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## TRANSPORTATION IMPACT STUDY

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## Transportation Impact Study for the Northgate Town Square Project



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## Executive Summary

The Northgate Town Square project would replace some existing retail space at the Northgate Mall in the City of San Rafael with multifamily housing. The project is envisioned in two phases. The first phase, referred to as the 2025 Master Plan, as proposed includes up to 977 multifamily residential units and retention of 498,661 total square feet of retail space. The second phase would include conversion of additional land currently used for retail to residential. Both phases combined constitute the 2040 Vision Plan, which as proposed includes up to 1,422 residential units and 225,100 square feet of retail space. The analysis addresses the maximum potential development of the 2025 Master Plan and the 2040 Vision Plan. Based on these development levels, the Master Plan would have an estimated average daily trip generation of 3,585 fewer trips per weekday compared to the existing shopping center uses, including 172 additional trips during the a.m. peak hour and 345 fewer trips during the p.m. peak hour. The Vision Plan would add further residential units in lieu of retail area and result in an estimated reduction totaling 8,384 daily trips, with 177 new morning peak hour trips and 886 fewer evening peak hour trips.

Generally, on-site bicycle and pedestrian facilities would be adequate, and the project would have a less-thansignificant impact on pedestrian, bicycle, and transit facilities in the vicinity of the project. On-site bicycle parking should be provided with a total of 178 short-term and 100 long-term bicycle parking spaces for the Master Plan, which could be reduced to a total of 157 short-term and 45 long-term spaces for the Vision Plan.

The project would be expected to have a less-than-significant impact in terms of Vehicle Miles Traveled as the residential component would have a per capita VMT below the threshold of 11.4 for all scenarios evaluated and the retail component would result in a reduced total VMT both in the short term and cumulatively.

Project access is generally adequate, with no new left-turn lanes warranted under either the Master Plan or Vision Plan scenarios. Sight distance in both directions is adequate for each project driveway except for the driveway 280 feet north of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive, where a vertical grade and dense foliage combine to block sight lines to the south. The applicant has ensured that a clear zone would be established for this area as part of the project application.

The study area is comprised of the Northgate Mall and a network of 17 intersections in the area around the Mall chosen with input from City staff. The project would have a less-than-significant impact to queuing at these intersections.

The project would have a less-than-significant impact on emergency response times in the area and on-site emergency access would be adequate under either development scenario.

## Introduction

This report presents an analysis of the potential transportation impacts that would be associated with the redevelopment of the Northgate Mall in the City of San Rafael. The redevelopment would be constructed in two phases. The "2025 Master Plan" includes up to 977 multifamily residential units and retention of 498,661 total square feet of retail space compared to the existing 766,507 square feet of retail space. The second phase would result in conversion of additional land currently used for retail into residential; both phases combined constitute the "2040 Vision Plan" which would reduce the retail square footage to 225,100 square feet and increase the residential unit count to 1,422 . Both plans include at least ten percent affordable housing. The traffic study was completed in accordance with criteria established by the City of San Rafael and is consistent with standard traffic engineering techniques.

## Prelude

The purpose of a transportation impact study is to provide City staff and policy makers with data that they can use to make an informed decision regarding the potential transportation impacts of a proposed project, and any associated improvements that would be required to mitigate these impacts to an acceptable level under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This report provides an analysis of those items that are identified as areas of environmental concern under CEQA and that, if significant, require an Environmental Impact Report (EIR). Impacts associated with access for pedestrians, bicyclists, and to transit; the vehicle miles traveled (VMT) generated by the project; potential safety concerns such as increased queuing in dedicated turn lanes, adequacy of sight distance, need for turn lanes, and need for additional right-of-way controls; and emergency access and response are addressed in the context of the CEQA criteria.

The report is organized to provide background data that supports the various aspects of the analysis, followed by the assessment of the following CEQA criteria.

As adopted from the Transportation Impact Analysis Guidelines, City of San Rafael, June 2021, the CEQA thresholds of significance applied to this analysis are as follows. Would the project:
a. Conflict with a program, plan, ordinance, or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadway, bicycle, and pedestrian facilities?
Roadway System - The project would create a significant impact related to the roadway system if any of the following criteria are met:

1. At unsignalized intersections, the project results in any of the traffic signal warrants included in the CA Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) to be satisfied, or for a location where any of the warrants are satisfied prior to the project, the project increases overall travel through the intersection by more than 1 percent.
2. The project creates the potential for excessive vehicle queue spillback that could periodically block or interfere with pedestrian, bicycle or transit facilities.
Transit System - The project would create a significant impact related to transit service if the following criterion is met:
3. The project interferes with existing transit facilities or precludes the construction of planned transit facilities.
Bicycle System - The project would create a significant impact related to the bicycle system if any of the following criteria are met:
4. Disrupt existing bicycle facilities;
5. Interfere with planned bicycle facilities; or,
6. Create inconsistencies with adopted bicycle system plans, guidelines, policies, or standards.

Pedestrian System - The project would create a significant impact related to the pedestrian system if any of the following criteria are met:

1. Disrupt existing pedestrian facilities; or
2. Interfere with planned pedestrian facilities; or
3. Create inconsistencies with adopted pedestrian system plans, guidelines, policies, or standards.
b. Conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines § 15064.3 , subdivision (b)?
c. Substantially increase hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?
d. Result in inadequate emergency access?

## Project Profile

The project is to be located at the site of the Northgate Mall in the City of San Rafael and would result in several existing retail areas and parking lots being replaced with new commercial and residential spaces centered around a "town square" concept. The project site is located at the Northgate Mall, as shown in Figure 1. This figure also shows the existing bicycle facilities in the vicinity of the project site, as well as the planned bicycle facilities documented in the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan, City of San Rafael, 2018.


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Figure 1 - Study Area and Bicycle Facilities

## Transportation Setting

## Operational Analysis

## Study Area and Periods

The study area varies depending on the topic. For pedestrian trips, it consists of all streets within a half-mile of the project site that would lie along primary routes of pedestrian travel, or those leading to nearby generators or attractors. For bicycle trips, it consists of all streets within one mile of the project site that would lie along primary routes of bicycle travel. For the safety analysis, the study area consists of the following intersections:

1. Freitas Parkway/Las Gallinas Avenue
2. Freitas Parkway/Northgate Drive
3. Freitas Parkway/Del Presidio Boulevard
4. Freitas Parkway/US 101 South Ramps
5. Redwood Highway/US 101 North On-ramp
6. Freitas Parkway/US 101 North Ramps
7. Freitas Parkway/Redwood Highway-Civic Center Drive
8. Las Gallinas Avenue/Nova Albion Way
9. Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive
10. Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard
11. Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road
12. Merrydale Road/Civic Center Drive
13. Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive
14. Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive
15. Northgate Drive/Nova Albion Way
16. Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive
17. Los Ranchitos Road/North San Pedro Road

It is noted that the project driveways were not considered as study intersections, unless at an existing intersection between two off-site streets such as Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard or Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road. The California Vehicle Code defines an intersection as "the area embraced within the prolongation of the lateral curb lines, or, if none, then the lateral boundary lines of the roadways, of two highways which join one another at approximately right angles or the area within which vehicles traveling upon different highways joining at any other angle may come in conflict." This definition specifies that intersections are created where two "highways," or public streets, intersect. As driveways are not public streets, where they connect with a public road is not an intersection, so it would be unreasonable to evaluate it as such. The driveway connections were, however, evaluated for operational issues such as adequacy of sight distance, need for turn lanes, and delay as relevant in some cases, though it would not be associated with a Level of Service metric.

## Study Intersections

Freitas Parkway/Las Gallinas Avenue is a signalized four-legged intersection with protected left-turn phasing on the eastbound and westbound approaches and permitted left-turn phasing on the northbound and southbound approaches. There is a stop-controlled channelized right-turn lane on the westbound approach. Pedestrian crosswalks and phasing exist on the north, west, and south legs, and there are bicycle lanes on all four legs.

Freitas Parkway/Northgate Drive is a four-legged signalized intersection with protected left-turn phasing on the Freitas Parkway approaches and permitted left-turn phasing on the Northgate Drive approaches. There are crosswalks on all but the east leg.

Freitas Parkway/Del Presidio Boulevard is a signalized intersection with four legs. The northbound and southbound approaches have permitted left-turn phasing; left-turns from Freitas Parkway are prohibited. The north leg of the intersection is the off-ramp from southbound US 101 and includes a channelized right-turn lane. There are crosswalks with pedestrian phasing on the south and east legs.

Freitas Parkway/US 101 South Ramps includes two slip ramps from Freitas Parkway in each direction to US 101 South. There is a crosswalk across the ramp from westbound Freitas Parkway.

Redwood Highway/US 101 North On-ramp is a tee intersection enabling access to US 101 North from Redwood Highway in both directions. There is a sidewalk on the east side of Redwood Highway.

Freitas Parkway/US 101 North Ramps is a tee intersection directly adjacent to Freitas Parkway/Redwood Highway-Civic Center Drive with a sidewalk along the northeast corner. There are channelized right-turn lanes for movements to and from the connector to Civic Center Drive.

Freitas Parkway/Redwood Highway-Civic Center Drive is an intersection with three approaches and four departures, as the east leg is eastbound only. The Redwood Highway and Civic Center Drive approaches are stop controlled, whereas the Freitas Parkway approach is uncontrolled. There are sidewalks on the northeast, northwest, and southeast corners, and a crosswalk on the north leg. Bicycle lanes exist on Civic Center Drive south of the intersection.

Las Gallinas Avenue/Nova Albion Way is a signalized intersection with four legs, a protected northbound leftturn phase, split phasing on the eastbound and westbound approaches, and a southbound right-turn overlap. Crosswalks and pedestrian signals exist on all four legs, and there are bicycle lanes on Las Gallinas Avenue.

Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive is a four-legged intersection controlled by a traffic signal with protected left-turn phasing on Northgate Drive and permissive phasing on Las Gallinas Avenue. There are crosswalks and pedestrian signals on all four legs, and bicycle route pavement markings on Las Gallinas Avenue west of the intersection.

Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard is a signalized intersection with protected left-turn phasing in the eastbound direction, and a right-turn overlap in the westbound direction. The south leg is southbound only and left turns are prohibited on westbound Las Gallinas Avenue. Crosswalks and pedestrian signals exist across all but the east leg, and a multi-use trail runs along the south side of Las Gallinas Avenue in addition to a bicycle lane on the southbound departure on Del Presidio Boulevard.

Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road is a four-legged signalized intersection with protected left-turn phasing in all directions and crosswalks with pedestrian signals on the west, north, and east legs. There is a multi-use trail on the west side of Las Gallinas Avenue in addition to bicycle lanes on Las Gallinas Avenue south of the intersection and Merrydale Road west of the intersection.

Merrydale Road/Civic Center Drive is a signalized intersection with four legs and protected left-turn phasing in all four directions. Crosswalks and pedestrian signals exist on the north and east legs, as do bicycle lanes on the north, west, and south legs.

Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive is a four-legged intersection with stop controls on the eastbound and westbound approaches, and no controls on Northgate Drive. There is a crosswalk on the west leg and bicycle lanes on Northgate Drive.

Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive is a tee intersection with stop control on El Faisan Drive and bicycle lanes on Northgate Drive.

Northgate Drive/Nova Albion Way has three legs and stop control on the Nova Albion Way approach with no controls on the Northgate Drive approaches. Crosswalks exist on the west and south legs, and there are bicycle lanes on Northgate Drive.

Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive is a four-legged signalized intersection with protected left-turn phasing on the northbound approach and permissive phasing for all other movements. The east leg is a driveway to the Mt. Olivet Cemetery. There are crosswalks and pedestrian signals on the east and south legs, and bicycle lanes on the west and north legs.

Los Ranchitos Road/North San Pedro Road is an intersection with three legs and signal control, including a protected phase for the eastbound left-turn movement. Crosswalks and pedestrian signals exist on the north and west legs, and there are bicycle lanes on Los Ranchitos Road including high-visibility markings in the westbound direction.

## Collision History

The collision history for the study area was reviewed to determine any trends or patterns that may indicate a safety issue. Collision rates were calculated based on records available from the California Highway Patrol as published in their Statewide Integrated Traffic Records System (SWITRS) reports. The most current five-year period available is July 2016 through June 2021.

## Study Intersections

As presented in Table 1, the calculated collision rates for the study intersections were compared to average collision rates for similar facilities statewide, as indicated in 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, California Department of Transportation (Caltrans). These average rates statewide are for intersections in the same environment (urban, suburban, or rural), with the same number of approaches (three or four), and the same controls (all-way stop, two-way stop, or traffic signal). Nine of the 17 study intersections had collision rates higher than the statewide average for similar facilities and were examined further. The collision rate calculations are provided in Appendix A.

| Study Intersection | Number of <br> Collisions <br> $(\mathbf{2 0 1 6 - 2 0 2 1 )}$ | Calculated <br> Collision Rate <br> (c/mve) | Statewide Average <br> Collision Rate <br> (c/mve) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Freitas Pkwy/Las Gallinas Ave | 17 | $\mathbf{0 . 2 9}$ | 0.24 |
| 2. Freitas Pkwy/Northgate Dr | 18 | $\mathbf{0 . 3 1}$ | 0.24 |
| 3. Freitas Pkwy/Del Presidio Blvd | 68 | $\mathbf{0 . 9 5}$ | 0.24 |
| 4. Freitas Pkwy/US 101 S Ramps | 2 | 0.03 | 0.06 |
| 5. Redwood Hwy/US 101 N On-ramp | 3 | $\mathbf{1 . 8 9}$ | 0.06 |
| 6. Freitas Pkwy/US 101 N Ramps | 4 | $\mathbf{0 . 0 8}$ | 0.06 |
| 7. Freitas Pkwy/Redwood Hwy-Civic Center Dr | 10 | $\mathbf{0 . 3 5}$ | 0.14 |
| 8. Las Gallinas Ave/Nova Albion Wy | 6 | 0.22 | 0.24 |
| 9. Las Gallinas Ave/Northgate Dr | 7 | $\mathbf{1 . 1 4}$ | 0.24 |
| 10. Las Gallinas Ave/Del Presidio Blvd | $\mathbf{0 . 3 8}$ | 0.24 |  |
| 11. Las Gallinas Ave/Merrydale Rd | 2 | 0.21 | 0.24 |
| 12. Merrydale Rd/Civic Center Dr | 0 | 0.11 | 0.24 |
| 13. Northgate Dr/Thorndale Dr | 2 | 0.00 | 0.14 |
| 14. Northgate Dr/El Faisan Dr | $\mathbf{0 . 2 3}$ | 0.09 |  |
| 15. Northgate Dr/Nova Albion Wy | 0 | 0.00 | 0.09 |
| 16. Los Ranchitos Rd-Las Gallinas Ave/Northgate Dr | 3 | 0.23 | 0.24 |
| 17. Los Ranchitos Rd/N San Pedro Rd | 3 | 0.12 | 0.20 |

Note: $\quad c / m v e=$ collisions per million vehicles entering; bold $=$ intersection collision rate is higher than statewide average for similar facilities

The top three primary collision factors for Freitas Parkway/Las Gallinas Avenue were failure to yield right-of-way (five collisions) and speeding and red light running (three collisions each). Of the collisions resulting from failure to yield right-of-way, two involved turning vehicles colliding with pedestrians in the crosswalk. Implementing a leading pedestrian interval may reduce this collision type by providing pedestrians a chance to get into the crosswalk and become more visible ahead of the vehicle green phase. Two other right-of-way collisions involved drivers turning left from Las Gallinas Avenue, which currently has one permissive phase for all movements from both directions. While implementation of a protected left-turn phase would likely alleviate this collision type, two collisions would not meet the warrant for such phasing so the City may wish to instead monitor this location for potential future need of such a change.

