# Measure DD (2002), the Oakland Trust for Clean Water and Safe Parks

Project update November 21, 2022



## No updates, see September meeting for latest info

### **Crowley Trail**

estimated construction 2024

### Glen Echo Creek Restoration

public meetings anticipated for spring

## No updates, see July meeting for latest info

### Lake Merritt Channel

- 7th Street Pedestrian crosswalk
  - Department of Transportation has been asked to repair project
  - Final payment to construction contractor withheld due to labor law dispute

### Measure DD Coalition Administrative Support Contract

Targeting map updates in winter

## No updates, see May meeting for latest info

### Lake Merritt and Channel

- ✓ Lake Merritt Improvement Project/Garden Center & Grande Ave entrance *closing project*
- ✓ Snow Park/Lakeside Green Street Project *closing project*

Oakland Waterfront Access, Parks, and Cleanup

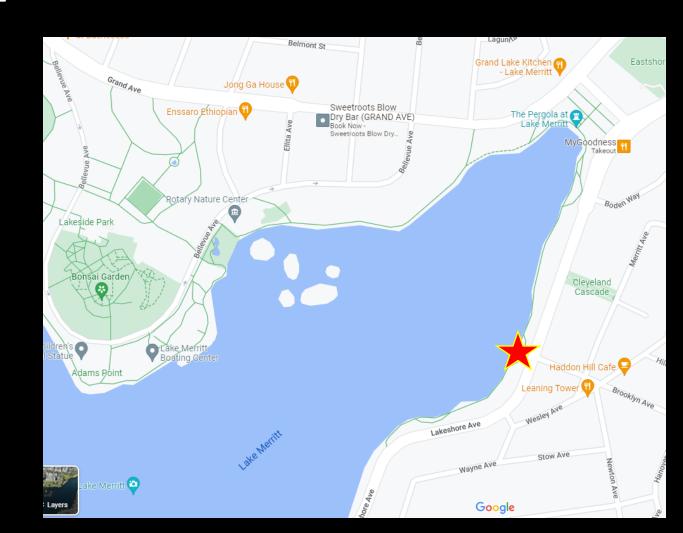
√ Harbor Master Trail Connection – closing project

## Creek and Waterway Restoration

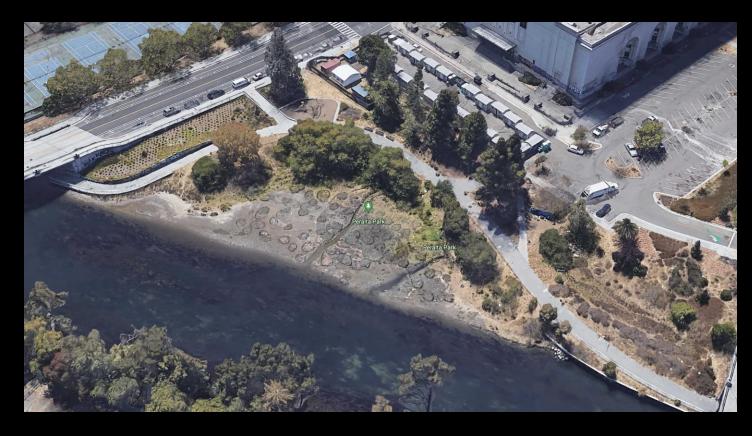
Creek Restoration of Beaconsfield Branch Sausal Creek

## Decomposed Granite (DG) Path Repair

- Prior update was May 16, 2022
- Vendor/contractor putting together a bid to conduct the work
- Challenges and delays:
  - finding a contractor to do the work
  - City Contract Services has and continues to be short-staffed



