



CITY OF SANTA CRUZ
809 Center Street
Santa Cruz, California 95060

TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION

Regular Meeting

May 15, 2023

**6:00 P.M. GENERAL BUSINESS AND MATTERS OF PUBLIC INTEREST, COUNCIL
CHAMBERS**

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- Oral staff report
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Transportation and Public Works Commission (TPWC)

6:00 PM

Call to Order

Roll Call

Absent with Notification

Statements of Disqualification

Oral Communications

Announcements

Presentations

Approval of Minutes

1. Approval of Minutes for the April 17, 2023 Meeting

Motion that the Transportation and Public Works Commission approve the April 17, 2023 - Transportation and Public Works Commission Draft Minutes.

Consent

General Business

2. 2023 Pavement Rehabilitation Project - Riverside Ave. and San Lorenzo Blvd. Striping Concept Plans (c400809) (PW)

Motion that the Transportation and Public Works Commission review, provide comments, and approve the Riverside Ave. and San Lorenzo Blvd. Striping Concept Plans for the 2023 Pavement Rehabilitation Project.

Information Items

Subcommittee/Advisory Body Oral Reports

Items Initiated by Members for Future Agendas

Adjournment



Transportation and Public Works Commission

Regular Meeting

Draft Minutes

6:00 p.m., Monday, April 17, 2023

Council Chambers

Call to Order: 6:00 P.M.

Roll Call: Vice Chair Ron Goodman; Commissioners: Candace Brown, Kyle Kelley, Ryan Meckel, Robert Orrizzi, Zennon Ulyate-Crow, and Susan Gilchrist

Absent with Notification: None

Absent without Notification: None

Statements of Disqualification: None

Oral Communications:

At 6:01 P.M., Chair Goodman opened oral communications, there were no speakers and at 6:02 P.M., Chair Goodman closed oral communications.

Announcements: None

Presentations: None

Approval of Minutes:

1. March 29, 2023- Transportation and Public Works Commission Draft Minutes

MOTION: Commissioner Kelley moved, seconded by Commissioner Gilchrist, to approve the minutes of the March 29, 2023 Transportation and Public Works Commission meeting with the corrected spelling of Commissioner Orrizzi's name.

ACTION: The motion carried with the following vote:

AYES: Chair Goodman, Vice Chair Meckel, Commissioners: Brown, Kelley, Orrizzi, Ulyate-Crow, and Gilchrist

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

DISQUALIFIED: None

Consent: None

General Business:

2. Measure D Expenditure Plan: FY 2024-2028

Nathan Nguyen, Director of Public Works presented the proposed Measure D Five- Year Expenditure Plan for FY 2024-2028 and answered Commissioners questions.

At 6:24 P.M., Chair Goodman opened public comment and the following people spoke:

Natalie Dean
Amelia Conlen

At 6:27 P.M., Chair Goodman closed public comment.

MOTION: Commissioner Brown moved, seconded by Vice-Chair Meckel, to recommend that the City Council approve the proposed Measure D Five-Year Expenditure Plan for FY 2024-2028 and recommend that Council consider moving the Broadway Complete Streets Project FY 2028 funding to FY 2026 and move either Market Street Bike Lanes and Sidewalk project or Ocean-Plymouth Multi-Modal Project back as needed.

ACTION: The motion carried with the following vote:

AYES: Chair Goodman, Vice Chair Meckel, Commissioners: Brown, Kelley, Orrizzi, Ulyate-Crow, and Gilchrist

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

DISQUALIFIED: None

3. FY 2024-2028 Capital Investment Program - Administrative Draft

Nathan Nguyen, Director of Public Works, presented the FY 2024-2028 Capital Investment Program Administrative Draft and answered Commissioners questions.

At 8:09 P.M., Chair Goodman opened public comment and the following person spoke:

Amelia Conlen

At 8:10 P.M., Chair Goodman closed public comment.

MOTION: Commissioner Kelley moved, seconded by Commissioner Ulyate-Crow, to recommend that the City Council approve the FY 2024-2028 Public Works Capital Investment Program Administrative Draft.

