



Communities of concern

Board Agenda Item 11



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Adoption of Proposed Communities of Concern Boundaries for San Francisco

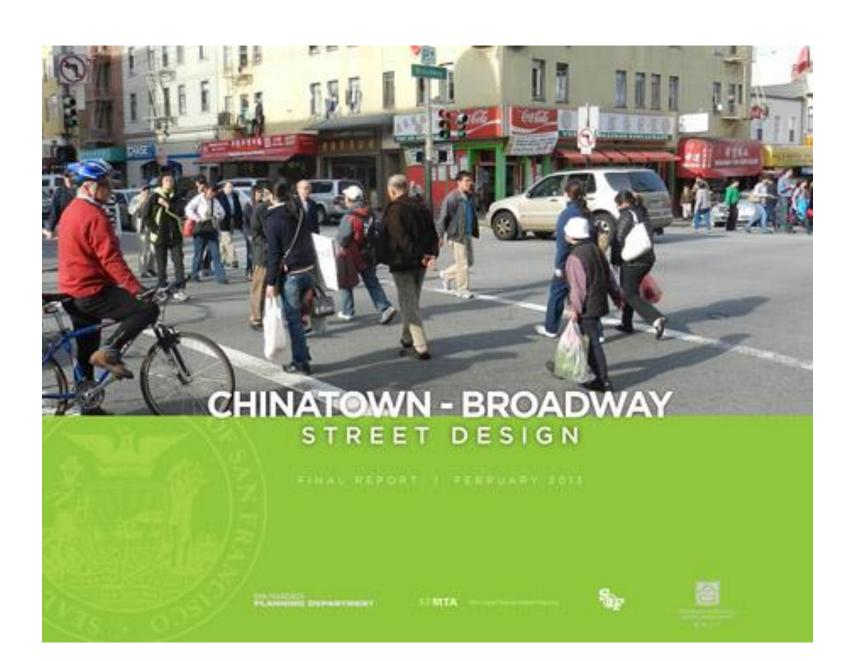
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Disadvantaged factors -> Communities of Concern



Communities of Concern Purpose

Plan BayArea



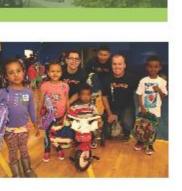
WESTERN ADDITION COMMUNITY-BASED **TRANSPORTATION PLAN**

WHAT IS THE WESTERN ADDITION COMMUNITY-BASED TRANSPORTATION PLAN (WACBTP)?

- Community fueled project to enhance transportation access in the Western Addition neighborhood
- Focused only on transportation improvements with an
- emphasis on improving walking, biking, and taking transit Emphasis will be on transportation safety and crime prevention
- through environmental design (CPTED)
- The plan will serve as a tool to compete for funding to implement transportation improvements
- Goal is to obtain funding to complete transportation improvement projects within one to five years
- Part of a broader regional community-based planning effor

WHY THE WESTERN ADDITION?

- Western Addition is a cultural asset as a historic center of San Francisco's African-American community and approximately 20% of San Francisco's African-American population resides within the Western Addition
- Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) identified the Western Addition as community of concern with a high concentration of low-income housing and large population of minority residents challenged with city's high cost of living
- Western Addition experiences high vehicle speeds, cut through traffic, and has been identified by the City's Vision Zero policy and WalkFirst program as a high-injury area
- Long-term goal is to improve community's transportation options and access to more employment and education opportunities meanwhile the near-term goal is to further empower the Western Addition community in bettering their neighborhood streets





STAY INFORMED To find out more about the Western Addition Community-Based Transportation Plan and to see upcoming community outreach events go to SFMTA.com/WesternAddition For questions or comments, please call 415.701.4692 or email

WesternAdditionCBTP@sfmta.com

to provide existing and future neighborhoods along the San Mateo-San Francisco County border with a bus connection to the border area's key regional transit system hubs. This early phase of analysis and ommunity outreach was conducted by the San Francisco County Transportation Authority and artner agencies in San Francisco and San Mateo ounties, and guided by a Community Advisory commitee, comprised of residents and workers of San Francisco, Brisbane, and Daly City who use the Near-Term Alternatives The Study developed and analyzed the feasibility of hree alternatives. All three were found to increase transit ridership and reduce travel time. These alignments and configurations will be further analyzed and refined in the next phase of study, led by the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA)

The Geneva-Harney Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) easibility Study provided conceptual planning and design work for a proposed BRT service envisioned

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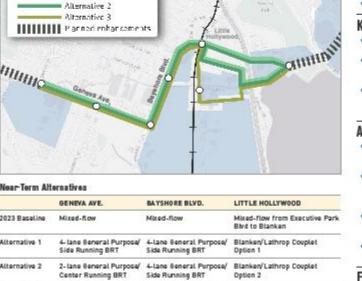
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Near-Term Alignment Options

Alternative 1



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character Key Findings by SFMTA. This study is planned to commence in Fall 2015.