## Lake Merritt Channel Improvements at 10<sup>th</sup> Street



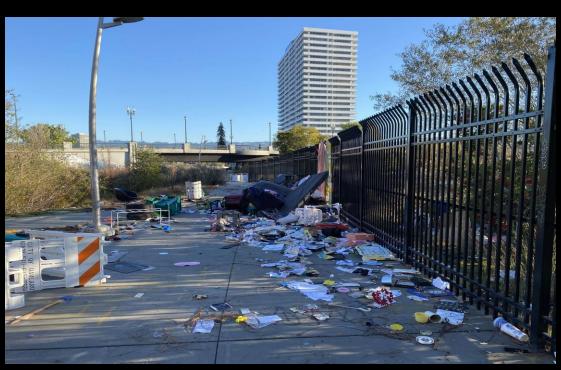


## Lake Merritt Channel at 10th Street

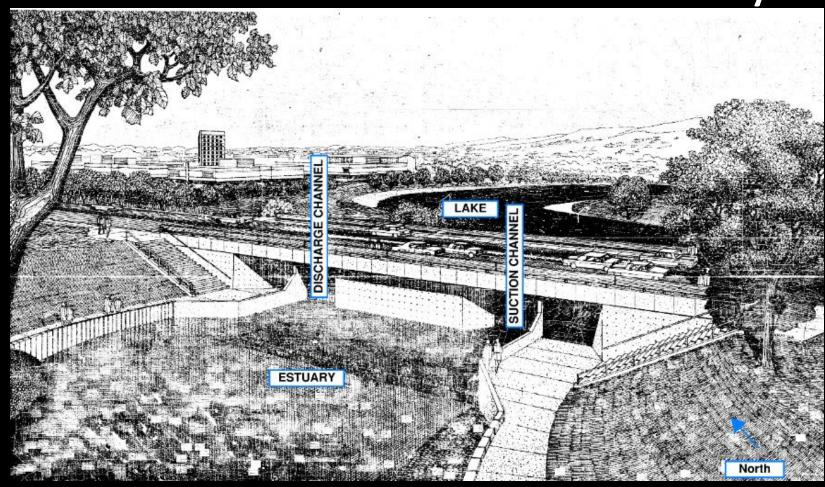
- 1. Existing conditions plant surveys complete
- 2. Wetland delineation confirmed
- 3. Meetings scheduled for December 7 with environmental regulatory agencies to initiate closing out environmental regulatory permits
- 4. Trash and homeless encampments persist
- 5. Fence to remain to protect wetland habitat until encampments are resolved







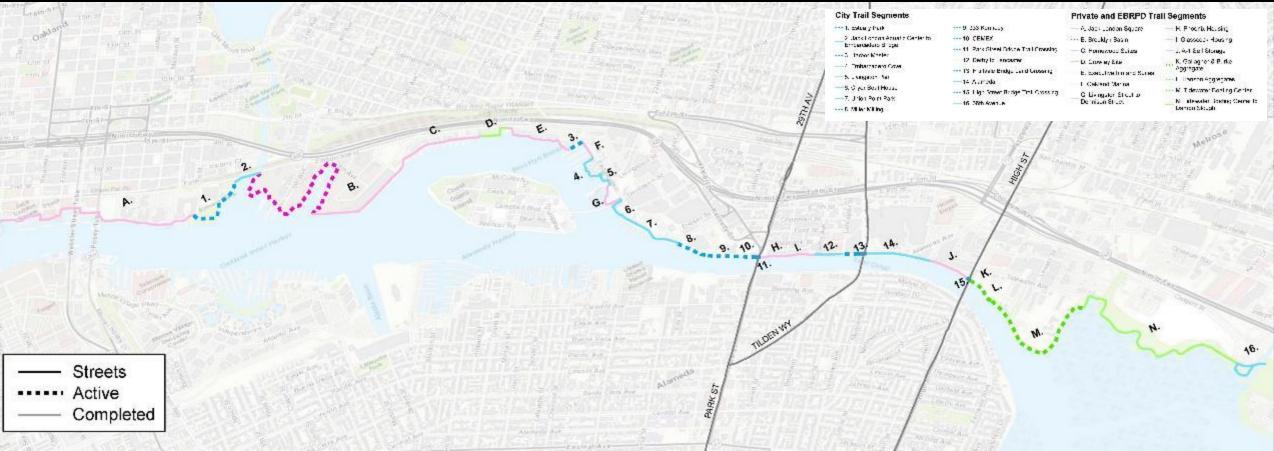
# Tide Gate Operations Guidance for the 7th Street Flood Control Facility