ACTION: The motion carried with the following vote:

AYES: Chair Goodman, Vice Chair Meckel, Commissioners: Brown, Kelley, Orrizzi, Ulyate-Crow, and Gilchrist

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

DISQUALIFIED: None

Informational Items: None

Subcommittee/Advisory Body Oral Reports: None

Items Initiated by Members for Future Agendas:

Chair Goodman requested a discussion about citywide traffic calming measures brought to the Commission on the June agenda.

Chair Goodman requested a general update on levee certification funding in 6 months' time.

Adjournment: 9:05 P.M.



Transportation and Public Works Commission AGENDA REPORT

DATE: 05/01/2023

AGENDA OF: 05/15/2023

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

SUBJECT: 2023 Pavement Rehabilitation Project – Riverside Ave. and San Lorenzo Blvd. Striping Concept Plans (c400809) (PW)

RECOMMENDATION: Motion that the Transportation and Public Works Commission review, provide comments, and approve the Riverside Ave. and San Lorenzo Blvd. Striping Concept Plans for the 2023 Pavement Rehabilitation Project.

BACKGROUND: San Lorenzo Blvd. and Riverside Ave. are heavily traveled minor arterial streets which serve as main corridors and critical links between downtown, the east side of Santa Cruz, and the Main Beach area. During summer season, heavy visitor traffic utilizes segments of both streets as the primary access into and out of the beach area, accessing Highway 17 via Ocean St. These streets also provide bike and pedestrian connections to the upcoming Rail Trail Segment 8 improvements along Beach St, and the San Lorenzo River levee path.

The 2023 Paving Rehabilitation Project will resurface San Lorenzo Blvd. and Riverside Ave, as well as install new ADA compliant curb ramps at all intersections within the project area. The paving project provides an efficient opportunity to make improvements to bicycle and pedestrian facilities in these corridors.

DISCUSSION: Staff has developed a concept plan which proposes to improve bicycle and pedestrian facilities by narrowing the existing traffic lanes in many locations, creating the required width to install sections of buffered bike lane on San Lorenzo Blvd. between Laurel St. and Riverside Ave, and a buffer for eastbound bicycles through the busy intersection at San Lorenzo Blvd and Ocean St. The plan includes the addition of new crosswalks at side streets which currently have none, green pavement markings at bicycle conflict zones, and new bike boxes at several intersections. The plans also include improved markings at access points to the San Lorenzo River levee path which parallels San Lorenzo Blvd, and the upcoming Rail Trail Segment 8 improvements. The concept plans are included here as Attachment 1.

The striping improvements were designed based on the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices and the National Association of City Transportation Officials Urban Street Design Guide.

This project is in alignment with and will assist in implementing components of the General Plan and Climate Action Plan. The General Plan calls for a “citywide interconnected system of safe, inviting, and accessible pedestrian ways and bikeways” (Goal M4). The Climate Action Plan

includes the transportation objective to meet an 80% reduction in greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 2050 which will be accomplished largely by providing low-carbon transportation options that rival the efficiency and safety of the automobile.

FISCAL IMPACT: The project is funded in the FY24 Capital Improvement Program (c400809) budget. There is no impact to the General Fund.