Fact Sheet Geneva-Harney Bus Rapid Transit Feasibility Study



· Support for more reliable, more frequent transi Support for safer crossing opportunitie Support for safer bicycle facilities Concern about impacts to parking availability Concern about change in neighborhood Concern about construction impacts

· BRT would reduce travel time and provide more dependable transit service. BRT would provide the higher quality transi ervice necessary to achieve mode-split targe of major developments in the corridor. Several questions remain to be addressed before an alternative can be selected for each

Approval and Next Steps The San Francisco County Transportation Authority Board approved the Geneva-Name Bus Rapid Transit Feasibility Study in July 2015 · All alternatives will be evaluated more nsively in a pre-environmental study, led

· Next phases of study will refine the existing options and define the best-performing rridor-long alignment and configuration Expected implementation of the near-term alignment is in the 2020-2023 timeframe.

For more information Please visit the Geneva-Harney BRT project ebsite at: www.genevabrt.org, or email us a genevabrt@sfcta.org.

Area 2040)

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Regional funding prioritization (OBAG, Lifeline Transportation Program)

- **Regional Plan Inclusion (Plan Bay**
- **Neighborhood Transportation** Improvement Program (NTIP)
- Vision Zero traffic collisions and
- SFMTA's Muni Equity Strategy *

CoC Disadvantaged Factors

Disadvantaged

Minority

Low Income (<2 Poverty Level)

