



South Yale Corridor Improvements Project

Public Workshop #2
March 8, 2023



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Virtual Meeting Guidelines

- ▶ Meeting Ground Rules.
 - ▶ All perspectives are welcome.
 - ▶ Be respectful of other opinions.
- ▶ This meeting is being recorded.



Project Overview

- ▶ South Yale, between 405 freeway and University Drive.
- ▶ Identify and evaluate roadway concepts that address user needs.
- ▶ Project identified in City's 2020 Strategic Active Transportation Plan.



Existing Conditions

- ▶ Two 24' motor vehicle lanes.
- ▶ Two 8' bike lanes.
- ▶ Traffic signal at University, 2-way stop at Royce, and 4-way stop at Michelson.



City Objectives

- ▶ Protect the environment.
 - ▶ Develop actions to carbon neutrality.
 - ▶ Reduce vehicle miles traveled.
 - ▶ Reduce Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions.
 - ▶ Provide sustainable alternatives.
- ▶ Improve the quality of life.
- ▶ Support cleaner, healthier ways for people to move through the City.



Project Objectives

- ▶ Size roadway for current traffic and mobility needs.
- ▶ Improve roadway safety.
- ▶ Enhance mobility for all roadway users.
- ▶ Improve connectivity to local and regional destinations.



Community Input - Fall 2022

- ▶ City Promotion - website, Community Link newsletter, social media, citywide survey.
- ▶ Stakeholder meeting.
- ▶ Rancho San Joaquin Middle School: PTA newsletter, PTA executive board meeting, ASB student workshop.
- ▶ Five community association meetings.
- ▶ One community workshop.
- ▶ Feedback was consolidated into key themes and valuable input.

Thank you for your input!



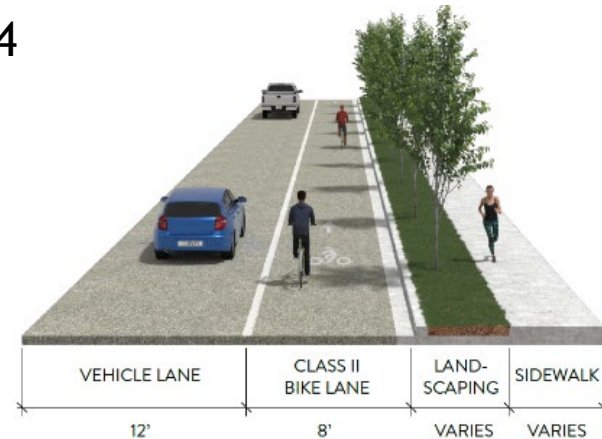
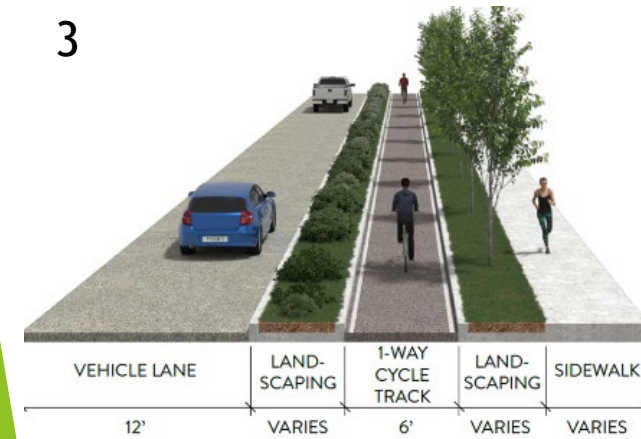
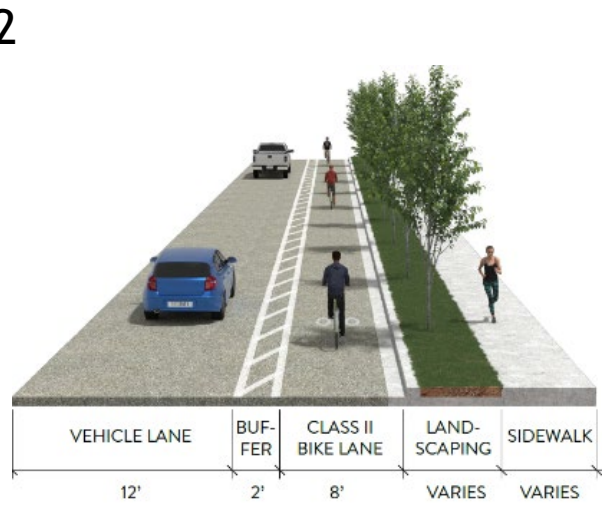
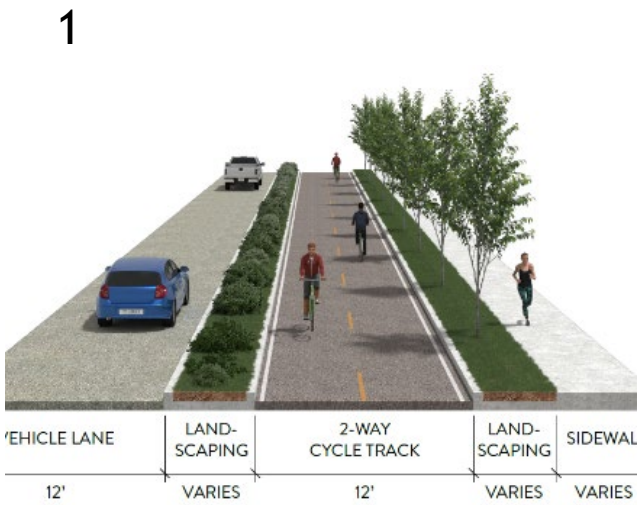
Community Input - Fall 2022