At Freitas Parkway/Northgate Drive, the most common primary collision factor was speeding, to which seven of the 18 collisions were attributed, all caused by through drivers on Freitas Parkway. Enhanced speed enforcement may counteract this collision trend, especially on Mondays and Wednesdays when six of the seven speed-related collisions occurred. Additionally, three collisions were caused by southbound drivers running a red light and colliding with eastbound through vehicles. Enhanced signal head visibility may decrease this collision type, including upgrading eight-inch signal heads to 12 -inch, adding backplates, or adding new signal heads, though it is noted that this location had a below-average incidence of injuries, so the above-average crash rate does not appear to translate to a safety concern. The Marin County Travel Safety Plan (MCTSP), November 2018, details the Northgate Drive corridor between Freitas Parkway and just south of Las Gallinas as a high-collision network, which includes Freitas Parkway/Northgate Drive. The MCTSP suggests improving the signal timing and detection; providing advance dilemma zone detection; converting signal pedestals to mast arms; and installing bicycle lanes.

Of the 68 collisions at Freitas Parkway/Del Presidio Boulevard, 19 were attributed to drivers disobeying posted signage and 11 to drivers making improper turns. For most of these 30 collisions, the at-fault driver was traveling westbound and turning left at the intersection, which is a prohibited movement at this location. Additional signage alerting drivers of the prohibition, installation of signal heads with through-arrow lenses, and/or construction of additional geometric constraints may discourage westbound drivers from turning left and reduce the high rate of collisions at this intersection. Another top collision factor for this location was speeding, which resulted in 15 collisions all between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Enhanced speed enforcement may alleviate this collision type though it is again noted that the incidence of injuries at this location was below the Statewide average. The MCTSP lists Freitas Parkway/Del Presidio Boulevard as a high-collision location with countermeasures that include improving signal hardware, timing, and detection; checking for or installing pedestrian signal heads; enhancing safety features for the pedestrian crossings such as "squaring up" the intersection; and removing slip lanes.

All three collisions at Redwood Highway/US 101 North On-ramp were the result of a northbound driver turning in front of a southbound through vehicle. Squaring the intersection may slow drivers and provide additional time to become aware of the right-of-way priority - one collision was listed as head-on which would require the drivers to be facing each other, which may be aided by the geometry of the intersection enabling a straighter path of travel for turning drivers. Because the percentage of crashes resulting in injuries was less than the statewide average there is not corresponding evidence of a safety concern.

Three of the collisions reported at Freitas Parkway/US 101 North Ramps were attributed primarily to speeding, while the fourth was caused by driving while intoxicated; only one resulted in injuries. All four collisions occurred when eastbound drivers were traveling away from the intersection on the 180-degree curve portion of the US 101 North On-ramp, with three colliding with fixed objects and one rear-ending another vehicle. Because the rate was so marginally above average and injuries resulted infrequently, no actions are suggested.

For Freitas Parkway/Redwood Highway-Civic Center Drive, the most common collision factor was failure to yield right-of-way, with four collisions attributed to drivers entering from the stop-controlled approaches. Another two collisions resulted from speeding. Caltrans has been exploring the possibility of replacing the existing intersection with a single-lane roundabout. This would change the traffic patterns at this intersection and likely decrease the rate of collisions - converting an urban stop-controlled intersection to a roundabout has been demonstrated to reduce all collision types by 72 percent and injury collisions by 88 percent (Observational Before-After Study of the Safety Effect of U.S. Roundabout Conversions Using the Empirical Bayes Method, Persaud et al., 2001).

Over half of the 26 collisions at Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive were the result of red light running, with 14 crashes. Improving signal head visibility may reduce this collision type, including upgrading eight-inch heads to 12 -inch and installing backplates with yellow reflective strips around the outside edges. The second highest primary collision factor reported was violating right-of-way, attributed to five collisions. Four of these were caused by westbound drivers turning left. Implementation of a protected left-turn phase may reduce the incidence of these types of collisions, though it would require converting the westbound through-left lane into left-turn only or splitting the eastbound and westbound phases. Given that there were no more than two crashes of this type in a twelve-month period and the injury rate was below the statewide average, such a change is not recommended at this time though the City may wish to monitor this situation. The MCTSP includes installing a protected left-turn phase at Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive as a potential safety countermeasure, along with improving signal timing and detection, providing advance dilemma zone detection, converting signal pedestals to mast arms, and installing bicycle lanes.

Four of the seven collisions reported at Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard were primarily caused by improper turning, including two collisions between northbound vehicles departing the intersection. Given that there are two eastbound left-turn lanes that lead to two northbound departure lanes that then split into a rightturn and left-turn lane at Freitas Parkway/Del Presidio Boulevard, installation of advance wayfinding signage visible to these two turn lanes may enable drivers to select the appropriate lane before turning, rather than trying to merge into the correct lane after turning.

With two collisions in five years, a crash trend was not determined for Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive. One collision involved a driver turning left in front of an oncoming bicyclist, while the other involved a driver on a different approach turning left in front of a through vehicle.

Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive had a below-average collision rate compared to statewide data, with three collisions during the five-year study period. Nonetheless, it is included in the MCTSP as a high-collision location which lists countermeasures including improving signal hardware, converting the intersection to a roundabout, checking for or installing pedestrian countdown signal heads, upgrading the crosswalk markings to high visibility, and installing bulb-outs or other enhanced safety features for the pedestrian crossings.

## Study Driveways

The project site currently has nine driveways in addition to access at the intersections of Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard, Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road, and Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive. Collisions at these 12 locations were assessed to determine any trends involving access to or from the project site. There were no collisions reported involving drivers turning into or out of the project site at the three intersections. For driveways, one collision each was reported for the driveway 400 feet south of Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive and the driveway 100 feet west of Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive. The first collision involved a southbound driver turning left into the site failing to yield right-of-way to an oncoming northbound driver, while the second involved a driver turning left out of the project site also failing to yield right-of-way to an oncoming driver. With two collisions at 12 locations across the five-year study period, a mitigable trend was not determined. It is noted that the driveway 100 feet west of Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive would be removed during construction of the project.

## Project Data

The project is proposed to replace portions of the existing Northgate Mall and its surrounding commercial pads and parking lots with housing and a reduced commercial area. The Master Plan phase is envisioned for 2025 and would consist of up to 977 apartment units and 498,661 square feet of retail space. The second phase would result in additional existing retail area being replaced by residential units, and both phases combined would constitute the Vision Plan, proposed for 2040, which would increase the housing count to 1,422 apartment units and reduce the retail area to 225,100 square feet. Both plans would consist of at least ten percent affordable housing and a central "town square" concept. An interior network of roadways, bicycle lanes, and sidewalks would connect the various on-site buildings and amenities.

The proposed project site plans are shown in Figure 2 for the Master Plan and Figure 3 for the Vision Plan.

## Trip Generation

The anticipated trip generations for the existing mall and proposed project were estimated using standard rates published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) in Trip Generation Manual, $11^{\text {th }}$ Edition, 2021 for "Shopping Center (> 150k)" (ITE LU 820) and "Multifamily Housing (Mid-Rise)" (ITE LU 221). As trip generation rates for shopping centers grow logarithmically with size (larger shopping centers generate fewer trips per square foot than smaller shopping centers), the fitted curve equation was applied for the existing and proposed retail land uses to reflect the increased rates as the size decreases.

## Internal Capture Trips

The Trip Generation Manual also includes data and methodologies that can be applied to determine the proportion of internal trips that may occur within a development area that includes a variety of land uses. Internal trips occur at mixed-use developments, and in the case of the Northgate Town Square would consist of residents working at or patronizing adjacent retail uses. The majority of these trips would be made by walking, and the few that would be made by automobile would only travel on-site, so would not affect the adjacent street network.

## Pass-by Trips

Some portion of traffic associated with retail uses is drawn from existing traffic on nearby streets. These vehicle trips are not considered "new," but are instead comprised of drivers who are already driving on the adjacent street system and choose to make an interim stop and are referred to as "pass-by." The percentage of these pass-by trips was developed based on information provided in the Trip Generation Manual. This reference includes p.m. peak hour pass-by data collected at numerous locations for many land uses, such as the retail use applied in this traffic analysis. It is noted that larger shopping centers tend to have lower pass-by rates as they act more as primary destinations. Therefore, only data points with areas within 150,000 square feet of each shopping center size were used, resulting in average pass-by rates of 15 percent for the existing 766,507-square-foot shopping center, 20 percent for the Master Plan shopping center of 498,661 square feet, and 32 percent for the Vision Plan shopping center of 225,100 square feet. While fewer pass-by trips would occur during the a.m. peak hour, a portion of the p.m. peak hour pass-by rate was assigned to the a.m. peak hour to account for trips made to uses such as the existing Peets Coffee that may attract some drivers from Northgate Drive or Las Gallinas Avenue heading to work or from dropping children off at area schools. A pass-by value between the a.m. peak hour and p.m. peak hour was assigned to each daily rate to account for the overall average pass-by across a typical weekday.

(A)


## Total Project Trip Generation

The expected trip generation potential for the proposed project is indicated in Table 2 for the Master Plan, with deductions taken for trips made to and from the existing Mall at the site, which will cease with the construction of the project, as well as for pass-by and internal capture. The proposed project for the Master Plan scenario is expected to generate an average of 20,739 trips per day, including 735 trips during the a.m. peak hour and 1,734 during the p.m. peak hour. After deductions are taken into account, the project would be expected to generate a net reduction of 3,585 trips on a daily basis, including adding 172 trips during the morning peak hour and 345 fewer trips during the evening peak hour; these new morning peak hour trips represent the increase in traffic associated with the project compared to existing volumes.

Table 2-2025 Master Plan Trip Generation Summary

| Land Use | Units | Daily |  | AM Peak Hour |  |  |  | PM Peak Hour |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Rate | Trips | Rate | Trips | In | Out | Rate | Trips | In | Out |
| Existing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shopping Center | -766.507 ksf | 33.76 | -25,877 | -0.76 | -586 | -363 | -223 | 3.19 | -2,446 | -1,174 | -1,272 |
| Pass-by |  | -6\% | 1,553 | -4\% | 23 | 15 | 8 | -15\% | 367 | 176 | 191 |
| Existing Subtotal |  |  | -24,324 |  | -563 | -348 | -215 |  | -2,079 | -998 | $-1,081$ |
| Proposed |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shopping Center | 498.661 ksf | 37.87 | 18,884 | 0.86 | 428 | 265 | 163 | 3.60 | 1,795 | 861 | 934 |
| Townhouses | 92 du | 7.20 | 662 | 0.48 | 44 | 14 | 30 | 0.57 | 52 | 30 | 22 |
| Apartments | 885 du | 4.54 | 4,018 | 0.37 | 327 | 75 | 252 | 0.39 | 345 | 211 | 134 |
| Proposed Subtotal |  |  | 23,564 |  | 799 | 354 | 445 |  | 2,192 | 1,102 | 1,090 |
| Internal Capture |  | -5\% | -1,178 | -5\% | -40 | -18 | -22 | -5\% | -110 | -55 | -55 |
| Pass-by |  | -9\% | -1,647 | -6\% | -24 | -15 | -9 | -20\% | -348 | -167 | -181 |
| Proposed Total |  |  | 20,739 |  | 735 | 321 | 414 |  | 1,734 | 880 | 854 |
| Net New Total (Pr Existing) | oposed Less |  | -3,585 |  | 172 | -27 | 199 |  | -345 | -118 | -227 |

Note: $\quad k s f=1,000$ square feet; $d u=d w e l l i n g$ unit

For the Vision Plan scenario, and as shown in Table 3, the project would generate an average of 15,940 trips per day including 740 during the morning peak hour and 1,193 during the evening peak hour. With deductions for the existing land use, pass-by trips, and internal capture included, the project is anticipated to result in 8,384 fewer trips per day, including a net decrease of 886 trips during the p.m. peak hour, though a net increase of 177 trips during the a.m. peak hour is anticipated. These changes represent the change in traffic volumes anticipated to occur upon completion of the Vision Plan compared to retention of the existing shopping center use.

Table 3-2040 Vision Plan Trip Generation Summary

| Land Use | Units | Daily |  | AM Peak Hour |  |  |  | PM Peak Hour |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Rate | Trips | Rate | Trips | In | Out | Rate | Trips | In | Out |
| Existing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shopping Center | -766.507 ksf | 33.76 | -25,877 | -0.76 | -586 | -363 | -223 | 3.19 | -2,446 | -1,174 | -1,272 |
| Pass-by |  | -6\% | 1,553 | -4\% | 23 | 15 | 8 | -15\% | 367 | 176 | 191 |
| Existing Subtotal |  |  | -24,324 |  | -563 | -348 | -215 |  | -2,079 | -998 | $-1,081$ |
| Proposed |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shopping Center | 225.100 ksf | 52.16 | 11,741 | 1.18 | 266 | 165 | 101 | 4.50 | 1,012 | 486 | 526 |
| Townhouses | 92 du | 7.20 | 662 | 0.48 | 44 | 14 | 30 | 0.57 | 52 | 30 | 22 |
| Apartments | 1,330 du | 4.54 | 6,038 | 0.37 | 492 | 113 | 379 | 0.39 | 519 | 316 | 203 |
| Proposed Subtotal |  |  | 18,441 |  | 802 | 292 | 510 |  | 1,583 | 832 | 751 |
| Internal Capture |  | -5\% | -922 | -5\% | -40 | -15 | -25 | -5\% | -79 | -42 | -37 |
| Pass-by |  | -14\% | -1,579 | -9\% | -22 | -14 | -8 | -32\% | -311 | -149 | -162 |
| Proposed Total |  |  | 15,940 |  | 740 | 263 | 477 |  | 1,193 | 641 | 552 |
| Net New Total (Pr Existing) | posed Less |  | -8,384 |  | 177 | -85 | 262 |  | -886 | -357 | -529 |

Note: $\quad k s f=1,000$ square feet; $d u=d w e l l i n g$ unit
The trip generations presented for the 2025 Master Plan and 2040 Vision Plan were used as inputs for the Vehicle Miles Traveled, Site Access, Queueing, and Emergency Access analyses as further detailed in their respective sections.