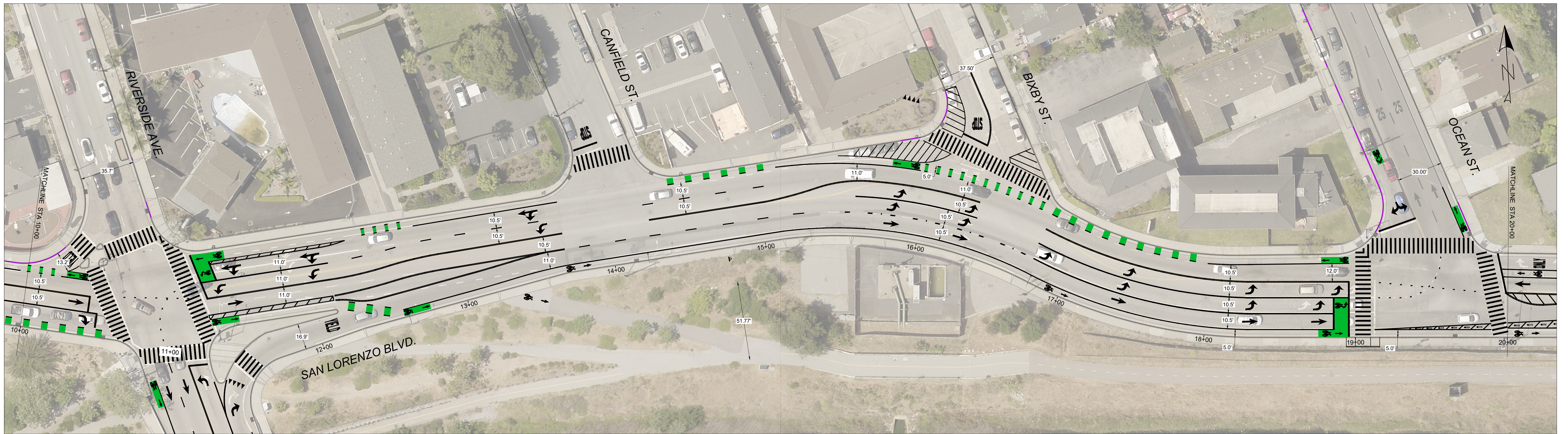
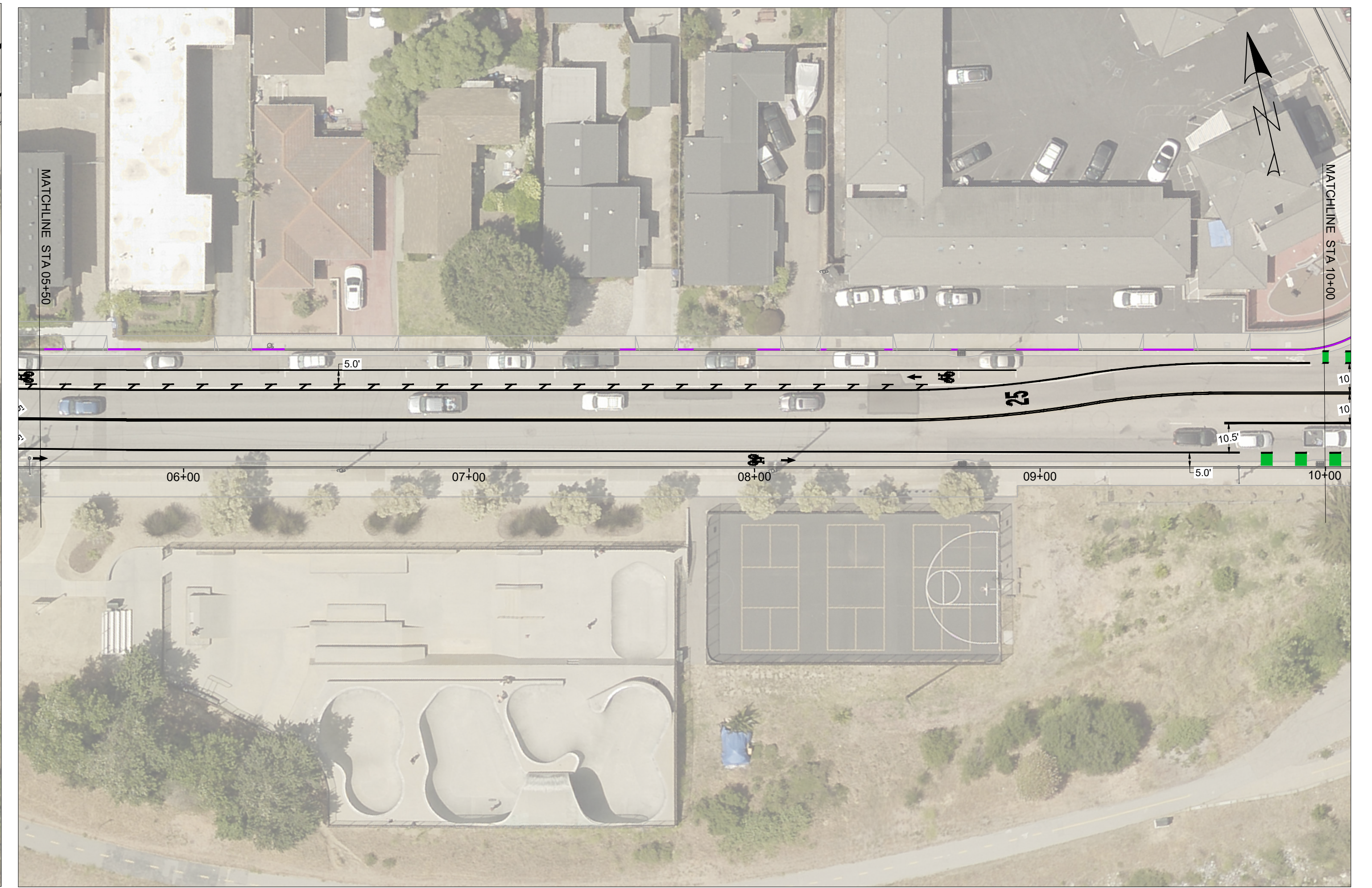
