

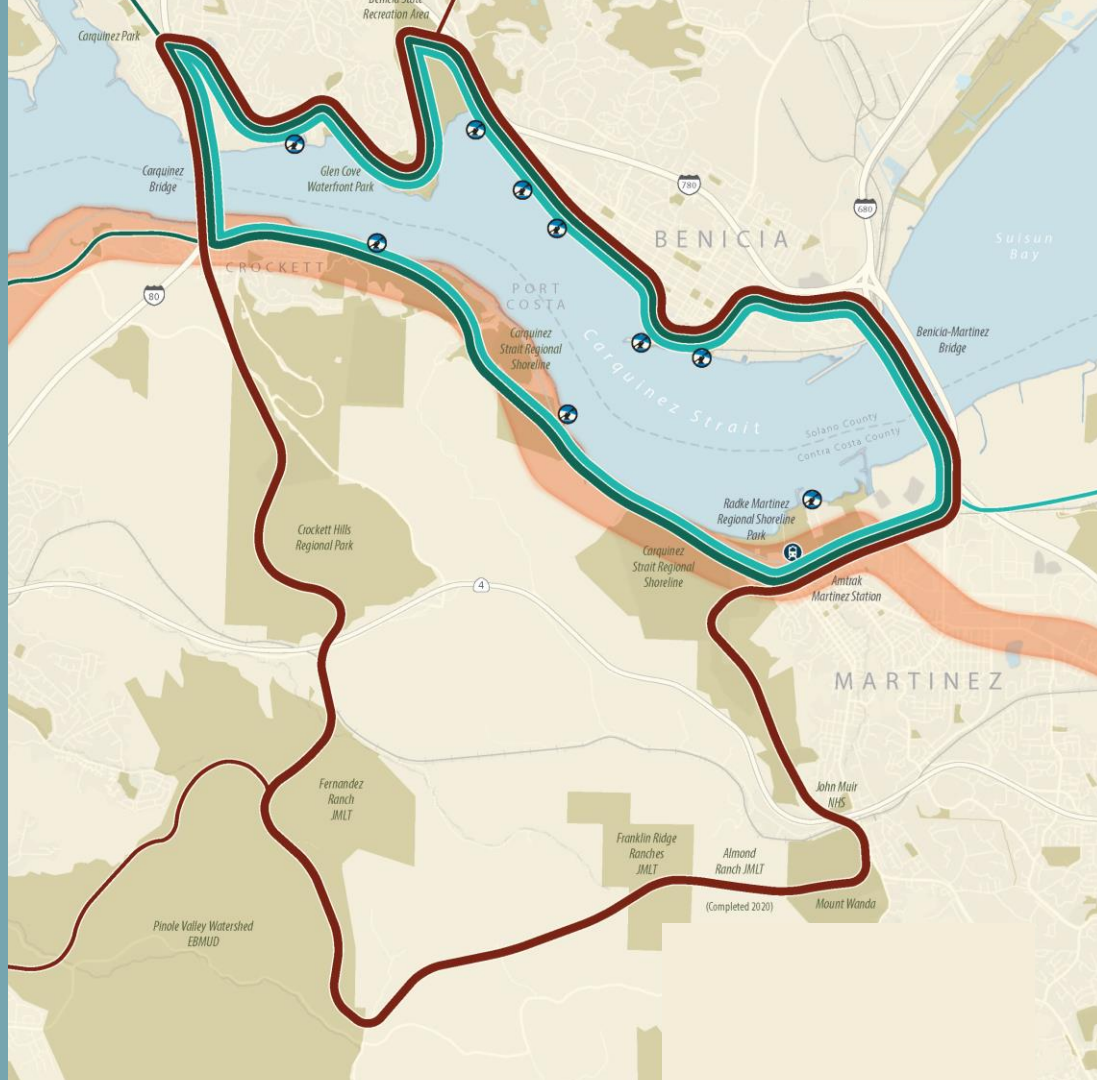


Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop Trail

TRAIL OVERVIEW

An aerial photograph of a scenic landscape featuring a large body of water on the left, a winding road along the shoreline, and rolling hills with a network of trails. The hills are covered in sparse vegetation and trees. In the background, a bridge spans the water, and distant mountains are visible under a clear sky. The text 'TRAIL OVERVIEW' is overlaid in a large, bold, sans-serif font on the left side of the image.

Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop



miles
50
TOTAL

miles
36
RIDGE LOOP

miles
23
BAY + DELTA
LOOP



VISION

The **Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop Trail** brings together five regionally significant trails including the **San Francisco Bay Trail**, the **Bay Area Ridge Trail**, the **Great California Delta Trail**, the **San Francisco Bay Area Water Trail** and the **Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail**.

It provides opportunities for **safe, continuous hiking, biking and human-powered boating** around and within the Carquinez Strait by linking a magnificent mosaic of **public lands** that embrace the **historic Carquinez Strait communities** of Martinez, Benicia, Vallejo, Port Costa, and Crockett.





WORKING GROUP MEMBERS



San Francisco Bay Trail

Contra Costa County

Bay Area Ridge Trail

City of Benicia

Great California Delta Trail

Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail

San Francisco Bay Area Water Trail

National Park Service





CARQUINEZ STRAIT SCENIC LOOP PARTNERS



California Coastal Conservancy

California State Parks

Caltrans

City of Benicia

City of Martinez

City of Vallejo

Contra Costa County

Delta Protection Commission

East Bay Regional Park District

Greater Vallejo Recreation District

John Muir Land Trust

John Swett Unified School District

National Park Service

Contra Costa Transportation Authority

West Contra Costa Transportation

Advisory Committee

VALUE OF THE TRAIL



The Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop
connects Contra Costa County to
10,000 acres of open space
and has benefits including...