## Alternative Modes

This section addresses the first transportation bullet point on the CEQA checklist, which relates to the potential for a project to conflict with a program, plan, ordinance, or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadway, bicycle, and pedestrian facilities.

## Pedestrian Facilities

## Existing and Planned Pedestrian Facilities

Pedestrian facilities include sidewalks, crosswalks, pedestrian signal phases, curb ramps, curb extensions, and various streetscape amenities such as lighting, benches, etc. In general, a network of sidewalks, crosswalks, pedestrian signals, and curb ramps provide access for pedestrians in the vicinity of the proposed project site.

There are no sidewalks on Merrydale Road between the Merrydale Road overpass over US 101 and the Marin Civic Center SMART station. Currently, pedestrians routing between the project site and station must either cross over the freeway to access the sidewalk along Civic Center Drive or walk in traffic along Merrydale Road. A multi-use trail to close this gap is included in the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan, City of San Rafael, 2018. The City prepared the Merrydale Conceptual Design Informational Report, April 2022, to address the potential alternative designs which generally include a 12-foot shared-use trail along the north and east sides of Merrydale Road between Las Gallinas Avenue and the SMART station. It is anticipated that this path would be completed prior to the project being occupied, though it is noted that these improvements are not currently funded.

The North San Rafael Vision and Promenade Conceptual Plan, Whittenkeller and Associates and Brian Powell \& Associates, November 2002, includes a variety of recommendations to improve pedestrian and bicycle connectivity between the Terra Linda Community Center and Pool and the Marin County Civic Center. In the study area, the Conceptual Plan calls for widening the sidewalks on Freitas Parkway and adding pathway lighting, widening the sidewalk on the south side of Las Gallinas Avenue, installing pedestrian facilities on Merrydale Road between Las Gallinas Avenue and what is now the Marin Civic Center SMART station, and extending these facilities parallel to the railroad tracks under US 101 to Civic Center Drive. The Conceptual Plan also recommends working with the Northgate One Shopping Center, Northgate Three Shopping Center, and "The Mall" to negotiate installation of the various facilities proposed within the Plan.

## Project Impacts on Pedestrian Facilities

Given the proximity of residential, retail, service, and other uses surrounding the site, it is reasonable to assume that some project patrons and residents would want to walk, bicycle, and/or use transit for trips to and from the project site. In addition to nearby housing and the SMART station generating pedestrian traffic to and from the site's commercial facilities, there are several nearby trip attractors that may induce pedestrian traffic from and to the proposed residential uses. These include schools such as the St. Isabella School, Mark Day School, Vallecito Elementary School, and Terra Linda High School; parks such as Freitas Park, Hartzell Park, Lagoon Park, institutional uses such as the Kaiser Permanente San Rafael Medical Center and Marin Civic Center, and retail and restaurant uses such as those across Las Gallinas Avenue in the Northgate One and Three shopping centers.

There are continuous sidewalks along the project frontages surrounding the site on Northgate Drive and Las Gallinas Avenue. The site plans for both the Master Plan and Vision Plan scenarios demonstrate a well-developed internal network of sidewalks and walkways connecting the various project buildings and amenities. Crosswalks are provided as appropriate. The existing and proposed project's sidewalks and crosswalks are depicted in Figure 4 for the Master Plan scenario, and Figure 5 for the Vision Plan scenario.


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Figure 4 - Master Plan Existing and Proposed Pedestrian Facilities


As shown in these figures, the proposed project would connect to existing and planned pedestrian facilities, including the planned multi-modal path along Merrydale to the Marin Civic Center SMART station. Accordingly, the proposed project would not disrupt existing pedestrian facilities, interfere with planned pedestrian facilities, or create inconsistencies with adopted pedestrian system plans, guidelines, policies, or standards.

Finding - The project would present a less-than-significant impact to pedestrian facilities.

## Bicycle Facilities

## Existing and Planned Bicycle Facilities

The Highway Design Manual, Caltrans, 2020, classifies bikeways into four categories:

- Class I Multi-Use Path - a completely separated right-of-way for the exclusive use of bicycles and pedestrians with cross flows of motorized traffic minimized.
- Class II Bike Lane - a striped and signed lane for one-way bike travel on a street or highway.
- Class III Bike Route - signing only for shared use with motor vehicles within the same travel lane on a street or highway.
- Class IV Bikeway - also known as a separated bikeway, a Class IV Bikeway is for the exclusive use of bicycles and includes a separation between the bikeway and the motor vehicle traffic lane. The separation may include, but is not limited to, grade separation, flexible posts, inflexible physical barriers, or on-street parking.


## Table 4 - Bicycle Facility Summary

| Status <br> Facility | Class | Length <br> (miles) | Begin Point | End Point |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Existing |  |  |  |  |
| Las Gallinas Ave | I | 0.42 | Northgate Dr (N) | 425 ft north of Northgate Dr (S) |
| McInnis Pkwy Side path | I | 0.68 | North End | Civic Center Dr |
| SMART Pathway | I | 0.86 | Civic Center Dr | N San Pedro Rd |
| Freitas Pkwy | II | 0.76 | Montecillo Rd | Las Gallinas Ave |
| Las Gallinas Ave | II | 1.34 | City Limit | Nova Albion Wy |
| Civic Center Dr | II | 0.52 | Freitas Pkwy | Peter Behr Dr (N) |
| Northgate Dr | II | 0.54 | Las Gallinas Ave (N) | Las Gallinas Ave (S) |
| Las Gallinas Ave | II | 0.18 | Merrydale Rd | Northgate Dr (S) |
| Merrydale Rd | II | 0.13 | Las Gallinas Ave | Civic Center Dr |
| Los Ranchitos Rd | II | 1.21 | Golden Hinde Blvd | Hammondale Ct |
| Los Gamos Rd | III | 0.39 | North End | Freitas Pkwy |
| Las Gallinas Ave | III | 0.20 | Nova Albion Wy | Northgate Dr |
| Nova Albion Wy | III | 1.12 | Las Gallinas Ave | Northgate Dr |
| Golden Hinde Blvd | III | 0.48 | Nova Albion Wy | Los Ranchitos Rd |
| Redwood Hwy | III | 1.16 | Smith Ranch Rd | Freitas Pkwy |
| Civic Center Dr | IV | 0.17 | SMART Crossing | Peter Behr Dr (N) |
| Planned |  |  |  |  |
| Freitas Pkwy | I | 0.72 | Montecillo Rd | Del Presidio Blvd |
| Nova Albion Wy | I | 0.26 | 155 ft south of Arias St | Montecillo Rd |
| Redwood Hwy | I | 0.25 | Professional Center Pkwy | Freitas Pkwy |

Table 4 - Bicycle Facility Summary

| Status <br> Facility | Class | Length <br> (miles) | Begin Point | End Point |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Merrydale Rd | I | 0.34 | Las Gallinas Ave | SMART Pathway |
| Freitas Pkwy | II | 0.23 | Las Gallinas Ave | Northgate Dr |
| Las Gallinas Ave | II | 0.53 | Northgate Dr (N) | Golden Hinde Blvd |
| Northgate Dr | II | 0.05 | Las Gallinas Ave (N) | 270 ft south of Las Gallinas Ave (N) |
| Las Gallinas Ave | IV | 0.32 | Freitas Pkwy | Northgate Dr |
| Nova Albion Wy | IV | 0.03 | Las Gallinas Ave | 155 ft south of Arias St |
| N San Pedro Rd | IV | 0.57 | Civic Center Dr | Los Ranchitos Rd |

Source: Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan, City of San Rafael, 2018
In the project area there are Class I Multi-Use Paths parallel to Las Gallinas Avenue, McInnis Parkway, and the SMART railroad tracks. There are Class II Bike Lanes on Freitas Parkway, Las Gallinas Avenue, Civic Center Drive, Northgate Drive, Merrydale Road, and Los Ranchitos Road. Bicyclists ride in the roadway and/or on sidewalks along all other streets within the project study area. Table 4 summarizes the existing and planned bicycle facilities in the project vicinity, as contained in the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan. Figure 1 presents these facilities in relation to the project site and study area.

## Project Impacts on Bicycle Facilities

Existing bicycle facilities together with shared use of minor streets provide adequate access for bicyclists. The facilities adjacent to the project site include bicycle lanes on Northgate Drive, Las Gallinas Avenue, and Del Presidio Boulevard, and the multi-use trail parallel to Las Gallinas Avenue. These facilities would be maintained upon construction of the project. A network of bicycle lanes would be provided on the internal streets around the residential area of the project, while the remainder of the streets would have shared lane markings. A new multiuse trail is proposed to extend from the existing multi-use trail at Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road into the center of the project site, where a bicycle station with a repair area and bicycle lockers would be located. Additionally, the multi-use trail along the Las Gallinas Avenue frontage would be extended south to Northgate Drive as part of the project.

Finding - The project's impact to bicycle facilities would be less-than-significant.

## Bicycle Storage

The project site plan does not identify the provision of bicycle parking or storage facilities. The San Rafael Municipal Code Section 14.18.090 requires commercial and multi-family residential uses to provide short-term bicycle parking at a rate of five percent of required automobile spaces, and long-term parking at a rate of five percent of required spaces for nonresidential buildings with over ten tenant-occupants.

For market-rate residential units, the City of San Rafael's Municipal Code requires one to two vehicle parking spaces per multifamily dwelling unit depending on the number of bedrooms, in addition to one guest space per five units. Resolution 14891, City of San Rafael, February 2021, stipulates that affordable housing developments are to provide one parking space per studio or one-bedroom unit. Table 5 shows the proposed unit counts by numbers of bedrooms, proposed parking supply, and City requirements for the Master Plan and Vision Plan development scenarios.

Table 5 - Residential City Code Vehicle Parking Requirements

| Category | Rate | Master Plan <br> Spaces Required |  | Units | Vision Plan <br> Spaces Required |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Affordable Rate |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0- or 1-Bed Apartment | 1 per du | 96 | 96 | 138 | 138 |
| Market Rate |  |  |  |  |  |
| Studio Apartment | 1 per du | 88 | 88 | 156 | 156 |
| 1-Bed Apartment | 1.5 per du | 469 | 704 | 696 | 1,044 |
| 2-Bed Apartment/Townhouse | 2 per du | 211 | 422 | 287 | 574 |
| 3-Bed Apartment/Townhouse | 2 per du | 36 | 72 | 36 | 72 |
| 4-Bed Apartment/Townhouse | 2 per du | 7 | 14 | 7 | 14 |
| Guest Parking | 1 per 5 du | $811^{1}$ | 162 | $1,182^{1}$ | 236 |
| Total Spaces Required by City Code |  | $\mathbf{1 , 5 5 8}$ |  | $\mathbf{2 , 2 3 4}$ |  |

Note: $\quad d u=d w e l l i n g ~ u n i t ; ~$
${ }^{1}$ Guest parking is not required for affordable housing
The Municipal Code also requires one parking space per 250 square feet of retail, which when applied to the proposed Master Plan retail area of 498,661 square feet results in a requirement of 1,995 parking spaces. For the Vision Plan scenario, the proposed 225,100 square feet of retail area would net a requirement for 900 parking spaces. Combined, under the Master Plan scenario 3,553 vehicle parking spaces would be required including 1,995 for the retail buildings. Five percent of each translates to 178 short-term bicycle parking spaces and 100 long-term parking spaces. The Vision Plan scenario would require 3,134 total spaces including 900 retail parking spaces, requiring 157 short-term and 45 long-term bicycle parking spaces.

Finding - On-site bicycle storage would need to be provided in compliance with the Municipal Code.
Recommendation - The project should provide 178 short-term and 100 long-term bicycle parking spaces under the Master Plan scenario, which could be reduced to 157 short-term and 45 long-term bicycle parking spaces under the Vision Plan scenario.

## Transit Facilities

## Existing and Planned Transit Facilities

Regional and local fixed-route bus transit service is provided by the County of Marin through Marin Transit, the Golden Gate Bridge, Highway \& Transportation District through Golden Gate Transit, and the Sonoma-Marin Rail Transit District (SMART). These services connect to locations from the Mark West community north of Santa Rosa to San Francisco. Transit stations in the area provide a connection between local and regional transit services and the project site as summarized in Table 6.

Table 6 - Transit Routes

| Transit Agency Route | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Distance } \\ & \text { to Stop } \\ & (\mathrm{mi})^{1} \end{aligned}$ | Service |  |  | Destinations |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Days of Operation | Time | Frequency |  |
| Marin Transit |  |  |  |  |  |
| Route 35 | Adjacent to Site | Weekdays <br> Weekends | 6:30 AM-8:45 PM 7:00 AM-8:45 PM | 30 min 30 min | Novato, Northgate, Civic Center, Downtown San Rafael, Canal |
| Route 49 | Adjacent to Site | Weekdays Weekends | $\begin{gathered} \text { 6:30 AM-8:30 PM } \\ \text { 7:30 AM-10:45 PM } \end{gathered}$ | 30 min 60 min | Novato, Hamilton, Northgate, Downtown San Rafael |
| Route 71 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.19 \text { (SB) } \\ & 0.38 \text { (NB) } \end{aligned}$ | Weekdays Weekends | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 5:30 AM-12:45 AM } \\ & \text { 5:45 AM-12:45 AM } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30-60 \mathrm{~min} \\ & 30-60 \mathrm{~min} \end{aligned}$ | Novato, San Rafael, Marin City |
| Route 257 | Adjacent to Site | Weekdays | 6:00 AM-10:45 PM | 60 min | Novato (Ignacio), Hamilton, Kaiser, Downtown San Rafael |
| Route 645 | Adjacent to Site | School days | AM (North) PM (South) | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \times \mathrm{NB} \\ & 1 \times \mathrm{SB} \end{aligned}$ | Terra Linda High School, Northgate, Civic Center, Downtown San Rafael, Canal |
| Golden Gate Transit |  |  |  |  |  |
| Route 54 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.19 \text { (SB) } \\ & 0.38 \text { (NB) } \end{aligned}$ | Weekdays | 6:00 AM-8:00 AM 4:45 PM-6:45 PM | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \times \mathrm{SB} \\ & 4 \times \mathrm{NB} \end{aligned}$ | Novato, San Rafael, San Francisco |
| Route 70 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.19 \text { (SB) } \\ & 0.38 \text { (NB) } \end{aligned}$ | Daily | 5:15 AM-10:15 PM | 60 min | Novato, San Rafael, Larkspur, Corte Madera, San Francisco |
| Sonoma-Marin Rail Transit District (SMART) |  |  |  |  |  |
| SMART | 0.39 | Weekdays Weekends | 5:00 AM-9:45 PM 7:30 AM-9:00 PM | $\begin{gathered} 0.5-3.5 \mathrm{hrs} \\ 2 \mathrm{hrs} \end{gathered}$ | Larkspur to Sonoma County Airport |

Note: ${ }^{1}$ Defined as the shortest walking distance between the project site and the nearest bus stop
The nearest stop for Marin Transit Routes $35,49,257$, and 645 is adjacent to the project site on Las Gallinas Avenue just north of Merrydale Road. The Terra Linda bus pads serve Marin Transit Route 71 and Golden Gate Transit Routes 54 and 70 and are located between the on- and off-ramps for US 101 in each direction at the Freitas Parkway interchange. The pad for southbound bus service is located 0.19 miles from the site, and the northbound pad is located 0.38 miles from the site.