 Memo is in Final Draft until the Flood Control District provides comments

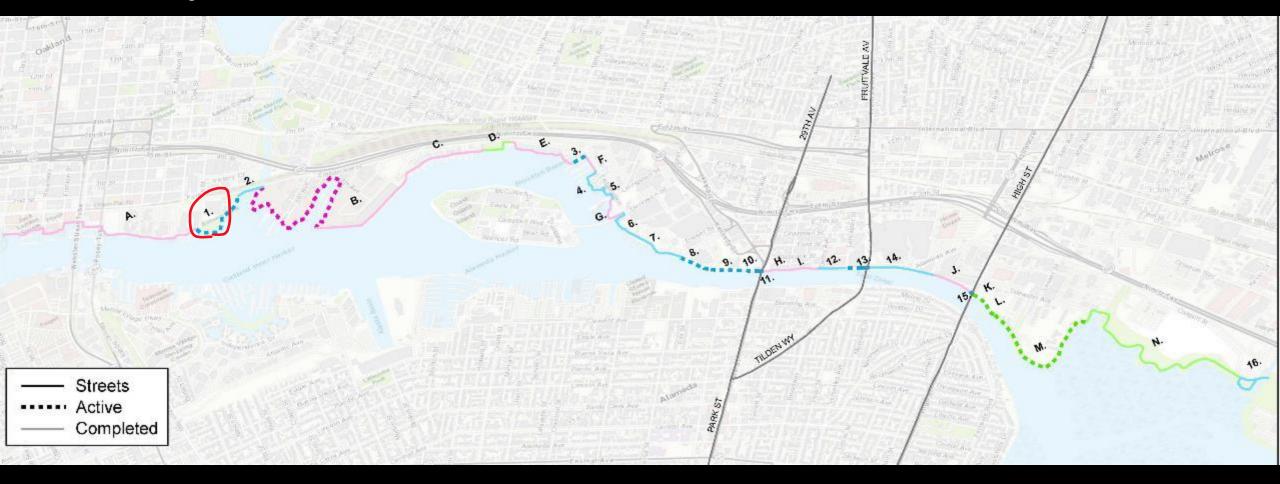
 Terri to forward DD Coalition's questions to Flood Control District

## Oakland Waterfront Access, Parks, and Cleanup



https://cao-94612.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/Info-Memo-Waterfront-Trails-Update.pdf

## Estuary Park



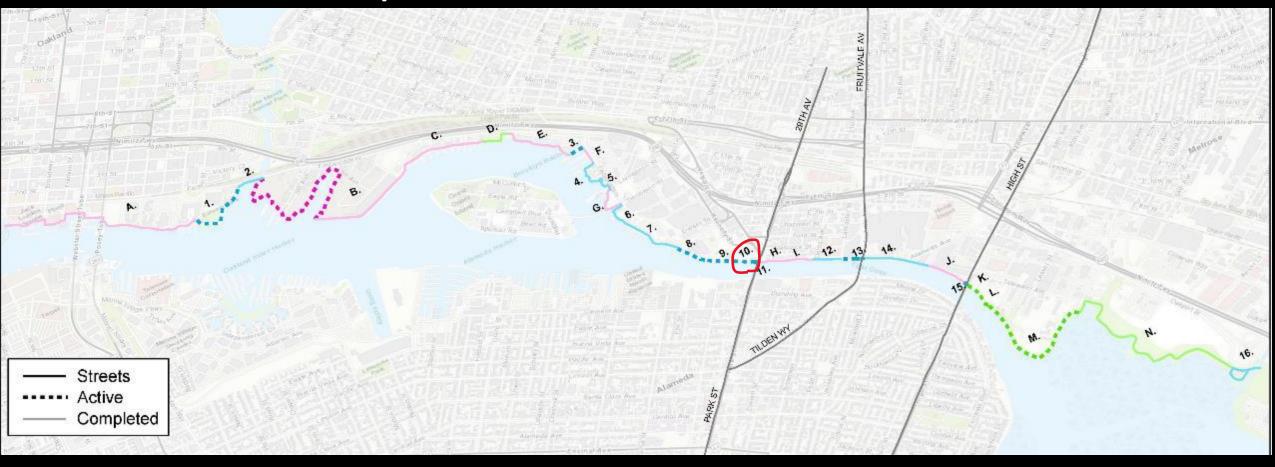
## **Estuary Park**

- 65% Design development October 2022
- Draft California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Environmental Impact Report (EIR) Addendum in process
- Phase 1 construction ~Fall 2025



