WELCOME TO THE MORRISON CREEK REVITALIZATION PLAN LISTENING SESSION
NOVEMBER 9, 2022
AGENDA

- Welcome and Introductions
- Reminder of Previous Work
- Introduction of this Phase
- Project Approach & Schedule
- Community Goals
- Connections and Improvements
- Questions and Feedback
RECAP OF PREVIOUS WORK

• The Morrison Creek Revitalization Project (MCRP) began in 2016 by leaders of the Avondale Glen Elder Neighborhood Association (AGENA) and the Capital Regional Organizing Project (CROP).

• What began as a cleanup effort grew into a community effort to revitalize the creek. The community engaged in a year-long planning process to determine goals and outcomes for Morrison Creek.
INTRODUCTION TO THE FEASIBILITY STUDY

Purpose
- Create the framework that outlines the community’s desired and viable amenities
- Estimates the specific technical, environmental and financial aspects of the project
- Identify Project Partners along Morrison Creek for project coordination

End Result
- Planning-Level documentation that formally defines the scope of the Morrison Creek Revitalization Project
- Outlines specific improvements in coordination with the Project Partners
- City officials use the planning-level documents to apply for grants to fund the design and construction of the project in later phases
PARTNERSHIPS AND COORDINATION

City of SACRAMENTO
Department of Public Works

Responsible for Delivering Capital Improvement Projects

&

SACRAMENTO COMMUNITY LAND TRUST

Co-Applicant for funding the Feasibility Study and Community Engagement

Partnered to apply for funding from

Grantee (Thank You!)

City of SACRAMENTO
Department of Utilities

Responsible for maintaining Morrison Creek as flood control infrastructure

&

Sacramento City Unified School District

Coordinating connections to nearby schools

City of SACRAMENTO
Youth, Parks, & Community Enrichment

Responsible for maintenance of George Sims Community Park
PROJECT GOALS & CONSIDERATIONS

- Engineering Concerns
  - Site Condition
  - Creek Hydraulic Performance
  - Maintenance Consideration
  - Design requirements

- Multiuse Path Performance
  - Safety
  - Connectivity
  - Place making

- Environmental Consideration
  - Riparian Habitat Restoration
  - Permitting
MULTIUSE PATH CONSIDERATIONS

- Security & Safety
- Accessibility
- Maintenance
- Permitting
STREET CROSSING OPTIONS

At-Street Crossing
PROJECT APPROACH & SCHEDULE

- Focus on Project Objectives/End Product
- Early Collaboration & Community Outreach
- Develop Feasible Options
- Develop Community Stewardship/Leadership Plan
- Stakeholder Coordination & Present Alternatives
- Refine Selected Alternative
- Develop Revitalization Plan Report

Timeline:
- Nov. 2022
- Feb. 2023
- Mar.-April 2023
- June 2023
COMMUNITY GOALS

• Create a community asset in the Morrison Creek corridor
• Restore some of the natural environment along Morrison Creek
• Develop community stewardship for Morrison Creek
• Create an active transportation route for community use in the Morrison Creek corridor
• Strengthen the connection between community and institutional partners
• Increase opportunities for community leadership
• Enhance connectivity between schools, parks, and other community assets adjacent to Morrison Creek
• Maintain community stability for current residents
OTHER IMPROVEMENTS
QUESTIONS

1. What amenities do you think would increase the use of the trail for all travelers?
2. What other uses (in addition to Safe Routes to School) do you envision?
3. What challenges do you see for the trail that the project team should consider?
4. Any other opportunities to creating a trail that would benefit your community?
5. Please share any other trails you have traveled on. What did you like or dislike about them?
THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING THIS LISTENING SESSION!

STAY UP TO DATE WITH THE PROJECT:
HTTP://WWW.CITYOF SACRAMENTO.ORG/PUBLIC-WORKS/ENGINEERING-SERVICES/PROJECTS/CURRENT-PROJECTS/MORRISON-CREEK-REVITALIZATION-STUDY

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