Inner Sunset Transportation Safety Study



San Francisco County Transportation Authority



SFMTA

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Agenda

- Sign in, Welcome
- Presentation
- Small Group Breakouts
- Closing Session and Raffle
- Comment Card Drop Off





Study Purpose

The Inner Sunset Transportation Safety Study will work to create a list of nearmid- and long-term traffic safety recommendations to improve safety and access in the study area.

Funding

This study is funded by the Transportation Authority's Neighborhood Transportation Improvement Program.







Study Outcomes

- (2 3) Quick-to-implement transportation safety or access improvements
- (2 3) Initial designs for new transportation project improvements that will require further development
- (1 2) Bold concepts with community interest and potential to significantly improve community goals







Schedule

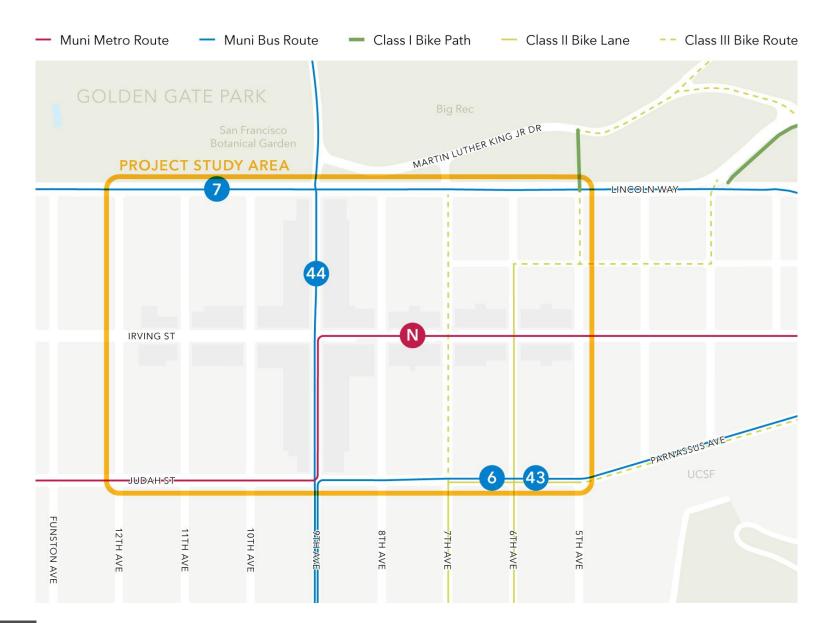
- **Summer 2024:** Draft Existing Conditions, Needs, Goals
- Fall 2024: Community Outreach
- Winter 2024/25: Concept Development and Analysis
- Spring 2025: Community Outreach
- Spring/Early Summer 2025: Final Report





Data Analyzed

- Recent and Planned Changes
- Traffic Circulation Data and Observations
- Crash Data
- Access for People Walking and Rolling
- Transit Ridership and Travel Time







Recent and Planned Changes in the Study Area

2019

Inner Sunset Curb Management Project

Stop removal along the 7 line to improve travel times. Parking reallocation including new loading zones throughout the study area

— 2019

Inner Sunset Streetscape Improvements

Transit Bulbs, safety and reliability upgrades, traffic safety upgrades

Sigma 2019

Inner Sunset Streetscape Improvements Pedestrian bulbs

R 2019

Inner Sunset Streetscape Improvements Planters with seating, new paving

2020

12th Avenue Becomes a Slow Street

2019 - 2021
Speed Humps Installed

O 2024

Lincoln Way Quick-Build Daylighting

2024

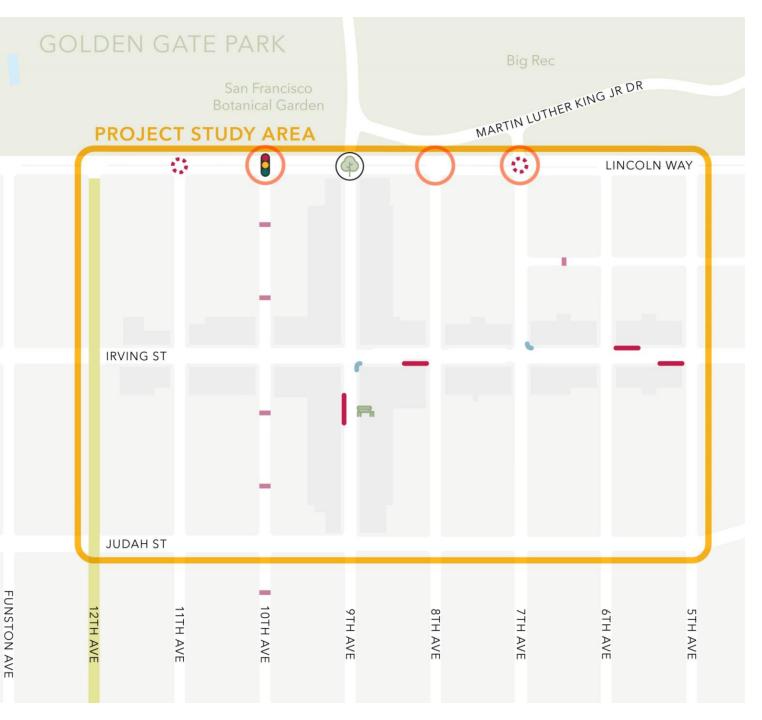
GGP Gateway Improvements Under Construction