Limited English

Zero-Vehicle Hou

Seniors 75 Years

People with Disa

Single-Parent Fa

Cost-Burdened

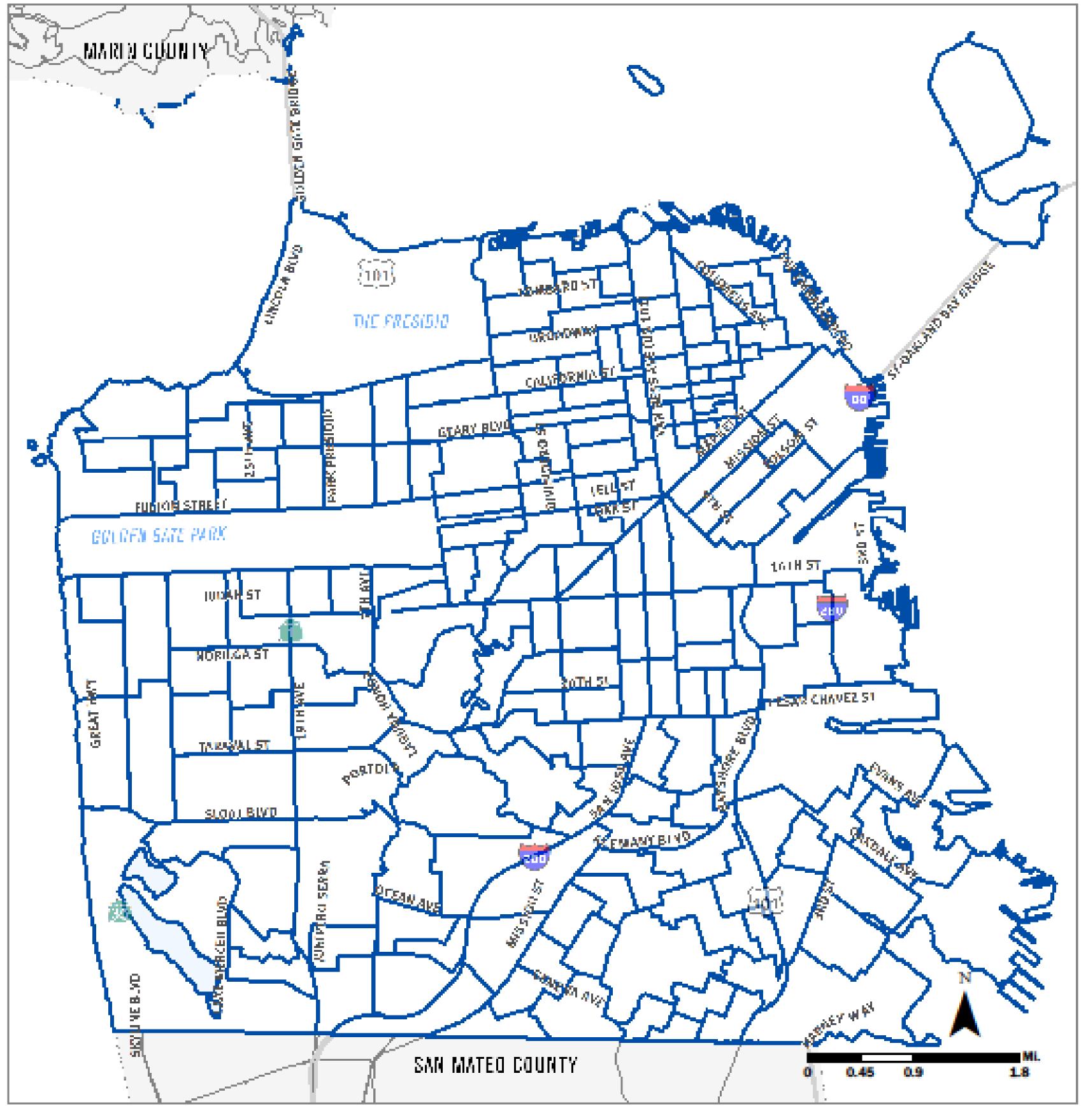
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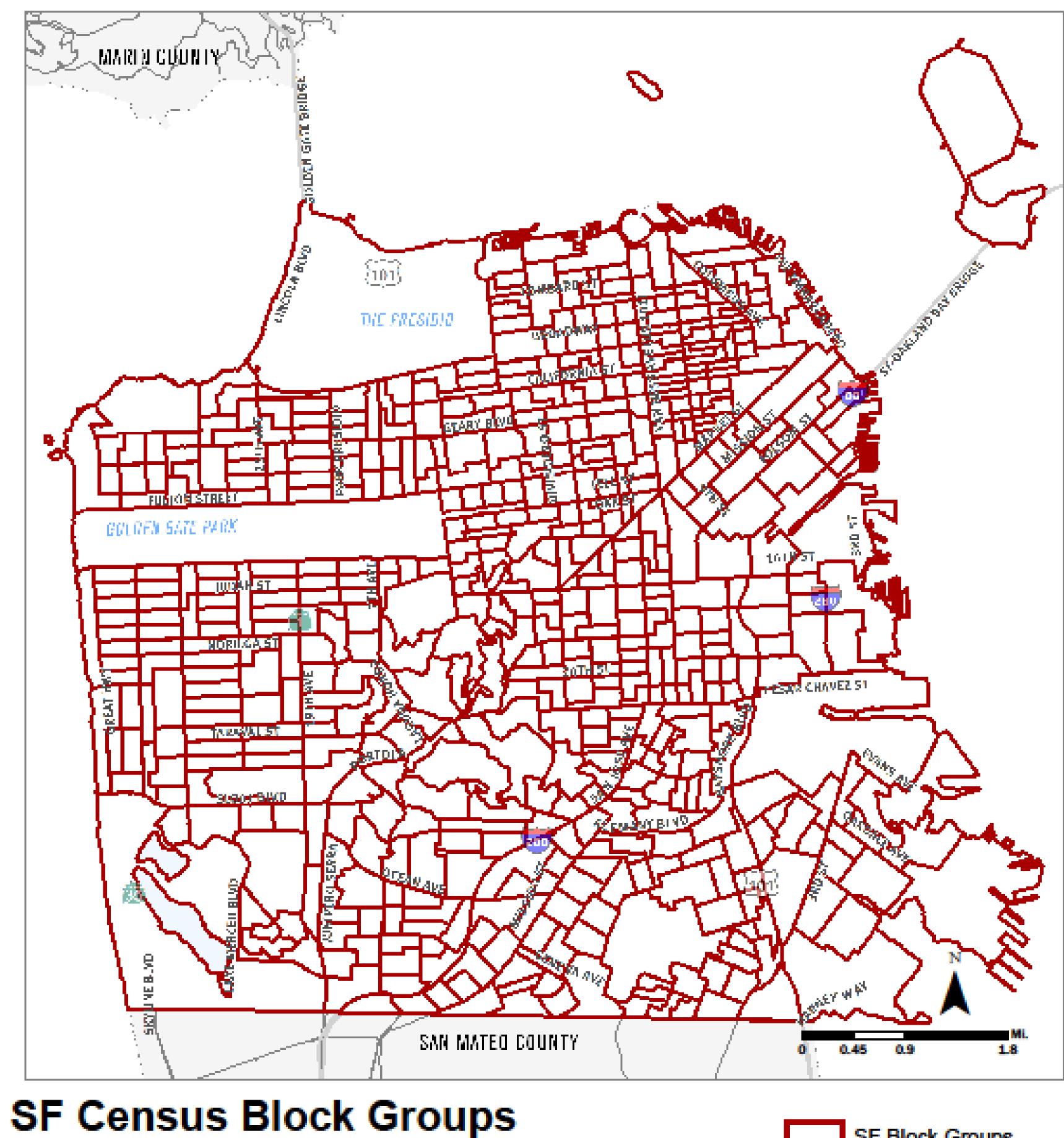
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TA Authority and Proposed Boundaries

