

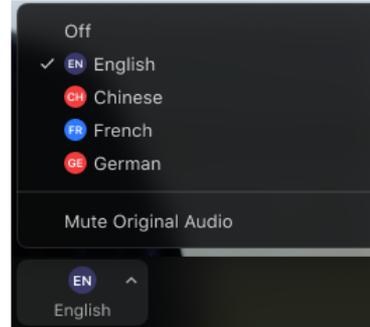


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Lake Merced Quick-Build Project District 7 Virtual Townhall

April 7th, 2022

Zoom

Schedule

6:00 PM – 6:15 PM Introductions

6:15 PM – 6:25 PM Project Background

6:25 PM – 7:15 PM Present Proposed Project Designs

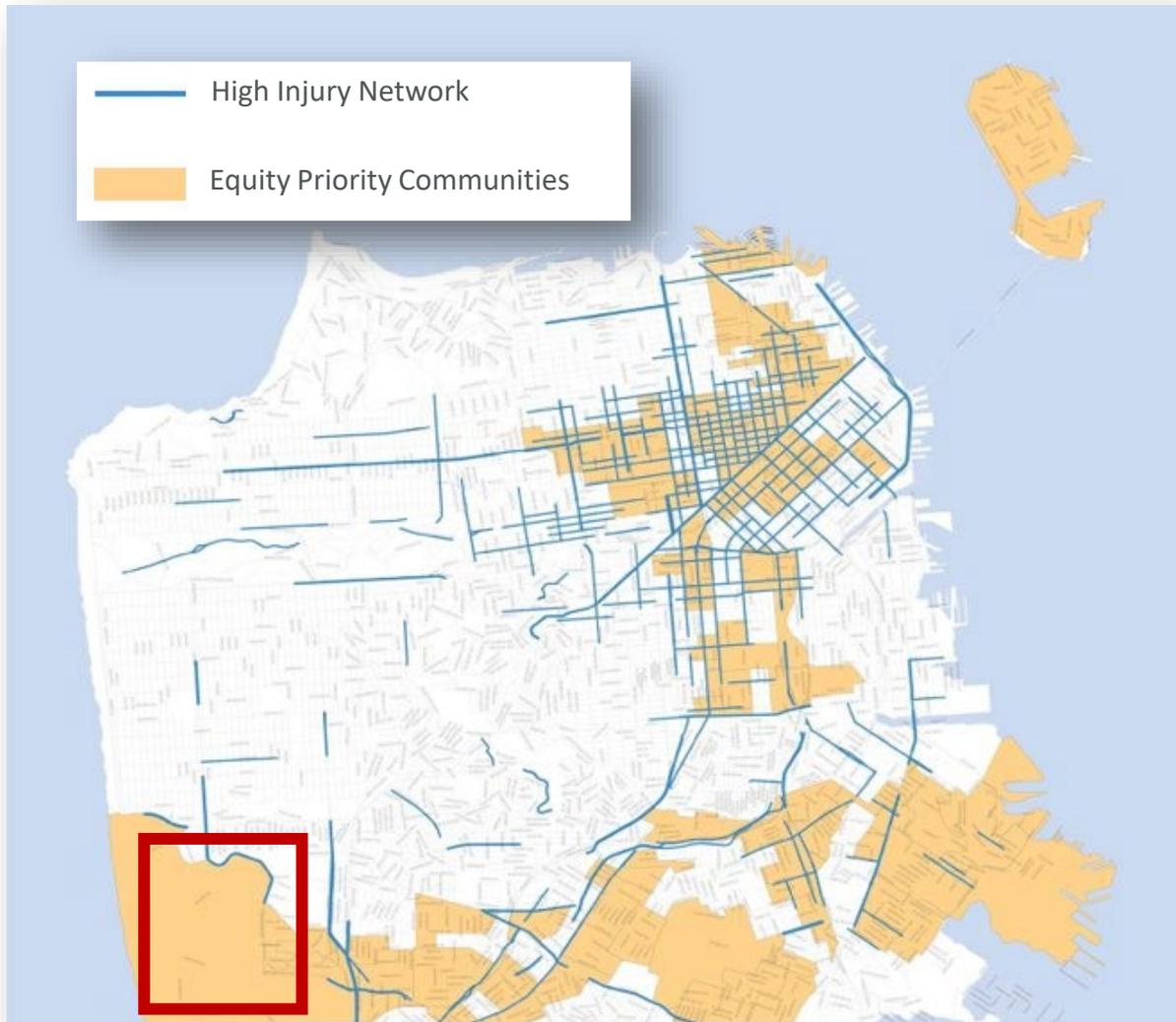
7:15 PM – 7:45 PM Q&A

7:45 PM – 8:00 PM Next steps

8:00 PM – Conclude Townhall

Submit your questions using the chat box at any point during the presentation!

Vision Zero SF – High Injury Network



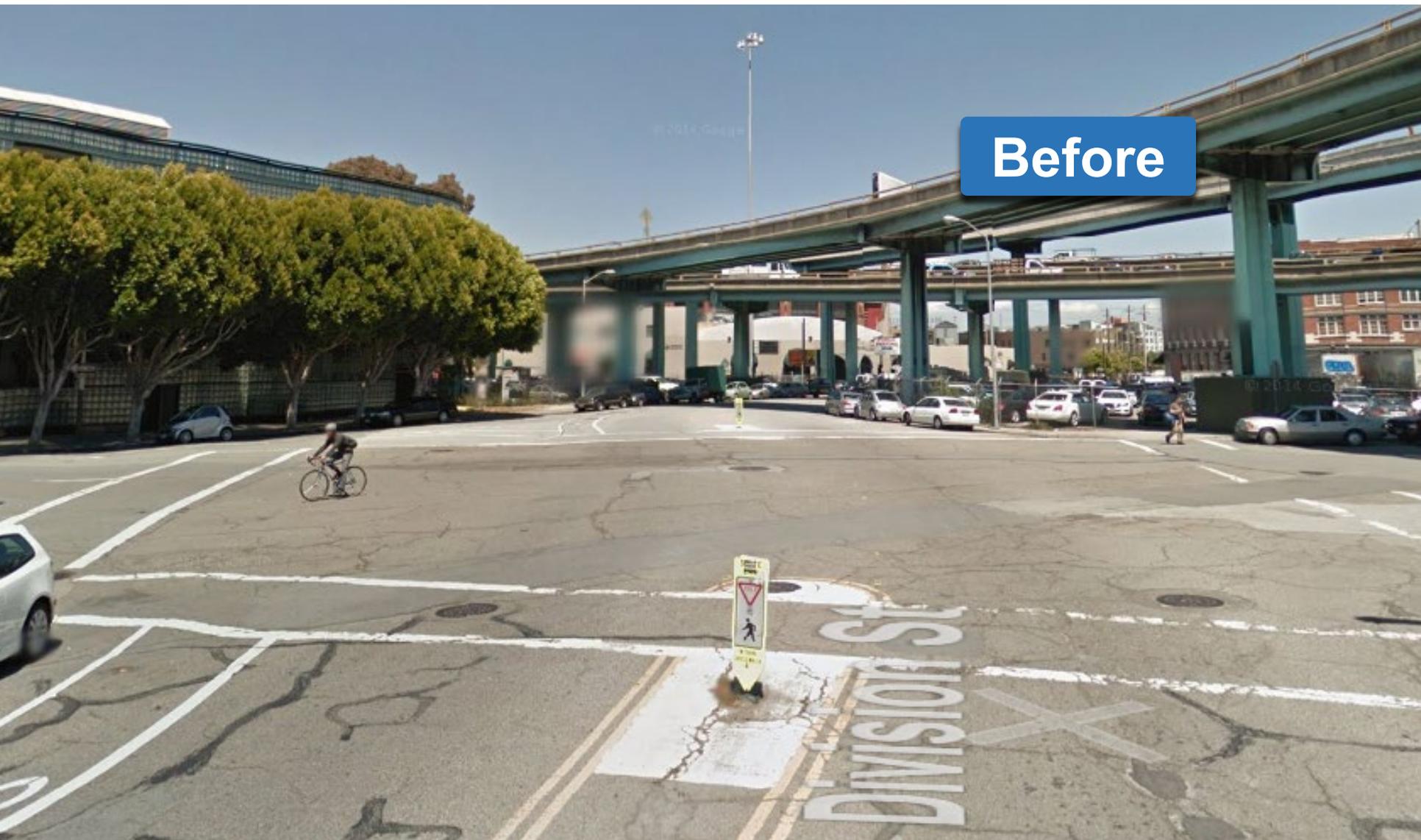
From **2016-2021** there were **89 collisions** along **Lake Merced Blvd**, which resulted in **87 injuries** and **2 fatalities**.

