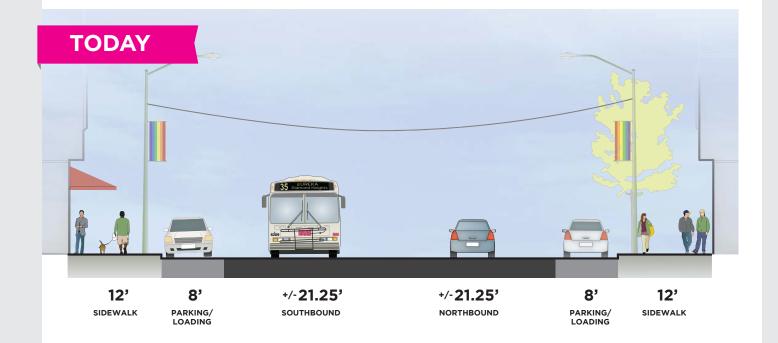
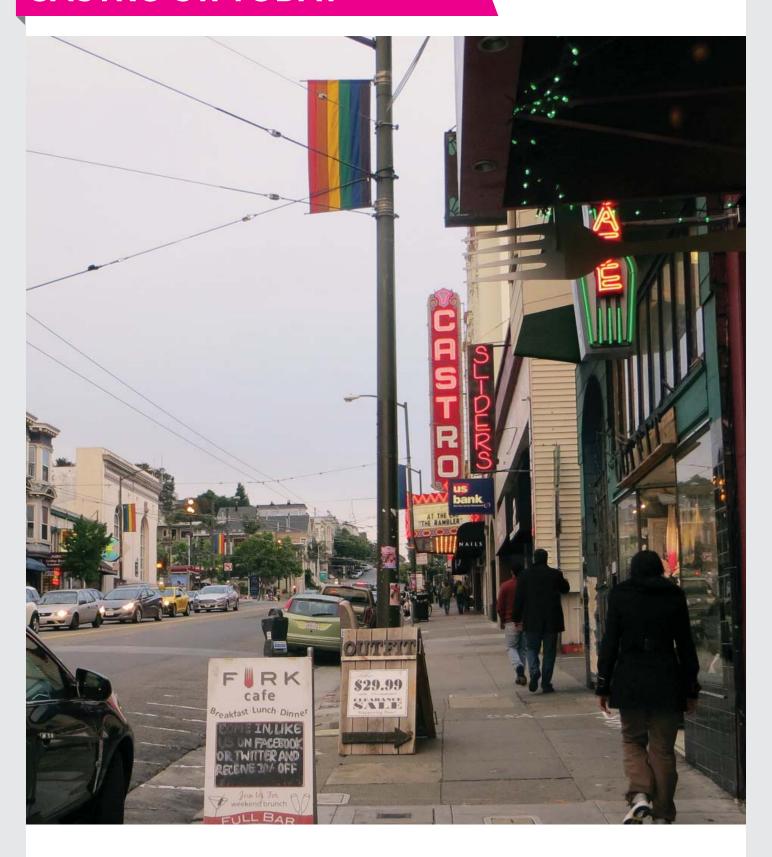
STREET SECTION

Typical Mid-Block Street Section





CASTRO ST: TODAY



CASTRO ST: PROPOSED



Conceptual Rendering, for Illustrative Purposes

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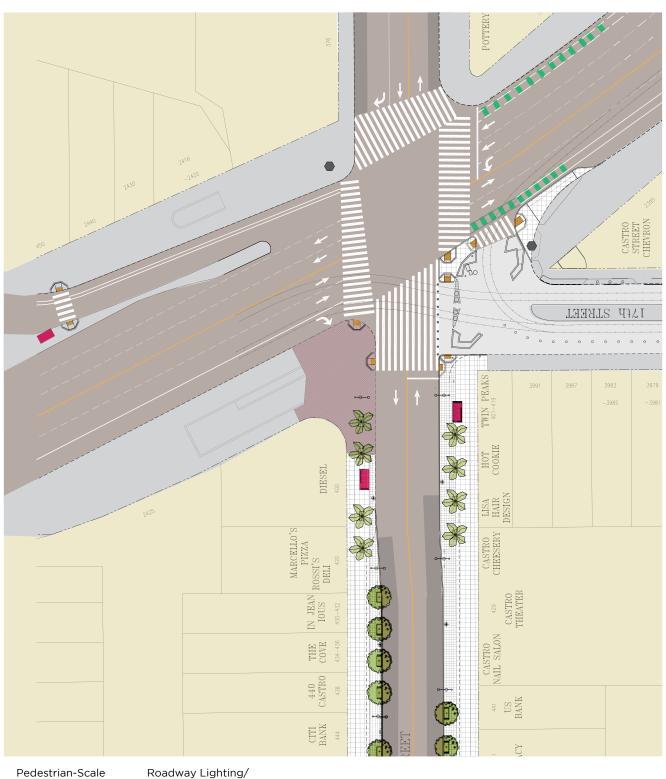
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CASTRO/MARKET



