

Santa Ana Downtown Transit Zone Complete Streets Plan







• Project Team:







- Funded by Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) Sustainable Communities Strategy
- Project Length: One year (May 2014 May 2015)

What is Complete Streets

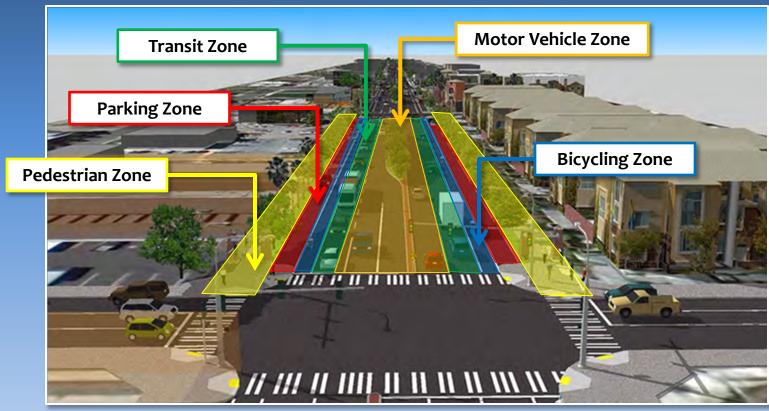
 Aims to develop integrated, connected networks of streets that are safe and accessible for all people, regardless of age, ability, income, ethnicity, or chosen mode of travel.





What is Complete Streets

 Provides safe travel for people using any mode of travel, including bicycling, walking, riding transit, and driving.





What is Complete Streets

 Changing transportation planning, design, maintenance, and funding decisions





What to Consider in a Complete Street

- Safety
- Accessibility
- Mobility
- Land Use & Destinations
- Community Needs
- Policies





Project Purpose

- Create a set of projects for further design development to improve access and mobility modes for walking, bicycling, transit and motor vehicles
- Capitalizing on existing investments, opportunities for new investments
- Serve as an example for other areas of the Santa Ana and other cities