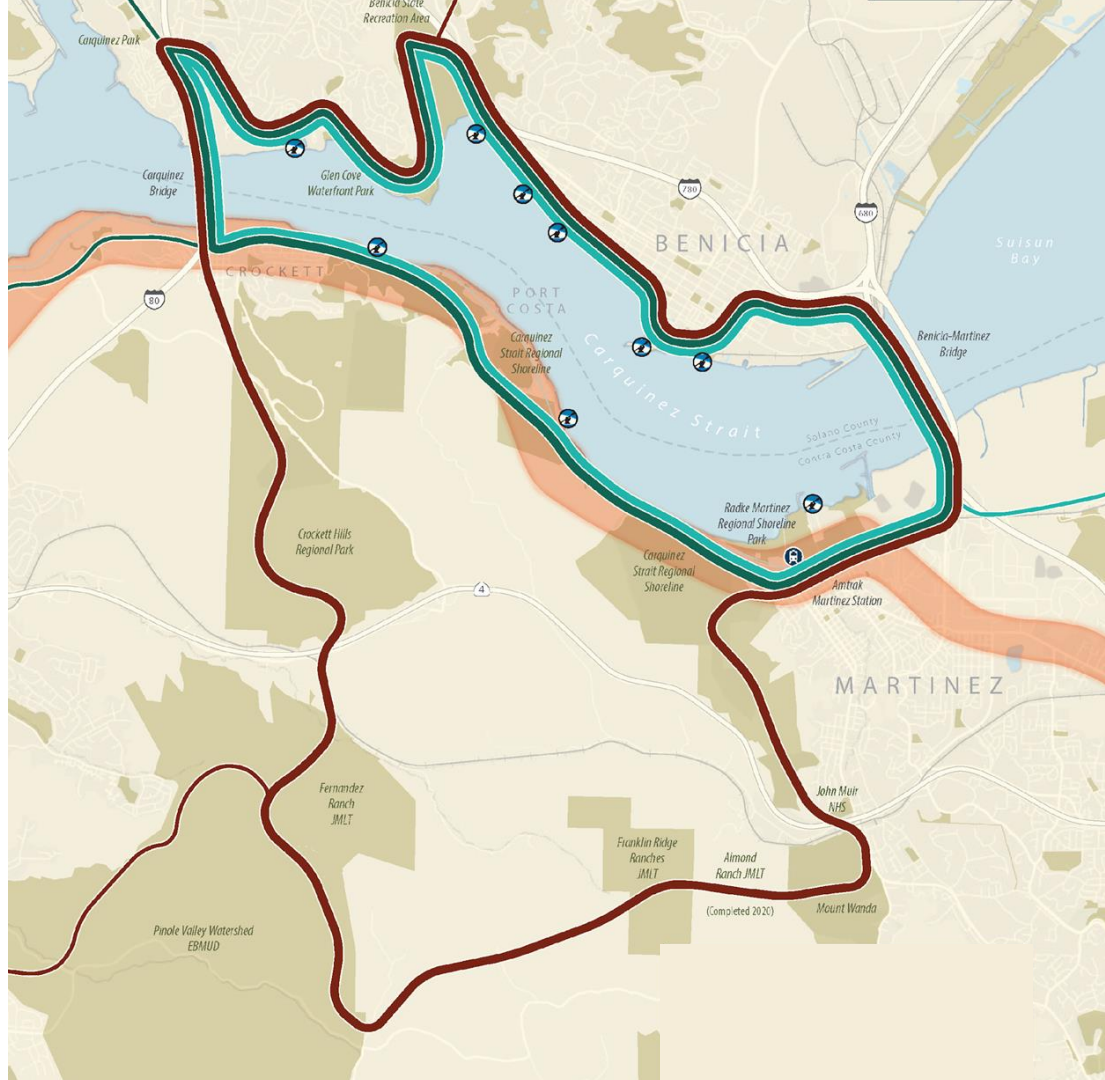
Economic



Social Equity



Public Health and Safety



REMAINING GAPS



Remaining Trail Gaps



Gap Name		Length
1	Vallejo Bluff Trail	1.2 miles
2	Glen Cove	0.4 miles
3	Benicia Streets	3.0 miles
4	Mococo Road	0.14 miles
5	Downtown Martinez	3.7 miles
6	Carquinez Shoreline	5.0 miles
7	Almond Ranch	1.1 miles
8	Pereira Road	1.6 miles
9	Christie Road	1.3 miles
10	Crockett Boulevard	0.3 miles

A total of
16.64 miles
of trail gaps
remain!

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1	Vallejo Bluff Trail	1.2 miles	Bay Trail, Ridge Trail, Delta Trail
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7	Almond Ranch	1.1 miles	Ridge Trail Open in October 2020!
8	Pereira Road	1.6 miles	Ridge Trail
9	Christie Road	1.3 miles	Ridge Trail
10	Crockett Boulevard	0.3 miles	Ridge Trail

This includes
11.5 miles
of trail gaps in
Contra Costa
County

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4. MOCOCO ROAD

✓ Bay Trail

✓ Ridge Trail

✓ Delta Trail

Anza Trail

Water Trail

0.14 miles

Class I paved multi-use

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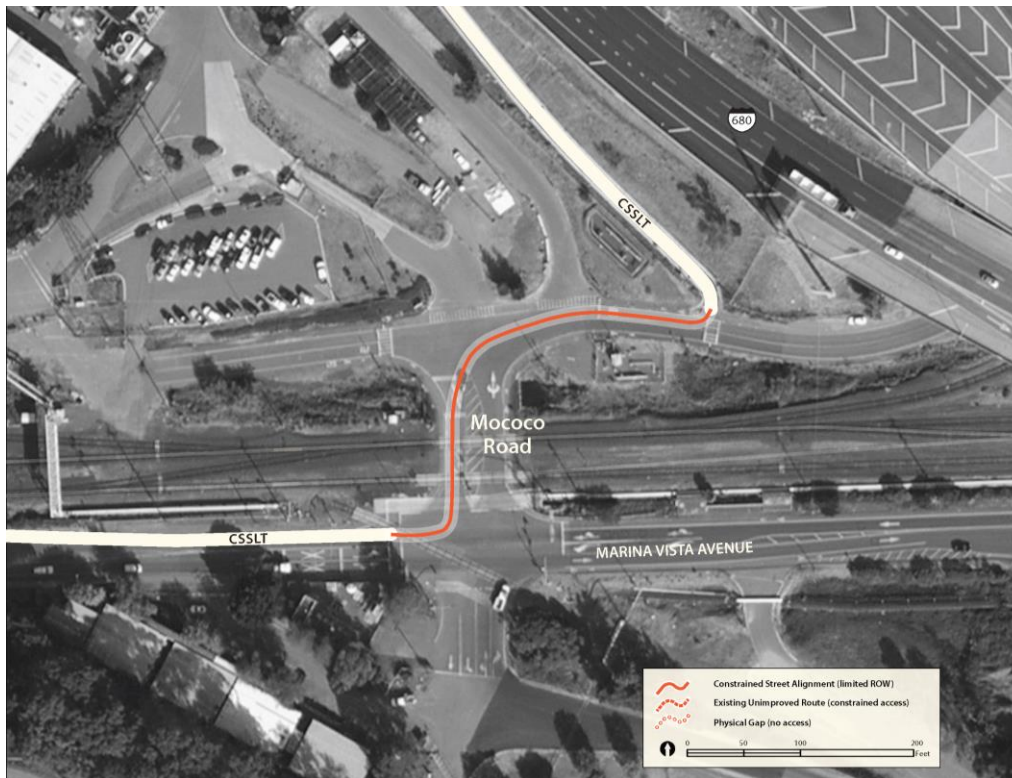
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OWNERSHIP