PLAN VIEW - PROPOSED

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Bike Leaning

Post

Rack



Relocated

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Shelter



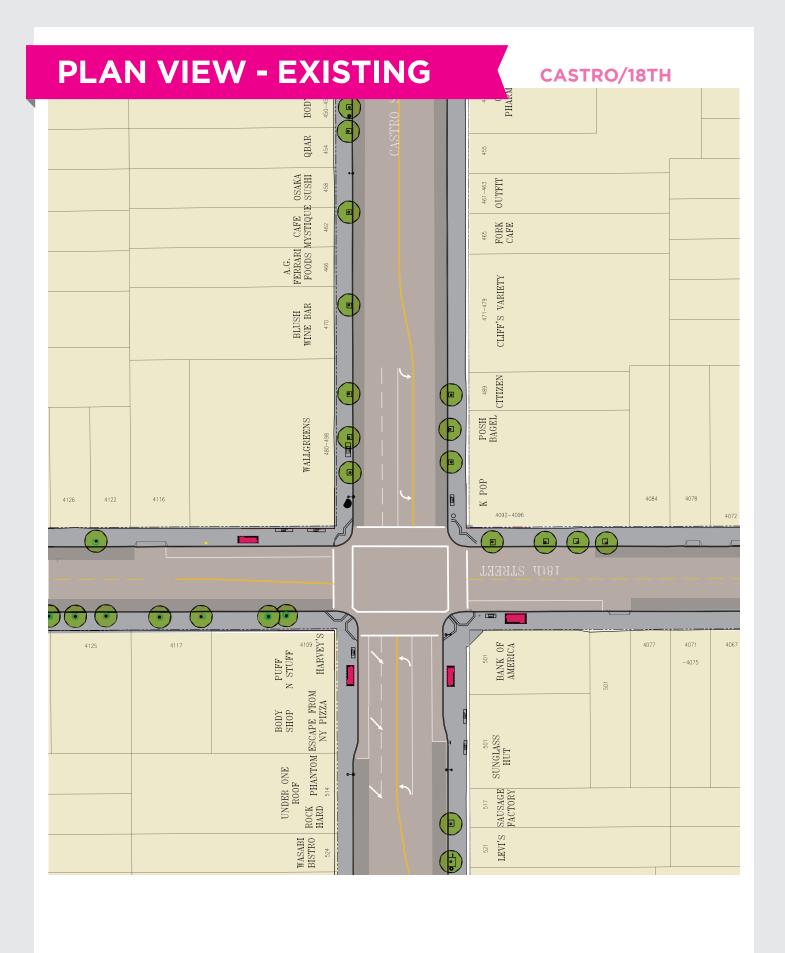




Ginkgo Tree

King Palm

Existing Tree



PLAN VIEW - PROPOSED

CASTRO/18TH



Leaning Bike Post Rack



Relocated Kiosk



Muni Shelter



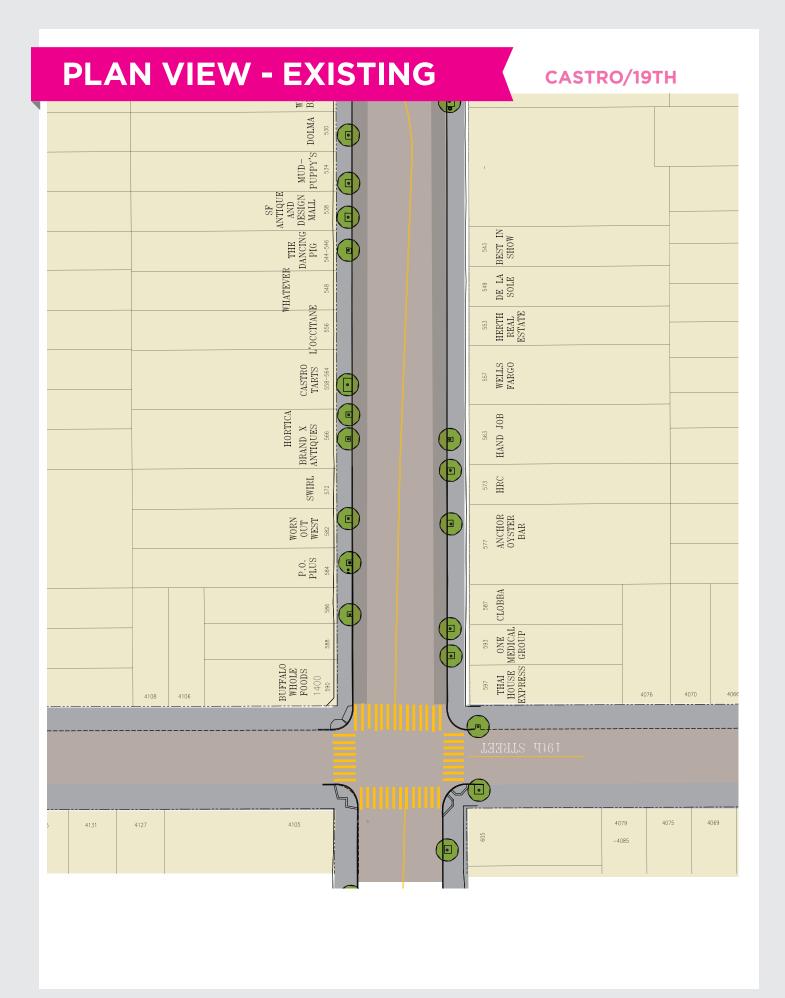
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PLAN VIEW - PROPOSED CASTRO/19TH DOLMA MUD-PUPPY'S DANTE'S TABLE L'OCCITANE BRAND X ANTIQUES HAND . HRC ANCHOR OYSTER BAR WORN OUT WEST BUFFALO WHOLE FOODS Pedestrian-Scale Roadway Lighting/ Lighting Muni Pole Ginkgo King Existing Muni Relocated Leaning Bike Shelter Tree Palm Tree Kiosk Post Rack

SIDEWALK LAYOUT

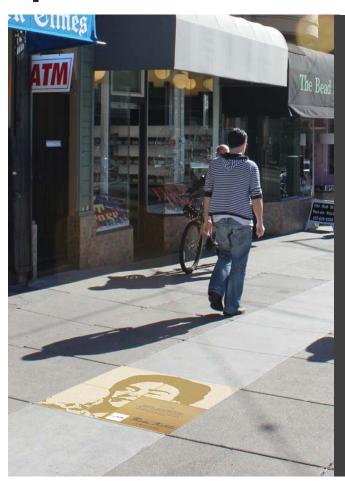
SIDEWALK ZONES:



Verticle elements (trees, Muni poles, street lights, etc.) will be alligned in a single row near the curb. A 3-foot-by-3-foot square grid will demarcate the "Throughway Zone" - Castro Street's pedestrian path of travel.