1/3 incidents cite **unsafe speeds** as a primary factor of the collision.

Map of San Francisco overlaid with the City's Vision Zero High Injury Network and Equity Priority Communities as of 2017.

Vision Zero Quick-Build Program

Before



Vision Zero Quick-Build Program

A critical part to reach San Francisco's **Vision Zero** commitment using **reversible, adjustable, and lower-cost materials** that can be installed **within months**.

After

Protected Bikeway

Painted Safety Zone

Continental Crosswalk

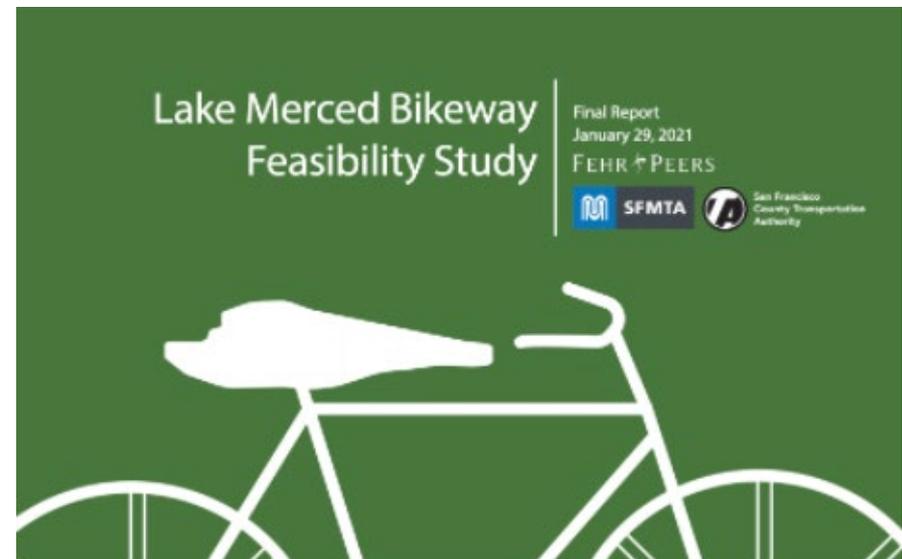
Traffic Delineators

Painted Median

Designing the Lake Merced Quick-Build Project

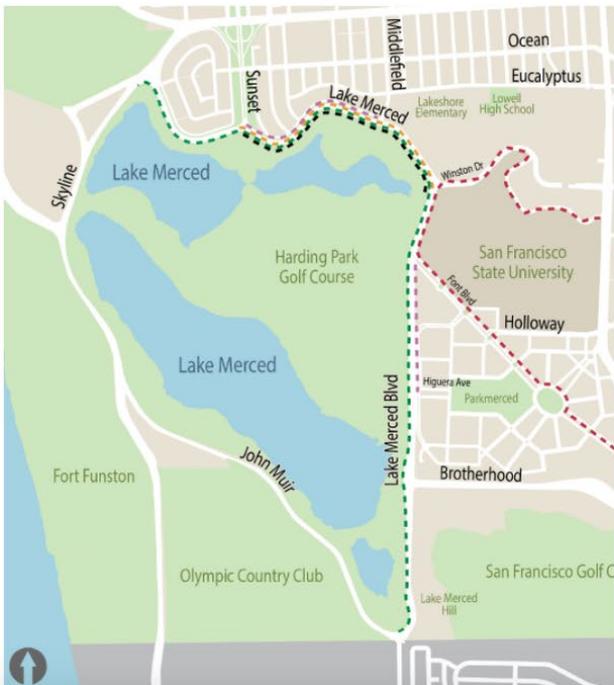


The SFMTA Board of Directors approved the [Lake Merced Pedestrian Safety Community-Based Transportation Plan](#) (CBTP) on October 19, 2021.



The final report for the [Lake Merced Bikeway Feasibility Study](#) was published on January 29, 2021

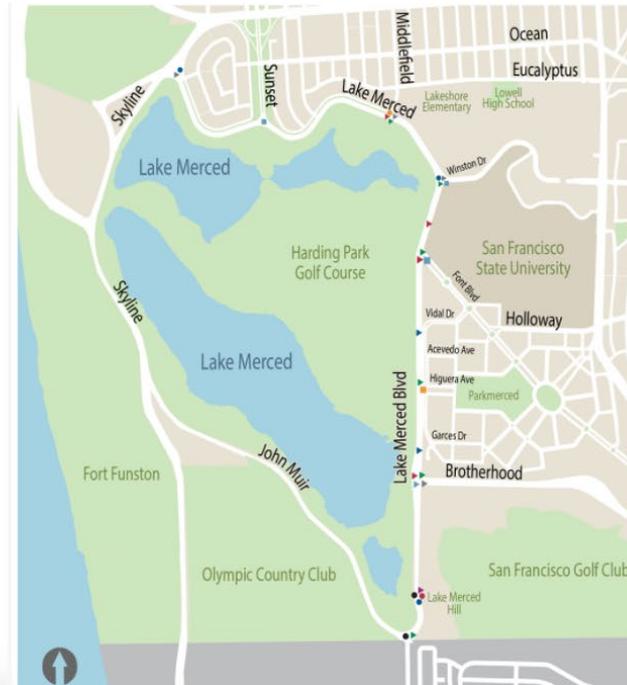
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Lake Merced Project Area Recommendations LEGEND

CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENTS

- High Priority**
- Improve transit*
* Service for the 57 and 58 bus routes will resume August 14, 2021
- Medium Priority**
- Install signage
 - Narrow travel lanes; Install bike facilities
 - Install new pedestrian crossing
 - Install lighting*



Lake Merced Project Area Recommendations LEGEND

- INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS**
- Priority Level**
- ▽ High Priority/Near-Term Improvements
 - Medium Priority/Long-Term Improvements
 - Low Priority/Long-Term Improvements
- Recommendation**
- Close slip lanes
 - Install/improve pedestrian refuge islands
 - Widen or add sidewalks
 - Install lighting (pedestrian or street level)
 - Upgrade traffic signal heads
 - Additional walk time
 - Install signage
 - Upgrade crosswalks

Lake Merced Quick-Build Project Goals

1. Install traffic calming improvements to reduce crashes and improve comfort for all travelers along Lake Merced Blvd
2. Implement safe pedestrian and bicycle connections to or along Lake Merced Blvd

Lake Merced Quick-Build Project

Timeline

Spring 2022

Present Quick-Build Project proposal to community

Summer/Fall 2022

Refine designs per community feedback and legislate project

Fall 2022/Winter 2023

Construction begins!



Lake Merced Blvd Town Hall Storymap Walkthrough

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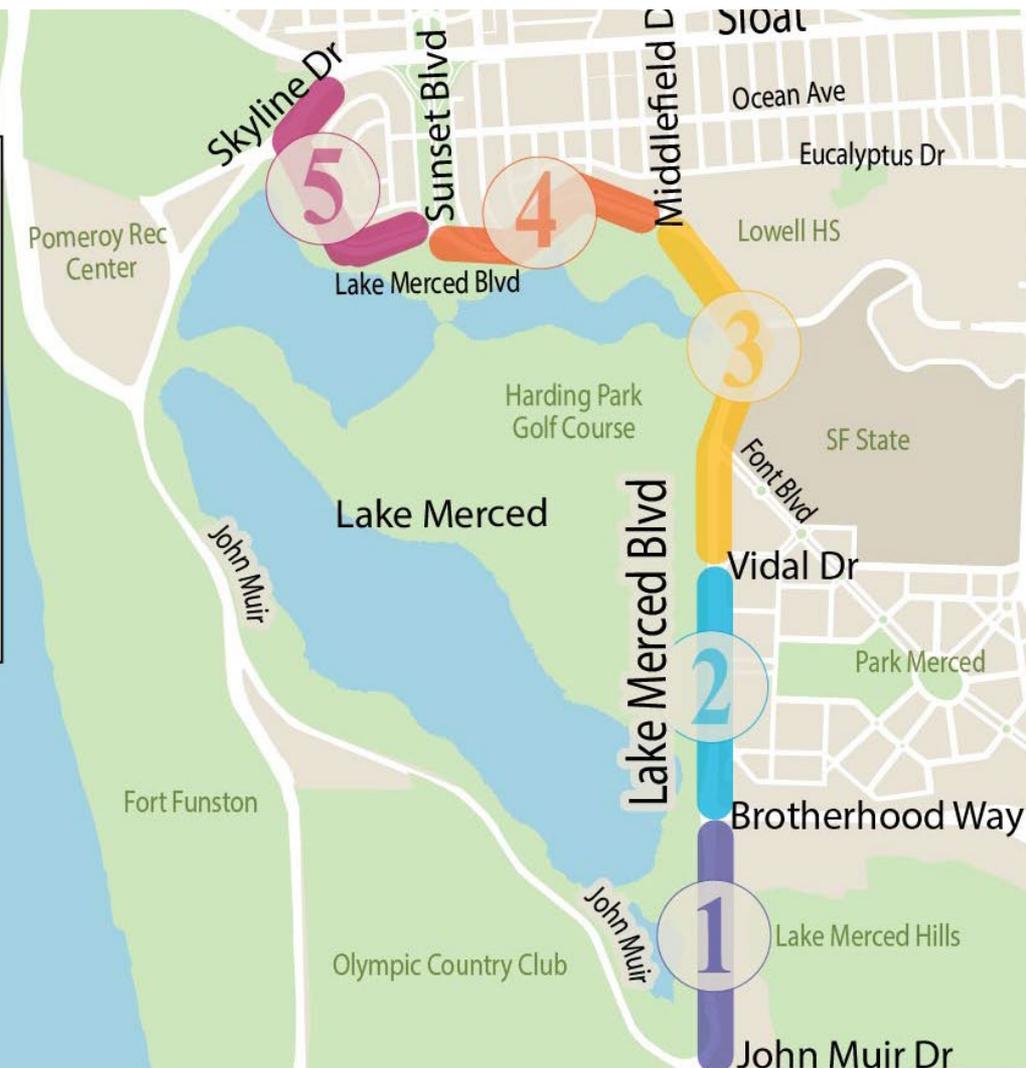
Because the street topography varies significantly throughout the 2.6 mile long corridor, the proposed project design is divided into the five sections highlighted below.



