Overview

1. Project Background
2. Project Overview
3. Planning Process
4. Project Schedule
5. How to submit comments
Project Background
Project Overview

28-mile regional trail
Trail Width

GREENWAY (up to 150’)

Shared-use

2’  8’-12’  2’

16’

GREENWAY (up to 150’)
Environmental Impact Report

• 1970 California Environmental Quality Act

• Beginning of planning process

• Provide the public with:
  • Information on the project
  • Potential environmental impacts
  • Opportunity to comment
Draft Environmental Impact Report

Aesthetics

Agricultural and Forestry Resources

Biological Resources

Cultural Resources

Geology and Soils

Hydrology and Water Quality

Public Safety and Services

Mitigation Measures
Alternatives

Nothing happens

OR

Decrease environmental impact
Schedule: Environmental Review

- Public Comment Starts: Nov. 7, 2019
- Public Comment Closes: Jan. 3, 2020
- Public Hearing: Dec. 4, 2019
- February 2020: TAMC incorporates comments and responses into final document
- Mar. 25, 2020: TAMC Board of Directors votes on approving the Final Environmental Impact Report
How do I submit comments?

Submit comments in **writing** to

*Transportation Agency for Monterey County*

55-B Plaza Circle

Salinas, California 93901

Attn: Rich Deal, PE, TE, PTOE

831-775-0903

between **November 7, 2019** and **January 3, 2020**

Draft Environmental Doc available at:

How do I submit comments?

Share comments at public meetings:

- **December 4, 2019** @ TAMC Board (9 am)
- **December 12, 2019** @ Seaside Oldemeyer Center, Blackhorse Room (2pm-4pm)
- **December 12, 2019** @ Marina Public Library (6pm-8pm)
Questions?
Next Steps

- Final EIR
- Engineering design
- Right of way and utilities
- Construction
- Continue seeking funding
FORTAG Agreements

- Maintenance
- Operations
- Enforcement
- Design and Construction (TAMC)