The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has initiated a public review period and is conducting a virtual public meeting on the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR)/Environmental Assessment (EA) for the proposed State Route [SR] 37 Sears Point to Mare Island Improvement Project in Sonoma, Napa, and Solano counties. See box to the right for more information on how to join the online meeting.

Caltrans — in cooperation with the Metropolitan Transportation Commission and the North Bay partner agencies of Sonoma County Transportation Authority, Solano Transportation Authority, and Napa Valley Transportation Authority — is proposing traffic operational improvements to SR 37 in Sonoma, Napa, and Solano Counties between Sears Point (Son-37-Post Miles 2.9/6.2) and Mare Island (Sol-37-Post Miles 0.0/R7.4) to provide congestion relief, reduce peak travel times, and increase vehicle occupancy.

The four build alternatives proposed consider a range of lane configurations as follows: One that converts existing shoulders to create a three-lane facility to provide part-time, peak hour congestion relief; one that provides a three-lane facility by installing a movable median barrier for peak hour directional congestion relief; a full-time, four-lane facility with 4-foot shoulders; and a full-time, four-lane facility with 8-foot shoulders.

Caltrans has prepared a Draft Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Assessment (EIR/EA) for the proposed project. It is available online at https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-4/d4-popular-links/d4-environmental-docs

The virtual public meeting will include a presentation providing an overview of the project and the environmental process, followed by a question and answer session where attendees can submit questions via online chat. However all formal comments on the EIR/EA must be submitted in writing.

Wednesday, February 2, 2022
5:30 pm to 7:00 pm

Virtual Meeting Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88596874445

Dial-In Number (Voice):
1-669-900-6833
Webinar ID: 885 9687 4445

Please submit your written comments by 5:00PM on Monday, February 28, 2022:

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