Potential Quick-Build Improvements along Lake Merced Blvd

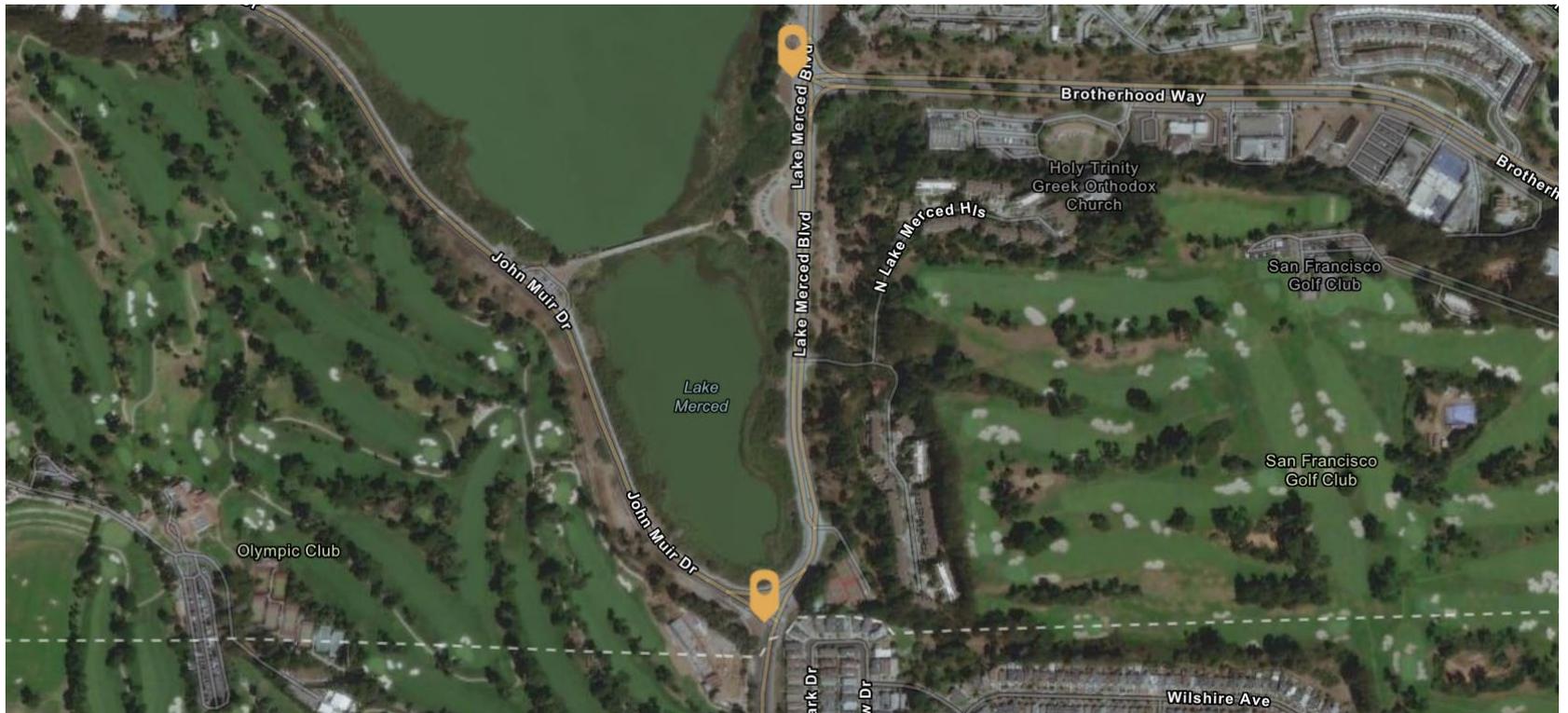
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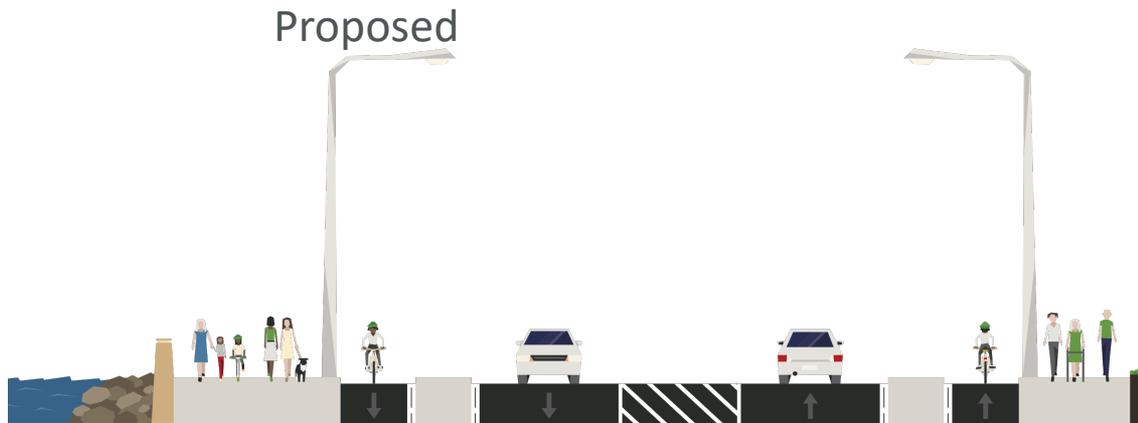
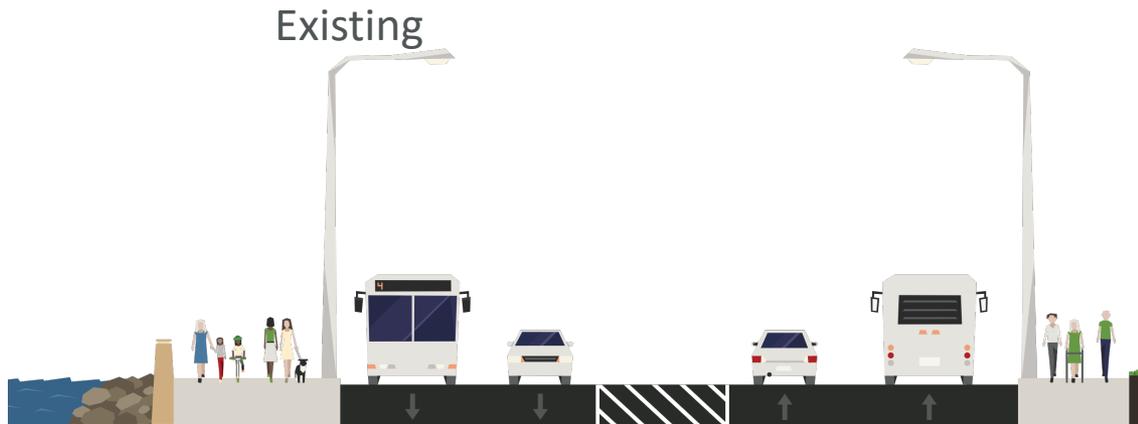
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Aerial view of Lake Merced Blvd between John Muir Dr & Brotherhood Way