New trees, paving, and lighting began construction in Summer 2024

2026

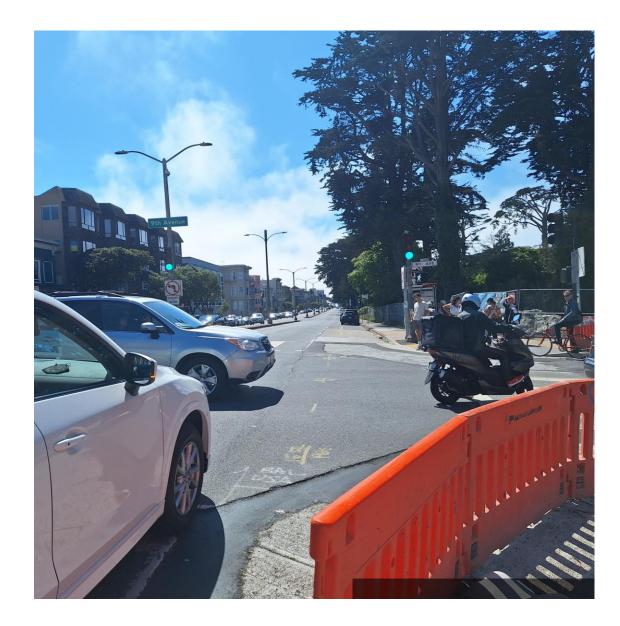
Planned New Traffic Signal Planned to finish construction in 2026





Traffic Circulation

- Lincoln Way carries roughly 28,700 vehicles on weekdays and 31,700 on weekends
- Vehicle queues on 9th Ave, especially on weekends





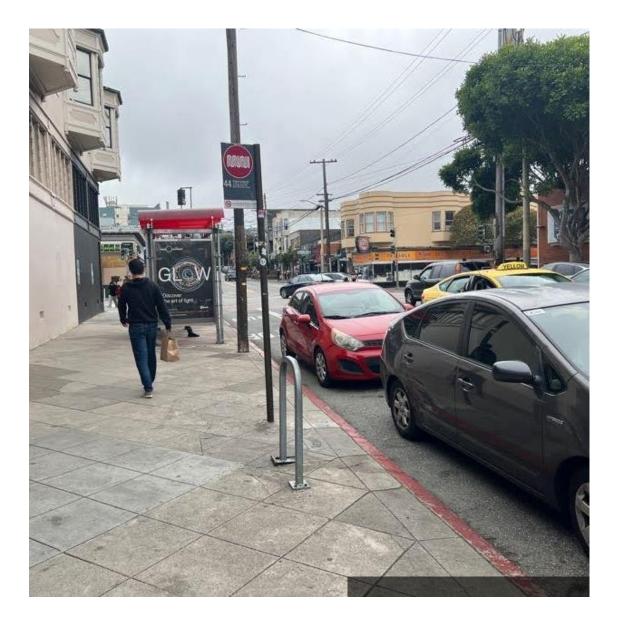






Parking/Loading

- Parking and loading in transit stops
- Double parking can create unsafe situations, particularly for people biking, and block transit





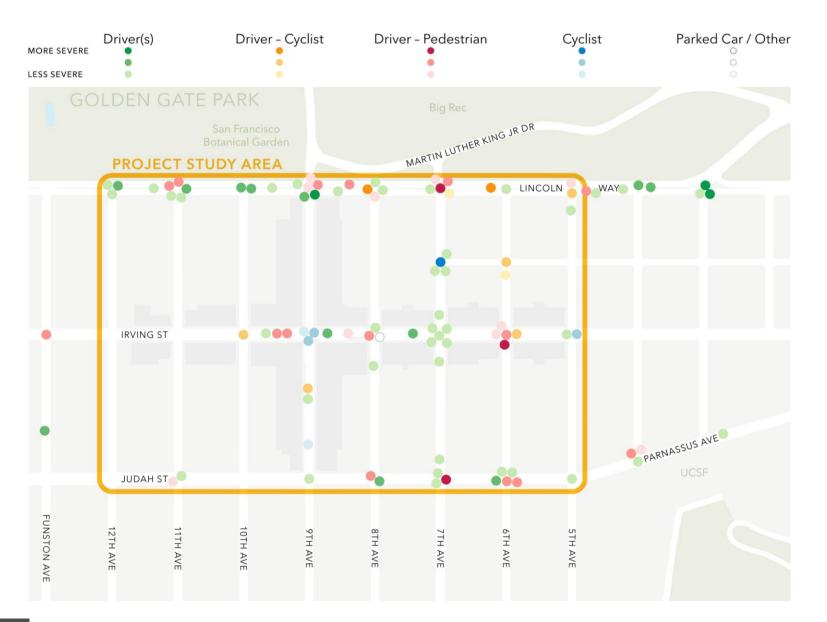






Crash Analysis

- Common types of crashes are t-bones and vehiclepedestrian crashes
- Pedestrian involved crashes were often caused by drivers not yielding to people crossing the street