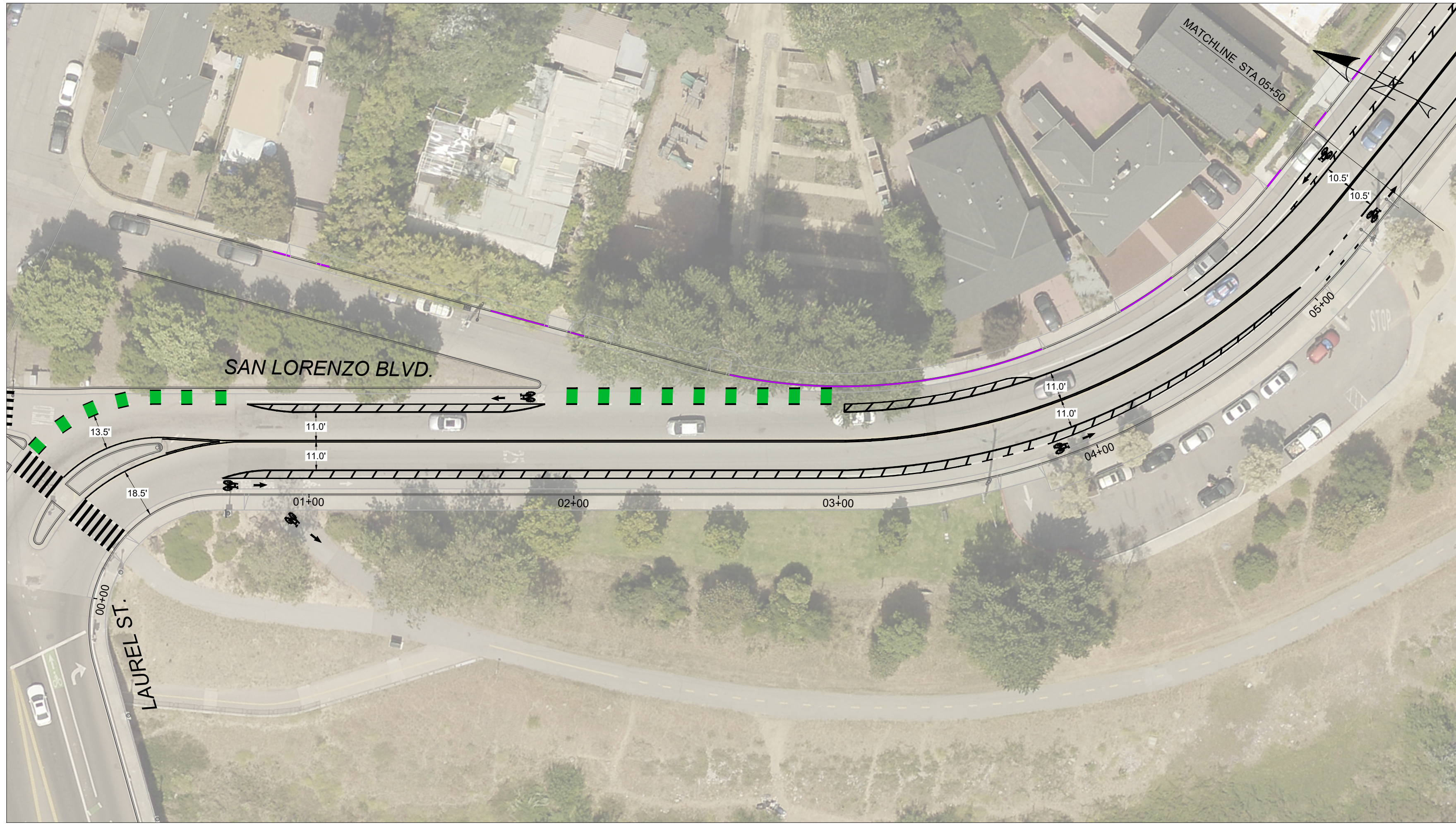
Prepared By:
Nate Goodman
Engineering Technician