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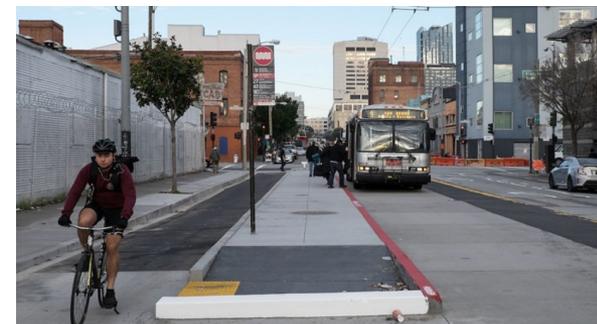
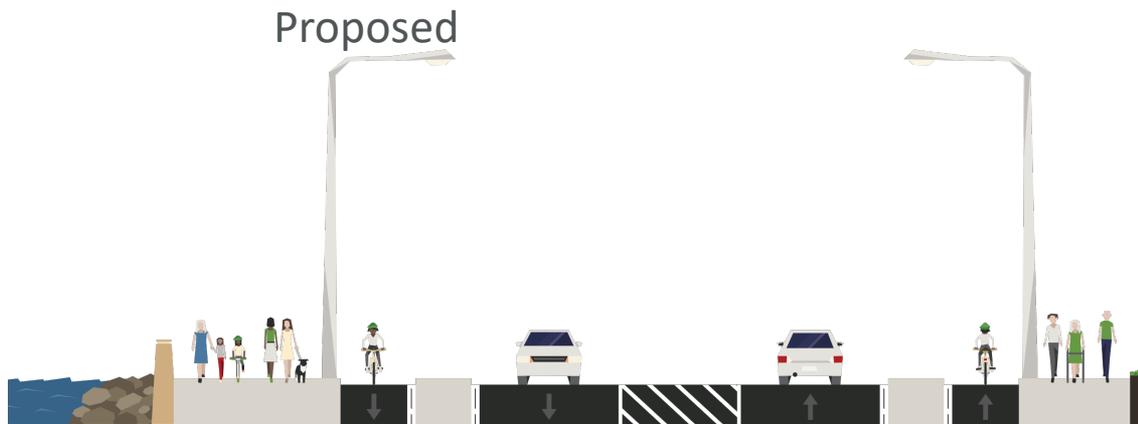
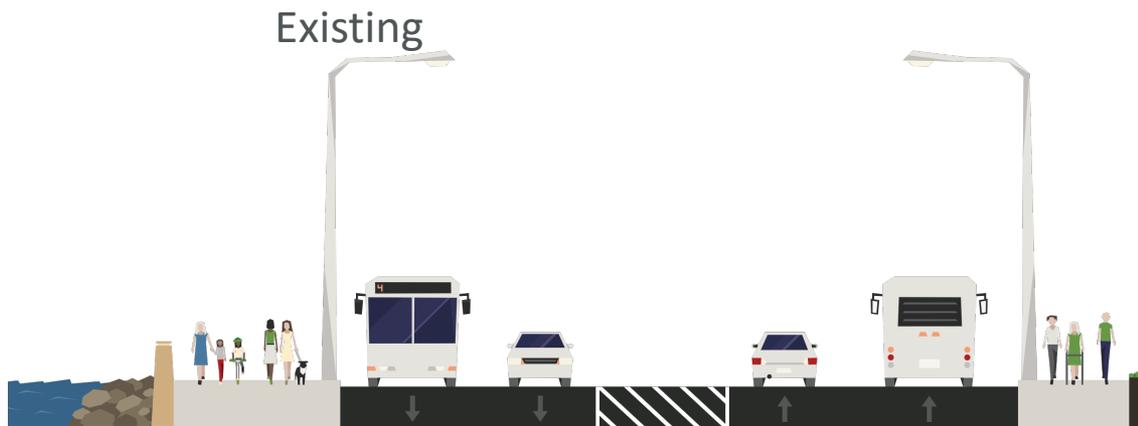


Proposed Improvements

1. **Crossing upgrades** at intersections (ie. signal head size increase, advance limit lines, crosswalk upgrades, etc.)
2. **Reduce** travel lanes from four to two lanes
3. **Curbside bikeway** protected by concrete median islands in both directions
4. **Transit boarding islands** at John Muir Dr and Lake Merced Hill flag stops

Potential Quick-Build Improvements

Section 1: John Muir Dr to Brotherhood Way

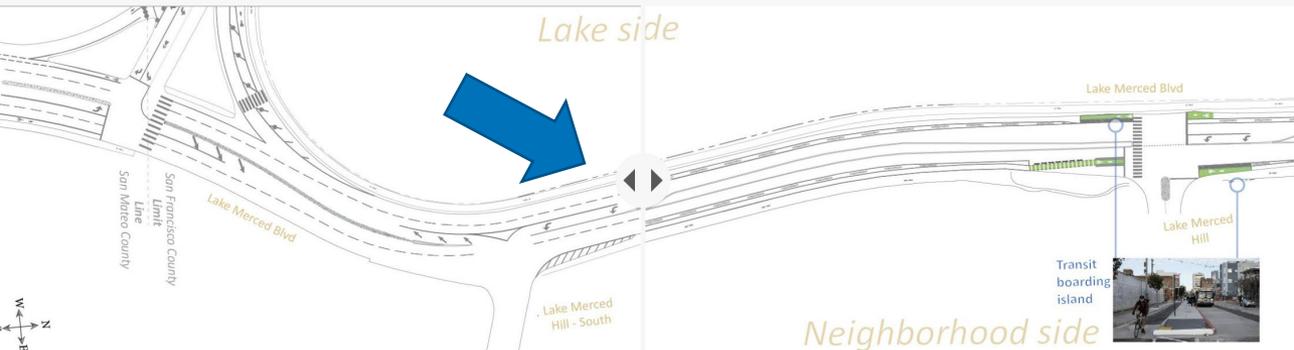


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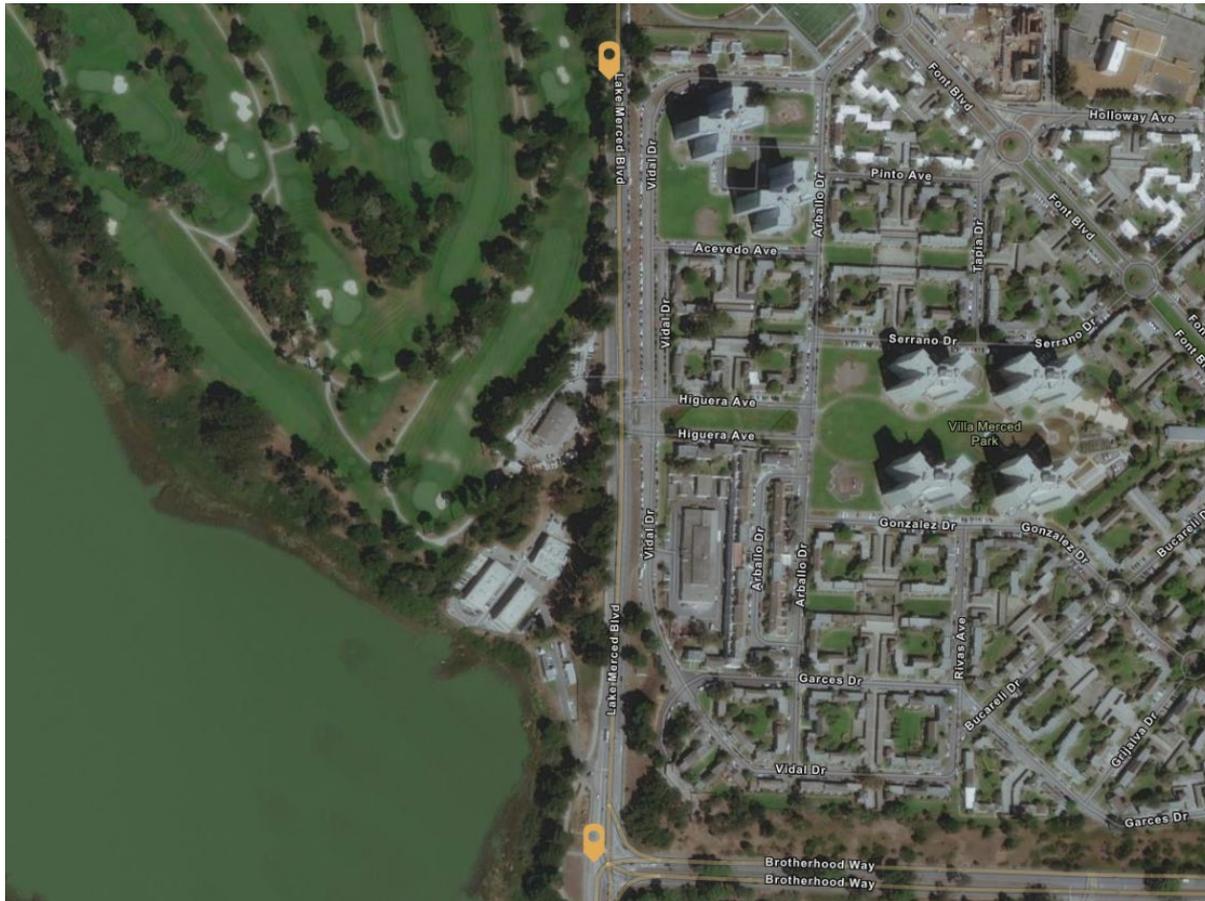


