

Southeast Greenway Update

Board of Community Services

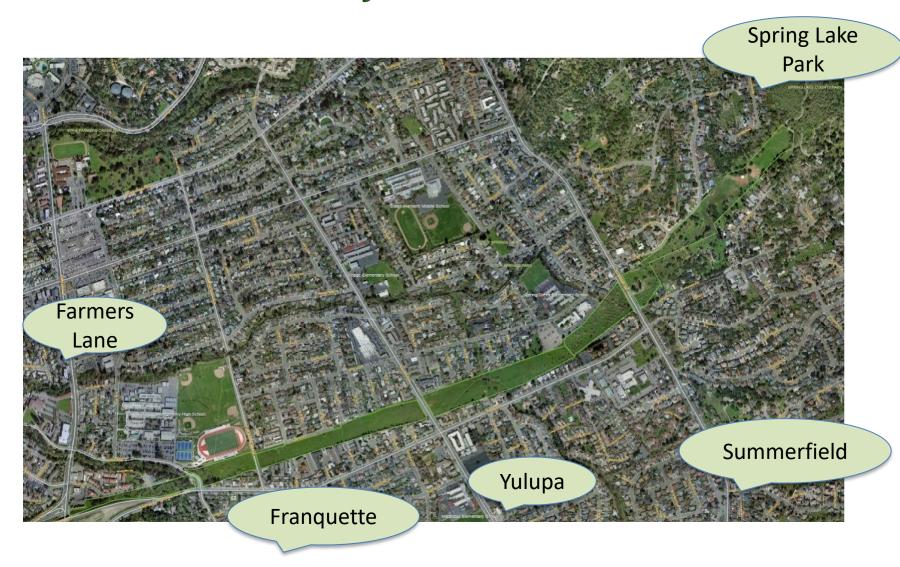
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An Urban Greenway in Southeast Santa Rosa





Open Spaces to Restore & Enjoy



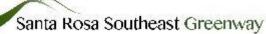
Greenway Vision: An Urban Linear Park

> AIA Community Study 2011

- Bicycle and Pedestrian Trails
- Open Space and Natural Habitat
- Community Gardens and Gathering Spaces
- Active & Passive Recreation
- Education, Public Art and Culture

Address Climate Adaptation











Building Community Involvement

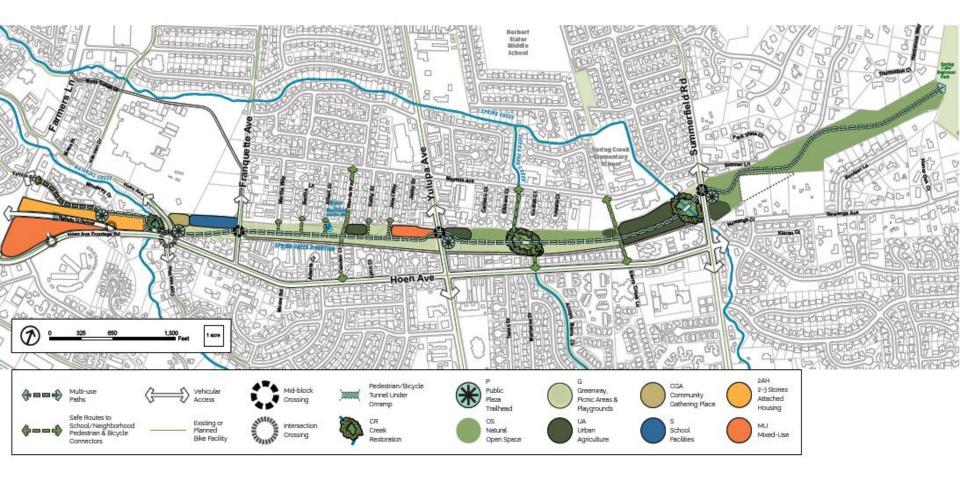




Preferred Alternative

The Southeast Greenway will be a continuous linear open space with separated bicycle and pedestrian paths linking Spring Lake Regional Park to Hoen Avenue with a bicycle connection to Farmers Lane and beyond. Select areas along the north edge adjacent to existing infrastructure will allow joint school facilities, a community gathering place, urban agricultural space for community gardens and mixed-use development. Areas of sensitive habitat near creeks and wetlands will be restored. The remnant walnut orchards will be restored. The Greenway's trailheads, picnic areas, and playgrounds along it will increase activity and serve the public, thereby providing additional safety and security. A mix of land uses on the western edge of the Greenway will provide ample space for retail services, housing, and lodging for Santa Rosa residents and visitors.





Government Process

2015 - City Conditions, Constraints Report, MOU with Caltrans & the City

2016 - SCAOSD grant

2017 - EIR, Acquisition fundraising

2018 - City Council approves EIR, GPA and Rezoning

2019-22 - Mapping 47 properties,

City RE agent negotiating with CT

2023 – Appraisal, Sale approved by DGS, consent item for CTC & City signs off on land designation "Public Purpose in Perpetuity"









2024 – Title transfer- 16 years!!

Santa Rosa Southeast Greenway

Greenway Public/Partnership