Regional rail service is provided by SMART at the Marin Civic Center Station, a 0.39 -mile walk southeast of the project site along Merrydale Road. As noted under the Pedestrian Facilities section, this connection currently does not have a sidewalk and pedestrians must either walk in the road or take a longer route to the station. However, a multi-use trail is planned to close this gap as documented in the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan, though this planned improvement is not currently funded.

Two bicycles can be stored on the rack on the front of most Marin Transit buses, Golden Gate Transit buses have either a front rack for three bicycles or an undercarriage rack for two bicycles, and 24 bicycles can be brought onto each two-car SMART train. For all transit services, bicycle storage is on a first come, first served basis.

Dial-a-ride, also known as paratransit, or door-to-door service, is available for those who are unable to independently use the transit system due to a physical or mental disability. Marin Transit offers a dial-a-ride service designed to serve the needs of individuals with disabilities within the project area and Marin County overall.

## Project Impacts on Transit Facilities

Existing transit routes are adequate to accommodate project-generated transit trips. Existing transit stops are within an acceptable walking distance of the site.

Finding - The project would have a less-than-significant impact to transit facilities.

## Vehicle Miles Traveled

The potential for the project to conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines § 15064.3, subdivision (b) was evaluated based the project's anticipated Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT).

## City Vehicle Miles Traveled Impact Thresholds

The City of San Rafael Transportation Impact Analysis Guidelines (TIAG), June 2021, prescribes VMT thresholds of significance and local criteria for analysis. The TIAG defines the following project types and thresholds of significance for transportation VMT under Baseline Conditions:

- Residential - Home-based VMT per capita exceeds the existing regional average minus 15 percent;
- Employment (e.g., office) - Home-based work VMT per employee exceeds the existing regional average minus 15 percent;
- Retail - Project total VMT rate exceeds the existing regional average rate per employee minus 15 percent;
- Mixed-use projects and land use plans - Each land use type evaluated individually against residential, office, and retail thresholds above, and aggregate VMT per service population exceeds the regional average minus 15 percent;
- Other land use types - City to develop project-specific threshold; and
- Redevelopment - If a redevelopment project leads to a net increase in VMT, based on evaluation of individual land uses, or project exceeds the respective thresholds above for applicable land use types.

The proposed project is unique in that it would include a mix of residential and retail uses and would also entail redevelopment of some existing retail space with residential uses. Recognizing that the project does not fit squarely into a single VMT threshold category, the project CEQA team and City Staff coordinated to establish the specific VMT significance thresholds to be applied. The chosen approach entails directly applying the City's VMT significance threshold for residential uses as presented in the TIAG. For retail uses, VMT was assessed in a manner consistent with the City's redevelopment threshold given that there are existing retail uses on the site that will be redeveloped; to analyze the specific VMT effects of retail redevelopment the total retail VMT generated at the site under plus project conditions was compared to that generated under a no-build condition. Following are the resulting significance thresholds applied to the project.

- Residential - the impact would be significant if the home-based VMT per capita exceeds 11.4 miles (15 percent below the nine-County Bay Area regional average of 13.4 VMT per capita as obtained from TAMDM);
- Retail - the impact would be significant if the total retail VMT exceeds that generated under "no build" conditions.

In addition to assessing project VMT under baseline conditions, the TIAG specifies that cumulative conditions shall also be assessed. The TIAG indicates that the citywide average total VMT per service population should be compared between the cumulative "no project" and "plus project" scenarios. Following is the applied significance threshold for cumulative conditions.

- Cumulative (Year 2040) - the impact would be significant if the City of San Rafael cumulative (year 2040) average total VMT per service population of 18.8 miles increases as a result of the project.


## Methodology

## VMT Background

VMT represents a number of daily miles driven and can be expressed in different ways including total VMT, which is an aggregate value measured in miles, or as performance metrics such as VMT per capita and VMT per service
population, which are measured in the number of miles driven per person. Many factors affect VMT including the average distance residents commute to work, school, and shopping, as well as the proportion of trips that are made by non-automobile modes. Areas that have a diverse land use mix and ample facilities for non-automobile modes of travel, including transit, tend to generate lower VMT than auto-oriented suburban areas.

## TAMDM Model

Forecasts of regional travel by various modes were determined using the Transportation Authority of Marin Demand Model (TAMDM). The travel model is a set of mathematical procedures and equations that represent the variety of transportation choices that people make, and how those choices result in trips on the transportation network. The TAM regional travel model is an activity-based model that is a member of the Coordinated Travel Regional Activity-Based Modeling Platform (CT-RAMP) family of models. TAMDM is nested within the nine-county Bay Area Travel Model Two activity-based model maintained by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC). The MTC version of the CT-RAMP features a very detailed spatial system including an all-streets transportation network with 4,800 Transportation Analysis Zones (TAZs) and almost 40,000 Micro-Analysis Zones (MAZs). The project site is located within TAZ 800168 and MAZs 811396, 811677, 812868, 812896 in the TAMDM. All modeling conducted for the Northgate Town Square project was performed by Kittelson \& Associates.

The most recently updated version of the TAM regional activity-based travel demand model was used to identify the VMT generated by land uses in Marin County as well as the entire Bay Area region. For the proposed Northgate Town Square project, the 2019 version of the TAMDM that includes the SMART commuter rail service, and the 2040 version that incorporates changes envisioned by long-range land use plans throughout the County including the San Rafael General Plan adopted in 2021, were used to produce VMT estimates. The TAMDM requires land uses to be defined for each geographic area in the region, i.e., the MAZ. The model land use inputs include numbers of households, persons and their attributes, employees by employment category, as well as enrollment at schools. The land use and population changes associated with the proposed project were compiled and used in the applied model runs.

For analysis of residential uses, the vehicle travel miles associated with all home-based trips made by residents are assessed. The associated average residential VMT per capita is calculated by summing this total vehicle mileage and dividing by the projected number of residents. Similarly, the regional average VMT per capita is calculated by summing the vehicle mileage for all bay area trips and dividing by the bay area population. For retail uses, VMT is analyzed as total retail VMT rather than in a per-person efficiency metric. The total retail VMTs associated with existing and proposed quantities of retail development within the project TAZ and MAZs were extracted from TAMDM for each analysis scenario. For the cumulative (2040) scenarios, a total VMT per service population performance metric was used, focusing on the total VMT generated within the City of San Rafael. This total citywide VMT and corresponding service populations were extracted from TAMDM for each cumulative scenario. The service population is defined as the sum of all residents and workers in San Rafael.

## Screening

The TIAG identifies several types of development projects that may potentially qualify for VMT screening, meaning they may be presumed to result in a less than significant VMT impact and not require further VMT analysis. One potential screening threshold is related to Transit Priority Areas (TPA); this includes projects within a half-mile walkshed of a major transit stop such as a SMART Station. While much of the Northgate Town Square project is located within this distance, the entirety of the site is not, and it is unclear whether other provisions of this screening threshold would be met (such as minimum floor area ratio requirements and provision of no more parking than required by code). The TIAG also allows for screening of residential projects in areas that are shown in TAMDM mapping to have low residential VMT. While several TAZs and MAZs surrounding the project site are shown to have low residential VMT, the TAZ and MAZs containing the project site contain no existing housing, so cannot be definitively shown to have low VMT levels without additional modeling. Given these factors, and in consideration of the size and complexity of the Northgate Town Square project, City Staff elected to require a full

VMT analysis rather than to further assess whether the project (or individual components of the project) could qualify for any form of VMT screening.

## Project VMT Assessment

## Residential Land Uses

The TAMDM indicates that the nine-county Bay Area has a baseline average VMT of 13.4 miles per capita. Applying the TIAG residential significance threshold, the project would have a significant VMT impact if its residential VMT per capita exceeds a level of 15 percent below the regional average, or 11.4 VMT per capita.

The proposed Northgate Town Square Master Plan is projected to produce 11.0 VMT per capita under the 2019 baseline scenario, reducing to 9.0 VMT per capita under the 2040 scenario. The long-range Vision Plan is projected to result in 10.7 VMT per capita under the 2040 scenario. All results fall below the applied significance threshold of 11.4 VMT per capita. Accordingly, the project's residential component is considered to have a less-thansignificant impact on VMT.

A summary of the residential VMT analysis results is shown in Table 7. It is noted that the residential population used in this assessment is based on the TAMDM and due to its limitations, such as rounding population per unit to the nearest whole number, therefore potentially differs from population values derived for other environmental studies relevant to this project. As the thresholds are based on VMT per capita and not total residential VMT, it is anticipated that adjusting the population size would not materially affect the determination of a less-thansignificant impact on VMT.

Table 7 - Residential VMT Analysis Summary

| Scenario | VMT per Capita | Project |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Residential <br> VMT | Residential <br> Population | VMT per <br> Capita | Below <br> Threshold? |
| 2019 plus Master Plan |  | 26,187 | 2,391 | 11.0 | Yes |
| 2040 plus Master Plan |  | 21,570 | 2,391 | 9.0 | Yes |
| 2040 plus Vision Plan | 11.4 | 39,340 | 3,662 | 10.7 | Yes |

Notes: VMT Rate is measured in home-based VMT per capita; VMT threshold is 15 percent below the baseline (ninecounty Bay Area) regional VMT per capita of 13.4 miles
Source: TAMDM, Kittelson \& Associates, W-Trans, 2022

## Retail Land Uses

The project would have a significant VMT impact if its total retail VMT exceeds that generated under "no build" conditions. Dedicated runs of the TAMDM were performed for 2019 and 2040 conditions without the project, as well as 2019 conditions with the proposed Northgate Town Square Master Plan, 2040 conditions with the Northgate Town Square Master Plan, and 2040 conditions with the Vision Plan. Post-processing of the TAMDM model output was conducted to isolate the total retail VMT projected to be generated by retail uses at the project site.

The TAMDM modeling results indicate that the proposed Master Plan would be expected to reduce the total retail VMT generated at the project site by approximately 38,350 to 39,600 miles per day as compared to no build conditions. In the year 2040 with buildout of the Vision Plan, total retail VMT is projected to be approximately 81,100 miles less per day than no build conditions. Since the redevelopment of retail uses proposed by the project would lead to a reduction in total retail VMT, the project's retail component is considered to have a less-thansignificant impact on VMT.

A summary of the retail VMT analysis results is shown in Table 8.

Table 8 - Project Site Retail VMT Analysis Summary

| Scenario | No Build Conditions |  | Plus Project Conditions |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Model Base <br> Year | Total Retail <br> VMT | Total Retail <br> VMT | Change | Below <br> Threshold? |
| 2019 plus Master Plan | 2019 | 95,846 | 57,495 | $-38,351$ | Yes |
| 2040 plus Master Plan | 2040 | 108,865 | 69,253 | $-39,612$ | Yes |
| 2040 plus Vision Plan | 2040 | 108,865 | 27,721 | $-81,114$ | Yes |

Source: TAMDM, Kittelson \& Associates, W-Trans, 2022

## Cumulative VMT

As specified in the City's TIAG, a project would have a significant cumulative impact on VMT if it causes the City's cumulative (year 2040) average total VMT per service population to increase. Based on the TAMDM model runs performed for the project, the City of San Rafael is projected to have an average total VMT per service population of 18.8 under the 2040 no build condition. In 2040 with the proposed Master Plan, the City's average total VMT per service population is projected to be 18.1 miles, and in 2040 with the Vision Plan it is projected to be 18.0 miles. Because the Master Plan and Vision Plan would each result in reductions to the City's average total VMT per service population, the project would be considered to have a less-than-significant cumulative impact on VMT.

A summary of the cumulative VMT analysis results is shown in Table 9.

## Table 9-Cumulative VMT Analysis Summary

| Scenario | Total VMT <br> City of San Rafael | Total Service <br> Population | Total VMT per <br> Service Population | Below <br> Threshold? |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2040 No Build | $2,130,263$ | 113,571 | 18.8 | - |
| 2040 plus Master Plan | $2,095,779$ | 115,515 | 18.1 | Yes |
| 2040 plus Vision Plan | $2,089,433$ | 116,330 | 18.0 | Yes |

Source: TAMDM, Kittelson \& Associates, W-Trans, 2022

Finding - The proposed project, including both Master Plan and Vision Plan phases, would have a less-thansignificant VMT impact under 2019 baseline and 2040 cumulative scenarios based on the established significance thresholds.

## Safety Issues

This section addresses the third bullet on the CEQA checklist which is whether or not the project would substantially increase hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment). The potential for the project to impact safety was evaluated in terms of the adequacy of sight distance and need for turn lanes at the project driveways as well as the adequacy of stacking space in dedicated turn lanes at the study intersections to accommodate additional queuing due to adding project-generated trips.

## Site Access

The site has 12 access points. Clockwise from the northwest corner, they are:

- The intersection of Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard (inbound only);
- Driveway 580 feet east of Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard;
- Driveway 300 feet north of Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road;
- The intersection of Las Gallinas Avenue/Merrydale Road;
- Driveway 400 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive;
- Driveway 230 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive;
- Driveway 140 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive;
- Driveway 340 feet west of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive;
- Driveway 100 feet west of Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive;
- The intersection of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive;
- Driveway 280 feet north of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive; and
- Driveway 400 feet south of Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive.

With construction of the project, the driveways 230 feet and 140 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive would be removed and the driveway 100 feet west of Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive would be moved to Northgate Drive/El Faisan Drive, converting the existing tee intersection into a four-legged intersection. The other driveways would be unchanged.

## Sight Distance

Sight distances along Northgate Drive and Las Gallinas Avenue at the project driveways were evaluated using sight distance criteria contained in the Highway Design Manual (HDM) published by Caltrans. The recommended sight distances for approaches on the major street to driveways and private street intersections are based on stopping sight distance with approach travel speed used as the basis for determining the recommended sight distance.

For the posted speed limit of 25 miles per hour (mph) on Northgate Drive and Las Gallinas Avenue, the minimum stopping sight distance needed is 150 feet. Sight distances from each driveway except two were measured in excess of 250 feet in both directions, providing adequate stopping sight distance for speeds of 35 mph . One of the exceptions is the driveway 580 feet east of Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard. At this location, sight distance to the right (of traffic heading westbound) was measured as 210 feet. The speed of westbound drivers was checked through an informal speed survey using a speed radar gun. Due to the horizontal curve east of the driveway, no westbound drivers were recorded traveling faster than 23 mph . Since 150 feet of stopping sight distance is recommended for 25 mph and 210 feet of sight distance is available, sight lines to and from this driveway are adequate.