Summary of proposed improvements (*Lake Merced Hill to Brotherhood Way*)

- Crossing upgrades (ie. signal head size increase, advance limit lines, continental crosswalks, etc.)
- Reallocate roadway from four traffic lanes (two in each direction) to two traffic lanes (one in each direction) lanes
- Curbside bikeway protected by concrete median islands in both directions
 - Install bike ramps near Brotherhood Way to connect sidewalk (lake-side) and asphalt path (neighborhood-side) to protected bikeway

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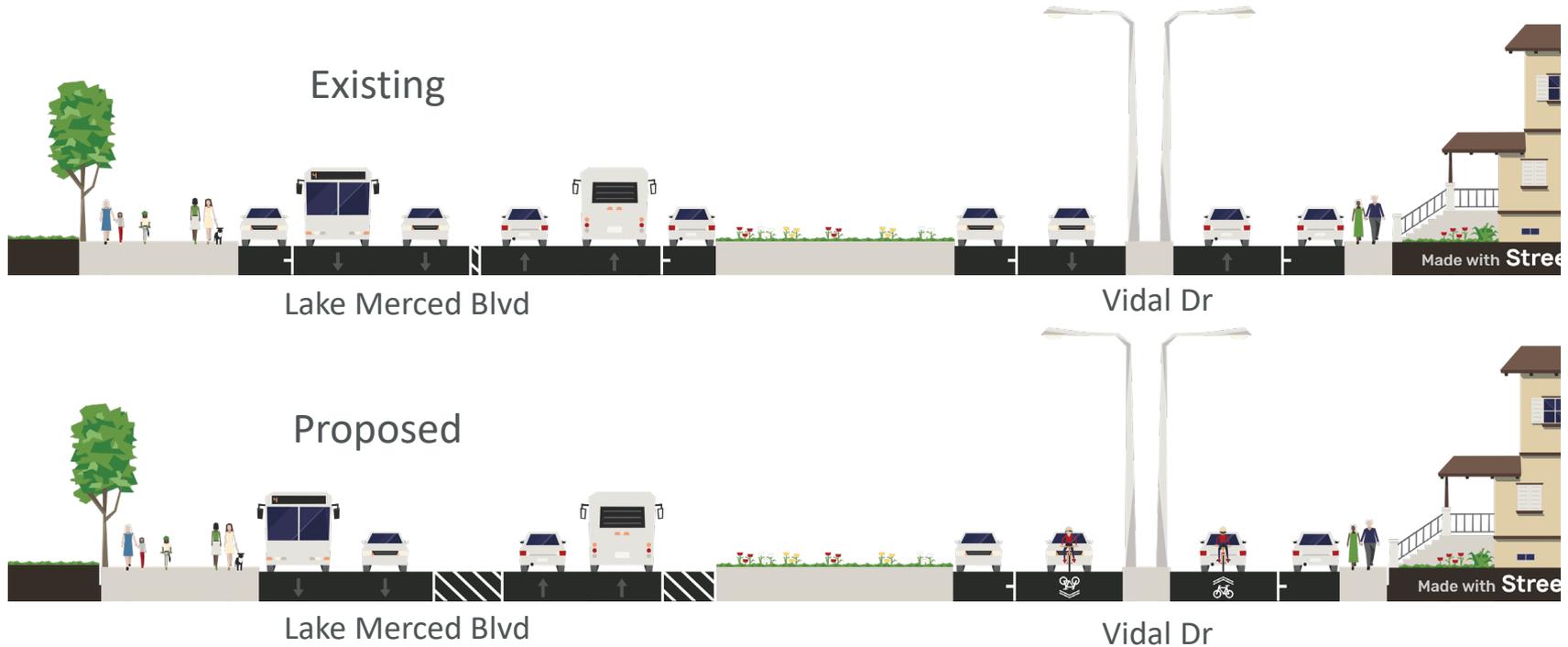
Section 2: Brotherhood Way to (future) Vidal intersection



Aerial view of Lake Merced Blvd & Vidal Dr between Brotherhood Way and future signalized Vidal intersection

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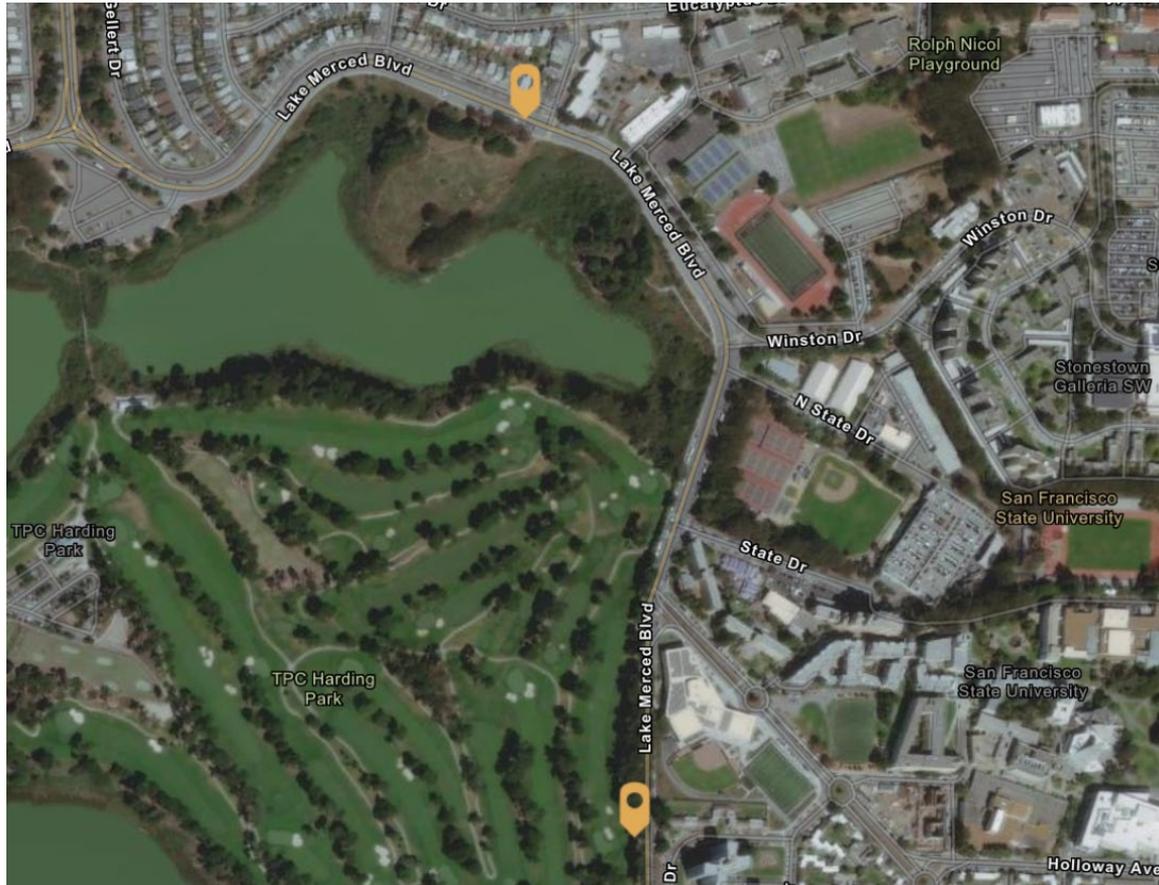


Proposed Improvements

1. **Repurpose** 31 parking spaces
2. **Designate** Vidal Dr as neighborway
3. **Crossing upgrades** at intersections (ie. signal head size increase, advance limit lines, crosswalk upgrades, etc.)