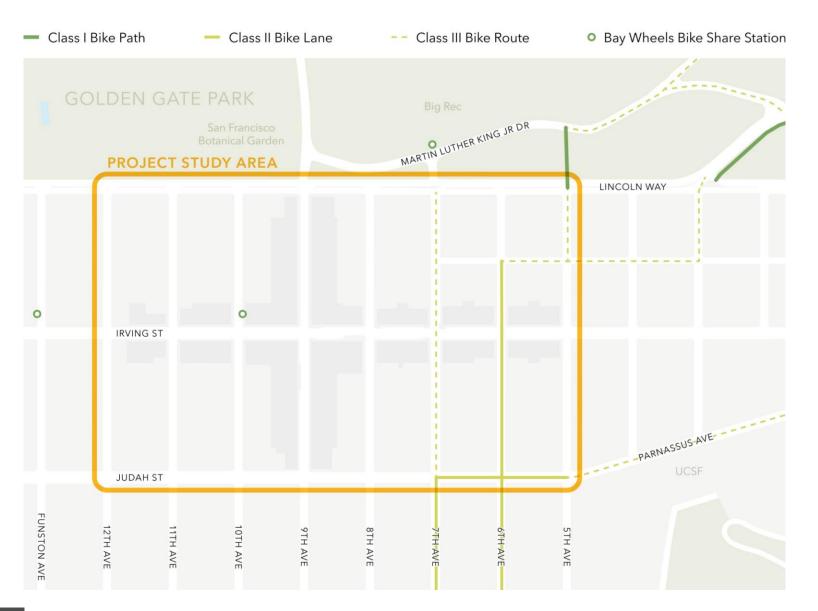






Walking and Biking Access

- Walking activity is high in the study area, particularly on weekends
- Bike routes are limited and high-stress













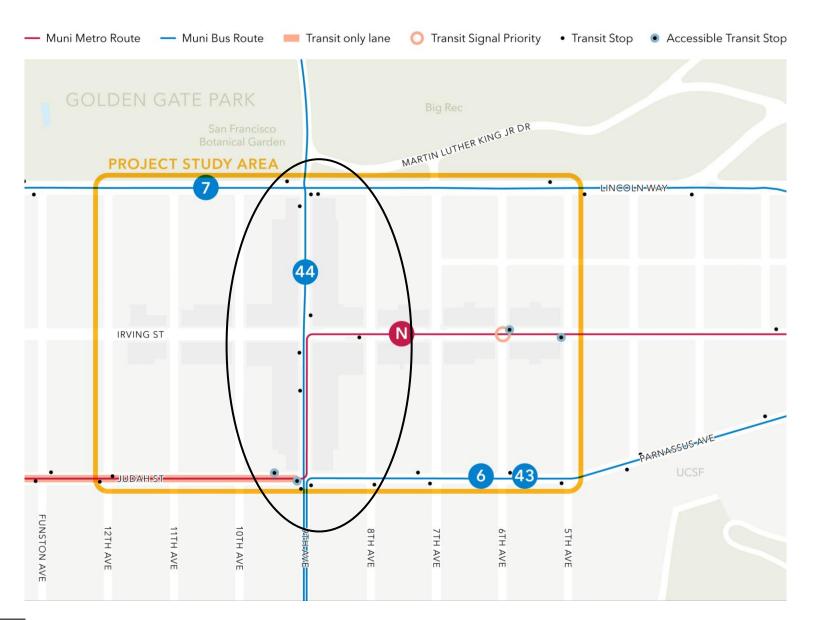


Transit

- Walkable transit access with frequent routes
- Transit usage to and from the study area is robust on both weekdays and weekends
- Double parking and vehicle queueing causes delays and reliability issues, particularly for the 44 bus











Key Takeaways \rightarrow Draft Goals

• Prioritize Safety for Vulnerable Road Users

Issues: Lincoln is on the HIN, pedestrian and cyclist crashes concentrated in the study area

• Improve Transit Reliability

Issues: Transit stuck in vehicle queues & blocked by double parking

• Enhance Access to Key Destinations

Issues: Limited and high-stress bike options, long vehicle queues

• Support Economic Vitality

Issues: Circulation issues impacting access to goods, services, deliveries







Thank you.

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