Contra Costa County
Union Pacific Railroad
Private Landowners

PARTNERS

Bay Area Toll Authority
Caltrans
Contra Costa County





5. DOWNTOWN MARTINEZ

✓ Bay Trail

✓ Ridge Trail

✓ Delta Trail

✓ Anza Trail

✓ Water Trail

3.7 miles

Class II bike lanes, sidewalks (city)
Class I paved multi-use (shoreline)

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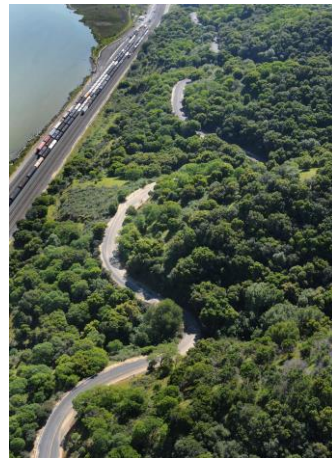
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East Bay Regional Park District

OWNERSHIP

City of Martinez
Contra Costa County
East Bay Regional Park District

PARTNERS

City of Martinez
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6. CARQUINEZ SHORELINE

✓ Bay Trail

Ridge Trail

✓ Delta Trail

✓ Anza Trail

✓ Water Trail

5.0 miles

Class II bike lanes, sidewalks (city)
Class I paved multi-use (shoreline)

JURISDICTION

Contra Costa County

OWNERSHIP

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PARTNERS

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8. PEREIRA ROAD

Bay Trail

✓ Ridge Trail

Delta Trail

Anza Trail

Water Trail

1.6 miles

Recreational trail, low intensity

JURISDICTION

Contra Costa County

OWNERSHIP

Contra Costa County (right of way)