Union Point Park to 23rd Avenue Trail aka
Miller Milling to Cemex

E. 7th St to 23<sup>rd</sup>/29th Aves



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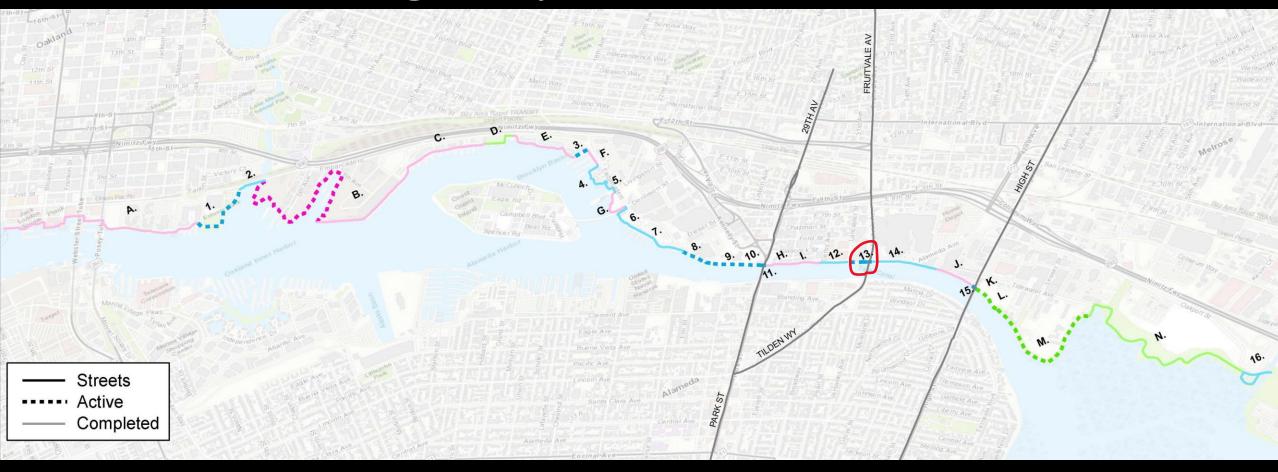
E. 7th St to 23<sup>rd</sup>/29th Aves

 Geotechnical borings, topographic survey and environmental site assessment field work completed.

 Proposal for cost estimating easement acquisitions of the three private properties due before end of November.