The furnishing zone and frontage zone will be scored with a more detailed rectangular pattern. Standard gray sidewalks are proposed, however pending the final cost-estimates, mica-sparkles could be included as a special finish.

Special Features



RAINBOW HONOR WALK

The Rainbow Honor Walk is a seperate community-initiated effort to install 3-by-3-foot plaques commemorating LGBT icons throughout history. 5-plaques per block face are planned for Castro Street between Market and 19th Streets.

The design and fabrication of the plaques is being undertaken by the community, however the City has agreed to install the plaques during sidewalk reconstruction. Specific locations are TBD.

For more information visit: http://rainbowhonorwalk.org





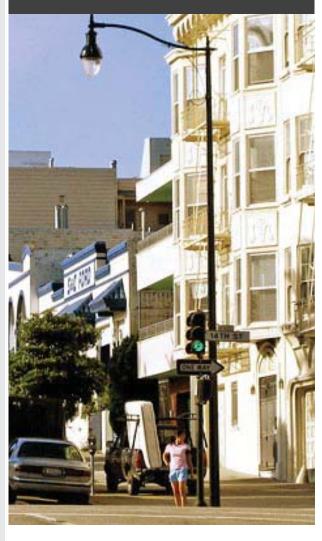
LEANING POSTS

Custom-designed leaning posts would be placed in the sidewalk furnishing zone. The posts will provide a place to lean, pause, rest a cup of coffee or make a phone call. The Powell Street photo to the right illustrates the function of this streetscape feature.