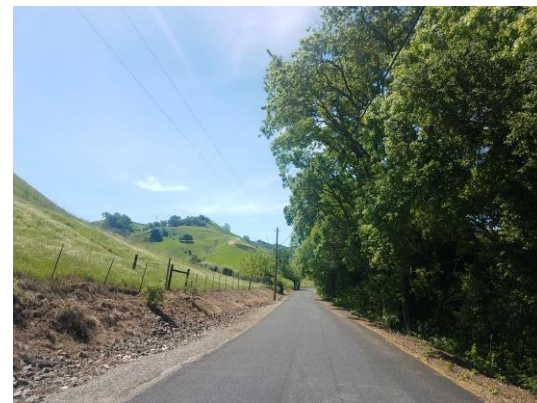
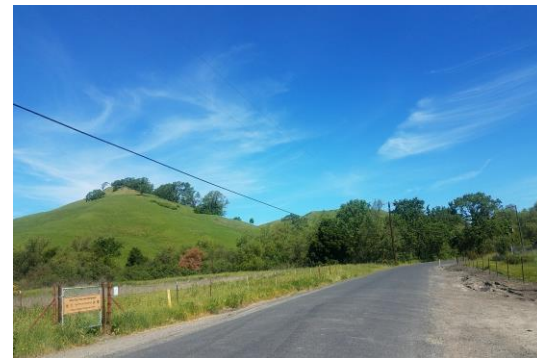
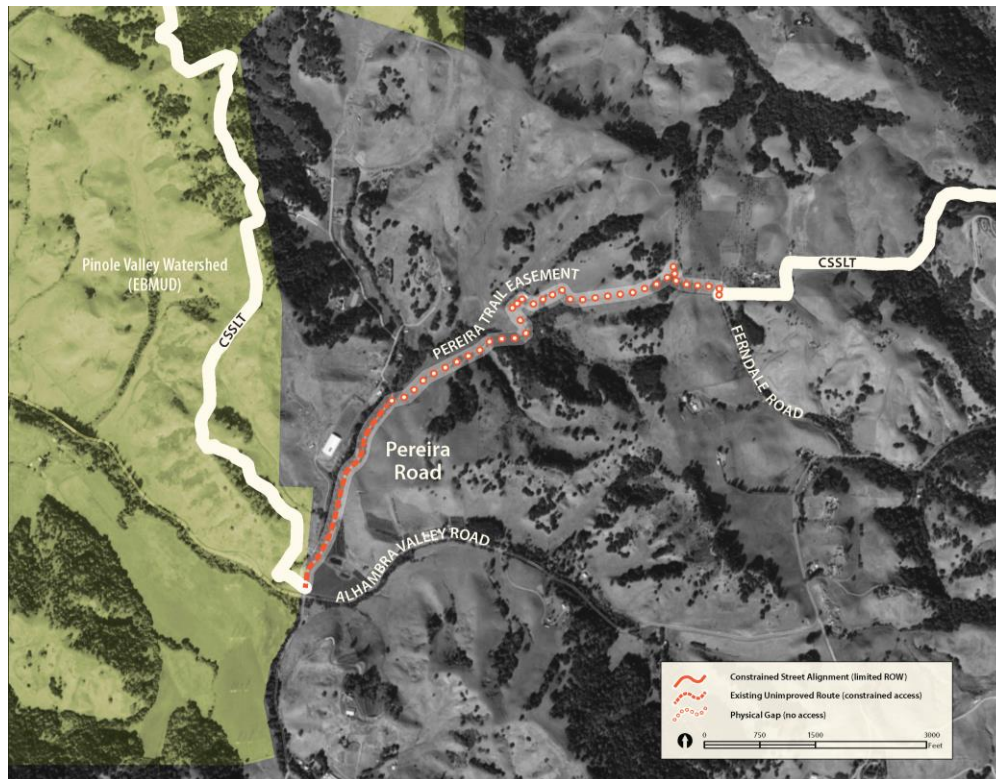
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Private Landowner

PARTNERS

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East Bay Regional Park District





9. CHRISTIE ROAD

Bay Trail

✓ Ridge Trail

Delta Trail

Anza Trail

Water Trail

1.3 miles

Recreational trail, low intensity

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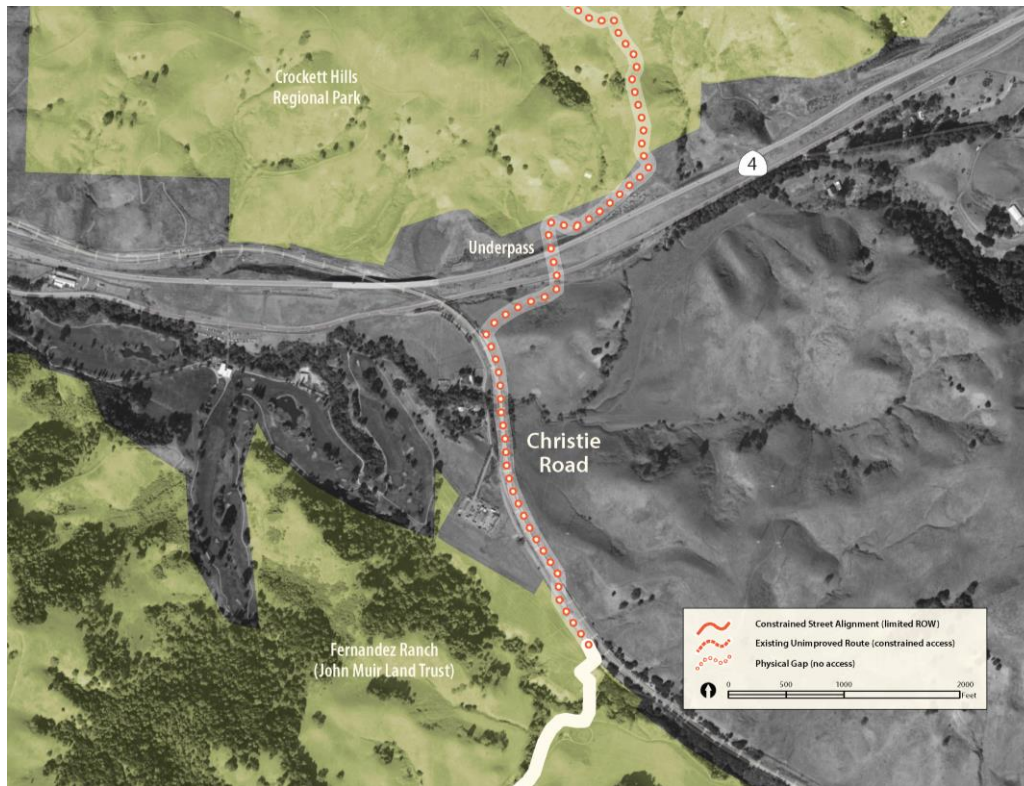
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10. CROCKETT BOULEVARD