Prominent feedback from the outreach discussed the following priorities:

- ✓ Additional crossing at Royce Road.
- ✓ Enhanced bicycle/pedestrian separation from moving cars.
- ✓ Slower vehicle speeds and more traffic calming measures.
- ✓ Improved crossings at existing intersections.
- ✓ Improving school drop-off and pick-up traffic circulation and on-street parking needs.



Bicycle Facility Feedback - Fall 2022



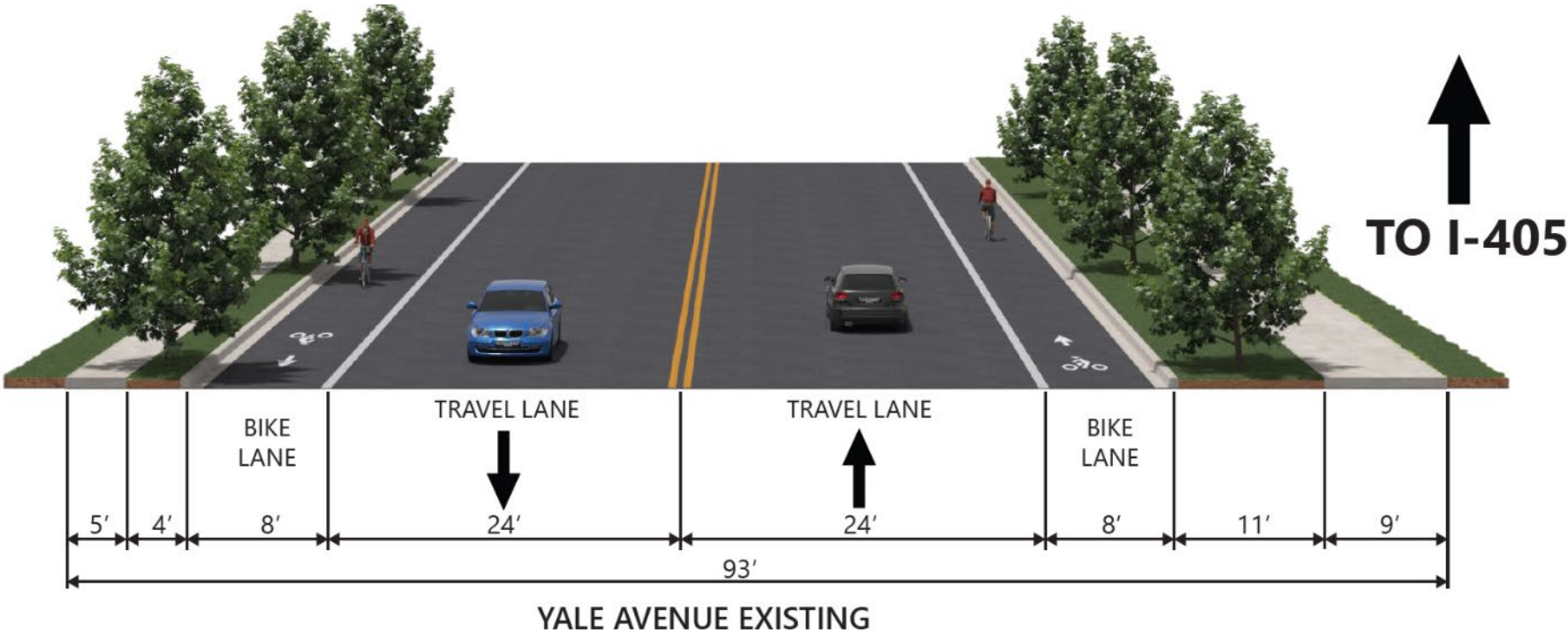
Which bikeways would you like to see on the Project Corridor?				
Category	Workshop Response #	Workshop % Support	Survey Response #	Survey % Support
1. Two-Way Cycletrack	24	49%	121	31%
2. Buffered Bike Lane	12	24%	108	28%
3. One-Way Cycletrack	12	24%	103	26%
4. Bike Lane (Current Condition)	1	2%	59	15%
Total	49	100%	391	100%

Input on Corridor Alternatives

- ▶ Community priorities and other feedback identified in Fall 2022 outreach has been incorporated into 4 corridor alternatives.
- ▶ Phase 2 of project outreach will seek input on the developed alternatives through a citywide survey.



