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#### Clairemont Mesa Community Plan Update: Mobility

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## Mobility Planning

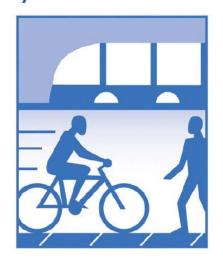
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**Mobility Planning** 

"Improve mobility through development of a balanced, multimodal transportation network"

#### **Mobility Element**



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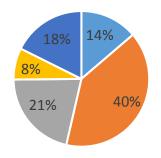
# SD Clairemont Community Plan Update Initial Outreach

How do you currently commute to work/school, within the community?

16% 11%	
5%	68%

■ Vehicle ■ Transit ■ Bike ■ Ped

Which other mode of travel are you willing to try?



## Mobility Commuting Questionnaire

- How do you currently commute within the community?
- Which other mode of travel are you willing to try?
- What would encourage you to use another mode of travel?

#### <u>Results</u>

- 68% currently commute using a vehicle (Some indicated carpool)
  - 40% are willing to try transit (trolley or bus)

## Top ranked improvements to encourage travel by another mode of transportation:

- On-demand shuttle service
- Improved bike facilities
- Access to trolley station
- Shuttle service









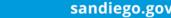


Initial Outreach

# **Mobility – Issues and Opportunities Map**

Issues and Improvements mentioned include:

- Ped/Bike connections to Mission Bay
- Concern of single SB lane along Morena Boulevard
- Addition of bicycle facility connections to Pacific Beach, Rose Creek Trail, Rose Canyon Bike Path, Clairemont Drive
- Gaps in bike network along Balboa Avenue and Clairemont Mesa
- Missing sidewalks southern portion of community
- Transit improvements (bus pull out) & opportunity for transit center (Clairemont Town Center & Genesee Plaza)



#### Initial Outreach



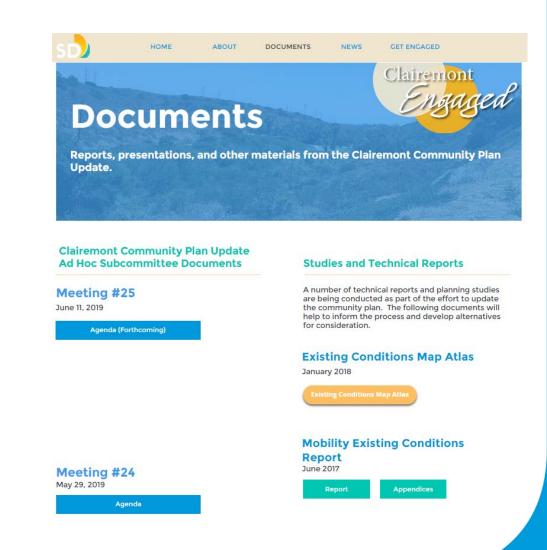


#### **Existing Conditions Report**

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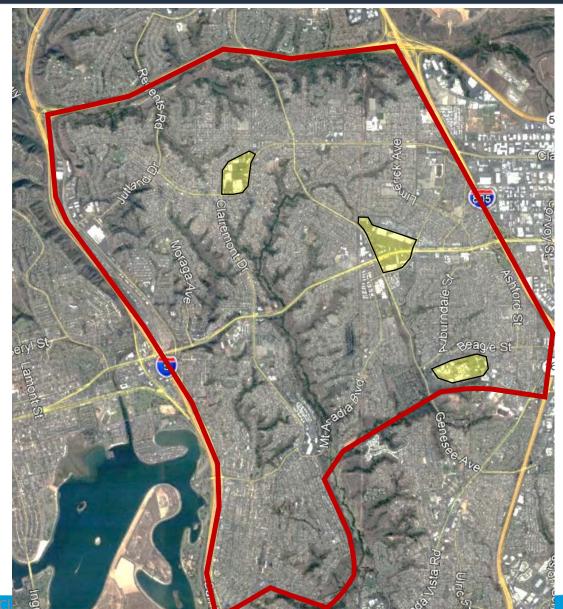
# **Existing Conditions Report**

- Analyzed vehicle, bicycle, pedestrian and transit modes
- Completed in June 2017
- Download at <u>https://www.clairemontplan.org/</u> <u>documents</u>



