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Transportation Authority of Marin – Highway 101 Interchange Study

Survey Now Available - Let us know how we can improve Marin County's interchanges

SAN RAFAEL, Calif., March 17, 2021 – The Transportation Authority of Marin (TAM) has released a new survey to receive community input about interchanges along the Highway 101 corridor in Marin County. The survey is part of TAM's Highway 101 Interchange and Approaching Roadway Study that is underway to examine potential improvements to twelve interchanges along Highway 101 in Marin County.

“Highway 101 is the backbone of our travel corridor in Marin County. The public's feedback on this survey is very important to help us understand the everyday experiences of community members traveling in and around the interchanges.” said Anne Richman, TAM Executive Director. “We will use the responses to identify specific areas that need the most attention and help us make our interchanges safer and more efficient for everyone.”

Accessing Highway 101 in Marin is a major source of congestion on local roads that impacts communities across the County. The interchanges vary in age; many of them were built in the 1950s and 1960s and have not been changed in meaningful ways to meet current and future demands of vehicles, transit, bicyclists, and pedestrians. The study will identify a program of short-, medium-, and/or long-term projects at twelve selected interchanges to improve their operation and safety for all users.

Twelve interchanges were selected for the study based on input from stakeholders, including regional partners and the public.

Interchanges included in the study are:

- Alexander Ave / Vista Point
- Donahue St / North Bridge Rd / Bridgeway
- East Blithedale Ave / Tiburon Blvd
- Tamalpais Dr / Paradise Dr
- Sir Francis Drake Blvd / Fifer Ave / Industrial Way
- 2nd St / Hetherington St
- N San Pedro Rd / Merrydale Rd
- Manuel T. Freitas Pkwy / Civic Center Dr
- Lucas Valley Rd / Smith Ranch Rd
- Alameda del Prado / Nave Dr
- Ignacio Blvd / Bel Marin Keys / Nave Dr

To take the survey and learn more about the program, please visit the project webpage, <https://www.tam.ca.gov/101study/>

Direct link to the survey: <https://bit.ly/Interchanges-Survey>
Encuesta en Español: <https://bit.ly/101-InterchangeEncuesta>

Funding

The Highway 101 Interchange and Approaching Roadway Study is funded through Measure AA – the re-authorization of the 1/2-Cent Transportation Sales Tax, approved by voters in 2018. For the Interchange projects, the Expenditure Plan allocates 3% of the revenue from the sales tax, estimated to generate \$25 million over the 30-year period of the Measure. The funding will be used to create the initial studies of 12 interchanges and will leverage regional, state, and federal funds for a program of improvements to local road interchanges on Highway 101 in Marin.

About TAM

The Transportation Authority of Marin (TAM) funds transportation projects in Marin County. TAM coordinates a diverse mix of projects and programs that are necessary for improving overall mobility, including roads, highways, sidewalks, Safe Routes to Schools, bicycle lanes, transit, and alternative commute options. TAM administers the expenditure plans for Measure AA, the ½-cent transportation sales tax measure renewed in 2018, and Measure B, the \$10 Vehicle Registration Fee passed in 2010. TAM also serves as Marin’s Congestion Management Agency and is responsible for coordinating funding for many of the transportation projects and programs in the County.

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