Lighting

ROADWAY LIGHTING

A street-light similar to Dolores Street is proposed to replace Castro Street's existing "cobrahead" roadway light fixtures. These light fixtures have a classic "teardrop" shape with modern LED technology.







Street Trees

PRIMARY TREE: GINKGO

Ginkgo biloba 'Princeton Sentry'

Gingko is currently the predominant street tree on Castro Street. A hardier, faster growing varietal of the tree will be planted near the curb of the street's new sidewalks. Trees will be planted in the 36-inch box size and tree guards may be used in certain locations to protect the tree during its establishment.



ACCENT TREE: KING PALM

Archontophoenix cunninghamiana

King Palm will be used as an accent tree on the corners of Castro Street. This slender palm will visually green the street year-round and can easily fit on corners otherwise constrained by Muni shelters and high foottraffic.



Other Features



BIKE RACKS

New bike racks will be installed on Castro Street in the sidewalk furnishing zone.



will be added to Castro Street to increase visibility of pedestrians.

OTHER FURNISHING ZONE ELEMENTS:

- Trash bins
- Newspaper Racks *
- Kiosks *
- * The City is working to relocate/consolidate these features

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

To be included if competitive bids come in low enough to accommodate.

MICA SPARKLES

Mica Sparkles are often added in San Francisco as a special finish and could be added to Castro Street's sidewalks.



LED WASH LIGHTING

The City could install LED wash lights on to Muni poles that can be programmed to change color for special events or seasons.



CASTRO HISTORY FACTS

Location-specific facts on Castro Street's history could be inscribed into the furnishing zone of the sidewalk at key spots along the street.

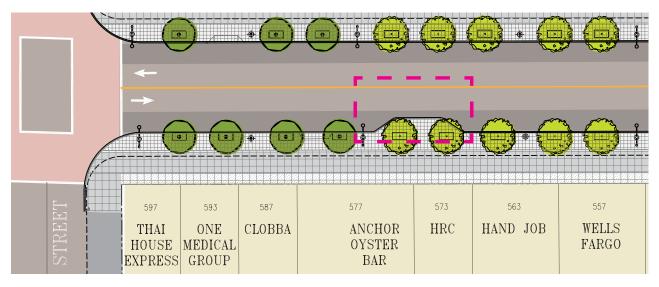
SPECIAL CROSSWALK MARKINGS

Special crosswalk markings could be added to Castro Street intersections.



CASTRO CAMERA

Mid-Block Sidewalk Extension at Castro Camera/Harvey Milk Residence at 573-575 Castro Street. Extension into parking lane provides an additional 6-feet of sidewalk widening to create more sidewalk space in front of this historic landmark.





JANE WARNER PLAZA

Throughout the planning process, community members expressed strong interest in improvements to Jane Warner Plaza. Improvements to Jane Warner Plaza will be included in the new street design for Castro Street. Upgrades to the Plaza could include: repaving, accessibility improvements, and plaza edge treatments. Design details will be refined over the summer.



	Castro - 400 Block	Castro - 500 Block	18th - 4000 Block	18th - 4100 Block	18th - 4200 Block	19th - 4000 Block	19th - 4100 Block	Collingwood - 0 Block	Collingwood - 100 Block	Hartford - 0 Block	Hartford - 100 Block	Diamond - 0 Block	Diamond - 100 Block	Castro Lot	18th/Collingwood Lot	Frontage of 376 Castro	Totals
Existing General Meters		27	11	11	14	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	19	17	0	140
Existing Green Zones		6	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	14
Existing White Zones	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Existing Blue Zones	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4
Existing Yellow Zones		5	2	3	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Existing City Car Share	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Existing Unmetered		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
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Proposed White Zones	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
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Proposed Yellow Zones	12	10	3	4	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
Proposed City Car Share	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
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Existing Motorcycle	12	0	8	6	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Proposed Motorcycle	13	0	6	6	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28



