

## **BUILDING PROGRESS Program** Potrero Yard Modernization Project Update

SFMTA CAC Presentation August 6, 2020

#### **Objectives include:**

Modernize SFMTA facilities.

**Improve the transportation system's resilience** to climate change and seismic events.

**Make the SFMTA a better neighbor** in the parts of the city that currently host our facilities.

#### Five distinctive streams of work:

**Plan** for the future of SFMTA buildings and yards.

**Engage** SFMTA staff and external stakeholders.

Fund and manage the cash flow of the program.

Fix and upgrade buildings per the 2016 Facilities Condition Assessment.

**Deliver** the capital programs and projects recommended in the 2017 SFMTA Facilities Framework.









Dedicated operator training facility with bus simulator technology











### **Existing Facility**



#### **Future Facility**





## A once-in-a-century opportunity

Potrero Yard's 4.4 acre site is wellserved by urban amenities in this mixed-use neighborhood. The large site footprint and the dynamic, transit-rich location make a great case for denser development on the site.

Mariposa & Hampshire Street View Top of Bus Facility (±75') Mariposa St Hampshire St design sketch

#### **Project Program**





## Public Outreach and Engagement Goals

- Continuously engage with the Potrero Yard Working Group
- Communicate consistently / no prolonged silence
- Provide transparent and easily accessed information
- Provide in-language engagement in English and Spanish, and additional languages upon request
- Maintain a comprehensive project website
- Encourage new, emerging, and underrepresented voices in the planning process



## What We've Heard: Community Feedback



- Target 50% affordability with a range of unit types
- Add to city's overall supply of housing at multiple affordability levels





- Incorporate varied facades, setbacks, and possibly public art features
- Consider shadow impacts on Franklin Square
- Celebrate mixed-use character



The new Potrero Yard will... Prioritize Transportation Demand Management (TDM) strategies Lead to better Muni service throughout the city



## What We've Heard: SFMTA Feedback

Extensive in-reach to Maintenance and Operations staff since 2017 to inform design concept.



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Recent October 2019 and feedback included:

- Better showers and restrooms
- Quiet room(s)
- Access to open space
- Effective pigeon abatement
- Housing opportunities for Muni employees
- Concern about parking and transportation
- More bays reserved for body work
- Retail/commercial serving Muni employees





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Potrero Yard



- Request for Qualifications (RFQ) is in final editing phase to incorporate final feedback
- Community engagement to discuss the next step Request for Proposal (RFP) in the fall
- CEQA public scoping meeting August/September
- RFP release at end of 2020 or early 2021; developer selection will follow



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Muni Metro East (MME) vacant site includes:

- Bus operations, operator check-in trailers, lockers, restrooms, and break space.
- Bus wash served by below-grade rainwater cistern, fare pull, and interior bus cleaning.
- Overhead trolley charging (in yard only) and parking for approx. 160 buses.
- Access across new street improvement on Maryland St from Cesar Chavez, since 25<sup>th</sup> St ROW is blocked by the navigation center.
- The MME site is SFMTA property and is entitled by the Planning Department.

1399 Marin site includes:

- Bus maintenance, maintenance staff lockers, restrooms, and break space.
- New bus acceptance will also continue at this site.
- New temporary outdoor bus repair canopy structure to increase maintenance capacity.
- Overhead trolley charging (in yard only) and bus parking for 30 buses as they wait for repairs, and 10 additional new buses.
- The Marin site is Port property under MOU to the SFMTA and is entitled by the Port.



**PROPOSED SITE** 





### 1399 Marin Existing Condition



Marin Conceptual Site Plan



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#### MME/Marin Project Schedule

2020	2021		2022	2023
Design		-		
	Permit			
	E	Bid		
			Construct	



# **Thank You**

Please reach out anytime with questions, feedback, or to request a meeting. Our doors are open to you.

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