The other exception is the driveway 280 feet north of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive. Due to dense vegetation south of this driveway combined with vertical grade on the driveway ascending up to the roadway, sight distance from the driveway to the left (of northbound traffic) is restricted to 160 feet. Another informal speed study was
conducted to estimate the critical speed of traffic, which is defined as the speed at or below which 85 percent of drivers are observed to be traveling. Based on this informal study, the critical speed of northbound drivers on Northgate Drive just south of this driveway was measured as 32 mph .

The HDM provides minimum stopping sight distances for increments of five mph. Between these increments, the HDM defers to A Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets ("the Greenbook"), American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials, 2018. The Greenbook prescribes a formula for converting speed into stopping sight distance that results in 216 feet for 32 mph . The vegetation should be trimmed, or new vegetation selected to increase the existing 160 feet of sight distance at this driveway to at least 216 feet to provide adequate sight distance at the prevailing speed. The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) recommends in its guide on Vegetation Control for Safety, 2007, that bushes and shrubs in the motorists' line of sight should be kept under three feet of height, and that trees and hanging branches be trimmed to a minimum height of seven feet. This provides a gap in vegetation for drivers on a cross street to observe oncoming traffic.

It is noted that due to the vertical rise of the driveway as it ascends to match Northgate Drive, the eye level of a driver looking to enter Northgate Drive is lower than on a descending or level driveway and therefore ground-based foliage such as shrubs and grasses may restrict sight lines more than at other locations. An image of the restricted sight line is shown in Plate 1. It was recommended to the project applicant that construction of the project result in entirely removing foliage in the sight triangle bound by a driver waiting 15 feet from the edge of travel on Northgate Drive, a northbound driver approaching from 216 feet from the south, and a straight line between the two. A diagram of this triangle is shown in Plate 2.

Although the project would not exacerbate this existing condition, the project applicant has agreed to modify its project application to incorporate the clear zone, and ensure that the site owner would maintain the clear zone.

Finding - Adequate sight distance would be available from all but one of the existing and proposed project driveway locations. The driveway


Plate 1 Restricted Sight Line to Left (South) from Driveway 280 feet North of Northgate Dr/Thorndale Dr


Plate 2 Sight Triangle Diagram with Recommended Clear Zone in Blue 280 feet north of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive has visibility to the south of 160 feet due to dense foliage south of the driveway, which is short of the 216 feet recommended by the HDM for the measured critical speed of northbound traffic of 32 mph . As the project applicant has ensured that this deficiency would be remediated as part of its project application, this would constitute a less-than-significant project impact.

## Access Analysis

Most driveways that would serve the project have existing left-turn lanes. The exceptions that were assessed for the need for a left-turn lane are:

- The driveway 580 feet east of Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard;
- The driveway 400 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive; and
- The intersection of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive.

It is noted that a left-turn lane into the project site does not exist at Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard, however this movement is prohibited so a warrant was not studied.

The need for a left-turn lane at each of the three driveways was evaluated based on criteria contained in the Intersection Channelization Design Guide, National Cooperative Highway Research Program (NCHRP) Report No. 279, Transportation Research Board, 1985, as well as an update of the methodology developed by the Washington State Department of Transportation and published in the Method for Prioritizing Intersection Improvements, January 1997. The NCHRP report references a methodology developed by M. D. Harmelink that includes equations that can be applied to expected or actual traffic volumes to determine the need for a left-turn pocket based on safety issues. Warrants were assessed for each driveway for both Master Plan and Vision Plan scenarios under Future conditions, as this represents the highest background traffic volumes assessed. As the left-turn lane warrant is based on traffic volumes, this presents the "worst case" scenario for warranted a left-turn lane. Under the a.m. peak hour conditions assessed, a left-turn lane is not warranted at any of the three driveways.

Conditions for the p.m. peak hour were not assessed as the Master Plan and the Vision Plan would both result in a reduction to inbound volumes during the p.m. peak hour compared to the existing shopping center, precluding a project effect on the need for left-turn lanes. Additionally, there is not a history of collisions involving drivers turning left into the project site which would demonstrate the need for additional left-turn lanes, as there was only one collision reported during the five-year study period involving a driver turning left into the project site, and that was at a location that already has a left-turn lane.

A copy of the turn lane warrant worksheets is contained in Appendix $B$.
Finding - Under Future conditions with traffic anticipated to be generated by the Master Plan and Vision Plan scenarios applied, left-turn lanes into the project site would not be warranted at the driveway 580 feet east of Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard, the driveway 400 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive, and the intersection of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive. All of the other access points have left-turn lanes except for Las Gallinas Avenue/Del Presidio Boulevard, where left-turn movements into the project site are prohibited. Therefore, the project would have a less-than-significant impact to safety with regard to site access.

## Queuing

The Transportation Impact Analysis Guidelines, City of San Rafael, June 2021, detail mobility deficiency criteria for development projects. For queuing, the Guidelines prescribe that a deficiency would occur when the $95^{\text {th }}$ percentile vehicle queues would exceed the existing or planned length of a turn pocket or freeway off-ramp or would result in a speed differential between two adjacent lanes of travel. Where queues exceed the available storage without the addition of project traffic, a deficiency would occur if the stacking distance is increased by more than 50 feet with project traffic added.

Under each scenario, the projected maximum queues in turn pockets and on freeway off-ramps at the study intersections were determined using the SIMTRAFFIC application of Synchro and averaging the maximum projected queue for each of ten runs. Summarized in Table 10 are the predicted queue lengths for each scenario without and with project trips. Copies of the SIMTRAFFIC projections are contained in Appendix C. Note that the

Master Plan and Vision Plan scenarios were assessed using more conservative trip generation totals of 223 and 260 net new a.m. peak hour trips instead of 150 and 141 such trips, respectively.

Table 10 - Maximum AM Peak Hour Queues

| Study Intersection Lane | Available Storage | Maximum Queues |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | E | B | B+MP | F | F+MP | F+VP |
| 1. Freitas Pkwy/Las Gallinas Ave |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eastbound Left-Turn | 175 | 138 | 165 | 168 | 211 | 217 | 207 |
| Eastbound Right-Turn | 160 | 221 | 242 | 234 | 252 | 253 | 246 |
| Westbound Left-Turn | 475 | 362 | 440 | 468 | 582 | 578 | 597 |
| Northbound Left-Turn | 125 | 95 | 94 | 105 | 95 | 113 | 121 |
| Northbound Right-Turn | 110 | 134 | 138 | 135 | 147 | 151 | 149 |
| Southbound Left-Turn | 120 | 163 | 172 | 169 | 173 | 174 | 170 |
| Southbound Right-Turn | 125 | 92 | 103 | 92 | 108 | 121 | 95 |
| 2. Freitas Pkwy/Northgate Dr |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eastbound Left-Turn | 220 | 58 | 69 | 51 | 72 | 75 | 60 |
| Westbound Left-Turn | 375 | 178 | 179 | 171 | 186 | 187 | 202 |
| Northbound Right-Turn | 45 | 66 | 61 | 86 | 71 | 85 | 84 |
| Southbound Left-Turn | 50 | 59 | 56 | 53 | 67 | 64 | 62 |
| 3. Freitas Pkwy/Del Presidio Blvd Southbound Off-Ramp ${ }^{1}$ | 515 | 268 | 351 | 333 | 694 | 662 | 663 |
| 5. Redwood Hwy/US 101 N On-Ramp Northbound Left-Turn | 130 | 53 | 55 | 59 | 57 | 65 | 67 |
| 7. Freitas Pkwy/Redwood Hwy-Civic Center Dr Southbound Through/Left-Turn | 200 | 73 | 83 | 85 | 144 | 131 | 142 |
| 8. Las Gallinas Ave/Nova Albion Wy Eastbound Right-Turn <br> Northbound Left-Turn <br> Southbound Right-Turn | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 140 \\ & 95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 176 \\ & 147 \\ & 145 \end{aligned}$ | 178 158 153 | 174 170 153 | 177 150 162 | 181 169 162 | 179 178 162 |
| 9. Las Gallinas Ave/Northgate Dr Eastbound Left-Turn Northbound Left-Turn Northbound Right-Turn Southbound Left-Turn | $\begin{aligned} & 135 \\ & 160 \\ & 220 \\ & 210 \end{aligned}$ | 27 48 19 89 | 29 52 24 98 | 30 62 24 93 | 27 59 26 87 | 35 74 33 107 | 28 79 26 100 |
| 10. Las Gallinas Ave/Del Presidio Blvd Westbound Right-Turn Southbound Right-Turn | 415 100 | 57 84 | 55 90 | 62 89 | 55 104 | 65 104 | 87 94 |
| 11. Las Gallinas Ave/Merrydale Rd Eastbound Left-Turn Westbound Left-Turn | 150 300 | 13 79 | 13 80 | NA 95 | 10 84 | NA 96 | 39 96 |

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| Study Intersection Lane | Available Storage | Maximum Queues |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | E | B | B+MP | F | F+MP | F+VP |
| Northbound Left-Turn | 130 | 11 | 11 | NA | 14 | NA | NA |
| Southbound Left-Turn | 150 | 71 | 85 | 89 | 118 | 123 | 132 |
| 12. Merrydale Rd/Civic Center Dr |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eastbound Left-Turn | 310 | 65 | 74 | 118 | 99 | 135 | 154 |
| Westbound Left-Turn | 250 | 19 | 22 | 22 | 27 | 24 | 24 |
| Northbound Left-Turn | 320 | 54 | 59 | 63 | 79 | 72 | 70 |
| 14. Northgate Dr/El Faisan Dr |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eastbound Left-Turn (Plus Project Only) | 200 | - | - | 12 | - | 13 | NA |
| Northbound Left-Turn | 70 | 39 | 41 | 40 | 41 | 40 | 40 |
| 15. Northgate Dr/Nova Albion Wy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Westbound Left-Turn | 100 | 54 | 58 | 56 | 56 | 63 | 65 |
| 16. Los Ranchitos Rd-Las Gallinas Ave/ Northgate Dr |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eastbound Left-Turn | 120 | 65 | 69 | 89 | 77 | 95 | 99 |
| Eastbound Right-Turn | 120 | 59 | 68 | 66 | 71 | 78 | 73 |
| Northbound Left-Turn | 100 | 55 | 50 | 52 | 51 | 58 | 53 |
| 17. Los Ranchitos Rd/N San Pedro Rd |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eastbound Left-Turn | 110 | 109 | 125 | 129 | 155 | 156 | 157 |
| Southbound Left-Turn ${ }^{2}$ | 70 | 118 | 145 | 147 | 319 | 350 | 340 |
| Southbound Right-Turn ${ }^{2}$ | 75 | 85 | 105 | 110 | 140 | 139 | 140 |

Notes: Maximum Queue based on the average of the maximum value from ten SIMTRAFFIC runs; all distances are measured in feet; $\mathrm{E}=$ Existing conditions; $\mathrm{B}=$ Baseline conditions; $\mathrm{F}=$ Future conditions; $\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{MP}=$ Baseline plus Master Plan conditions; F+MP = Future plus Master Plan conditions; F+VP = Future plus Vision Plan conditions; NP = queue length was not reported due to low or nonexistent volumes; Bold text = queue length exceeds available storage
1 Off-ramp length calculated by subtracting stopping sight distance for 55 mph ( 500 feet) from the ramp length of 1,015 feet, as measured from stop bar to start of gore.
2 Distance between stop bar and transverse marking parallel to SMART railroad tracks.

For all study intersections, the queue would either be contained within each turn lane without or with the addition of traffic associated with either project scenario, or the queue would extend beyond capacity without the project and the addition of project traffic would increase the stacking distance by less than 50 feet.

Finding - The addition of project traffic associated with either the Master Plan or Vision Plan scenarios would result in a less-than-significant impact as the increases would either be contained within the existing turn lane capacities, or the increase in an already deficient stacking distance would be less than 50 feet.

## Emergency Access

The final bullet on the CEQA checklist requires an evaluation as to whether the project would result in inadequate emergency access or not.

## Adequacy of Emergency Access

The City of San Rafael Municipal Code Chapter 4.08 adopts the 2019 California Fire Code with several amendments as regards emergency access. With regard to traffic, a fire access road of at least 20 feet in unobstructed width must be provided within 150 feet of all exterior building walls. The Master Plan and Vision Plan both include a network of interior roads and parking aisles at least 20 feet wide that provide access within 150 feet of all building exteriors when combined with the public streets of Las Gallinas Avenue and Northgate Drive around the outside of the project site. There would be multiple interior paths through the project connecting the multiple driveways together, providing alternative routes in the event one aisle or driveway is blocked. The project would therefore have adequate emergency access.

## Impact on Response Times

As the project would result in a reduction in traffic on the surrounding roadway network over the course of the day and during the critical p.m. peak period, it would reasonably be expected to have a less-than-significant, and in fact beneficial, impact on emergency response times within the study area. Further, if emergency response vehicles are traveling with their flashing lights and sirens operating, drivers are required to pull to the side to allow their passage. This condition would not change as a result of the project.

Finding - Both project scenarios would have adequate emergency access and would not negatively impact emergency response times. The project's impact in terms of emergency access is therefore considered to be less than significant.

## Conclusions and Recommendations

## Conclusions

- Upon construction of the Master Plan scenario, a net decrease of 3,585 daily trips is anticipated, including a decrease of 345 p.m. peak hour trips but an increase of 172 a.m. peak hour trips. For the Vision Plan, the estimated trip generation includes a decrease in daily traffic of 8,384 daily trips, though there would be an increase of 177 trips during the morning peak hour and a decrease of 886 trips during the evening peak hour.
- The project's impact on pedestrian, bicycle, and transit facilities in the vicinity of the project site would be less-than-significant. Adequate on-site bicycle and pedestrian facilities would be provided, though bicycle parking should be provided to conform with City Code.
- The project would have a less-than-significant impact in terms of VMT.
- There would be adequate sight distance at all but one proposed or existing project driveway location, with the exception being the driveway 280 feet north of Northgate Drive/Thorndale Drive which has insufficient sight distance to the south due to a combination of vertical grade and dense foliage. It is understood that providing a clear zone at this driveway will be incorporated into the project application, resulting in a less-than-significant impact.
- The project's impact to safety with regard to site access would be less than significant as additional left-turn lanes into the project site would not be warranted under Future conditions with the addition of traffic associated with either the Master Plan or Vision Plan scenarios.
- The project would have a less-than-significant impact on queuing for all intersections and all scenarios assessed.
- The project would have a less-than-significant impact on emergency response times in the area and would have adequate emergency access under both development scenarios.


## Recommendations

- The Master Plan scenario should include 178 short-term and 100 long-term bicycle parking spaces to conform with the City Code, which could be reduced for the Vision Plan scenario to a total of 157 short-term and 45 long-term bicycle parking spaces.


