

Sunnyvale City Council Workshop on Mobility for the Moffett Park Specific Plan Project

The **Moffett Park Business Group** is a membership-driven organization, committed to supporting the social, environmental, and economic health of our community through mutual cooperation and advocacy.

We address common business concerns within the Moffett Park area, with a focus on development, sustainability, community engagement, and improved mobility.



City of Sunnyvale will hold an interactive workshop for the Moffett Park Specific Plan Project **September 20th**. The topic of discussion will be mobility, the movement of people in, out and around Moffett Park. One can attend by joining online 6:00pm - 8:00pm. Click [here](#) to connect.

The mobility workshop is third in a recent series of City Council-MPSP focused meetings. The previous two workshops concentrated on Land Use and Open Space & Urban Ecology.

Both study sessions covered a range of ideas and generated robust discussions to help refine the conceptual policies of the MPSP. If you missed these workshops or would like a refresher on the finer points of the discussions, you can watch them on City of Sunnyvale's YouTube channel [here](#). Individual presentations can be found at this [link](#) for Open Space & Urban Ecology or [here](#) for Land Use.

City of Sunnyvale Evaluates Caltrain Grade Separation Projects

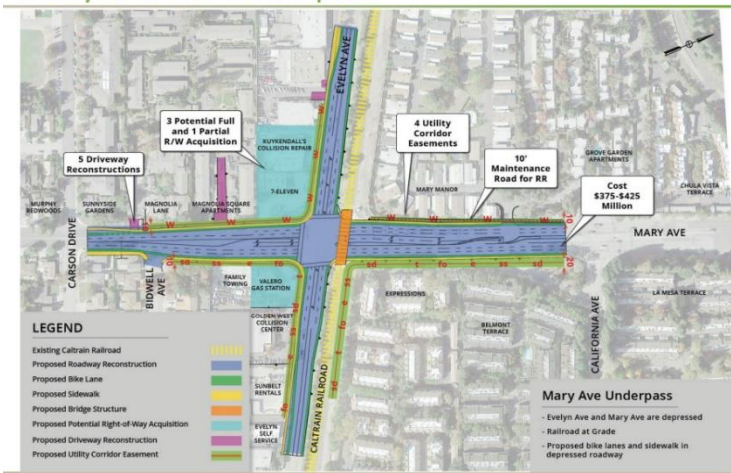


City of Sunnyvale has two Caltrain, railroad crossings at street level. One crossing is at Mary Avenue and the other junction is Sunnyvale Avenue. Streets that cross railroad tracks at the same level present safety, noise and delay issues. To improve safety and prepare for faster trains from high-speed rail, the City has developed grade separation plans that lower the roadways under the tracks.

Two options for each intersection have been developed by City staff for community input and City Council selection.

The two designs for Mary Avenue both have Mary Avenue going underneath the Caltrain tracks. What differs is one option includes Evelyn Avenue being lowered under the tracks to maintain the Mary/Evelyn intersection. The second option builds a “jughandle” road that keeps Evelyn at existing elevation and connects to the lowered Mary Avenue.

Mary Avenue Underpass



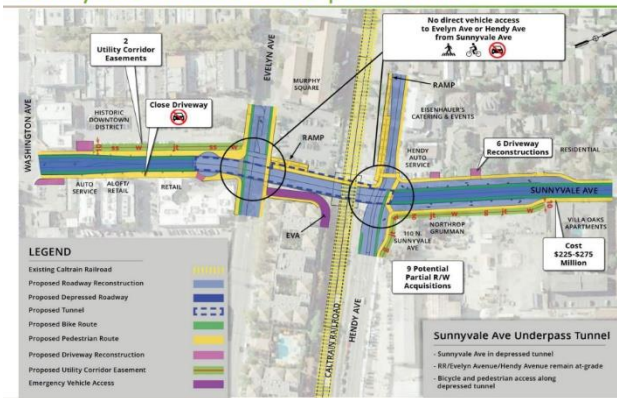
Mary Avenue Underpass Tunnel with Jughandle



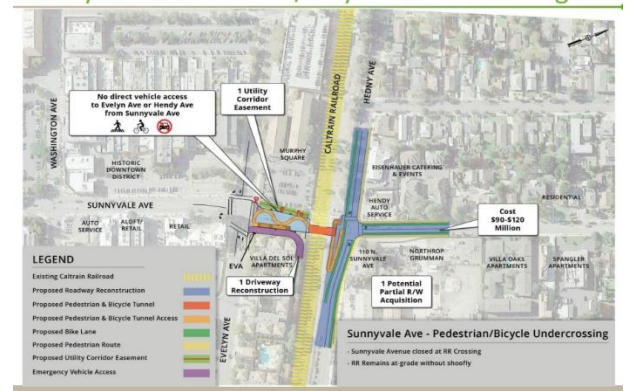
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The Sunnyvale Avenue designs follow the same idea as Mary Avenue by shifting some travel movement under the Caltrain tracks. The first design is more extensive with Sunnyvale Avenue lowered under Evelyn Avenue, Caltrain tracks and Hendy Avenue. The other option is a bicycle and pedestrian tunnel under the Caltrain tracks. With this option Sunnyvale Avenue access for vehicles is removed between Evelyn Avenue and Hendy Avenue.

Sunnyvale Avenue Underpass Tunnel



Sunnyvale Avenue Ped/Bicycle Undercrossing



City Council will select the preferred project design for each intersection at the August 30 council meeting. The plans will then move forward into the environmental study phase as separate projects, with Mary Avenue slated to start first.

Seed funds for the projects will come from the County 2016 Measure B sales tax funds and City transportation funds. Federal and state grants will be pursued as the project details are completed.

If you are interested to learn more about the projects, what the community has said and review survey results visit the [City of Sunnyvale Caltrain Grade Separation](#) webpage.

Valley Water Brings Silicon Valley Together for a Water Summit

Valley Water is hosting a Water Summit on Friday, August 26, 2022, at 9:30am to 11:30am, to bring together Silicon Valley leaders to discuss our current water supply challenges and how we can better partner together to find solutions.



The Water Summit will feature a recorded virtual keynote address from Senator Alex Padilla, talks from our subject matter experts on drought challenges due to climate change, presentation of Valley Water's capital projects to address water supply challenges and water conservation of business and residential resources. There will be a panel discussion as well on how we can become more climate resilient.

This will be a hybrid event to allow participants the option to attend via Zoom or in-person at the Santa Clara Convention Center. For more information and to register visit <https://delivr.com/2y2zw>.

TETRA Hotel Invites You to Join in Welcoming Japas Cervejaria & Friends to Silicon Valley

TETRA Hotel welcomes **Japas Cervejaria** to debut their collaboration beer together, Omotenashi, with a series of beer and food event **August 26 and 27**. This all-female, Nipo-Brazilian, founding trio is sharing their passion, craft and culture at TETRA Hotel as part of their first tour across the United States.

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Along with Japas Cervejaria other local craft brewers - ShaKa Brewing, Barebottle Brewing Co. and Federation Brewing, complete your choice of brew. Bay Area musicians and food trucks round out the event celebration.

To learn more and register link [here](#).