Potential Quick-Build Improvements

Section 3: (future) Vidal intersection to Middlefield Dr

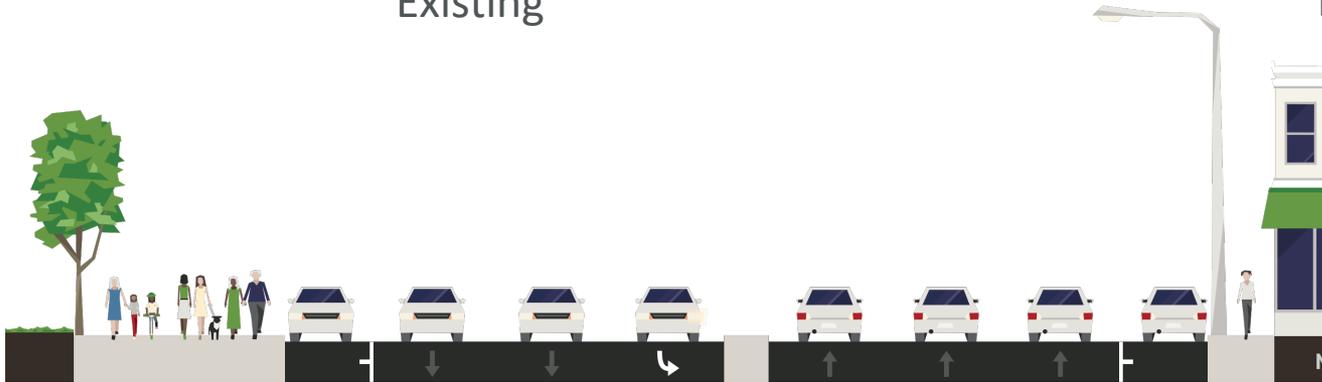


Aerial view of Lake Merced Blvd between Vidal Dr and Middlefield Dr

Potential Quick-Build Improvements

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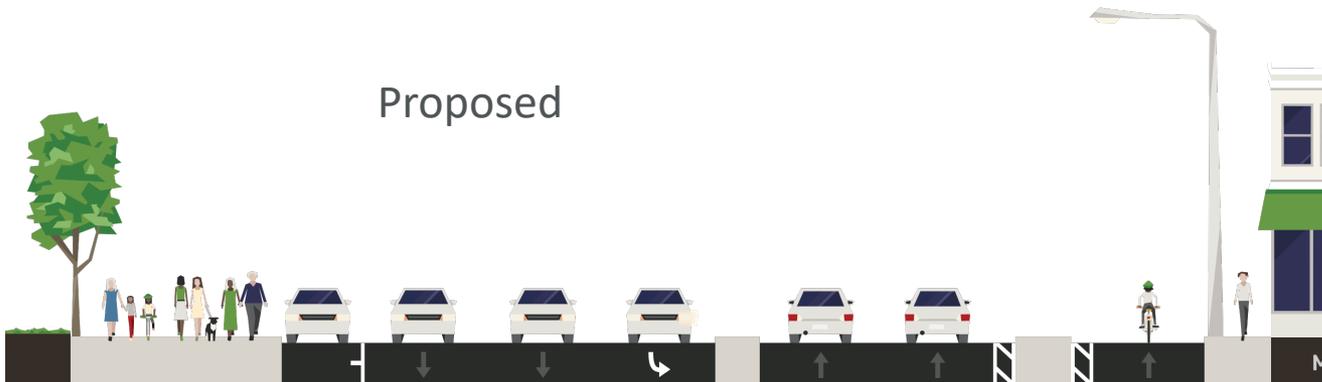
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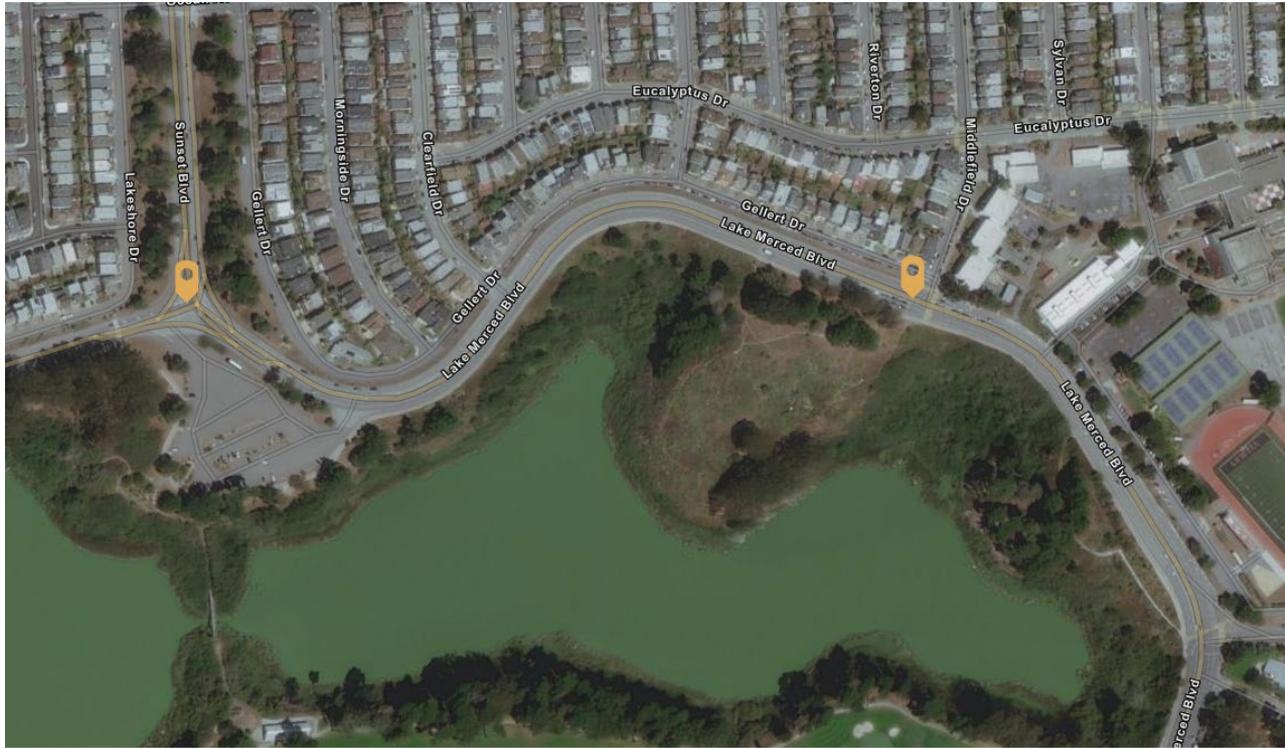
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2. **Narrow & reduce** travel lanes (from three northbound lanes to two lanes)
3. **Repurpose** 127 parking spaces
4. **Transit boarding island** at northbound State Dr

Proposed



Potential Quick-Build Improvements

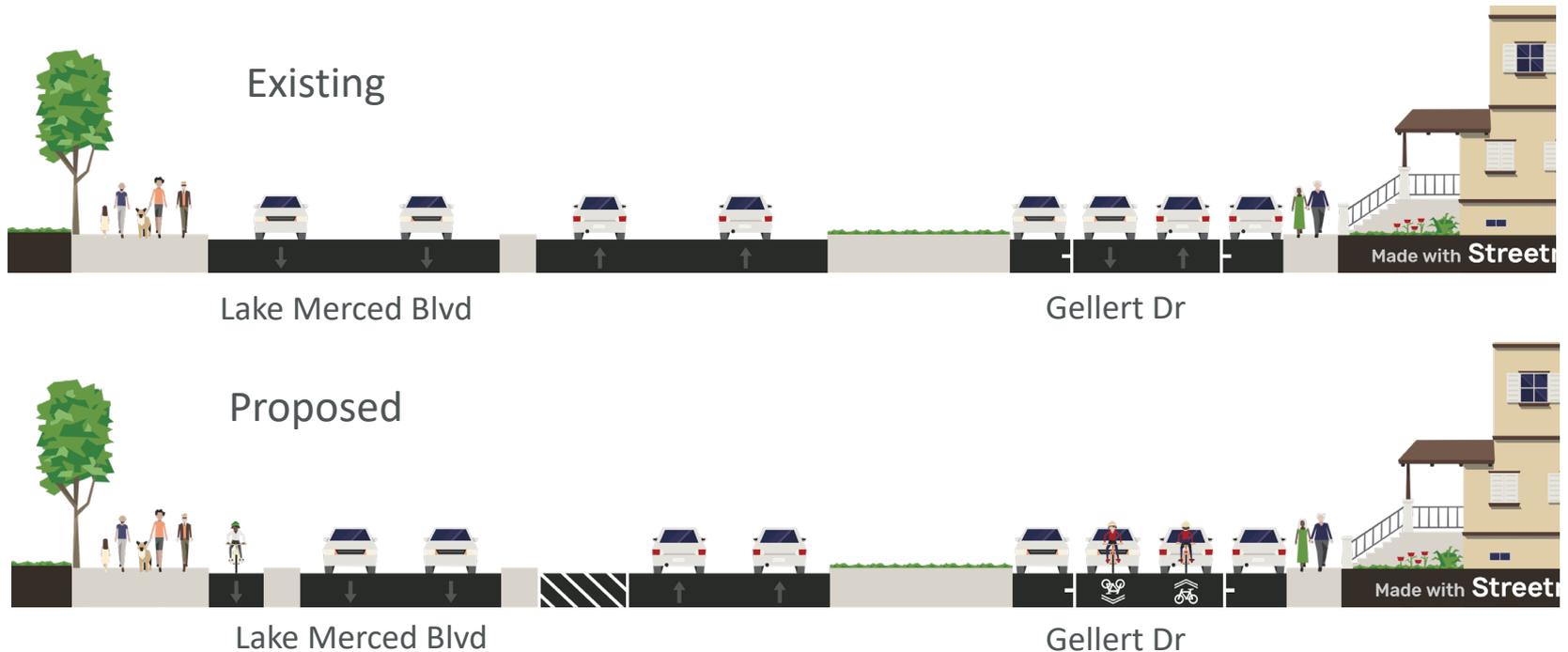
Section 4: Middlefield Dr to Sunset Blvd