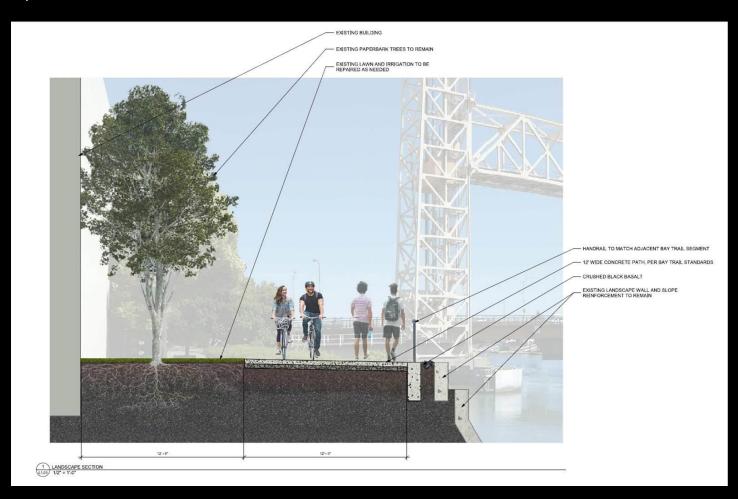


# Waterfront Trail at Fruitvale (Fruitvale Bridge Gap Closure)

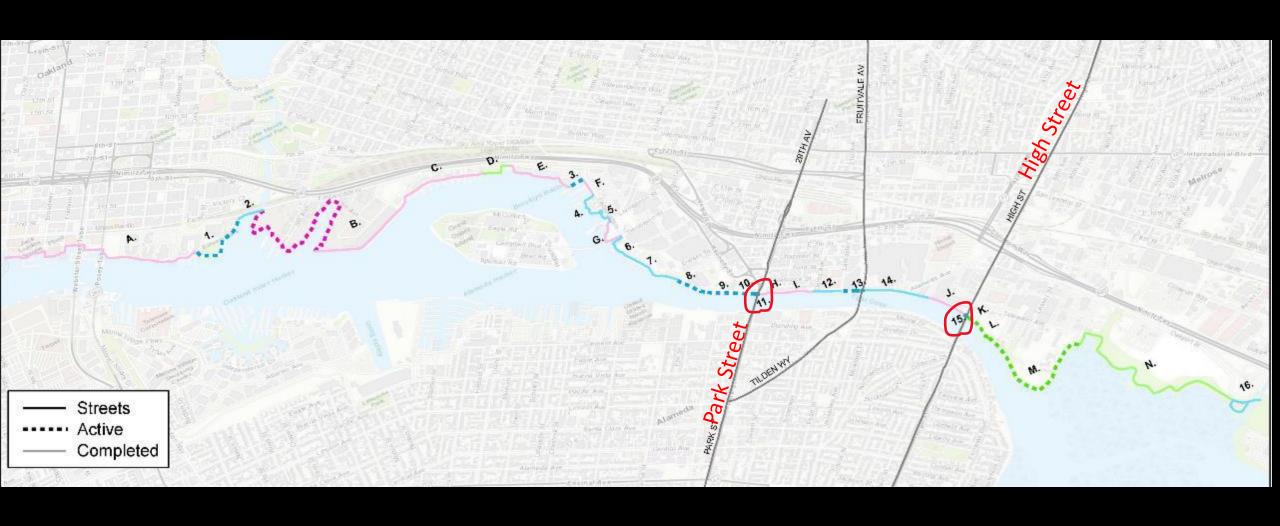


# Waterfront Trail at Fruitvale (Fruitvale Bridge Gap Closure)

- Construction bid advertised October 14, 2022.
- Bids due 11/17/22
- Construction start ~Summer 2023