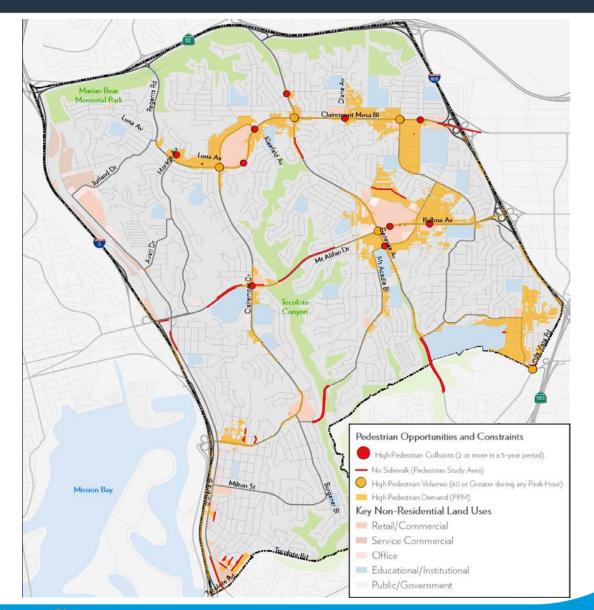
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- Auto-centric
- Primarily residences
- Regional land uses:
  - Clairemont Town
    Square
  - Genesee Plaza
  - San Diego Mesa College
- Congestion near freeways
- Limited bicycle facilities
- Limited transit facilities



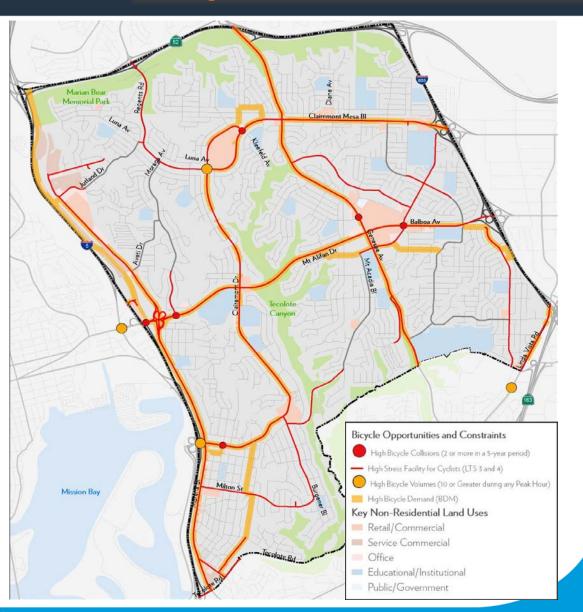
#### s Clairemont Community Plan Update Pedestrian Issues & Needs

- High pedestrian volume on Clairemont Mesa Blvd
- Pedestrian collisions
  - Clairemont Mesa Blvd
  - Balboa Ave
  - Genesee Ave



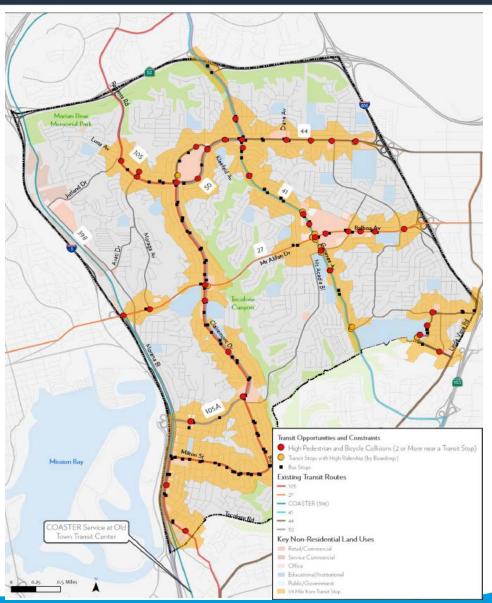
## SD) Clairemont Community Plan Update Bicycle Issues & Needs

- High bicycle volume Clairemont Dr/Clairemont Mesa Blvd
- High stress facilities on all major roadways
  - Regents Rd
  - Clairemont Dr
  - Clairemont Mesa Blvd
  - Genesee Ave
  - Morena Blvd
  - Balboa Ave