Aerial view of Lake Merced Blvd & Gellert Dr between Middlefield and Sunset Blvd

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Section 4: Middlefield Dr to Sunset Blvd

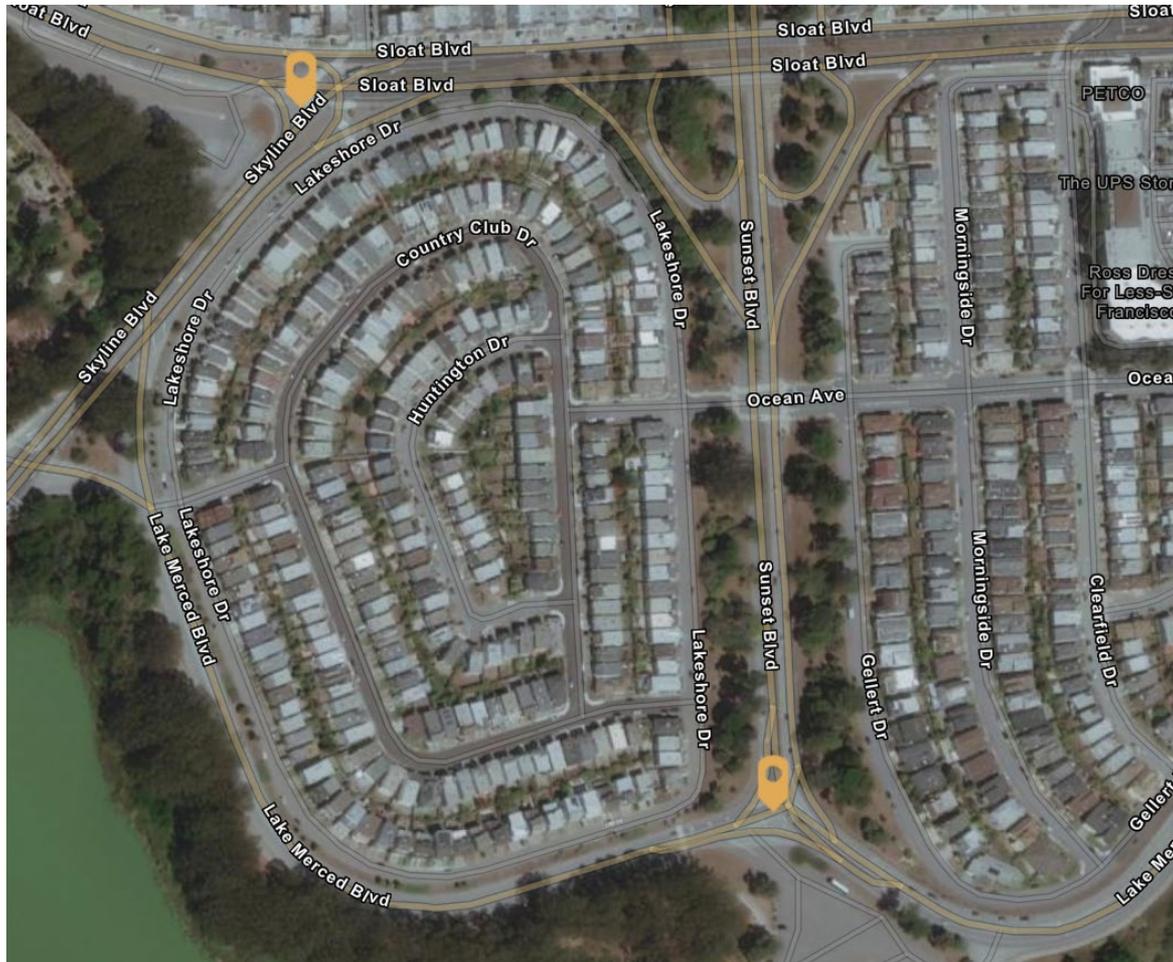


Proposed Improvements

1. **Crossing upgrades** at intersections (ie. signal head size increase, advance limit lines, crosswalk upgrades, etc.)
2. **Narrow** travel lanes, remove zero parking (maintains existing conditions)
3. **Widened** sidewalks, trees, dog park, and people walking
4. **Curbside southbound bikeway** protected by concrete median islands; south of Middlefield: route lake side bikes onto shared lake path
5. **Designate** Gellert Dr as neighborway using greenback sharrows, which connects northbound bikes to Ocean Ave, Sloat, and Great Highway via Clearfield

Potential Quick-Build Improvements

Section 5: Sunset Blvd to Skyline Blvd

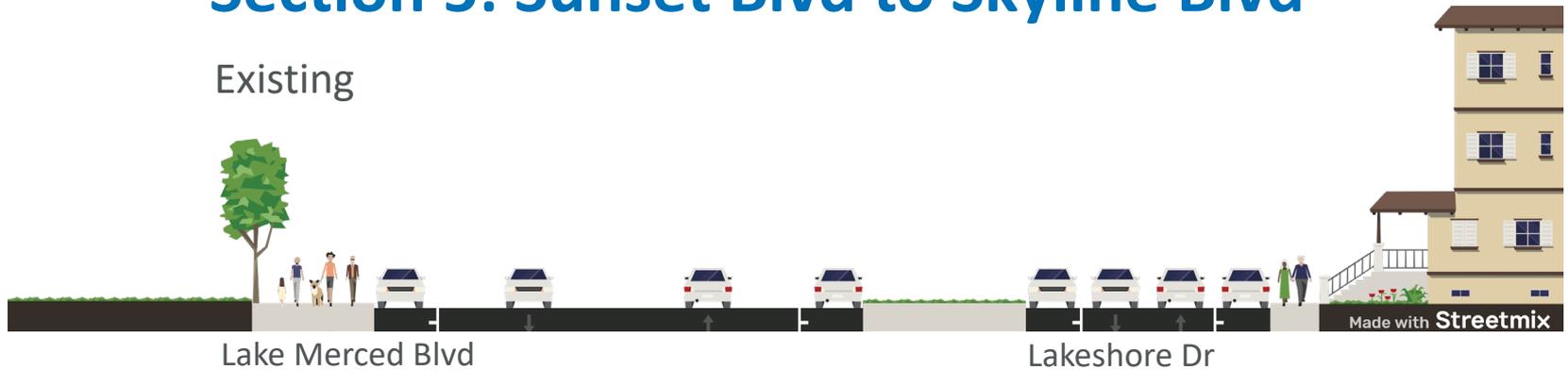


Aerial view of Lake Merced Blvd & Lakeshore Dr between Sunset Blvd and Skyline Dr