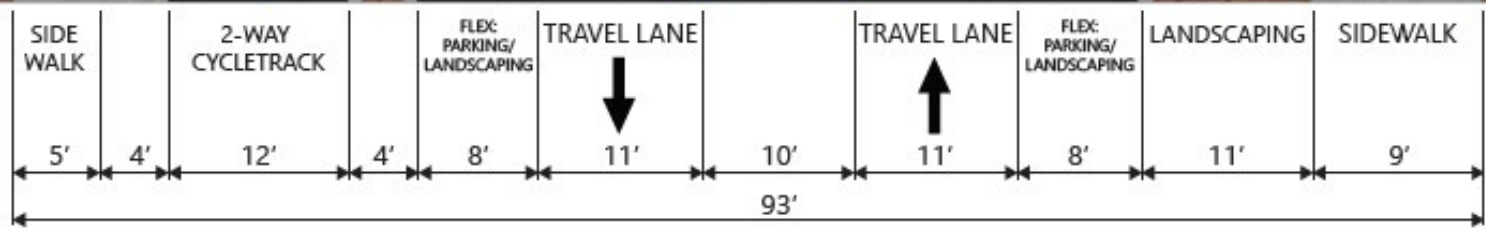
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Cross-Section Alternative 1



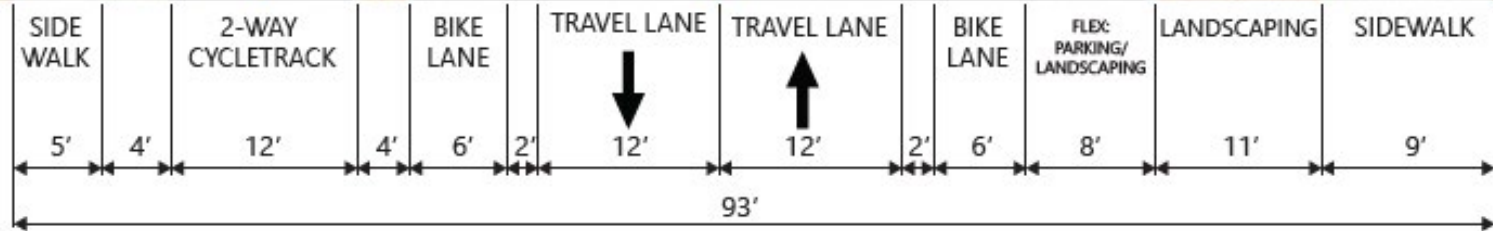
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ALTERNATIVE 1: 2-WAY CYCLETRACK - WEST SIDE

- ▶ Provides a comfortable two-way cycletrack for bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides physical separation between vehicles and bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides separate facilities for pedestrians and bicyclists.
- ▶ Accommodates parking for school events and drop-off and pick-up.