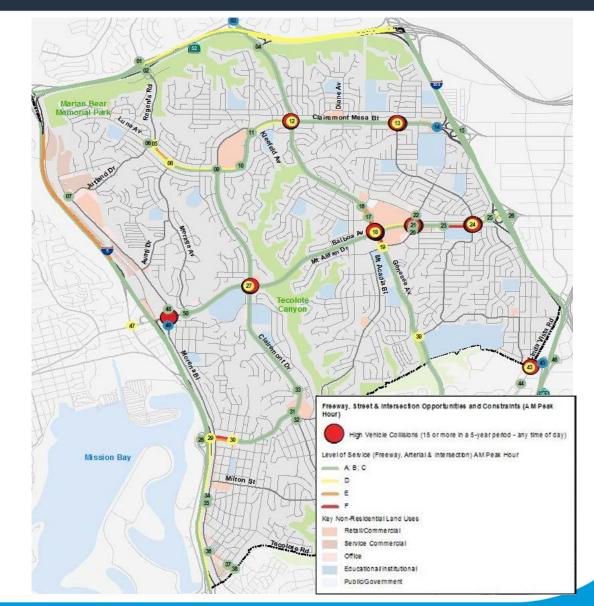
## s Clairemont Community Plan Update Transit Issues & Needs

- Large areas within ¼ mile of a transit stop
- Lack of high-quality transit services (light rail, BRT)
- Bus routes strongly affected by roadway congestion

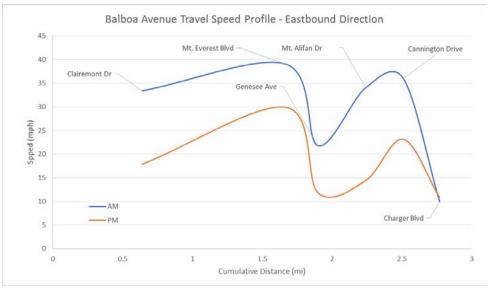


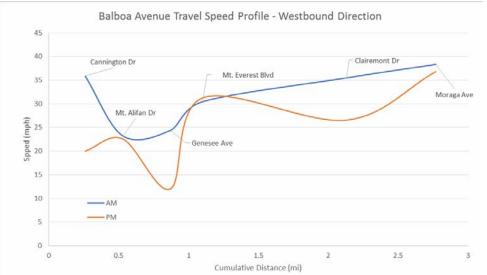
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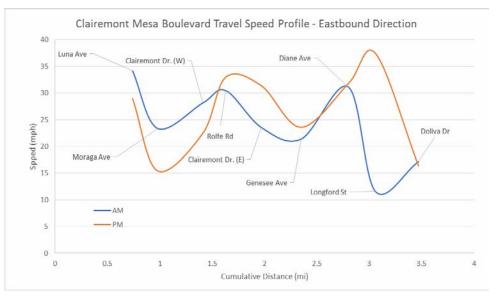
- Accessible by freeways: I-5, SR-163, I-805, and SR-52
- Balboa Ave experiences the worst intersection congestion
  - Has the highest intersection vehicle collisions
- Genesee Ave has congestion near SR-52
- Clairemont Mesa Blvd experiences congestion near retail and freeways



#### s Clairemont Community Plan Update Vehicle Issues & Needs









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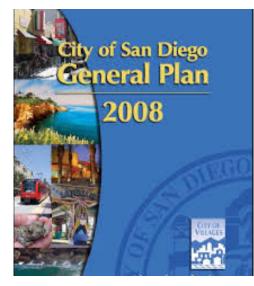
#### Existing Mobility Goals

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#### **Existing Transportation Goals**

- To improve mobility through development of a balanced, multi-modal transportation network.
- A complete, functional, and interconnected pedestrian network, that is accessible to pedestrians of all abilities.
- A street and freeway system that balances the needs of multiple users of the public right-of-way.
- An interconnected street system that provides multiple linkages within and between communities.
- A safe transportation system
- Reduced single-occupant vehicle traffic on congested streets and freeways.
- Improved performance and efficiency of the street and freeway system, by means other than roadway widening or construction.
- Expanded travel options and improved personal mobility.