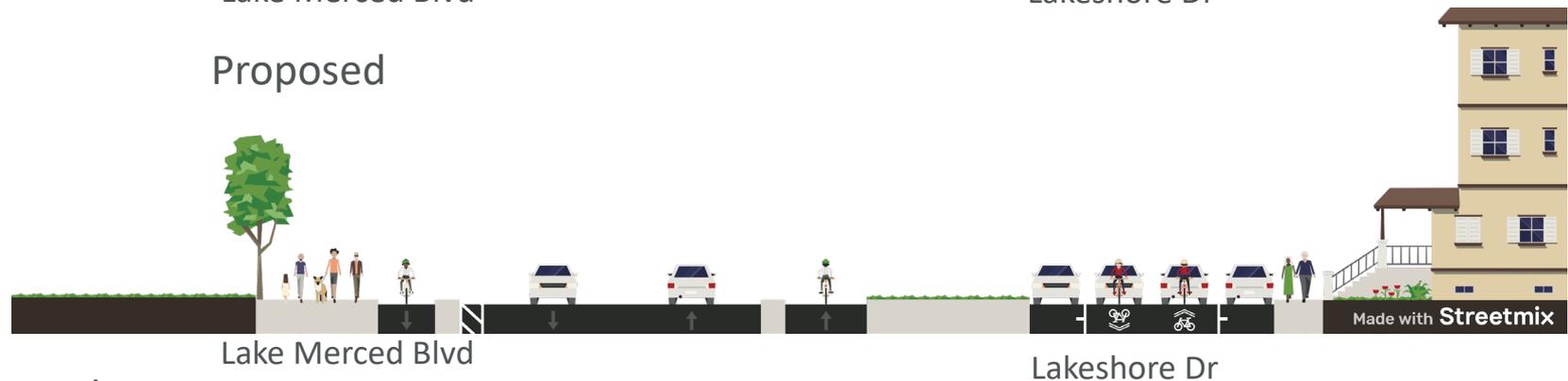
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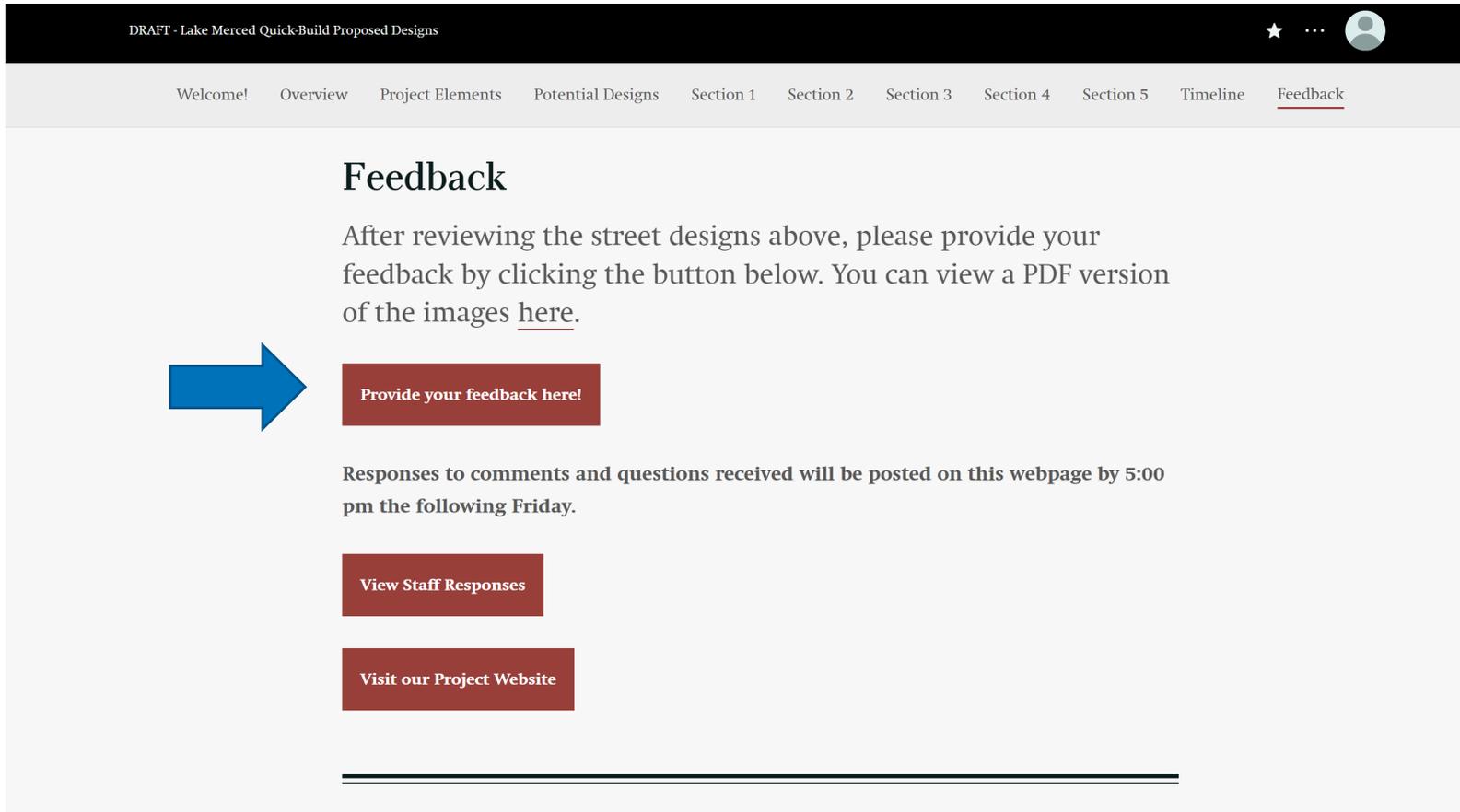
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- Narrow travel lanes** along Lake Merced Blvd north of Sunset Blvd
- Designate** Lakeshore Dr as neighborway using greenback sharrows, which connects northbound bikes Skyline Dr
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We'd like to hear from you!



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**The survey will be open for three weeks:
April 7th – April 29th, 2022**

Q&A – Lake Merced Quick-Build Designs



To ask a question please **raise your hand** or **type your question into the chat window**



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Project team will prioritize questions regarding the Lake Merced Quick-Build Project and *address **all unanswered questions** in a follow up email to be sent out next week. It will also be posted it on our project website.*

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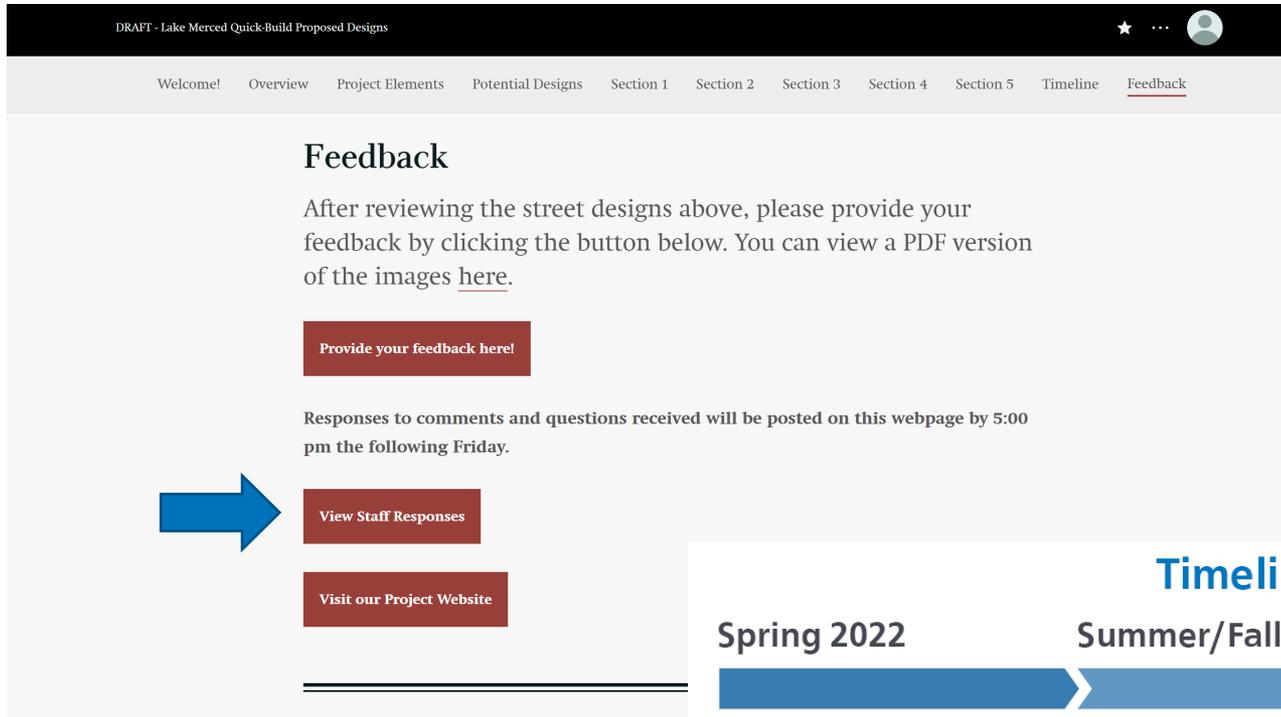
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