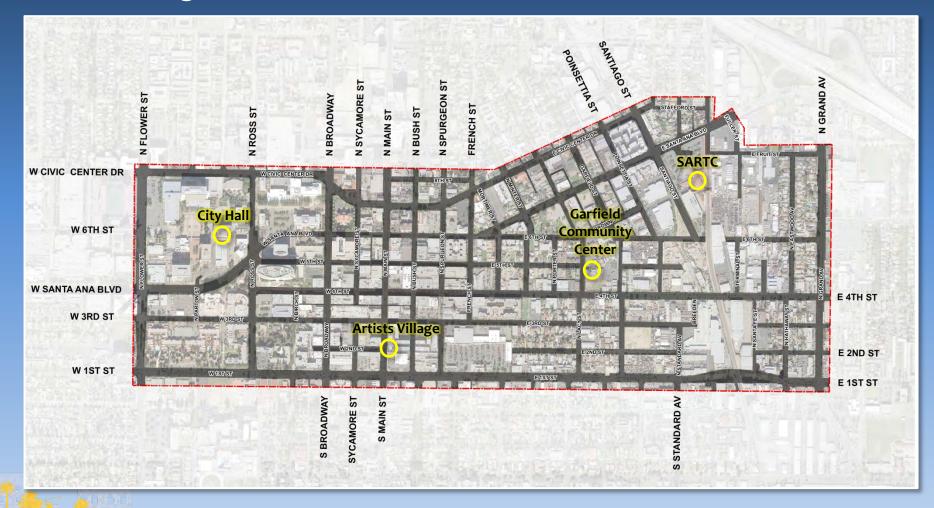






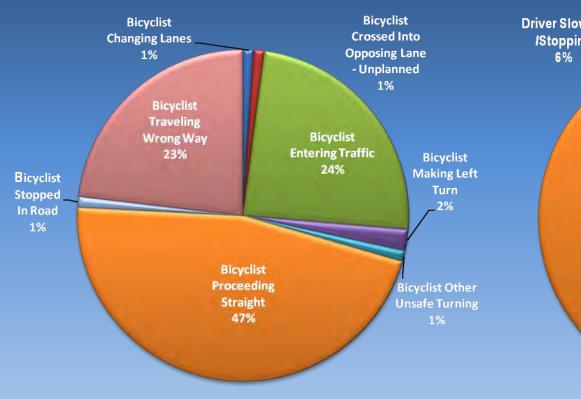
Study Area

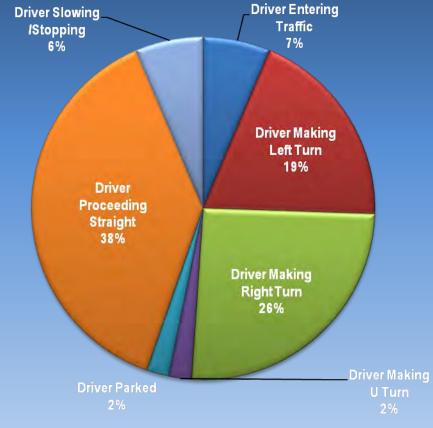
- ¾ Square Miles
- No existing bicycle facilities



Collision Analysis: Bicyclists

- 2004-2013 (10 Years)
- 144 Total Collisions (Bike vs Vehicle), 2 Fatalities







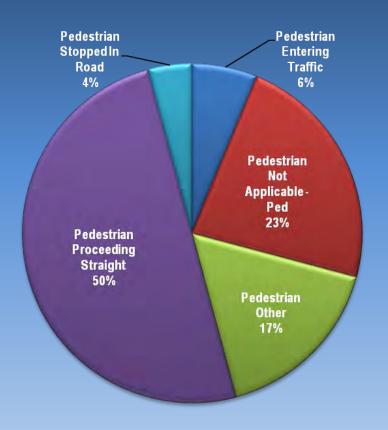
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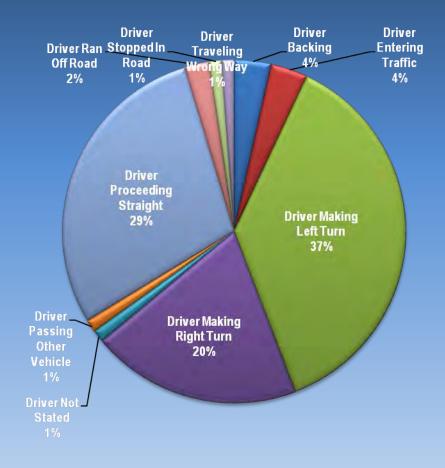
• First Street, Main Street, Civic Center Drive