Bay Trail

✓ Ridge Trail

Delta Trail

Anza Trail

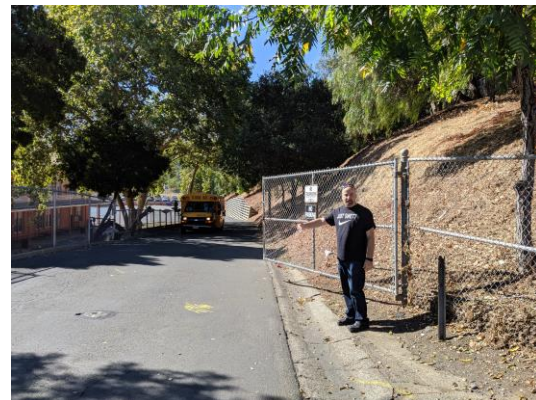
Water Trail

0.3 miles
Class I paved multi-use
Recreational trail, low intensity

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ACCESS SITES



Proposed

Glen Cove Marina
Eckley Pier
Benicia State
Recreation Area
12th St/ Matthew
Turner Park
Benicia Marina/Point
Pier
Brickyard Site
Martinez Marina



Designated

West 9th St Boat
Launch

San Francisco Bay Area Water Trail



SUCCESSES TO DATE





SO FAR...

IN 2 YEARS WE HAVE ALREADY MADE STRIDES

- **Gaps Completed**
 - Almond Ranch – 1.6 miles
- **Funding Provided by Trail Partners**
 - 2020 Vision Plan
 - National Park Service Rivers and Trails Technical Assistance Program
 - San Francisco Bay Trail - \$902,000
 - Bay Area Ridge Trail - \$290,000



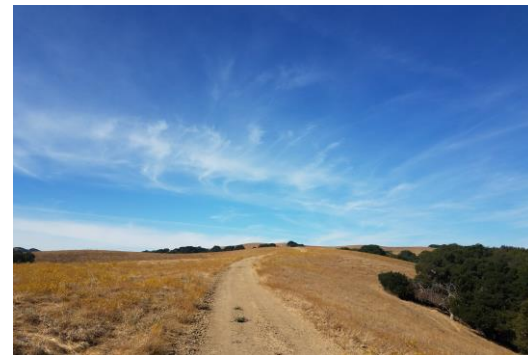
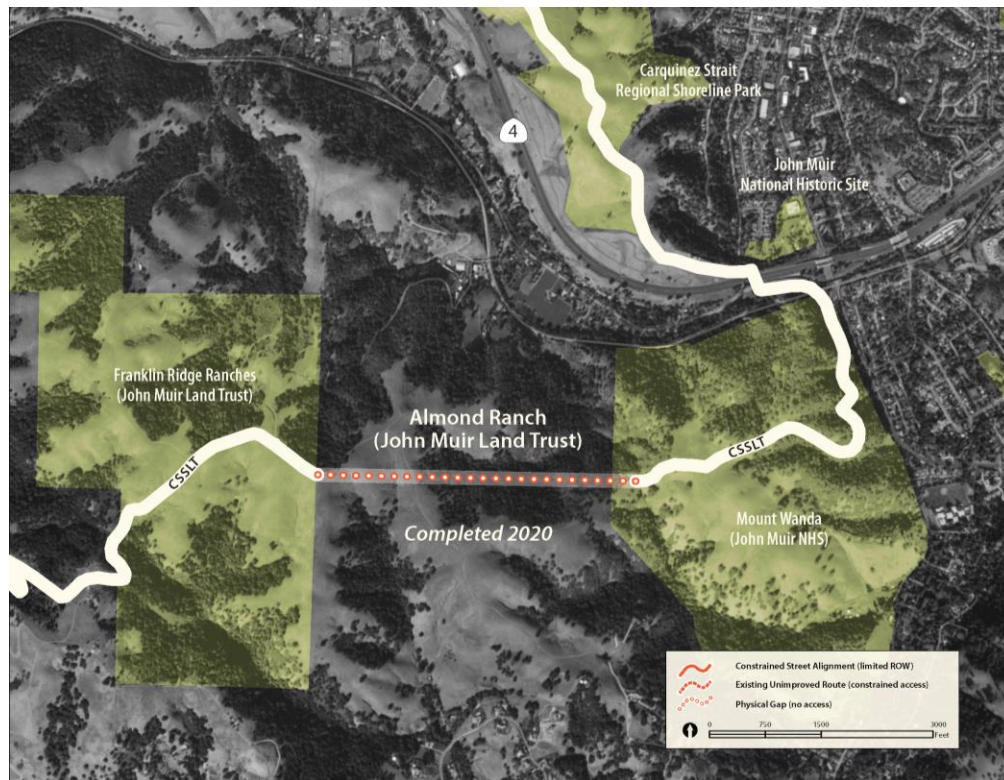
SO FAR...