Submitted By:
Nathan Nguyen, P.E.
Director of Public Works

Approved By:

ATTACHMENTS:

1. ATTACHMENT 1 - RIVERSIDE AND SAN LORENZO BLVD. STRIPING CONCEPT PLANS.PDF



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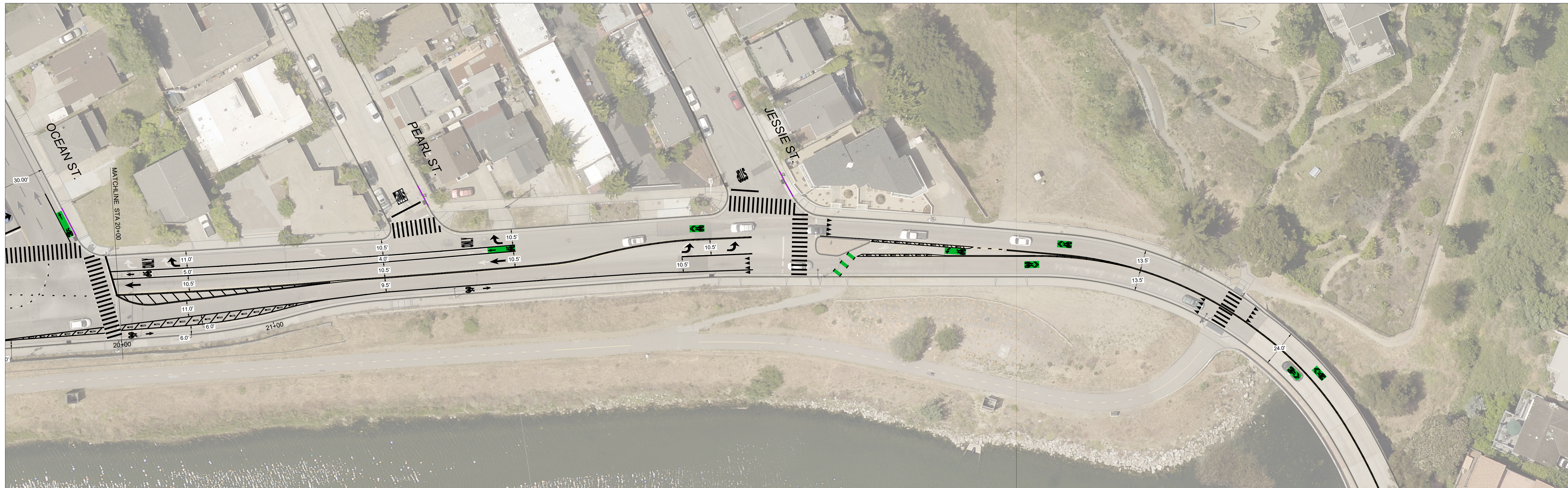
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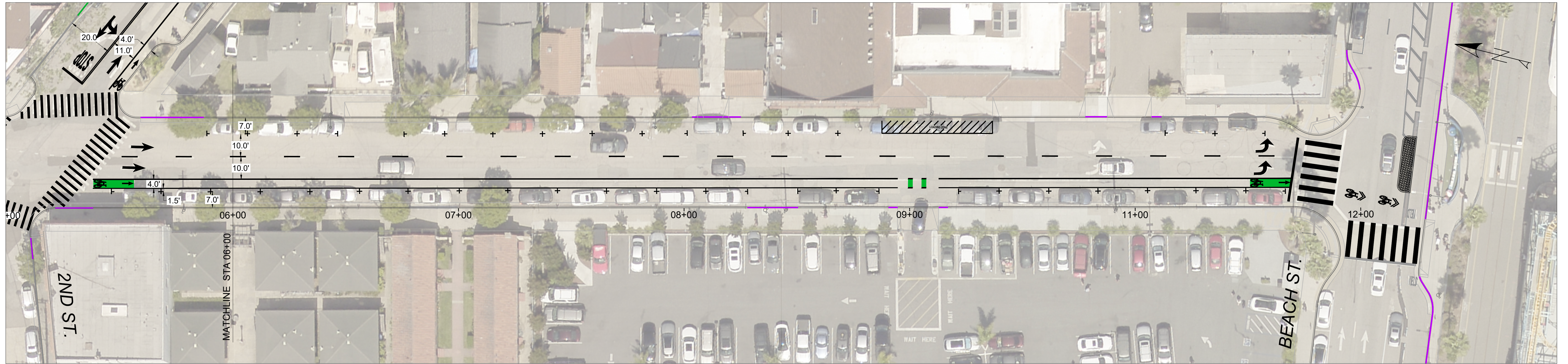
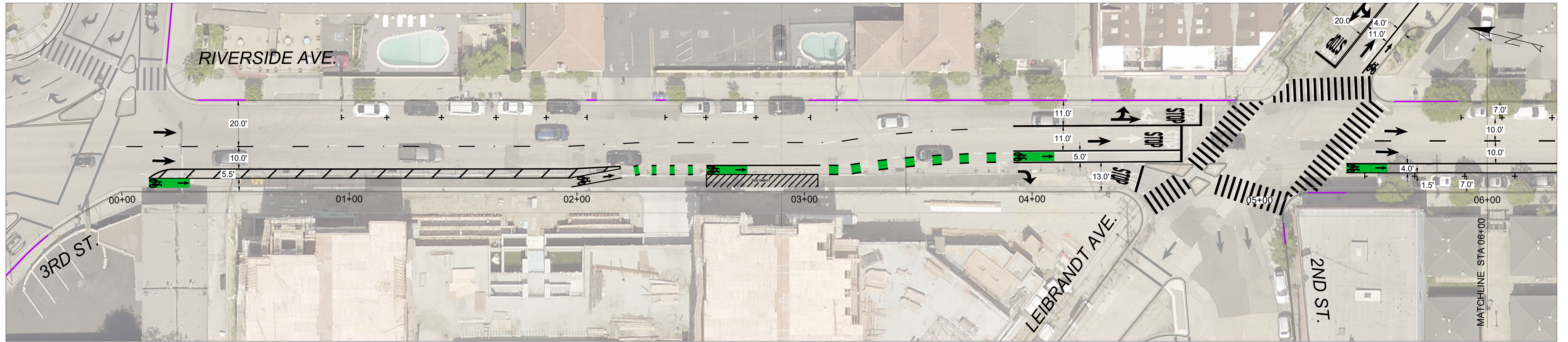
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