

Welcome

Open Forum Public Hearing

August 12, 2008

5:30-8:00



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Union Valley Parkway Extension/Interchange Project

- **Purpose of Tonight's Open Forum Public Hearing**
 - **Share Project Information**
 - **Discuss Features/Issues with Project Team**
 - **Gather Public Comments on the Project**
 - **Describe Future Project Milestones**
 - **No Decisions Will Be Made Tonight**

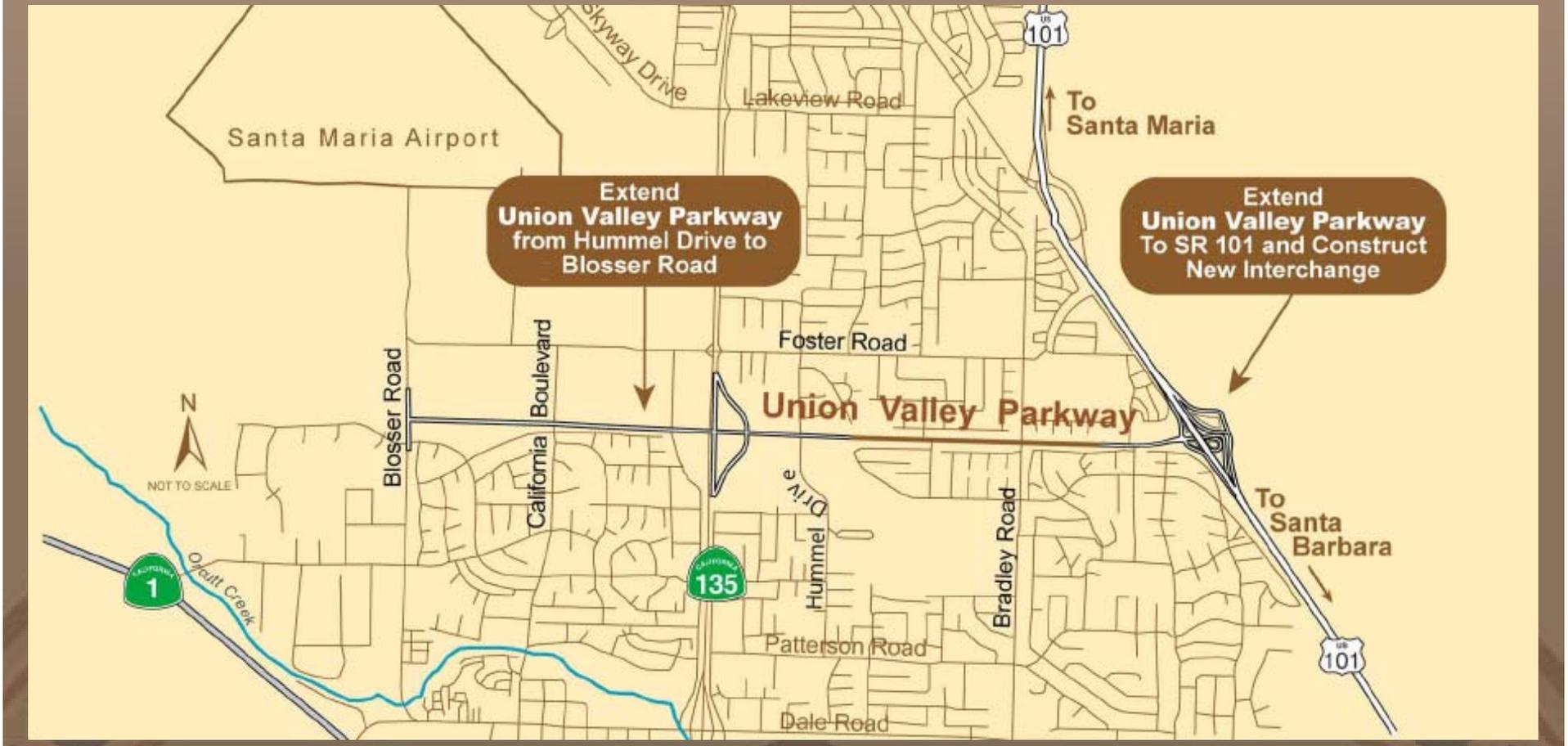


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- **Project Overview**

- **Union Valley Parkway Extension (Blosser Road to Hummel Drive)**
- **Union Valley Parkway Interchange At Highway 101**



