Hercules Transportation Impact Fee Nexus Study Workshop



Presentation to Hercules City Council

February 12, 2019



Project Status

2/27/2019
Council Approved
Circulation Element
w/ new project list



Council Workshop refined and projects into Tier I & II to feed into calculating maximum justifiable fee in Nexus Study



Workshop to understand methodologies behind study & set public hearing



Public Hearing would consider public testimony followed by:

- -Accepting Nexus Study
- -Adopting an Ordinance to amend the existing Hercules Municipal Code Title 10, Chapter 18, Article 6 which include outlining some Administrative implementation procedures
- -Approving Resolution setting the Traffic Impact Fees



Public hearing to discuss alternative fee levels, potential annual increases based on CPI, and other issues brought up by the public



Nexus Analysis Process

Confirm project list

Develop cost estimates

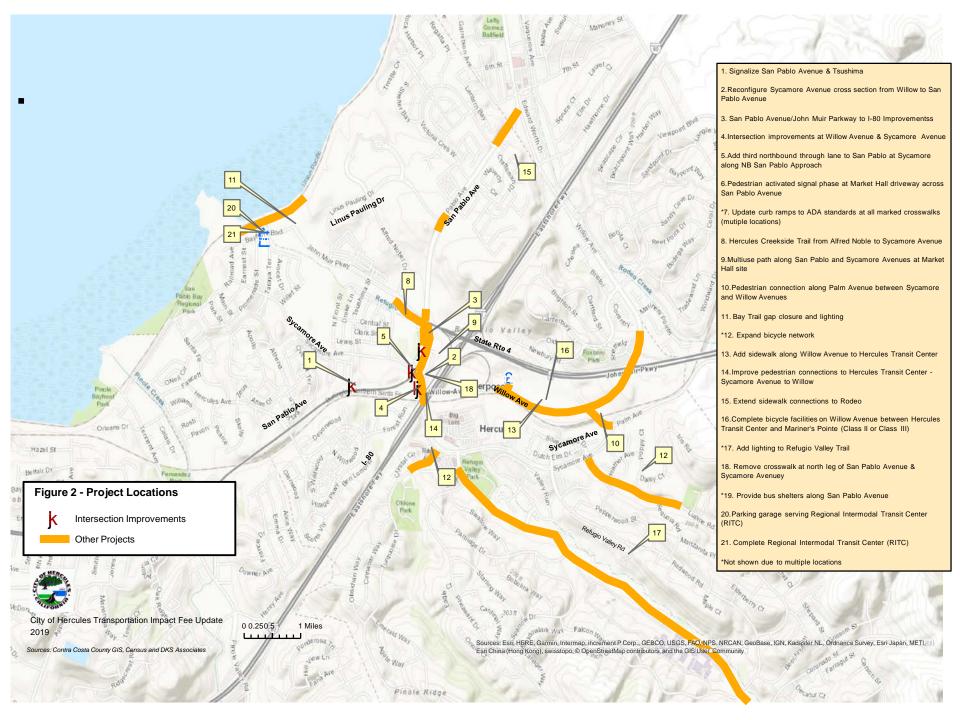
Establish nexus

Allocate costs

Calculate maximum justifiable fees

Project List – Summary (In Fee Calculation)

- ■Intersection \$746,000 (5 projects)
- Roadway \$7,399,000 (2 projects)
- ■Bicycle & Pedestrian \$5,296,000 (10 projects)
- Transit & Other \$62,405,000
 - Regional Intermodal Transportation Center \$53,600,000
 - RITC Parking Structure \$8,500,000
 - Other transit \$305,000 (2 projects)





Project Cost Allocation

Roadway Projects

- Projects #1-5
- Percent of growth in traffic due to local trips, excluding through traffic (55-100%)

Transit, Bicycle, and Pedestrian Projects

- Expected proportion of future land use due to growth (27.44% in most cases except as listed below)
 - Parking garage project costs account for offsetting expected parking revenue
 - RITC allocated costs reduced by potential proportional fees collected under STMP



Project Cost Allocation

- Shown in Table 5 of Nexus Study
- \$75,846,000 total project costs
- \$25,312,405 allocated to fee
- Regional Intermodal Transportation Center:
 - Allocated cost reduced by expected fees paid under Subregional Transportation Mitigation Program (STMP)