**Mobility Goals** 

**Clairemont Mesa** 

**Community Plan** 

# **Mobility Goals**

#### **Existing Transportation Goals**

- Improve the street system as necessary to accommodate the community's growth...
- Develop a bicycle system that will join parks and recreational areas, schools, and commercial activity centers in the community and City.
- Provide an efficient and high level of public transit within and surrounding the community.
- Enhance pedestrian circulation, particularly between higher density residential and commercial areas and to active and passive recreational facilities

#### **Potential Opportunities**

## s Clairemont Community Plan Update Planning Documents

- Balboa Station Specific Plan
- Morena Corridor Specific Plan





Balboa Avenue Station Area Specific Plan

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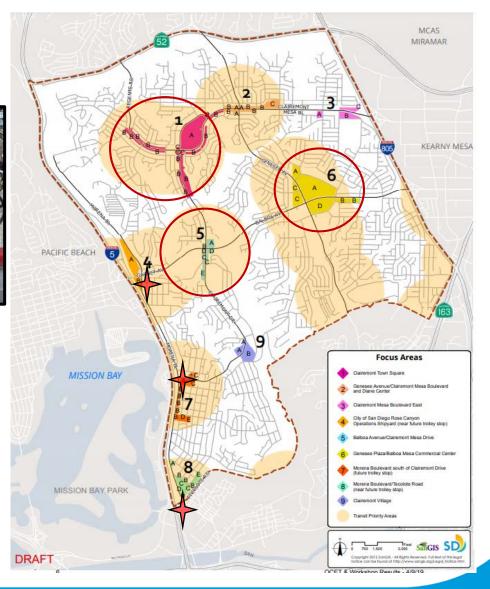
# **Mobility Hubs**

- Focus Areas 1, 5, and 6
- New trolley stops
- Emerging Technologies



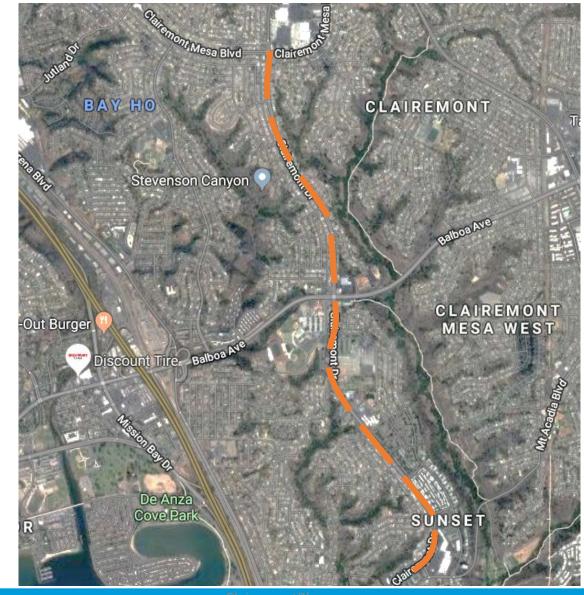






#### **Bus Corridor**

• Clairemont Dr



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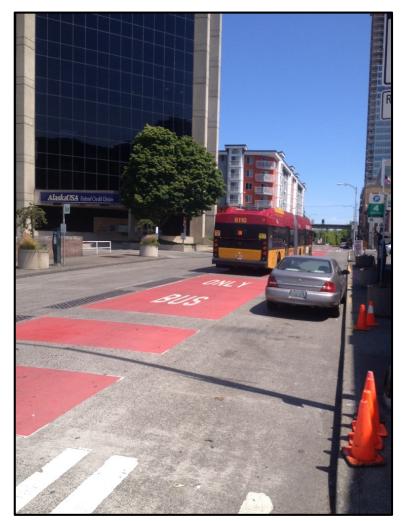
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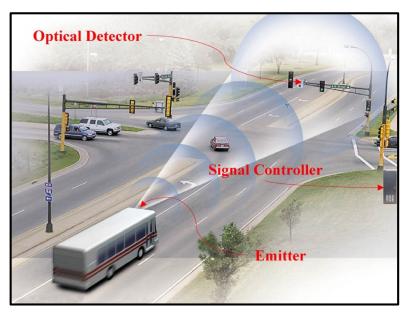
- Clairemont Dr
  - Transit priority treatments
  - Improving transit stop amenities