# Waterfront Trail Connections at Park and High Street Bridges

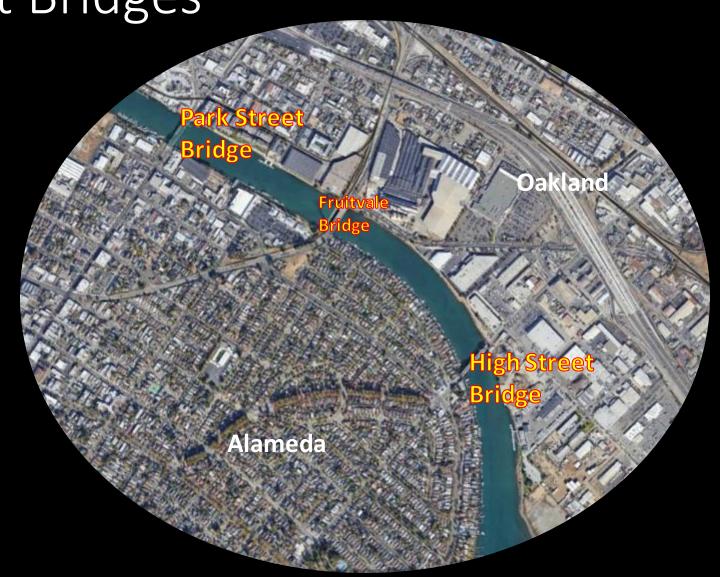


Waterfront Trail Connections at Park and High Street Bridges

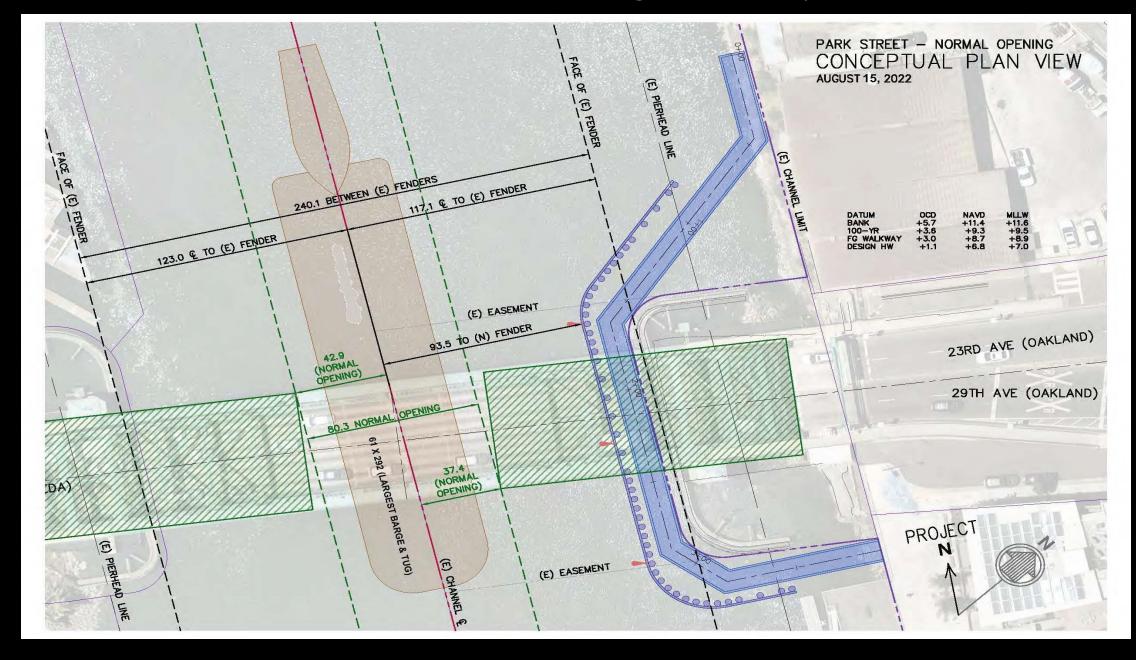
 High Street Bridge design work for under bridge trail connection being closed out. Overland trail connection to be provided by EBRPD.

 Park Street Bridge design work for under bridge trail connection

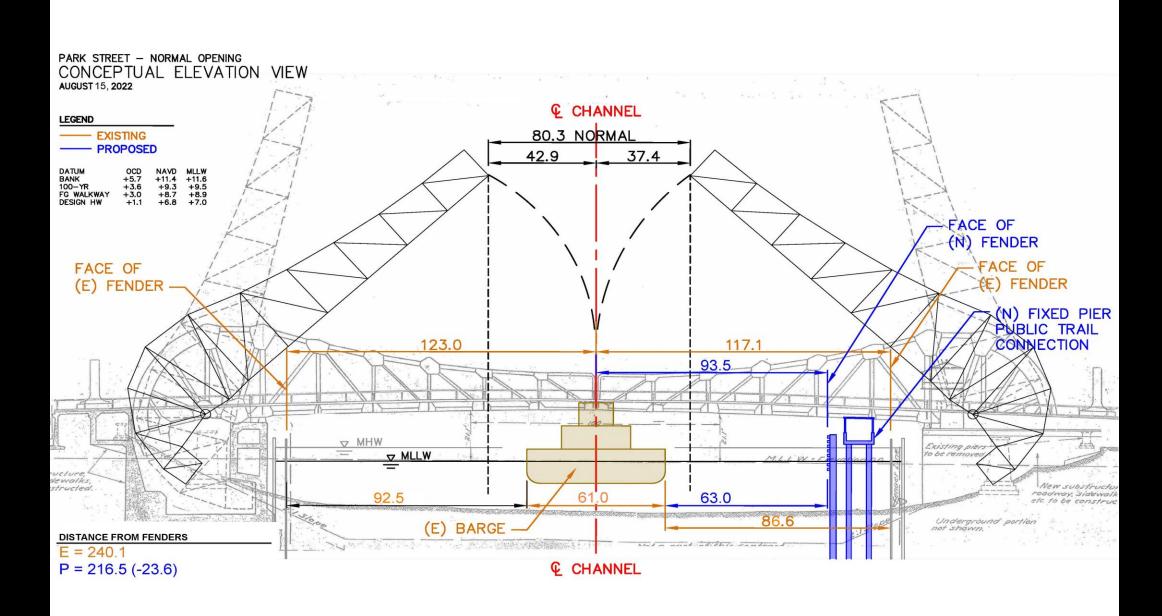
 on hold until easements can be secured to the north of the bridge.