Project No.	Project Description	Allocation Basis	Cost Estimate	Percent Allocated to Hercules	Cost Allocate to Hercules
	Signalize intersection of San Pablo Avenue &	Percent of traffic volume growth			
1	Tsushima Street	due to local trips (future deficiency)	\$595,000	75.49	\$449,147
	Reconfigure Sycamore Avenue cross section	Percent of traffic volume growth	4444,444		¥ , z
2	from Willow to San Pablo Ave	due to local trips (future			
		deficiency) Percent of traffic volume growth	\$232,000	96.21	\$223,205
3	San Pablo Avenue/John Muir Parkway to I-80	due to local trips (future			
	Improvements	deficiency)	\$7,167,000	100.00	\$7,166,985
4	Intersection Improvements at Willow	Percent of traffic volume growth due to local trips (future			
4	Avenue & Sycamore Avenue	due to local trips (tuture deficiency)	\$91,000	96.57	\$87,882
	Add 3rd northbound through lane to San	Percent of traffic volume growth	, , , , , , ,		, . ,
5	Pablo Avenue at Sycamore	due to local trips (future			
		deficiency)	\$21,000	55.69	\$11,694
6	Install pedestrian-activated signal at Market	Percent growth DUEs			
-	Hall crosswalk		\$23,000	27.44	\$6,310
7	Upgrade or add ADA Curb Ramps	Percent growth DUEs	\$273,000	27.44	\$74,900
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8	Hercules Creekside Trail from Alfred Noble to	Included in STMP Fee			
	Sycamore Avenue		\$1,386,000	27.44	\$380,264
9	Multiuse path at Market Hall site	Percent growth DUEs			
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	Pedestrian connection along Palm Ave		7-10,010		420,002
10	between Sycamore and Willow Ave	Percent growth DUEs			
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		\$284,000	27.44	\$77,918
11	Bay Trail gap closure and lighting	Percent growth DUEs			
	,		\$307,000	27.44	\$84,229
12	Expand bicycle network	Percent growth DUEs	\$26,000	27.44	\$7,133
	Add the second second		320,000	27.44	37,133
13	Add sidewalk along Willow Avenue to Hercules Transit Center	Percent growth DUEs			
	nercules transit center		\$889,000	27.44	\$243,906
14	Improve pedestrian connections to Hercules	Percent growth DUEs			
14	Transit Center - Sycamore Avenue to Willow	Percent growth DOLS	\$957,000	27.44	\$262,563
15	Extend sidewalk connections to Rodeo	Percent growth DUEs			
			\$635,000	27.44	\$174,219
16	Complete bicycle facilities between Mariner's Pointe and HTC	Percent growth DUEs			
	Pointe and HTC		\$29,000	27.44	\$7,956
17	Add lighting to Refugio Valley Trail	Percent growth DUEs			
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18	Remove crosswalk at north leg of San Pablo Avenue & Sycamore Avenue	Percent growth DUEs			l .
			\$16,000	27.44	\$4,390
19	Provide bus shelters along San Pablo Avenue	Percent growth DUEs			
			\$32,000	27.44	\$8,780
20	Parking for Intermodal Transit Center	Percent growth DUEs	\$8,500,000	27.44	\$2,332,064
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21	Complete Intermodal Transit Center/Rail	Percent growth DUEs less			
	Station	expected fee paid under STMP	\$53,600,000	27.44	\$13,494,03
		Totals	\$75,846,000		\$25,312,40



Expected Development (2040)

Land Use Category	Units	2010 Units	2040 Units	Growth in Units	DUE ⁽²⁾ per Unit	2040 DUEs	Growth in DUEs
Single-Family	DU ⁽¹⁾	6,631	6,809	178	1.00	6,809	178
Multi-Family	DU	1,432	4,506	3,074	0.57	2,549	1739
Retail	KSF ⁽³⁾	178	802.5	624	1.35	1,080	840
Office	KSF ⁽³	864.875	1,169.875	305	1.17	1,370	357
Industrial	KSF ⁽³	570.6	945.6	375	1.09	1,031	409
					Total:	12,838	3,522
 Dwelling Unit Dwelling Unit 1000 Square 	(DUE)		Percent Growth DUEs =3,522/12,838				