**Quality Transit Amenities** 



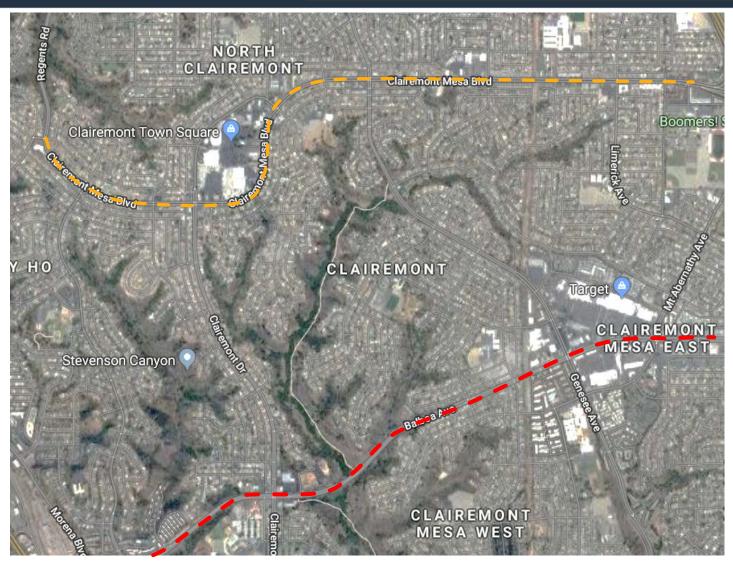
**Bus Only Lane** 



#### **Transit Priority Signals**

# **Adaptive Signals**

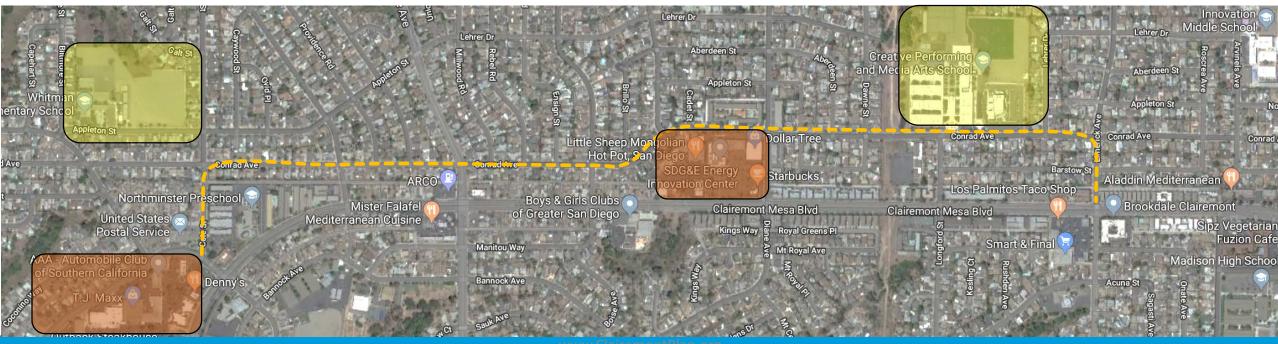
- Clairemont Mesa Blvd
  & Balboa Ave
  - Adjusts red, yellow, and green lights to accommodate realtime demand
  - 10% travel time reduction



# Multi-use Path

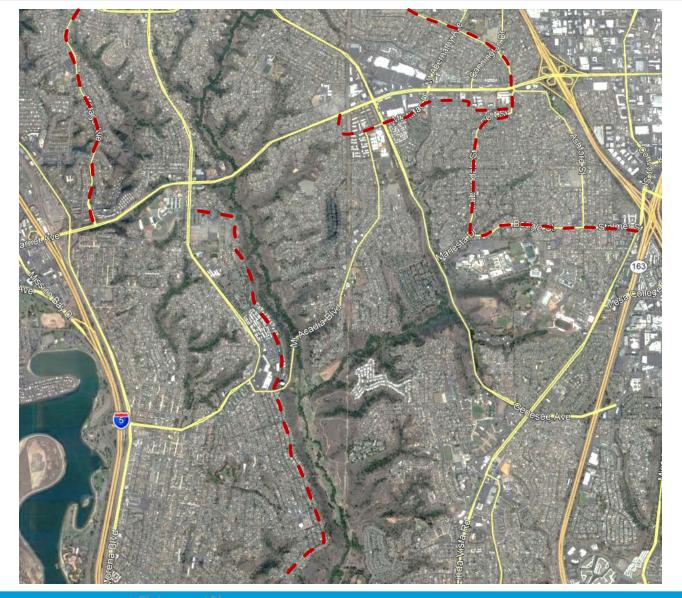
- Conrad Ave
  - Multi-use path on north side of road
  - Immediately adjacent to schools and retail





#### **Bike Routes**

 On parallel streets to major roadways



## **Bike Routes**

- Parallel Streets to major roadways
  - Bike routes on low volume roadways
  - Traffic calming treatments
    - Reduce speeds and cut-through traffic





**Speed Humps** 



**Routing Restriction** 

- Incorporate land use into Transportation Forecast Model
- Refine mobility network
- Analyze 2050 Traffic Conditions



Next Steps

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