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## Appendix A

## Collision Rate Calculations



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| Intersection Collision Rate Worksheet |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Northgate Town Square Project |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 3: Freitas Parkway \& Del Presidio Boulevard |  |  |  |
| Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Intersection Type: Four-Legged Control Type: Signals <br> Area: Urban |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | 68 | x 1,000,000 |  |
|  | 39,900 x | 365 | x 5 |
| Study IntersectionStatewide Average** | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | $0.93 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.0\% | 35.3\% |
|  | $0.24 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.5\% | 46.9\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}=$ collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 4: Freitas Parkway \& US 101 South Ramps <br> Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 2 <br> Number of Injuries: 0 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 33500 <br> Start Date: July 1, 2016 <br> End Date: June 30, 2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 |  |  |  |
| Intersection Type: Other Control Type: No Controls Area: Urban |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | 2 | $x \quad 1,000,000$ |  |
|  | $33,500 \mathrm{x}$ | 365 | $\times 5$ |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | 0.03 c/mve <br> 0.06 c/mve | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \mathbf{0 . 0 \%} \\ \hline \mathbf{1 . 9 \%} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.0 \% \\ 41.7 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection c/mve = collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |


| Intersection Collision Rate Worksheet |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Northgate Town Square Project |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 5: Redwood Highway \& US 101 North On-Ramp Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 3 <br> Number of Injuries: 1 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 870 <br> Start Date: July 1,2016 <br> End Date: June 30,2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 <br> Intersection Type: Tee <br> Control Type: No Controls <br> Area: Urban |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | - 3 | x 1,000,000 |  |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | $1.89 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.0\% | 33.3\% |
|  | $0.06 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 1.9\% | 41.7\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}=$ collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 6: Freitas Parkway \& US 101 North Ramps <br> Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 4 <br> Number of Injuries: 1 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 29000 <br> Start Date: July 1, 2016 <br> End Date: June 30, 2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 <br>   <br> Intersection Type: Tee <br> Control Type: No Controls <br> Area: Urban |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | 4 | $\mathrm{x} \quad 1,0$ | 1,000,000 |
|  | 29,000 x | 365 | $\times 5$ |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | $0.08 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.0\% | 25.0\% |
|  | 0.06 c/mve | 1.9\% | 41.7\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection c/mve = collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |



| Intersection Collision Rate Worksheet |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Northgate Town Square Project |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 9: Las Gallinas Ave \& Northgate Drive |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 26 <br> Number of Injuries: 10 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 12500 <br> Start Date: July 1, 2016 <br> End Date: June 30,2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ |  26 <br> 12,500 $x$ | $\mathrm{x} \quad 1,000,000$ |  |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | $1.14 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.0\% | 38.5\% |
|  | $0.24 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.5\% | 46.9\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection c/mve = collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 10: Las Gallinas Ave \& Del Presidio Boulevard Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 7 <br> Number of Injuries: 2 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 10200 <br> Start Date: July 1, 2016 <br> End Date: June 30,2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 |  |  |  |
| Intersection Type: Four-Legged Control Type: Signals <br> Area: Urban |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | 7 | $x \quad 1,000,000$ |  |
|  | 10,200 x | 365 | $\times 5$ |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | 0.38 $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ <br> 0.24 $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 0.0 \% \\ \hline \mathbf{0 . 5 \%} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 28.6\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}=$ collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |



| Intersection Collision Rate Worksheet |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Northgate Town Square Project |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 13: Northgate Drive \& Throndale Drive |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate = |  <br> 5,000 | $\mathrm{x} \quad 1,000,000$ |  |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | $0.00 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.0\% | 0.0\% |
|  | $0.14 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 1.1\% | 46.2\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection c/mve = collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 14: Northgate Drive \& El Faisan Drive <br> Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} \text { Number of Collisions: } & 2 \\ \text { Number of Injuries: } & 2 \\ \text { Number of Fatalities: } & 0 \\ \text { Average Daily Traffic (ADT): } & 4800 \\ \text { Start Date: } & \text { July 1, 2016 } \\ \text { End Date: } & \text { June 30,2021 } \\ \text { Number of Years: } & 5 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| Intersection Type: Tee <br> Control Type: Stop \& Yield Controls <br> Area: Urban |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | 2 | $\mathrm{x} \quad 1,000$ | 1,000,000 |
|  | 4,800 x | 365 | $\times 5$ |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | 0.23 <br> $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ <br> $0.09 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.0 \% \\ & \hline \mathbf{1 . 2 \%} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 100.0\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection c/mve = collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |


| Intersection Collision Rate Worksheet |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Northgate Town Square Project |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 15: Northgate Drive \& Nova Albion Way |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 0 <br> Number of Injuries: 0 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 7100 <br> Start Date: July 1, 2016 <br> End Date: June 30, 2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate = |  <br> 7,100 | $\mathrm{x} \quad 1,000,000$ |  |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | $0.00 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 0.0\% | 0.0\% |
|  | $0.09 \mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}$ | 1.2\% | 46.9\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}=$ collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |
| Intersection \# 16: Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Ave \& Northgate <br> Drive <br> Date of Count: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 |  |  |  |
| Number of Collisions: 3 <br> Number of Injuries: 0 <br> Number of Fatalities: 0 <br> Average Daily Traffic (ADT): 7200 <br> Start Date: July 1, 2016 <br> End Date: June 30,2021 <br> Number of Years: 5 |  |  |  |
| Intersection Type: Four-Legged Control Type: Signals <br> Area: Urban |  |  |  |
| $\text { Collision Rate }=\frac{\text { Number of Collisions } \times 1 \text { Million }}{\text { ADT } \times \text { Days per Year } \times \text { Number of Years }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collision Rate $=$ | 3 | $x \quad 1,000,000$ |  |
|  | 7,200 x | 365 | $\times \quad 5$ |
| Study Intersection Statewide Average* | Collision Rate | Fatality Rate | Injury Rate |
|  | 0.23 c/mve <br> 0.24 c/mve | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.0 \% \\ & \hline \mathbf{0 . 5 \%} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 0.0\% |
| Notes <br> ADT = average daily total vehicles entering intersection $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{mve}=$ collisions per million vehicles entering intersection <br> * 2018 Collision Data on California State Highways, Caltrans |  |  |  |




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## Appendix B

## Turn Lane Warrant Worksheets



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## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - Tee Intersections

Study Intersection: Driveway 580 Feet East of Las Gallinas Ave/Del Presidio Blvd
Study Scenario: Future plus Master Plan Conditions
Direction of Analysis Street: East/West Cross Street Intersects: From the South



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## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - Tee Intersections

Study Intersection: Driveway 580 Feet East of Las Gallinas Ave/Del Presidio Blvd
Study Scenario: Future plus Vision Plan Conditions
Direction of Analysis Street: East/West Cross Street Intersects: From the South



[^1]
## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - Tee Intersections

Study Intersection: Driveway 400 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive Study Scenario: Future plus Master Plan Conditions

Direction of Analysis Street: North/South Cross Street Intersects: From the West



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## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - Tee Intersections

Study Intersection: Driveway 400 feet north of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive Study Scenario: Future plus Vision Plan Conditions

Direction of Analysis Street: North/South Cross Street Intersects: From the West



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## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - Tee Intersections

Study Intersection: Driveway 340 feet west of Los Ranchitos Road-Las Gallinas Avenue/Northgate Drive Study Scenario: Future plus Vision Plan Conditions

Direction of Analysis Street: East/West Cross Street Intersects: From the North
Northgate Drive
Westbound Volumes $(\mathrm{veh} / \mathrm{hr})$

Through Volume $=$| 180 |
| ---: |
| Right Turn Volume $=$ |

| 2 Lanes - Undivided |
| :--- | :--- |


| Eastbound Speed Limit: | 25 mph |
| :--- | :--- |
| Eastbound Configuration: | Lanes - Undivided |


| Westbound Right Turn Lane Warrants |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Check for right turn volume criteria |  |  |
| Thresholds not met, continue to next step |  |  |
| 2. Check advance volume threshold criteria for turn lane |  |  |
| Advancing Volume Threshold | $A V=$ | 900.1 |
| Advancing Volume | $\mathrm{Va}=$ | 200 |
| If $\mathrm{AV}<\mathrm{V}$ a then warrant is met |  | No |
| Right Turn Lane Warranted: |  |  |

Westbound Right Turn Taper Warrants (evaluate if right turn lane is unwarranted)

1. Check taper volume criteria

| Thresholds not met, continue to next step |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2. Check advance volume threshold criteria for taper |  |  |
| Advancing Volume Threshold | AV $=$ | 700 |
| Advancing Volume | $\mathrm{Va}=$ | 200 |
| If AV <Va then warrant is met |  | No |
| Right Turn Taper Warranted: | NO |  |

Eastbound Left Turn Lane Warrants


Methodology based on Washington State Transportation Center Research Report Method For Prioritizing Intersection Improvements, January 1997. The right turn lane and taper analysis is based on work conducted by Cottrell in 1981.
The left turn lane analysis is based on work conducted by M.D. Harmelink in 1967, and modified by Kikuchi and Chakroborty in 1991.

## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - 4 Legged Intersections

Study Intersection: Northgate Drive/Thornton Drive Study Scenario: Future plus Master Plan

Direction of Analysis Street: North/South


Southbound Speed Limit: Southbound Configuration: 2 Lanes Undivided


Methodology based on Washington State Transportation Center Research Report Method For Prioritizing Intersection Improvements, Jan. 1997.
The right turn lane and taper analysis is based on work conducted by Cottrell in 1981. The left turn lane analysis is based on work conducted by M.D. Harmelink in 1967, and modified by Kikuchi and Chakroborty in 1991.

## Turn Lane Warrant Analysis - 4 Legged Intersections

Study Intersection: Northgate Drive/Thornton Drive Study Scenario: Future plus Vision Plan

Direction of Analysis Street: North/South


Southbound Speed Limit: Southbound Configuration: 2 Lanes Undivided


Methodology based on Washington State Transportation Center Research Report Method For Prioritizing Intersection Improvements, Jan. 1997.
The right turn lane and taper analysis is based on work conducted by Cottrell in 1981. The left turn lane analysis is based on work conducted by M.D. Harmelink in 1967, and modified by Kikuchi and Chakroborty in 1991.


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## Appendix C

## Queuing Calculations



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| Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Movement | EB | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB |
| Directions Served | UL | T | T | R | UL | T | T | R | L | T | R | L |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 184 | 524 | 544 | 185 | 404 | 246 | 210 | 89 | 125 | 278 | 134 | 145 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 44 | 260 | 291 | 90 | 213 | 83 | 92 | 4 | 40 | 78 | 65 | 103 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 138 | 517 | 549 | 221 | 362 | 180 | 181 | 56 | 95 | 194 | 134 | 163 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 928 | 928 |  |  | 1110 | 1110 |  |  | 461 |  |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 175 |  |  | 160 | 450 |  |  | 200 | 110 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 27 | 39 | 0 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 12 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 7 | 27 | 0 | 1 |  | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 30 |

Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 449 | 143 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 166 | 25 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 364 | 92 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 668 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) | 1 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 16 | 0 |
| Queuing Penaly (veh) | 31 | 0 |

intersection: 2: Northgate Drive \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | UL | T | TR | UL | L | T | TR | LT | R | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 82 | 516 | 628 | 206 | 181 | 284 | 287 | 74 | 66 | 68 | 83 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 20 | 121 | 211 | 110 | 88 | 85 | 84 | 20 | 27 | 25 | 14 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 58 | 383 | 513 | 178 | 154 | 206 | 210 | 57 | 66 | 59 | 52 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 1110 | 1110 |  | 431 | 431 | 431 | 427 |  |  | 528 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 220 |  |  | 375 |  |  |  |  | 45 | 50 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 220 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 2 | 8 | 1 |
| Storage Bk Time $\%$ (\%) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |


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## Intersection: 3: Del Presidio Boulevard/101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR | T | T | T | LT | R | LT | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 326 | 433 | 130 | 174 | 148 | 30 | 294 | 287 | 401 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 96 | 212 | 52 | 89 | 70 | 4 | 109 | 106 | 109 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 250 | 403 | 111 | 151 | 128 | 22 | 262 | 198 | 268 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 431 | 431 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 334 | 334 | 615 | 615 |
| Unstream Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 0 |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 4: 101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | WB |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| Directions Served | TR |  |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 4 |  |
| Average Queue (tt) | 0 |  |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 4 |  |
| Link Distance (tt) | 802 |  |
| Unstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (tt) |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |

Storage BIk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
Intersection: 5: Redwood Highway \& 101 NB Ramp


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## Intersection: 6: US 101 On-/Off-Ramps \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy



Intersection: 7: Civic Center Dr/Redwood Hwy \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy /Private Driveway


Intersection: 8: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Nova Albion Drive

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | LT | R | LTR | L | TR | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 337 | 140 | 88 | 156 | 191 | 349 | 120 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 189 | 92 | 33 | 85 | 33 | 101 | 74 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 330 | 176 | 73 | 147 | 115 | 249 | 145 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 320 |  | 170 |  | 791 | 461 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) | 2 |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 115 |  | 140 |  |  | 95 |
| Storage Blk Time $\%$ (\%) | 24 | 0 |  | 4 | 0 | 9 | 3 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 42 | 1 |  | 3 | 0 | 36 | 4 |

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| Intersection: 9: Northgate Drive \& Las Gallinas Avenue |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Movement | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB | SB | SB |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | LT | TR | L | T | R | L | T | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 35 | 44 | 167 | 142 | 73 | 56 | 66 | 38 | 121 | 126 | 80 |
| Average Queue ( f ) | 8 | 5 | 57 | 57 | 14 | 21 | 29 | 2 | 38 | 50 | 10 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 27 | 23 | 123 | 114 | 44 | 48 | 59 | 19 | 89 | 103 | 45 |
| Link Distance (t) |  | 198 | 198 | 154 | 154 |  | 338 |  |  | 427 | 427 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 135 |  |  |  |  | 160 |  | 220 | 210 |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |

Intersection: 10: Mall Entrance/Del Presidio Boulevard \& Las Gallinas Avenue


Intersection: 11: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Merrydale Road/Merrydale Overpass

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 23 | 27 | 97 | 81 | 20 | 118 | 90 | 87 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 2 | 4 | 46 | 39 | 1 | 57 | 33 | 30 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 13 | 18 | 79 | 67 | 11 | 97 | 71 | 68 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 376 |  | 930 |  | 945 |  | 975 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 150 |  | 300 |  | 130 |  | 150 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |

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## Intersection: 15: Nova Albion Way \& Northgate Drive/Northgate

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | R | UL | T | LR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 8 | 33 | 66 | 6 | 100 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 0 | 2 | 21 | 0 | 47 |
| 95th Queue (tI) | 5 | 15 | 54 | 5 | 79 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 198 |  |  | 798 | 230 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 16: Los Ranchitos Road/Las Gallinas Avenue \& Northgate Drive


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Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

intersection: 2: Northgate Drive \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | UL | T | TR | UL | L | T | TR | LT | R | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 96 | 527 | 624 | 198 | 217 | 294 | 323 | 69 | 66 | 61 | 54 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 22 | 145 | 254 | 113 | 92 | 100 | 101 | 19 | 24 | 26 | 10 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 69 | 424 | 570 | 179 | 162 | 225 | 235 | 54 | 61 | 56 | 37 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 1110 | 1110 |  | 431 | 431 | 431 | 427 |  |  | 528 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  | 375 |  | 0 | 1 |  | 45 | 50 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 220 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 3 | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| Storage Bk Time $\%$ (\%) |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |

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## Intersection: 3: Del Presidio Boulevard/101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR | T | T | T | LT | R | LT | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 377 | 456 | 147 | 195 | 179 | 35 | 322 | 335 | 491 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 104 | 236 | 51 | 92 | 74 | 5 | 132 | 118 | 144 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 282 | 450 | 115 | 160 | 141 | 24 | 297 | 224 | 351 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 431 | 431 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 334 | 334 | 615 | 615 |
| Usstream Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 1 |  | 0 | 0 |  | 1 |  | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 5 |  | 0 | 0 |  | 1 |  | 0 |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 4: 101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

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Directions Served
Maximum Queue ($)
Average Queue (fi)
95th Queue (tt)
Link Distance (ft)
Upstream Blk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
Storage Bay Dist (At)
Storage Bk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
```

Intersection: 5: Redwood Highway \& 101 NB Ramp

| Movement | NB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 63 | 99 |
| Average Queue (t) | 23 | 12 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 55 | 57 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 464 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 130 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |

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## Intersection: 6: US 101 On-/Off-Ramps \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy



Intersection: 7: Civic Center Dr/Redwood Hwy \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy /Private Driveway

| Movement | EB | EB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | ULT | R | UL | TR | ULT | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 36 | 6 | 59 | 94 | 111 | 160 |
| Average Queue (t) | 6 | 0 | 27 | 44 | 49 | 67 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 27 | 5 | 50 | 73 | 83 | 120 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 93 | 93 | 562 | 562 |  | 486 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  | 200 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |

Intersection: 8: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Nova Albion Drive

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | LT | R | LTR | L | TR | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 338 | 140 | 98 | 163 | 234 | 442 | 120 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 203 | 91 | 30 | 92 | 40 | 153 | 83 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 351 | 178 | 75 | 158 | 126 | 351 | 153 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 320 |  | 170 |  | 791 | 461 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 115 |  | 140 |  |  | 95 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 26 | 0 |  | 6 | 0 | 15 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 47 | 1 |  | 5 | 0 | 63 | 5 |

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Intersection: 10: Mall Entrance/Del Presidio Boulevard \& Las Gallinas Avenue


Intersection: 11: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Merrydale Road/Merrydale Overpass

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 21 | 26 | 106 | 81 | 23 | 124 | 98 | 99 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 2 | 4 | 45 | 38 | 1 | 56 | 42 | 34 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 13 | 18 | 80 | 64 | 11 | 96 | 85 | 77 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 376 |  | 930 |  | 945 |  | 975 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 150 |  | 300 |  | 130 |  | 150 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |

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## Intersection: 15: Nova Albion Way \& Northgate Drive/Northgate

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | R | UL | T | LR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 16 | 33 | 74 | 6 | 95 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 1 | 2 | 24 | 0 | 49 |
| 95th Queue (tI) | 9 | 15 | 58 | 4 | 78 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 198 |  |  | 798 | 230 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 16: Los Ranchitos Road/Las Gallinas Avenue \& Northgate Drive


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| Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Movement | EB | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB |
| Directions Served | UL | T | T | R | UL | T | T | R | L | T | R | L |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 199 | 928 | 935 | 185 | 475 | 1012 | 983 | 201 | 130 | 415 | 135 | 145 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 77 | 765 | 791 | 121 | 406 | 527 | 428 | 16 | 39 | 136 | 75 | 134 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 211 | 1144 | 1148 | 252 | 582 | 1152 | 1034 | 111 | 95 | 327 | 147 | 173 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 928 | 928 |  |  | 1110 | 1110 |  |  | 461 |  |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  | 31 | 41 |  |  | 2 | 1 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 11 | 3 |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 175 |  |  | 160 | 450 |  |  | 200 | 110 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 74 | 80 | 0 | 47 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 1 | 46 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 32 | 61 | 0 | 165 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 34 | 2 | 160 |

Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 703 | 144 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 519 | 31 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 877 | 108 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 668 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) | 40 |  |
| Queuing Penaly (veh) | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 35 | 0 |
| Queuing Penaly (veh) | 95 | 0 |

Intersection: 2: Northgate Drive \& Freitas Parkway


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## Intersection: 3: Del Presidio Boulevard/101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR | T | T | T | LT | R | LT | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 412 | 464 | 155 | 200 | 181 | 30 | 331 | 615 | 626 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 126 | 291 | 54 | 103 | 74 | 4 | 157 | 220 | 336 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 322 | 485 | 121 | 169 | 143 | 21 | 324 | 549 | 694 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 431 | 431 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 334 | 334 | 615 | 615 |
| Unstream Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 2 |  | 0 | 0 |  | 2 | 4 | 11 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 10 |  | 0 | 0 |  | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bl\| Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 4: 101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | WB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 6 | 2 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 0 | 0 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 6 | 2 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 245 | 802 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |
| Storae Blk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |

Storage Blk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
Intersection: 5: Redwood Highway \& 101 NB Ramp

| Movement | NB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 70 | 124 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 26 | 15 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 57 | 69 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 464 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (tt) | 130 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |

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## Intersection: 6: US 101 On-/Off-Ramps \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy



Intersection: 7: Civic Center Dr/Redwood Hwy \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy /Private Driveway

| Movement | EB | EB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | ULT | R | UL | TR | ULT | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 60 | 52 | 70 | 145 | 192 | 184 |
| Average Queue (t) | 15 | 2 | 32 | 70 | 81 | 70 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 45 | 22 | 58 | 117 | 144 | 137 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 93 | 93 | 562 | 562 |  | 486 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  | 200 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  | 1 | 0 |

Intersection: 8: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Nova Albion Drive

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | LT | R | LTR | L | TR | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 338 | 140 | 100 | 159 | 205 | 474 | 120 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 214 | 99 | 33 | 83 | 57 | 276 | 98 |
| 95th Queue (tI) | 363 | 177 | 78 | 150 | 138 | 521 | 162 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 320 |  | 170 |  | 791 | 461 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) | 5 |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |  |  |  | 24 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 115 |  | 140 |  |  | 95 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 27 | 0 |  | 4 | 0 | 31 | 2 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 57 | 1 |  | 5 | 0 | 133 | 6 |

[^11]Intersection: 9: Northgate Drive \& Las Gallinas Avenue


Intersection: 10: Mall Entrance/Del Presidio Boulevard \& Las Gallinas Avenue


Intersection: 11: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Merrydale Road/Merrydale Overpass

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 21 | 24 | 108 | 86 | 26 | 128 | 143 | 154 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 1 | 4 | 46 | 40 | 2 | 58 | 60 | 41 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 10 | 18 | 84 | 70 | 14 | 101 | 118 | 102 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 376 |  | 930 |  | 945 |  | 975 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 150 |  | 300 |  | 130 |  | 150 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 1 | 0 |

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Intersection: 12: Civic Center Drive \& Merrydale Overpass/Merrydale Road

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB | B165 | B165 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR | UL | TR | T | T |
| Maximum Queue (tt) | 121 | 155 | 33 | 62 | 104 | 168 | 93 | 461 | 17 | 86 |
| Average Queue (t) | 51 | 67 | 8 | 23 | 36 | 70 | 22 | 243 | 1 | 6 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 99 | 123 | 27 | 48 | 79 | 134 | 67 | 417 | 19 | 55 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 930 |  | 422 |  | 416 | 387 | 387 | 562 | 562 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 3 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 12 |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 310 |  | 250 |  | 320 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage BIK Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 13: Northgate Drive/Northgate \& Thorndale Drive/Northgate Mall


Intersection: 14: El Faisan Drive \& Northgate Drive

| Movement | EB | WB | NB | NB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | TR | LT | L | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 54 | 43 | 40 | 37 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 3 | 6 | 16 | 12 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 25 | 27 | 41 | 37 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 421 | 198 |  | 261 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  | 70 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  | 0 |  |

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## Intersection: 15: Nova Albion Way \& Northgate Drive/Northgate

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T | R | UL | T | LR |
| Maximum Queue (tt) | 29 | 41 | 65 | 15 | 107 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 2 | 4 | 27 | 1 | 49 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 16 | 21 | 56 | 7 | 82 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 198 |  |  | 798 | 230 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) 100100 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bik Time (\%) Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 16: Los Ranchitos Road/Las Gallinas Avenue \& Northgate Drive


Intersection: 17: Los Ranchitos Road \& N. San Pedro Road

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | L | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 134 | 400 | 203 | 383 | 100 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 106 | 144 | 85 | 164 | 70 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 155 | 289 | 161 | 319 | 140 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 807 | 514 | 421 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  | 1 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 110 |  |  |  | 75 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 9 | 7 |  | 19 | 1 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 32 | 19 |  | 60 | 2 |
| Network Summary |  |  |  |  |  |

[^13]Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | UL | T | T | R | UL | T | T | R | L | T | R | L |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 199 | 666 | 694 | 185 | 453 | 444 | 307 | 67 | 134 | 318 | 135 | 145 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 55 | 384 | 423 | 113 | 270 | 131 | 117 | 2 | 44 | 93 | 70 | 108 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 170 | 725 | 765 | 242 | 456 | 376 | 277 | 39 | 103 | 224 | 143 | 170 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 928 | 928 |  |  | 1110 | 1110 |  |  | 461 |  |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  | 1 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (tt) | 175 |  |  | 160 | 450 |  |  | 200 | 110 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  | 47 | 62 | 0 | 5 |  | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 17 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 15 | 44 | 1 | 15 |  | 0 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 3 | 45 |

Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway


Intersection: 2: Northgate Drive \& Freitas Parkway


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## Intersection: 3: Del Presidio Boulevard/101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR | T | T | T | LT | R | LT | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 380 | 462 | 161 | 208 | 183 | 33 | 316 | 265 | 425 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 109 | 255 | 52 | 96 | 77 | 5 | 146 | 106 | 134 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 291 | 467 | 118 | 166 | 146 | 24 | 315 | 202 | 329 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 431 | 431 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 334 | 334 | 615 | 615 |
| Unstream Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 1 |  | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 1 |  | 0 |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 4: 101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

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Directions Served
Maximum Queue (f)
Average Queue (ft
95th Queue (tt)
Link Distance (ft)
Upstream Blk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
Storage Bay Dist (At)
Storage BK Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
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Intersection: 5: Redwood Highway \& 101 NB Ramp


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## Intersection: 6: US 101 On-/Off-Ramps \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy



Intersection: 7: Civic Center Dr/Redwood Hwy \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy /Private Driveway

| Movement | EB | EB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | ULT | R | UL | TR | ULT | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 44 | 17 | 68 | 102 | 111 | 143 |
| Average Queue (t) | 9 | 1 | 28 | 53 | 50 | 63 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 34 | 10 | 53 | 84 | 86 | 110 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 93 | 93 | 562 | 562 |  | 486 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  | 200 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |

ntersection: 8: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Nova Albion Drive

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | LT | R | LTR | L | TR | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 342 | 140 | 104 | 163 | 241 | 439 | 120 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 199 | 90 | 35 | 98 | 53 | 173 | 86 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 339 | 174 | 80 | 166 | 156 | 392 | 157 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 320 |  | 170 |  | 791 | 461 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) | 3 |  | 0 |  |  | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  | 0 |  |  | 3 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 115 |  | 140 |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time $\%$ (\%) | 25 | 0 |  | 7 | 0 | 16 | 95 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 46 | 0 |  | 7 | 0 | 66 | 7 |

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## Intersection: 9: Northgate Drive \& Las Gallinas Avenue

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | B28 | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB | SB | S |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | T | LT | TR | L | T | R | L | T |  |
| Maximum Queue (tt) | 46 | 62 | 196 | 2 | 161 | 111 | 78 | 110 | 58 | 106 | 119 |  |
| Average Queue (ft) | 10 | 7 | 74 | 0 | 77 | 17 | 29 | 51 | 3 | 42 | 53 |  |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 32 | 34 | 156 | 2 | 144 | 62 | 60 | 88 | 28 | 89 | 103 |  |
| Link Distance (t) |  | 198 | 198 | 791 | 154 | 154 |  | 338 |  |  | 427 | 427 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  | 0 |  | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  | 1 |  | 2 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 135 |  |  |  |  |  | 160 |  | 220 | 210 |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 10: Mall Entrance/Del Presidio Boulevard \& Las Gallinas Avenue

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | B29 | SB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | L | TR | T | R | T | L | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 67 | 136 | 132 | 174 | 73 | 17 | 162 | 98 | 113 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 6 | 61 | 31 | 78 | 29 | 1 | 76 | 21 | 47 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 33 | 123 | 91 | 147 | 61 | 13 | 140 | 63 | 90 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 154 | 154 | 154 | 127 | 127 | 213 | 334 | 334 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  | 0 | 0 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 1 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 100 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 1 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 1 |

Intersection: 11: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Merrydale Road/Merrydale Overpass

| Movement | WB | WB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | TR | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 122 | 76 | 175 | 108 | 90 |
| Average Queue (t) | 54 | 35 | 81 | 41 | 34 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 97 | 63 | 139 | 85 | 74 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 930 | 945 |  | 975 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 300 |  |  | 150 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  | 0 |  |  |

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Intersection: 13: Northgate Drive/Northgate \& Thorndale Drive/Northgate Mall


Intersection: 14: El Faisan Drive/Project Driveway \& Northgate Drive


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## Intersection: 15: Nova Albion Way \& Northgate Drive/Northgate

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | R | UL | T | LR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 24 | 35 | 76 | 21 | 108 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 1 | 2 | 27 | 1 | 50 |
| 95th Queue (tI) | 14 | 16 | 60 | 10 | 85 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 198 |  |  | 798 | 230 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 16: Los Ranchitos Road/Las Gallinas Avenue \& Northgate Drive


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## Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | UL | T | T | R | UL | T | T | R | L | T | R |  |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 200 | 941 | 959 | 185 | 475 | 1002 | 973 | 180 | 132 | 410 | 135 | 145 |
| Average Queue (t) | 76 | 702 | 734 | 118 | 418 | 567 | 457 | 20 | 47 | 130 | 75 | 130 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 206 | 1113 | 1126 | 248 | 583 | 1199 | 1071 | 125 | 106 | 302 | 150 | 176 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 928 | 928 |  |  | 1110 | 1110 |  |  | 461 |  |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  | 25 | 35 |  |  | 4 | 1 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 27 | 6 |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (tt) | 175 |  |  | 160 | 450 |  |  | 200 | 110 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 72 | 79 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 41 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 31 | 60 | 1 | 180 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 28 | 4 | 14 |

Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 704 | 144 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 492 | 32 |
| 95 th Queue (t) | 858 | 113 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 668 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) | 33 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 36 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 96 | 0 |

Intersection: 2: Northgate Drive \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | UL | T | TR | UL | L | T | TR | LT | R | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 150 | 869 | 905 | 233 | 278 | 389 | 464 | 137 | 71 | 70 | 94 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 21 | 398 | 515 | 111 | 104 | 155 | 177 | 53 | 48 | 32 | 13 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 84 | 875 | 956 | 186 | 208 | 347 | 435 | 118 | 86 | 68 | 57 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 1110 | 1110 |  | 431 | 431 | 431 | 427 |  |  | 528 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 2 | 5 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | 26 |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 220 |  |  | 375 | 0 |  |  | 13 | 9 | 50 | 1 |
| Storage Bk Time $\%$ (\%) |  | 5 |  |  | 0 |  |  | 11 | 5 | 3 | 0 |

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## Intersection: 3: Del Presidio Boulevard/101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR | T | T | T | LT | R | LT | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 436 | 472 | 192 | 209 | 184 | 33 | 347 | 578 | 636 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 147 | 314 | 58 | 108 | 79 | 6 | 198 | 214 | 322 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 355 | 500 | 137 | 185 | 153 | 25 | 374 | 543 | 679 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 431 | 431 | 24 | 245 | 245 | 334 | 334 | 615 | 615 |
| Usstream Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 6 | 6 | 13 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 1 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bl\| Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 4: 101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | WB |
| :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 3 |
| Average Queue (t) | 0 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 3 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 802 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |
| Storage BIk Time (\%) |  |

Storage BIk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
Intersection: 5: Redwood Highway \& 101 NB Ramp


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## Intersection: 6: US 101 On-/Off-Ramps \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy



Intersection: 7: Civic Center Dr/Redwood Hwy \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy /Private Driveway

| Movement | EB | EB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | ULT | R | UL | TR | ULT | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 54 | 61 | 70 | 184 | 157 | 154 |
| Average Queue (t) | 17 | 5 | 32 | 88 | 79 | 67 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 45 | 33 | 59 | 147 | 133 | 121 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 93 | 93 | 562 | 562 |  | 486 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  | 200 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |

Intersection: 8: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Nova Albion Drive

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | LT | R | LTR | L | TR | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 341 | 140 | 99 | 164 | 277 | 474 | 120 |
| Average Queue (t) | 221 | 98 | 33 | 104 | 69 | 310 | 101 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 365 | 179 | 77 | 169 | 181 | 560 | 163 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 320 |  | 170 |  | 791 | 461 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) | 4 |  |  |  |  | 5 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |  |  |  | 36 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (tt) |  | 115 |  | 140 |  |  | 95 |
| Storage BIk Time (\%) | 29 | 0 |  | 8 | 1 | 37 | 2 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 60 | 1 |  | 11 | 1 | 156 | 5 |

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## Intersection: 9: Northgate Drive \& Las Gallinas Avenue

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | B28 | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | T | LT | TR | L | T | R | L | T | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 43 | 137 | 244 | 37 | 171 | 136 | 92 | 128 | 73 | 115 | 123 |  |
| Average Queue (ft) | 9 | 14 | 101 | 2 | 101 | 23 | 34 | 56 | 6 | 44 | 54 |  |
| 95th Queue (t) | 30 | 68 | 200 | 33 | 165 | 78 | 71 | 100 | 38 | 95 | 104 |  |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 198 | 198 | 791 | 154 | 154 |  | 338 |  |  | 427 | 427 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  | 0 | 1 |  | 2 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 3 |  | 3 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 135 |  |  |  |  |  | 160 |  | 220 | 210 |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 10: Mall Entrance/Del Presidio Boulevard \& Las Gallinas Avenue


Intersection: 11: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Merrydale Road/Merrydale Overpass

| Movement | WB | WB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | TR | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 118 | 75 | 173 | 148 | 97 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 52 | 37 | 84 | 60 | 36 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 91 | 63 | 140 | 113 | 79 |
| Link Distance ( (t) |  | 930 | 945 |  | 975 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 300 |  |  | 150 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  | 1 | 0 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |

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| Intersection: 12: Civic Center Drive \& Merrydale Overpass/Merrydale Road |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB | B165 |
| Directions Served | L | TR | L | TR | L | TR | UL | TR | T |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 154 | 152 | 34 | 70 | 90 | 174 | 91 | 468 | 52 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 75 | 65 | 6 | 26 | 36 | 75 | 22 | 265 | 4 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 136 | 117 | 24 | 55 | 73 | 142 | 63 | 434 | 28 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 930 |  | 422 |  | 416 | 387 | 387 | 562 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 310 |  | 250 |  | 320 |  |  |  |  |
| Storage BIK Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersection: 13: Northgate Drive/Northgate \& Thorndale Drive/Northgate Mall |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movement | EB | NB | SB |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Directions Served | LTR | LTR | TR |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 33 | 55 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Queue (tt) | 11 | 4 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 95th Queue (t) | 31 | 28 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Link Distance (ft) | 195 | 419 | 1041 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage BIk Time (\%)Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersection: 14: El Faisan Drive/Project Driveway \& Northgate Drive |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB |  |  |  |
| Directions Served | L | TR | LTR | L | TR | LTR |  |  |  |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 22 | 15 | 42 | 44 | 37 | 75 |  |  |  |
| Average Queue (tt) | 2 | 1 | 5 | 17 | 13 | 34 |  |  |  |
| 95th Queue (t) | 14 | 14 | 25 | 43 | 38 | 59 |  |  |  |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 419 | 198 |  | 261 | 151 |  |  |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 200 |  |  | 70 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |  |

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## Intersection: 15: Nova Albion Way \& Northgate Drive/Northgate

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | R | UL | T | LR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 37 | 40 | 77 | 23 | 126 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 2 | 4 | 30 | 1 | 54 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 20 | 21 | 64 | 11 | 96 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 198 |  |  | 798 | 230 |
| Unstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 100 | 100 |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 0 |  | 0 |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 0 |  | 0 |  |  |

Intersection: 16: Los Ranchitos Road/Las Gallinas Avenue \& Northgate Drive


Intersection: 17: Los Ranchitos Road \& N. San Pedro Road

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | L | $R$ |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 134 | 454 | 176 | 386 | 100 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 113 | 168 | 84 | 160 | 74 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 156 | 342 | 154 | 315 | 138 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 807 | 514 | 421 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  | 0 |  | 0 |  |
| Queeing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 |  | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (tt) | 110 |  |  | 20 | 75 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 11 | 9 |  | 62 | 1 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 40 | 25 |  |  |  |

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Network wide Queuing Penalty: 1095

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| Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Movement | EB | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB |
| Directions Served | UL | T | T | R | UL | T | T | R | L | T | R | L |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 200 | 953 | 954 | 185 | 475 | 1034 | 984 | 221 | 134 | 443 | 135 | 145 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 83 | 720 | 751 | 122 | 422 | 584 | 451 | 18 | 55 | 157 | 76 | 137 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 216 | 1113 | 1117 | 253 | 588 | 1176 | 1056 | 116 | 120 | 355 | 151 | 169 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 928 | 928 |  |  | 1110 | 1110 |  |  | 461 |  |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  | 23 | 31 |  |  | 2 | 1 |  |  | 1 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 14 | 4 |  |  | 3 |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 175 |  |  | 160 | 450 |  |  | 200 | 110 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 74 | 80 | 0 | 53 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 50 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 32 | 61 | 0 | 190 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 38 | 3 | 172 |

Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 708 | 143 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 528 | 26 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 874 | 100 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 668 |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) | 43 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 120 |
| Storage Bik Time (\%) | 31 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 83 | 0 |

Intersection: 2: Northgate Drive \& Freitas Parkway


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## Intersection: 3: Del Presidio Boulevard/101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | TR | T | T | T | LT | R | LT | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 434 | 475 | 137 | 192 | 162 | 60 | 355 | 546 | 615 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 147 | 328 | 47 | 102 | 75 | 5 | 222 | 177 | 272 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 370 | 508 | 108 | 166 | 136 | 40 | 386 | 450 | 620 |
| Link Distance (tt) | 431 | 431 | 245 | 245 | 245 | 334 | 334 | 615 | 615 |
| Usstream Blk Time (\%) | 0 | 3 |  |  |  |  | 7 | 3 | 6 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 18 |  |  |  |  | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 4: 101 SB Ramp \& Freitas Parkway

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Directions Served
Maximum Queue ($)
Average Queue (fi)
95th Queue (tt)
Link Distance (ft)
Upstream Blk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
Storage Bay Dist (At)
Storage Bk Time (\%)
Queuing Penalty (veh)
```