=0.2744



Fee Calculation

Nexus Base	a ree kates
Cost of Improvements Allocated to Growth	\$25,312,405
Current Fund Balance	\$202,220
Unfunded Allocated Costs	\$25,110,185
Growth in Dwelling Unit Equivalents (DUEs)	3522
Cost per DUE	\$7,128.96

Land Use	Units	DUE per Unit	Fee per Unit*
Single-Family	Dwelling unit	1.00	\$7,129
Multi-Family	Dwelling unit	0.57	\$4,033
Retail	Square Feet	0.00135	\$9.59
Office	Square Feet	0.00117	\$8.35
Industrial	Square Feet	0.00109	\$7.77

^{*}Fee per unit = (Cost per DUE) x (DUE per unit)

^{**} Fees can be scaled to include other land use types



Hercules Traffic Impact Fees

Land Use	2009 Nexus Study (Maximum)	2009 CC Adopted Fees (75% of maximum)	Fees Set in 2012 (20% of Maximum)	2019 Nexus Study (Maximum)
Single family unit	\$4,830	\$3,634	\$982	\$7,129
Multi family unit	\$2,965	\$2,247	\$603	\$4,033
Retail/Flex (sf)	\$9.86	\$5.40	\$2.01	\$9.59
Office (sf)	\$7.13	\$5.36	\$1.45	\$8.35
Industrial (sf)	\$4.69	\$3.54	\$4.766	\$7.77



STMP Fees

Land Use	WCCTAC Original 2005	WCCTAC (indexed to present)	WCCTAC Maximum Potential Fee	WCCTAC Board Recommended fee (75% of maximum)
Single family unit	\$2,595	\$3,697	\$7,252	\$5,439
Multi family unit	\$1,648	\$2,348	\$3,572	\$2,679
Retail/Flex (sf)	\$3.51	\$5.00	\$11.63	\$8.72
Office (sf)	\$1.82	\$2.59	\$8.79	\$6.59
Industrial (sf)	\$2.45	\$3.49	\$6.59	\$5.56

Notes:

- 1. Reflects the 2005 STMP Fee Schedule.
- 2. Reflects the 2005 STMP Fee Schedule if it had been consistently indexed to year 2018. The index is based on the Engineering-News Record Construction Cost Index for the San Francisco Bay Area.
- 3. The WCCTAC Board recommended during the September 28, 2018 meeting that fee levels be set at 75 percent of the maximum potential fee calculations.