Collision Analysis: Pedestrians

- 156 Total Collisions (Ped vs Vehicle), 1 Fatality
- 3 Ped-Bike, o Fatalities

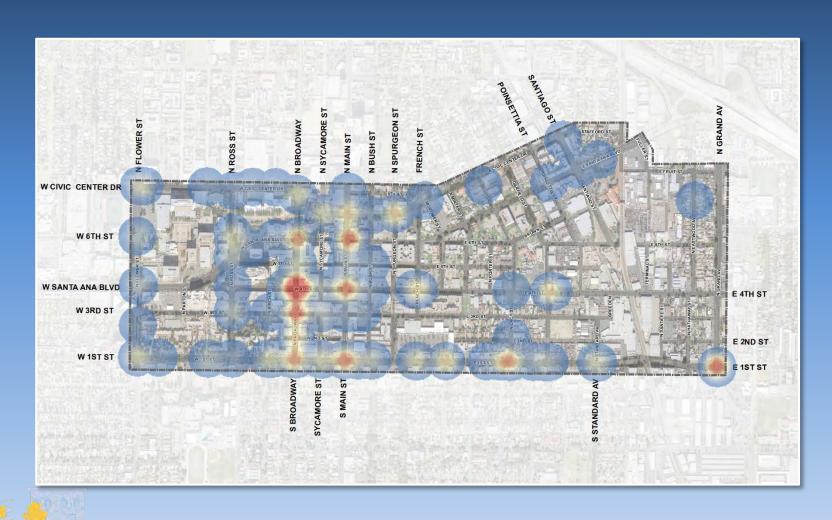






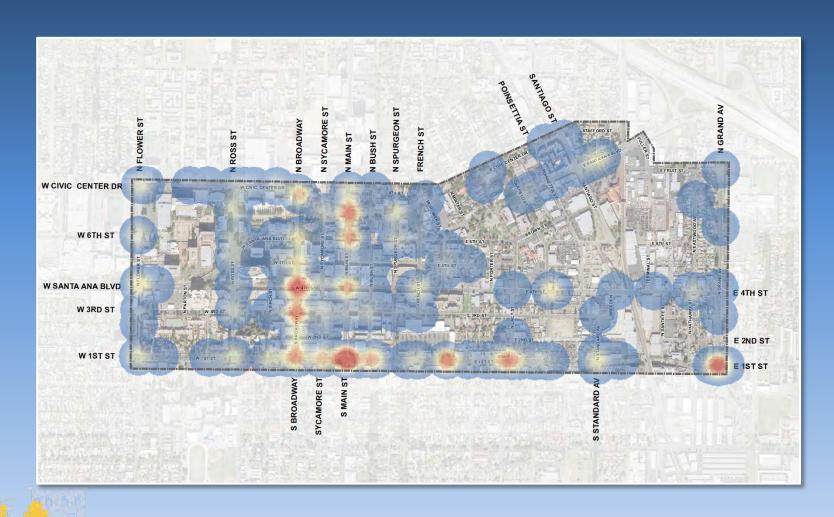
Collision Analysis: Pedestrians

• Broadway, First Street, 4th Street, Main Street



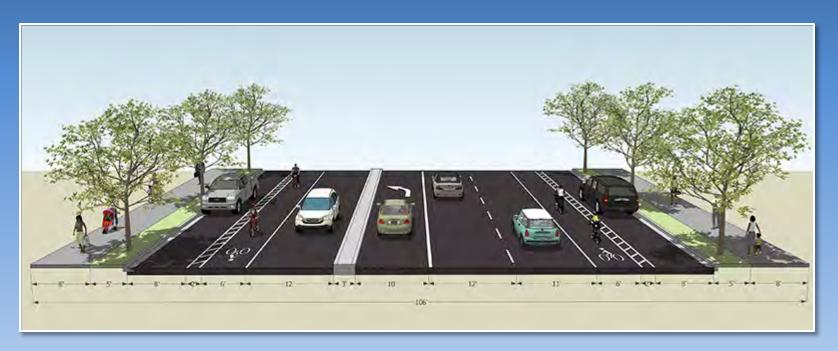
Collision Analysis: Composite

• Bicycle and Pedestrian Related Collisions



Broad Focus

- Focus on complete streets
- Improve non-motorized access to and around downtown
- Connect activity nodes within project area
- Prioritize corridors and solutions



Constraints to mobility

- Identify features in the study area that makes it unsafe or uncomfortable for all users
- Identify barriers that are:
 - Challenging to walk or bicycle on
 - Difficult to cross
 - Have high speed traffic
- Identify primary routes to school