SF Tracts



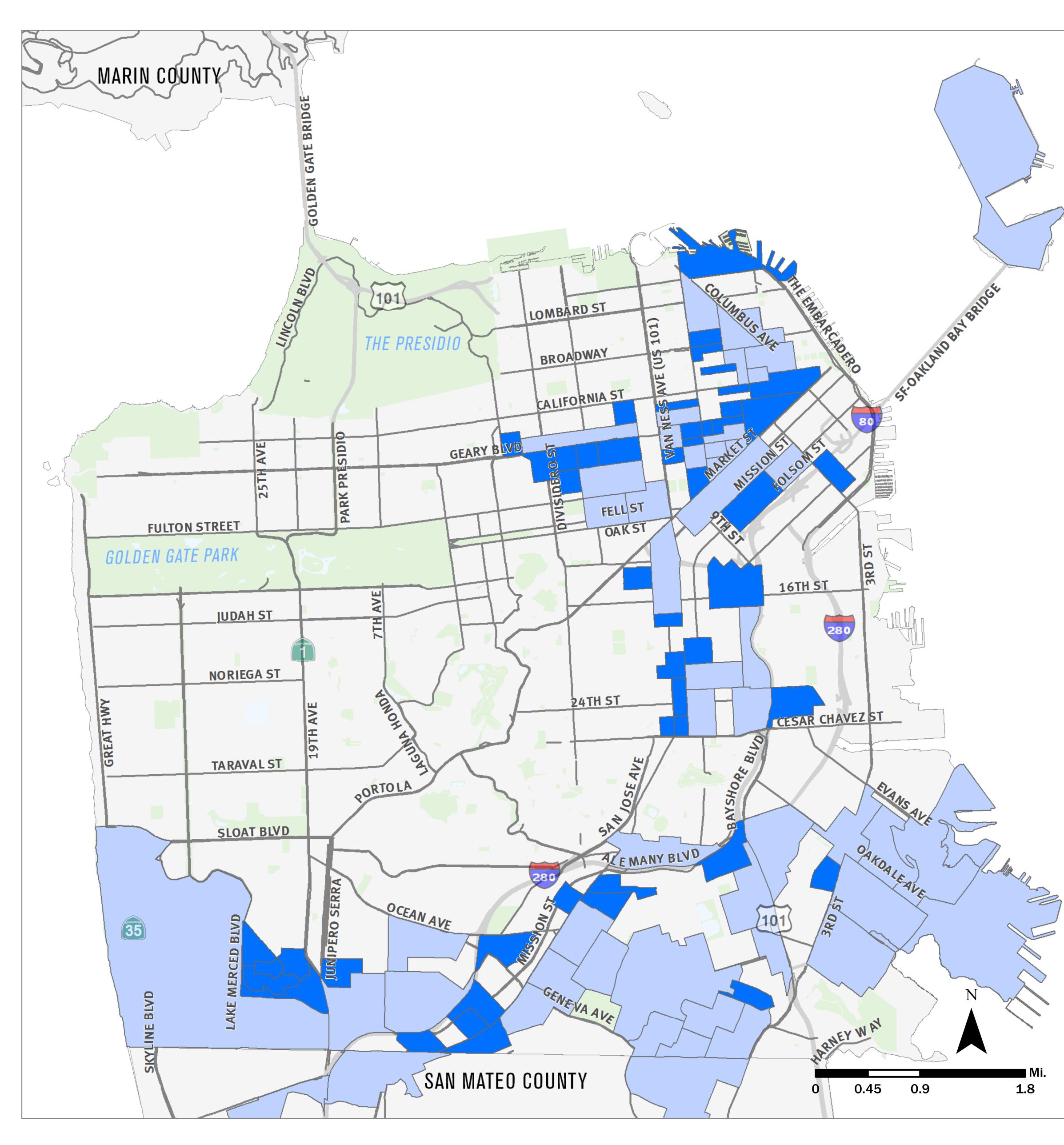
SF Census Tracts





SF Block Groups

Proposed Boundaries





SFCTA 2017 supplemental Communities of Concern Boundaries

MTC 2017 Communities of Concern (Modified)

Parks and Open Space

Definition

Census Tracts already identified as CoCs per MTC's 2017 update and 1) with a population of at least 10,000 and

2)

Contiguous census block groups that meet MTC's existing threshold analysis and with a population of at least 10,000



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Questions