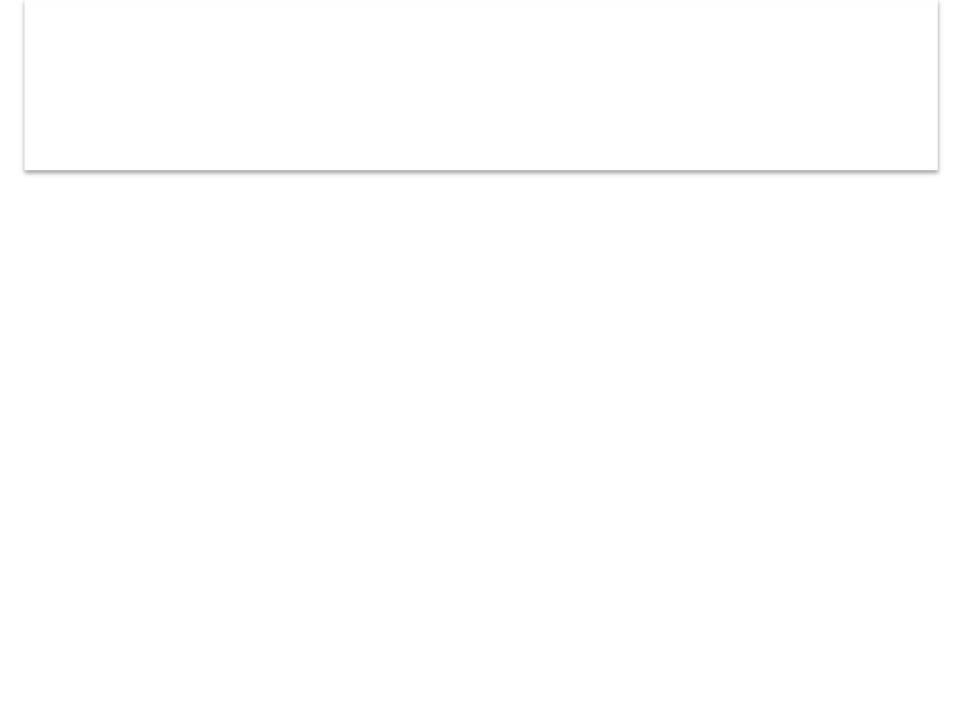
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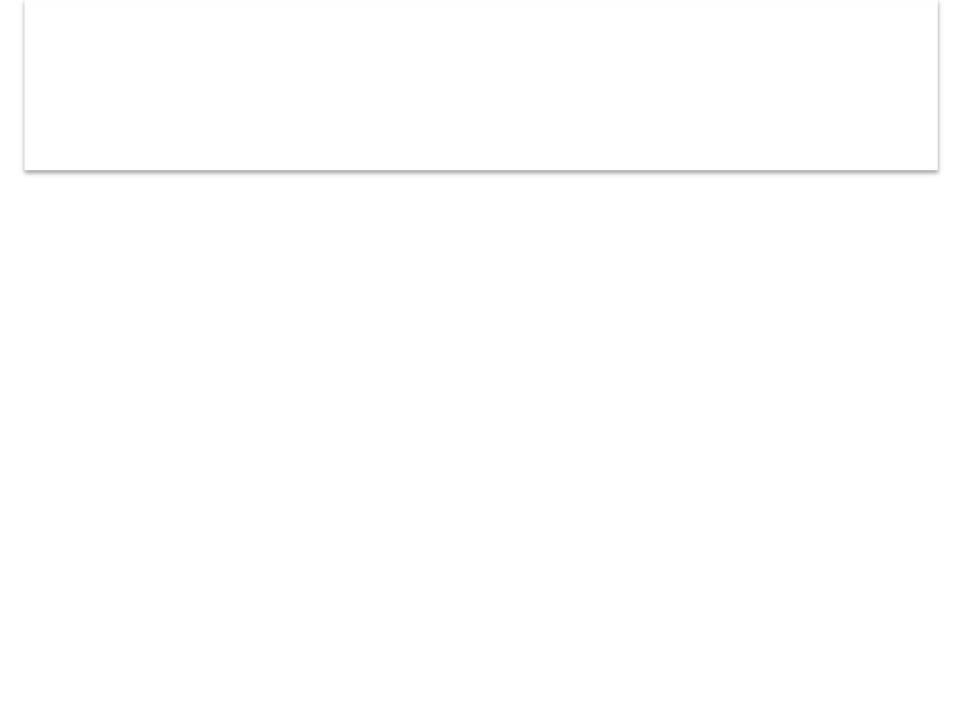


Next Steps/Considerations

- 1. Set public hearing with appropriate notifications
- 2. Hold public hearing and consider approving Nexus Study and fee rates
- 3. Consider adopting fee ordinance at a public hearing
 - Fee level might consider a reduced rate
 - Construction cost index might be applied annually
 - Fees can be scaled for particular land uses (e.g. hotels, fast food drive-throughs, gas stations, storage facilities)

Questions?





Nexus Study Number	CE Map Ref.	Mode	Туре	Standard or Policy	Project Description	Time frame	Tier*
1	S1	Auto	Intersection	1 A 1	Signalize San Pablo Avenue & Tsushima; allow full access to Tsushima	near-term	1
2	R1	Auto	Intersection	1.A.1	Reconfigure Sycamore Avenue cross section between Willow and San Pablo Avenues to 7 lanes	long-term	I
3	R2	Auto	Roadway	1 A 1	Double right turn lanes from NB San Pablo Avenue to SR-4 and I-80 ramps	long-term	ı
Not included	S2	Auto	Intersection	1 A 1	Signalize intersection of San Pablo & Linus Pauling; add turn lanes	long-term	П
Not included	S 3	Auto	Intersection	1.A.1	Signalize and improve intersection at Willow (near Foxborro) at two SR-4 ramps; add turn lanes	long-term	III
Not included	R3	Auto	Ramp	I.A.I	Relocate EB SR-4 hook ramps at Willow further east	long-term	Ш
Not included	R4	Auto	Roadway	1.A.1	Widen Willow Avenue to 4 travel lanes; intersection improvements at Willow & Palm	long-term	III