### Waterfront Trail Connection at Park Street Bridge – Conceptual Plan

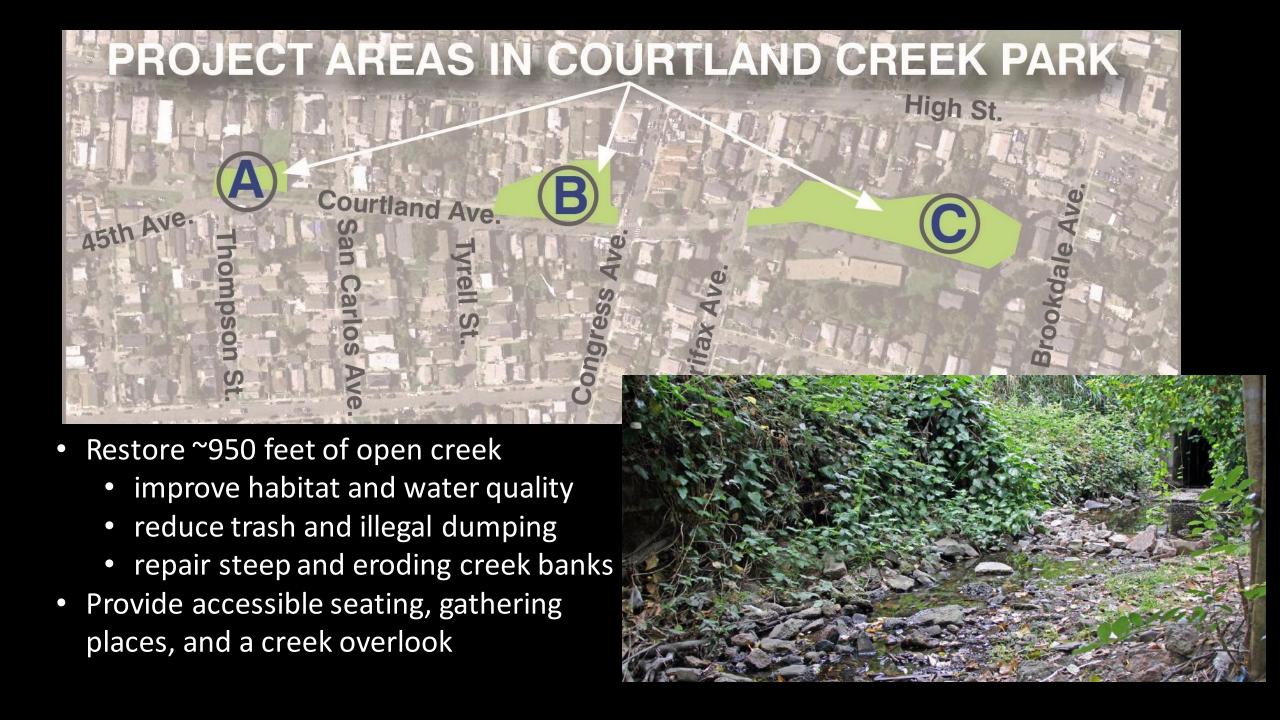


### Waterfront Trail Connection at Park Street Bridge – Conceptual Elevation



## Creek and Waterway Restoration







### <u>Design</u>

- 95% designs have been reviewed and comments are being incorporated
- 100% designs expected by 12/1/2022

