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menlo park land use & mobility update

MENLO PARK GENERAL PLAN UPDATE COMMUNITY PROGRAMS AND CITY PROJECTS IN THE M-2 AREA AND BELLE HAVEN

1. Community-serving Retail

- A. Grocery store
A full-service grocery store providing a range of goods, including fresh fruits, vegetables and meat and dairy products
- B. Pharmacy
A full-service pharmacy that fills prescriptions and offers convenience goods
- C. Restaurants
A range of dining options, from cafes to sit-down restaurants, serving residents and local employees
- D. Bank/ATM
A bank or credit union branch with an ATM

2. Social Service Improvements

- A. Education improvements in Belle Haven
Improvements to the quality of student education and experience in Belle Haven
- B. Library improvements at Belle Haven
Expand library programs and activities, especially for children
- C. Senior service improvements
Increase the senior services at the Senior Center to include more aides and programs
- D. Medical center
Medical center providing health care services and outpatient care
- E. Pool House remodel in Belle Haven
Remodel pool for year-round use with new heating and changing areas
- F. Add restroom at Onetta Harris Community Center
Additional restroom at the community center

3. Jobs and Training at M-2 Area Companies

- A. Job opportunities for residents
Local employers have a hiring preference for qualified residents
- B. Job training programs and education center
Provide residents with job training programs that prepare them with competitive skills
- C. Paid internships and scholarships for young adults
Provide internships at local companies and scholarships to local youth to become trained for tech jobs
- D. Education and enrichment programs for young adults
Provide programs that target students and young adults to be competitive in the job market, including existing tech jobs

4. Energy, Technology, and Utilities Infrastructure
- A. Underground power lines
Remove overhead power lines and install them underground along certain roads
 - B. Incentives for private home energy upgrades, renewable energy, and water conservation
Offer financial assistance or other incentives to help area residents pay for energy-efficient and water conserving home improvements
 - C. Telecommunications investment
Improve the area's access to wifi, broadband, and other new technologies
 - D. Soundwalls adjacent to Highway 101
Construct soundwalls between Highway 101 and Kelly Park to reduce sound
5. Transit and Transportation Improvements
- A. Dumbarton Rail
Utilize the right-of-way for new transit line between Redwood City and Menlo Park in the near term with stations and a new bike/pedestrian path
 - B. Sidewalks, lighting, and landscaping
Enhanced landscaping and lighting and fill gaps in sidewalk to improve the overall walkability
 - C. Bike trails, paths or lanes
Install new bike lanes and pedestrian paths and connect them to existing facilities and BayTrail
 - D. Bus service and amenities
Increase the number of bus stops, bus frequency and shuttles, and bus shelters
 - E. Traffic-calming on neighborhood streets
Address cut-through traffic with design features
 - F. Innovative transportation solutions (i.e. personal rapid transit)
Invest in new technology like pod cars and transit that uses separate tracks
6. Healthy Living Improvements
- A. Bedwell Bayfront Park improvements
Improve access to the park and trails within it
 - B. Dog park
Provide a dedicated, enclosed place where dogs can run free
 - C. Tree planting
Plant trees along streets and parks to increase tree canopy
 - D. Community garden(s)
Expand space for community to plant their own produce and flower gardens
7. Rank the Categories
- A. Community-serving Retail
 - B. Social Service Improvements
 - C. Jobs and Training at M-2 Area Companies
 - D. Energy, Technology & Utilities Infrastructure
 - E. Transit & Transportation Improvements
 - F. Healthy Living Improvements