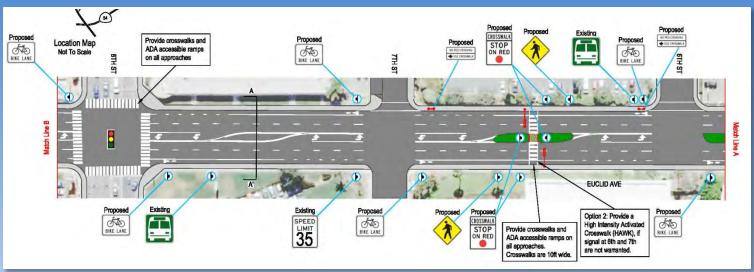




Project Development

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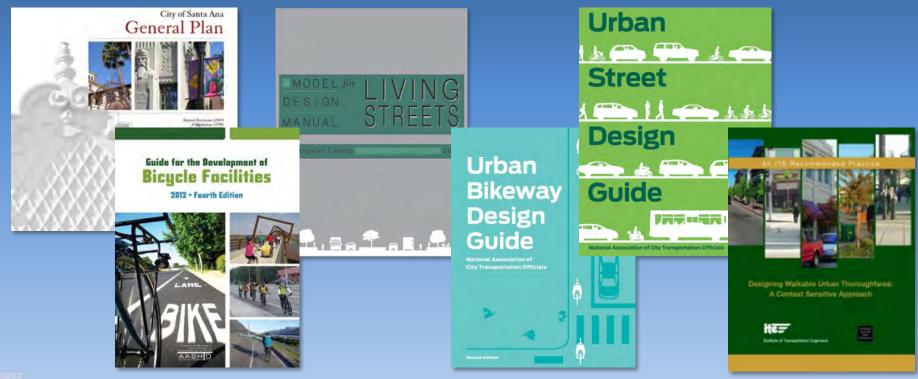
- Pedestrian facilities & treatments to improve walking
- Bicycle facilities and treatments to improve bicycling
- Short & long-term implementation projects
- Enhanced linkages to transit





Project Development

- Review existing street guidelines
- Innovative national & state standards (ITE, NACTO, AASHTO, Model Design Manual for Living Streets)



Civic Engagement

- Engage residents in the planning process
- Community Advisory Committee Meetings (3)
- Online survey
- Community Design Charrette Sept 25-27 (3 Days)
 - Walk Audit
 - Bike Tour







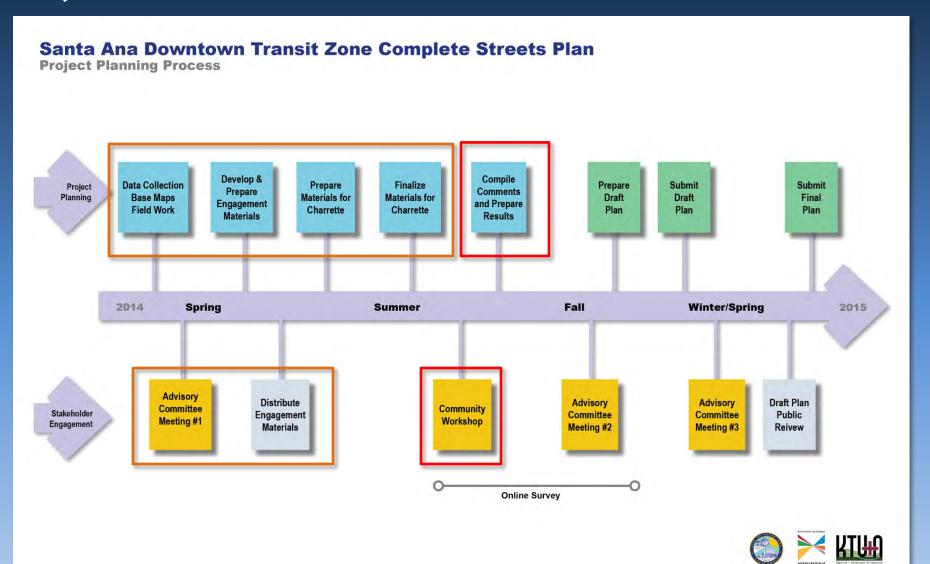
Consistency with Previous and On-going Planning Efforts

City of Santa Ana General Plan Update

- Circulation Element Update: Continue complete street focus
- Bikeway Master Plan: Fill in gaps
- Pedestrian Master Plan: Identify pedestrian opportunities
- Enhance pedestrian & bicycle opportunities



Project Work Flow



Workshop Agenda

Thursday (6-8 pm)

6-8 pm Project Introduction and Open House

Friday (1-7 pm)

1-3 pm – Walk Audit & Bike Tour

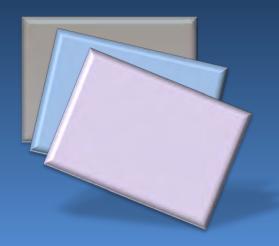
3-6 pm – Table Top Exercises (Big ideas and specific issues)

6-7 pm – Open House

Saturday (9-12 pm)

9 am-12 pm – Table Top Exercises (Solutions and Recommendations)





Add your comments to any of the maps and exhibits.

Please fill out the online survey:

http://www.ci.santa-ana.ca.us/completestreets

Thanks for participating!