### **Funding**

Requested additional funding from California Department of Water Resources to cover additional project costs



### **Permits - external**

- Requested a minor change to Alameda County Flood Control bifurcation structure
- All external permits in-place

### Permits – City of Oakland

Creek Protection, tree removal, and grading permits to be issued

### **Request for Proposals (RFPs)**

- Contract negotiation in process for tree removal to be completed in January 2023
- Creek restoration RFP to be issued in January for work to commence in June/July 2023



### **Project Timeline**

#### PHASE I

Planning and Preliminary Design

> August 2019 – June 2021

Public Meeting #1 July 2021

### **PHASE II**

Advanced Design

July 2021 – August 2022

#### PHASE III

Construction Bidding and Contractor Selection

> August 2022 – March 2023

Public Meeting #2 May 2022

#### **PHASE IV**

Construction

April 2023 – October 2023

#### **PHASE V**

Education, Recreation, and Stewardship Opportunities

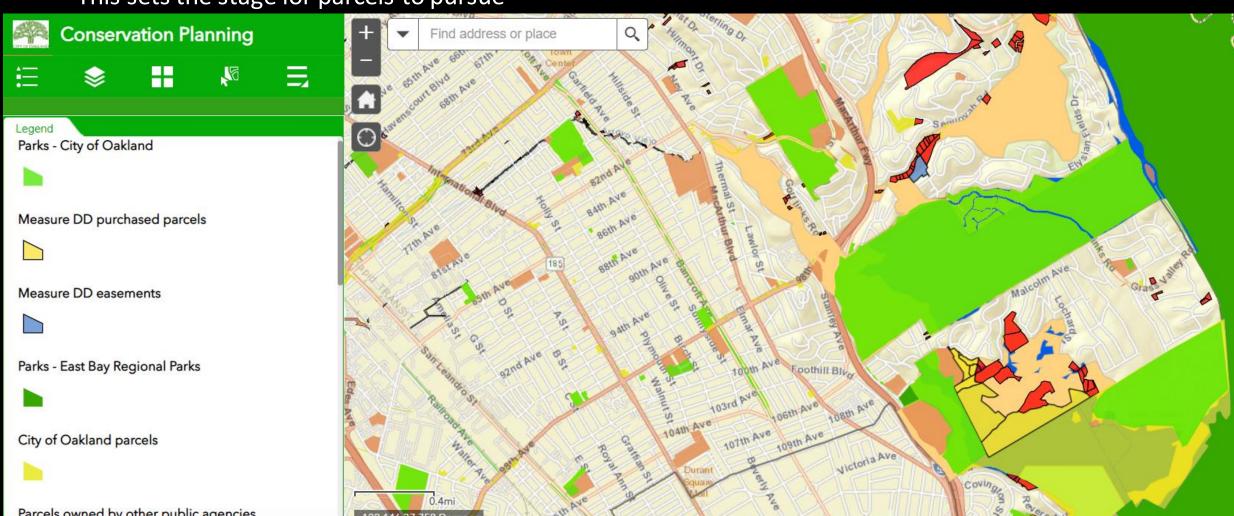
> October 2023 and beyond

More info and public input via bit.ly/courtlandcreek

## Watershed Lands Acquisition

• Draft prioritization of conservation parcels expected in December

• This sets the stage for parcels to pursue



## Watershed Lands Acquisition

- Potential partnership with East Bay Regional Park District on Claremont Canyon expansion
- Potential Derby Creek parcel donation from County Tax Assessor to City after November 2023
- Longer term
  - Coordinating with EBRPD on landfill closure @ Dunsmuir Chabot parcels purchased with DD funds
  - Waiting on response from Segorea Te Land Trust regarding a potential conservation easement of Temescal Creek headwaters undeveloped parcels
  - Feelers out to various property owner on donation and/or sale of property and conservation easements
  - Internal coordination with City departments on conservation planning