Intersection: 5: Redwood Highway \& 101 NB Ramp

| Movement | NB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 70 | 108 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 33 | 20 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 61 | 72 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 464 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |
| Storage Bik Time (\%) |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |

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## Intersection: 6: US 101 On-/Off-Ramps \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy



Intersection: 7: Civic Center Dr/Redwood Hwy \& Manuel T Freitas Pkwy /Private Driveway

| Movement | EB | EB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | ULT | R | UL | TR | ULT | R |
| Maximum Queue (t) | 46 | 50 | 70 | 221 | 168 | 161 |
| Average Queue (t) | 16 | 4 | 34 | 88 | 75 | 67 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 43 | 26 | 60 | 160 | 129 | 121 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 93 | 93 | 562 | 562 |  | 486 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  | 200 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |

Intersection: 8: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Nova Albion Drive

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | NB | NB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | LT | R | LTR | L | TR | LT | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 339 | 140 | 102 | 164 | 258 | 473 | 120 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 220 | 90 | 31 | 106 | 81 | 270 | 102 |
| 95th Queue (tt) | 359 | 174 | 74 | 173 | 200 | 512 | 160 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 320 |  | 170 |  | 791 | 461 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) | 4 |  |  |  |  | 4 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |  |  |  | 29 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 115 |  | 140 |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time $\%$ (\%) | 28 | 0 |  | 8 | 1 | 32 | 2 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 58 | 0 |  | 13 | 2 | 136 | 5 |

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Intersection: 9: Northgate Drive \& Las Gallinas Avenue

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | B28 | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB | SB | S |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | T | LT | TR | L | T | R | L | T |  |
| Maximum Queue (tt) | 34 | 119 | 232 | 15 | 177 | 167 | 84 | 118 | 40 | 137 | 119 |  |
| Average Queue ( f ) | 9 | 13 | 100 | 1 | 104 | 32 | 34 | 51 | 2 | 47 | 46 |  |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 28 | 64 | 200 | 18 | 172 | 102 | 67 | 92 | 22 | 105 | 97 |  |
| Link Distance (t) |  | 198 | 198 | 791 | 154 | 154 |  | 338 |  |  | 427 | 427 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  | 1 |  | 3 | 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  | 3 |  | 5 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 135 |  |  |  |  |  | 160 |  | 220 | 210 |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  | 0 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  | 0 |  |  |

Intersection: 10: Mall Entrance/Del Presidio Boulevard \& Las Gallinas Avenue


Intersection: 11: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Merrydale Road/Merrydale Overpass

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | L | TR | L | TR | TR | L | TR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 39 | 39 | 110 | 90 | 182 | 159 | 170 |
| Average Queue (t) | 10 | 10 | 52 | 40 | 87 | 69 | 45 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 32 | 31 | 92 | 71 | 148 | 129 | 109 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 376 |  | 930 | 945 |  | 975 |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 150 |  | 300 |  |  | 150 |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  | 0 | 1 | 0 |

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Intersection: 13: Northgate Drive/Northgate \& Thorndale Drive/Northgate Mall


Intersection: 14: El Faisan Drive/Project Driveway \& Northgate Drive


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## Intersection: 15: Nova Albion Way \& Northgate Drive/Northgate

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | WB | NB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | T | R | UL | T | LR |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 34 | 42 | 60 | 14 | 112 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 2 | 4 | 29 | 1 | 54 |
| 95th queue (tI) | 18 | 23 | 59 | 10 | 93 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 198 |  |  | 798 | 230 |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  |  |  |  |  |

Intersection: 16: Los Ranchitos Road/Las Gallinas Avenue \& Northgate Drive


Intersection: 17: Los Ranchitos Road \& N. San Pedro Road

| Movement | EB | EB | WB | SB | SB |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Directions Served | L | T | TR | L | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 134 | 412 | 182 | 384 | 100 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 110 | 167 | 81 | 157 | 66 |
| 95th Queue (ft) | 156 | 343 | 147 | 326 | 139 |
| Link Distance (tt) |  | 807 | 514 | 421 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) |  |  |  | 1 |  |
| Queuing Penantly (veh) |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) | 110 |  |  |  | 75 |
| Storage Blk Time (\%) | 10 | 8 |  | 19 | 1 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 37 | 24 |  | 57 | 2 |

Network Summary
Network wide Queuing Penalty: 1065

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## Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | EB | EB | EB | EB | WB | WB | WB | WB | NB | NB | NB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | UL | T | T | R | UL | T | T | R | L | T | R | L |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 200 | 523 | 568 | 185 | 475 | 1146 | 1169 | 135 | 134 | 28 | 34 | 45 |
| Average Queue (tt) | 67 | 311 | 347 | 123 | 475 | 1113 | 862 | 8 | 45 | 119 | 79 | 116 |
| 95th Queue (t) | 188 | 622 | 658 | 250 | 475 | 1226 | 1582 | 77 | 106 | 254 | 149 | 171 |
| Link Distance (ft) |  | 928 | 928 |  |  | 1110 | 1110 |  |  | 461 |  |  |
| Upstream BIk Time (\%) |  | 3 | 4 |  |  | 55 | 13 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) |  | 0 | 0 |  |  | 359 | 85 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (t) | 175 |  |  | 160 | 450 |  |  | 200 | 110 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Storage Bik Time (\%) | 0 | 36 | 54 | 0 | 99 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 14 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 | 16 | 41 | 1 | 359 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 6 | 49 |

Intersection: 1: Las Gallinas Avenue \& Freitas Parkway

| Movement | SB | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Directions Served | T | R |
| Maximum Queue (ft) | 450 | 143 |
| Average Queue (ft) | 213 | 30 |
| 95 th Queue (t) | 460 | 101 |
| Link Distance (ft) | 668 |  |
| Upstream Blk Time (\%) | 4 |  |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 0 |  |
| Storage Bay Dist (ft) |  | 120 |
| Storage BIk Time (\%) | 15 | 0 |
| Queuing Penalty (veh) | 42 | 0 |


[^0]:    Methodology based on Washington State Transportation Center Research Report Method For Prioritizing Intersection Improvements, January 1997 The right turn lane and taper analysis is based on work conducted by Cottrell in 1981.
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[^4]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Existing Conditions

[^5]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Existing Conditions W-Trans

[^6]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Existing Conditions

[^7]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline Condition

[^8]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline Conditions
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[^9]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline Condition

[^10]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline Condition

[^11]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Future Condition
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[^12]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Future Condition
    W-Trans

[^13]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Future Conditions
    W-Trans

[^14]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline plus Master Plan Condition

[^15]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline plus Master Plan Conditions
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[^16]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline plus Master Plan Condition

[^17]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline plus Master Plan Conditions
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[^18]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Baseline plus Master Plan Condition

[^19]:    Northgate Mall TIS - AM Peak Hour Future plus Master Plan Conditions

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