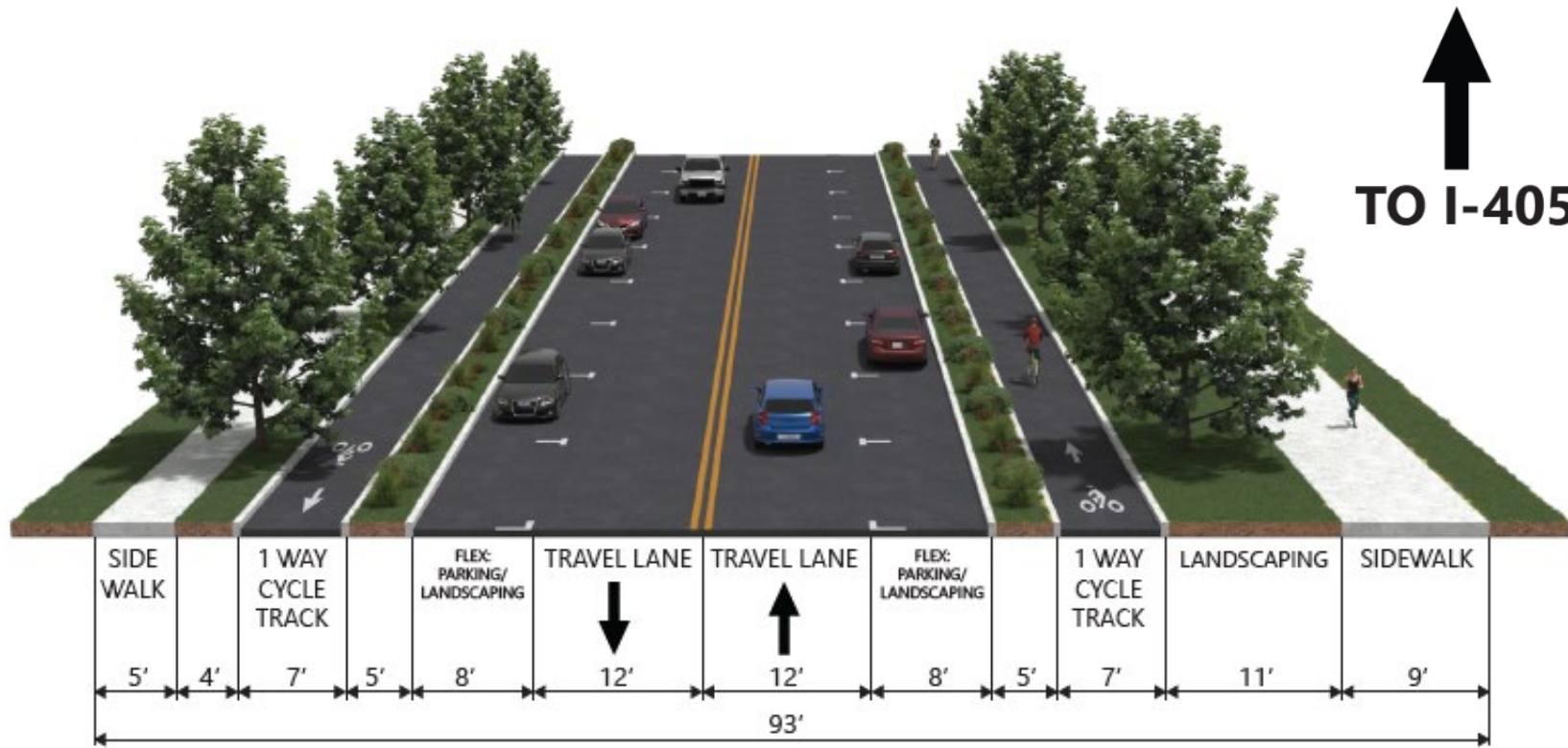
Cross-Section Alternative 2



ALTERNATIVE 2: 2-WAY CYCLETRACK - WEST SIDE HYBRID

- ▶ Provides a comfortable two-way cycletrack for bicyclists and additional on street buffered bike lanes.
- ▶ Offers a range of separation between vehicles and bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides separate facilities for pedestrians and bicyclists.
- ▶ Accommodates parking for school events and drop-off and pick-up.

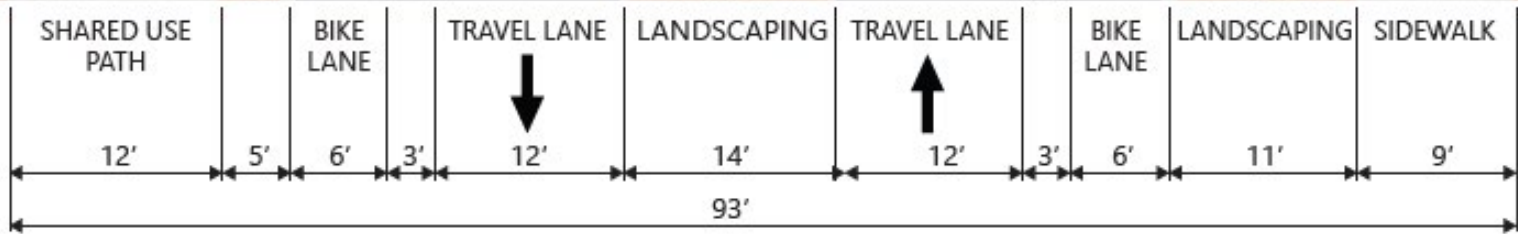
Cross-Section Alternative 3



ALTERNATIVE 3: 1-WAY CYCLETRACK

- ▶ Provides comfortable one-way cycletracks for bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides physical separation between vehicles and bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides separate facilities for pedestrians and bicyclists.
- ▶ Accommodates parking for school events and drop-off and pick-up.

Cross-Section Alternative 4



ALTERNATIVE 4: BUFFERED BIKE LANES AND WIDENED SHARED USE PATH

- ▶ Provides buffered bike lanes for increased separation for bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides separate facilities for pedestrians and bicyclists.
- ▶ Provides a large center median.
- ▶ Provides additional landscaping.

Project Survey

- ▶ We ask you to provide your input via our project survey.
- ▶ bit.ly/SouthYale2



- ▶ We look forward to hearing your input!
- ▶ Survey closes April 7.



Project Schedule





Question & Answer

Thank you for your
Participation!