

# Vision Zero Quick-Build Project Updates

March 2020



## Updates Regarding COVID-19

### What We're Doing

For the duration of the public health emergency related to COVID-19, the SFMTA is making important changes to key agency operations. Due to the shelter-in-place order in effect in San Francisco, all non-essential construction work is temporarily suspended. SFMTA staff may be working with limited capacity, restricted in their field operations, or functioning as Disaster Service Workers. However, staff are continuing to work to minimize disruption as much as possible.

- Public outreach is a key component of the quick-build program, and we are exploring innovative alternatives for collecting community feedback and ensuring that public input continues to be accessible.
- We are continuing design work for projects so that we can be prepared and ready to go when construction picks up again.
- Data collection for evaluation is temporarily suspended due to non-typical conditions, but data analysis continues to help inform our work as staff use this time to analyze post-implementation data and prepare post-implementation evaluations.

This is an evolving situation, and it is likely that projects may experience delays. We appreciate your patience and understanding during this time and will continue to provide updates. Thank you for your interest in the Vision Zero Quick-Build program.

### Stay Connected

For additional questions about how the SFMTA is responding to COVID-19, the agency has created an up-to-date resource to help you keep up with changes that currently include:

- Modified Muni service
- Paratransit guidance
- Parking enforcement rules
- Parking garage operations that include some facility closures
- Temporary adjustments to SFMTA "Fines and Fees"

To get the most up to date information, please check our regularly updated webpage at [SFMTA.com/COVID19](https://sfmta.com/COVID19). You can also view citywide updates at [sf.gov/topics/coronavirus-covid-19](https://sf.gov/topics/coronavirus-covid-19).

## New Quick-Build Corridors!

On March 17, 2020, the SFMTA Board of Directors approved seven new corridors for quick-build implementation. The corridors are:

- Bayshore Boulevard between Oakdale Avenue and Industrial Street
- Evans Avenue between Cesar Chavez and Third Street
- Evans Avenue / Hunters Point Boulevard / Innes Avenue between Jennings Avenue and Arelious Walker
- Folsom Street between Second Street and Fifth Street
- Leavenworth Street between McAllister Street and Post Street
- Valencia Street between 15th Street and 19th Street
- Williams Avenue between Vesta Street and Third Street

Keep an eye out for additional updates from these projects as they move through the quick-build process.



## Recently Completed

### Townsend Street

The Townsend Corridor Improvement Project held its project opening ceremony on March 10, 2020 at the 4th and King Caltrain Plaza to celebrate the completion of a new block-long transit boarding island and sidewalk on Townsend Street between 4th and 5th streets, as well as a transit bulb, protected bike lanes, color curb changes, bike signals, and other vital improvements to the safety and operation of this important street.

Mayor London Breed, SFMTA, SF Public Works, Walk San Francisco, San Francisco Bike Coalition, and many others joined to celebrate this significant milestone. The new improvements will benefit the thousands of people who typically access this regional transportation hub by a diverse mix of travel options.

