THE YEAR OF THE CLAIREMONT LIBRARIES



Three Libraries, One Clairemont

BALBOA · NORTH CLAIREMONT · CLAIREMONT

Introduction

■ What: San Diego's Library Master Plan revision to enhance community spaces and create 21st century libraries

■ Where: Clairemont's three libraries: Balboa, Clairemont, and North Clairemont

■ Why: the libraries have not been renovated in 50 years and face aging infrastructure, a growing population, changing demographics, and advancing technology

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CLAIREMONT UNITES FOR LIBRARIES

History

- 1958: Clairemont Library built
- 1962: North Clairemont Library built
- 1971 Balboa Library built
- 2002: 21st Century Library Improvement Project, which included Balboa Library
- 2008: \$8M remodel for Balboa is discussed, but ultimately abandoned
- 2016: Project brought up again in Fiscal Year Budget Priority Memo

Why is this important?

Clairemont libraries should receive more resources in the upcoming revision to the Library Master Plan.

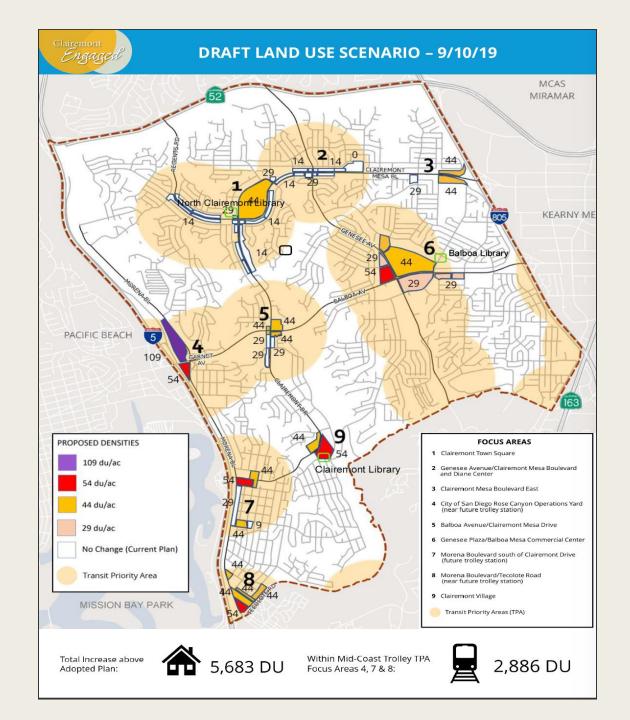
■ INCREASES in density and population

■ EQUITY to serve an identified need

■ FUTURE of Clairemont

INCREASES

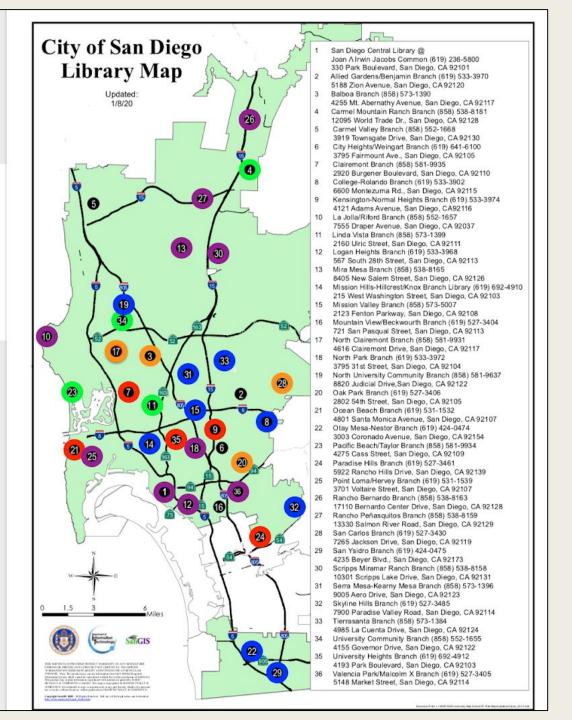
Libraries at points 1, 6, and 9



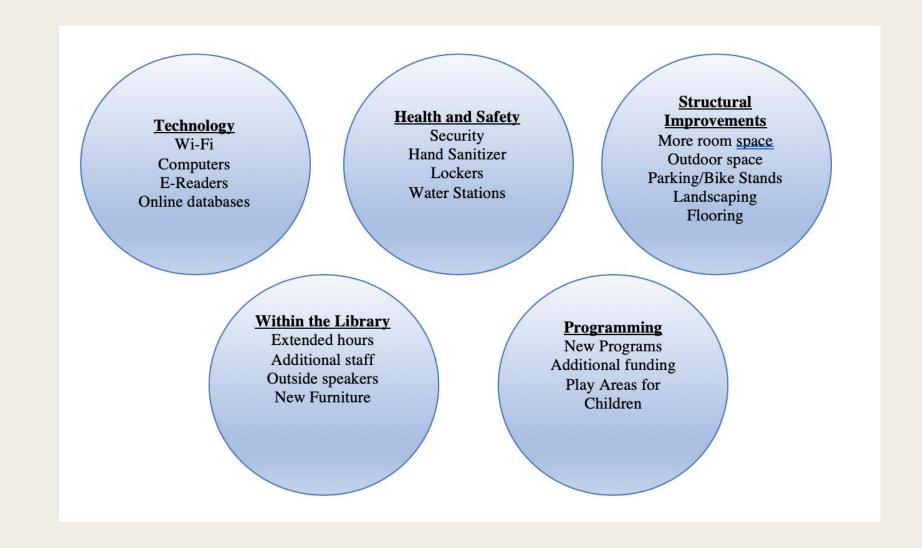
EQUITY

Library Size

- 0-4,999 sq. feet
- 5,000-9,999 sq. feet
- 10,000-14,999 sq. feet
- 15,000-19,999 sq. feet
- 20,000+ sq. feet



FUTURE



Next Step

Develop a comprehensive plan for the Clairemont Libraries based on increases in density, issues of equity and an understanding of the libraries of the future.