^{*} Reflects Council input

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Study Number	CE Map Ref.	Mode	Туре	Standard or Policy	Project Description	Time frame	Tier*
Not included	S4	Auto	Intersection	1.A.1	Signalize or roundabout at intersection of Sycamore Avenue and Palm Avenue	long-term	Ш
Not included	S5	Auto	Arterial/Intersection	1.A.1/1. C.3	Signalize intersection of Willow & Canterbury; include pedestrian phase	long-term	III
Not included but in CTP	R5	Auto	Ramp	1.A.1	Relocate EB I-80 off to exit at Creekside Center driveway; retime signal; upgrade curb ramps to ADA standards	long-term	Ш
4	INT3	Auto	Roadway	1.A.1	Willow Avenue & Sycamore Avenue intersection improvements (lenthened left turn lane)	long-term	ı
5	INT4	Auto	Intersection	1.A.1	Add third stacking through lane to San Pablo & Sycamore along NB San Pablo Approach along Kinders shopping center	near-term	1
Not included , not well defined	N/A	Auto	Traffic Calming	3.A.3	Evaluate local and collector streets with a history of speed related collisions for traffic calming measures (to address newly anticipated cutthrough traffic from new development)	long-term	I

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Nexus Study Number	CE Map Ref.	Mode	Туре	Standard or Policy	Project Description	Time frame	Tier*
6	INT5	Bike/Ped	Safety		Pedestrian activated signal phase at Market Hall driveway across San Pablo Avenue	near-term	I
7	see nexus appen dix	Bike/Ped	ADA	1.G.2	Update curb ramps to ADA standards at all marked crosswalks	long-term	I
8		Bike/Ped	Bike/Ped	1.C.1	Hercules Creekside Trail and Boardwalk along Refugio Creek between Sycamore Avenue and ITC (directly adjacent to streets not through wetlands)	near-term	I
9		Bike/Ped	Complete Streets	41)1	Add multiuse path along San Pablo and Sycamore Avenues at Market Hall site	near-term	ı
10		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C.4.b	Improve pedestrian and bicycle access under BNSF railway via Palm	conceptuall y defined	1

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10		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C.4.b	Improve pedestrian and bicycle access under BNSF railway via Palm	conceptuall y defined	ı
11		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C.1	Complete Bay Trail through Hercules (Bayfront Area)	near-term	I
12		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C.4a	Expand bicycle network to serve all elementary schools and major employment centers; fill in gaps in bicycle network	long-term	II
13		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C.4b	Add/Improve sidewalk facilities on Willow Ave from Palm to connect to HTC	long-term	I
14			Connectivity	1.C.1	Improve pedestrian connections to Hercules Transit Center - Sycamore Avenue at Creekside Center to Willow	near-term	I
15		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C.1	Extend pedestrian connections to Rodeo along San Pablo	near-term	I

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Nexus Study Number	CE Map Ref.	Mode	Туре	Standard or Policy	Project Description	Time frame	Tier*
Not included		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	3.A.2	Create better network of sidewalks and pedestrian connections between neighborhoods	near-term	Ш
16		Bike/Ped	Connectivity	1.C	Complete bicycle facilities on Willow Avenue between Hercules Transit Center and Mariner's Pointe (Class II lanes or Class III sharrows)	near-term	I
17		Bike/Ped	Safety	4.D.5	Add lighting as needed for safety along Refugio Valley Trail and San Francisco Bay Trail	long-term	II
18		Bike/Ped	Safety	•	Remove crosswalk over San Pablo from north approach for safety	near-term	I
Not included		Bike/Ped	Safety/Com munity	4.D.1	Patterned or enhanced crosswalks (along San Pablo)	near-term	П
19		Transit	Amenity	4.C.5	Provide shelters along WESTCAT Route J line on San Pablo with real-time arrival signs	near-term	I

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Nexus Study Number	CE Map Ref.	Mode	Туре	Standard or Policy	Project Description	Time frame	Tier*
Not included		Transit	Connectivit y	// //	Transit signal priority along San Pablo, Sycamore, & Willow Avenues	long-term	I
20		Transit	Rail/Rapid Transit	4A	Parking for Intermodal Transit Center	long-term	I
21		Transit	Transit Facility	/ΙΔ	Complete Intermodal Transit Center/Rail Station	near-term	ı

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