speed and mixed-use traffic. City intends to comply at this location.



Roadway Configuration

• Safe Streets Long Beach Action Plan

- City adopted and is actively Implementing
- Based on “Vision Zero”, **A goal to eliminate traffic fatalities and severe injuries**
 - Identification of a High Injury Network (HIN)
 - Prioritization of infrastructure improvements and safe speed management
 - Supports Multi-modal integration and Complete Streets principles

- 2nd Street Between Appian Way and Studebaker Rd
 - Ranks 8th on the High-Injury Network
 - Based on 2013 - 2017 Data
 - **46 Motorcycle/Vehicle Crashes**
 - **6 Killed or Seriously Injured Crashes**

Highway Mindset: **“Get there as fast as possible”**
 CITY OF **LONG BEACH** vs.

Local Mindset: **“Get there as safely as possible”**



= Project location



= High-Injury Network





Roadway Configuration

Existing Congestion Concerns



EXISTING CONFIGURATION



2nd Street West of Davies Bridge
WESTBOUND 1 bike-lane, **2 through-lanes**
EASTBOUND **2 through-lanes**, 1 bike-lane,



2nd Street Appian Off Ramp to Marina
WESTBOUND 1 Off-ramp trap/auxiliary/merge/ bike lane, **2 through-lanes**
EASTBOUND 1 On-ramp Lane, **2 through-lanes**, 1 bike-lane,



2nd Street Marina to PCH
WESTBOUND 1 bike-lane, **3 through-lanes**
EASTBOUND **3 through-lanes**, 1 bike-lane,



2nd Street PCH to Studebaker
WESTBOUND 1 bike-lane, **3 through-lanes**
EASTBOUND 1 left-turn trap lane, **2 through-lanes**, 1 bike-lane



2nd Street East of Studebaker
WESTBOUND 1 bike-lane, **2 through-lanes**
EASTBOUND **2 through-lanes**, 1 bike-lane

A) Funneling effect caused by the existing addition and removal of through lanes B) Behavior of vehicles leaving Caltrans freeways/highways C) 2nd Street/PCH Intersection Timing is Controlled by Caltrans