- **Contra Costa County Gap Closure Study**
 - **\$133,000**
- **Major Grant Applications**
 - **2020 Active Transportation Program (ATP) Grants**
 - **Crockett Middle School Trail Connection**
 - **Martinez Regional Shoreline to Negedly Staging Area (EBRPD)**
 - **Vallejo Bluffs Trail (City of Vallejo)**
 - **Rodeo to Crockett Complete Streets Project**



ALMOND RANCH

COMPLETED 2020!





MILESTONES

2004

Carquinez Bridge – bicycle and pedestrian path and parking opened in 2004.

2007

Benicia-Martinez Bridge – bicycle and pedestrian path opened in 2007.

2010

Rose Drive I-780 Overcrossing– bicycle and pedestrian path across I-780 opened to provide safe access from the Bay Area Ridge Trail into Benicia State Recreation Area.

2012

Glen Cove Waterfront Park – the park was completed in 2012 and serves as a trailhead for the Glen Cove neighborhood in Vallejo

Park Road – bike lane and sidewalk were completed to connect the Benicia Martinez Bridge and Adams Road.

2014

George Miller Trail – a failed roadway was converted to a 1.7 mile dedicated trail in East Bay Regional Park District's Carquinez Regional Shoreline.



MILESTONES

2016

Benicia State Recreation Area – State Parks and City of Vallejo repaved most of the trail through Benicia State Recreation Area.

Fernandez Ranch – John Muir Land Trust's Fernandez Ranch expanded by 483 acres with the addition of Franklin Canyon.

Alvarez Ninth Street Park – designated as a Bay Area Water Trail site in 2016.

2017

Great California Delta Trail – the Delta Trail designated the Carquinez Strait Loop as its alignment in 2017.

Sign Inventory – Ridge/Bay Trail sign inventory completed in 2017 to help with the Solano County alignment.

2019

Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta National Heritage Area – the Delta is designated by Congress as a National Heritage Area.

An aerial photograph of a coastal landscape. In the foreground, rolling hills with sparse vegetation and patches of trees are visible. A winding road snakes through the hills. To the left, a large body of water, possibly a bay or estuary, is visible. In the background, a city or town is situated along the water's edge, with mountains visible in the distance. The text "HOW CAN WE HELP?" is overlaid on the left side of the image.

**HOW CAN WE
HELP?**



WAYS TO HELP

- Take action to support the Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop Trail Vision
- Support County staff in their work on the Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop Trail
- Work together to secure and develop funding to complete the Trail

An aerial photograph of a large body of water, likely a bay or river, with a long bridge spanning across it. In the foreground, there are rolling hills with patches of green vegetation and a winding road. The background shows a city skyline and distant mountains under a hazy sky. The text "THANK YOU" is overlaid in the center-left of the image.

THANK YOU