- **Tonight's Presentation Will Cover:**
 - Project History
 - Progress to Date
 - Funding Status
 - Project Alternatives, Features and Benefits
 - Scope of Environmental Studies
 - Public Comment
 - Future Milestones



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- **Project History**

- **1960s** Union Valley Parkway planned
- **1997** Begin Design/Environmental Studies
- **2003** Extension and Interchange Projects Combined for Environmental Study
- **2004-2008** Alternatives Identified and Studied
- **Summer 2008** Draft Environmental Document and Public Hearing



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Project Financing- UVP Extension

Project Component	State Gas Tax	Federal Gas Tax	TOTAL
Project Development (preliminary engineering, environmental studies, design)	\$2.2 million	-----	\$2.2 million
Right of Way (support and capital)	-----	-----	-----
Construction (support & capital)	\$9.1 million*	\$3.1 million**	\$12.2 million
TOTAL	\$11.3 million	\$3.1 million	\$14.4 million

*\$1.162 M from County of Santa Barbara and \$7.91 M from city of Santa Maria

**\$.151 M from the Federal Transportation Enhancement program, \$2.929 M from the Federal Surface Transportation Program.



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Project Financing- UVP Interchange

Project Component	Current State Gas Tax Funding	Measure A (2008)*	Measure A State Gas Tax Match	TOTAL
Project Development (preliminary engineering, environmental studies, design)	\$4.3 million	-----	-----	\$4.3 million
Right of Way (support and capital)	\$1.1 million	-----	-----	\$1.1 million
Construction (support & capital)	\$6.9 million	\$10.0 million	\$7.0 million	\$23.9 million
TOTAL	\$12.3 million	\$10.0 million	\$7.0 million	\$29.3 million

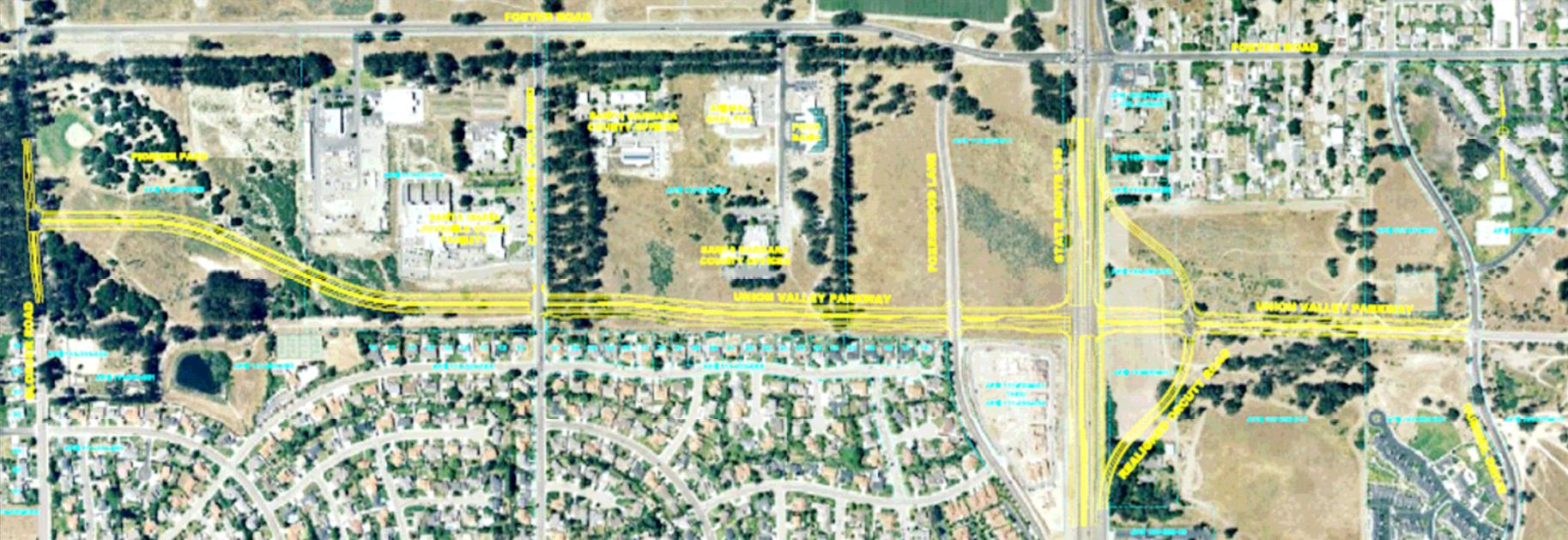
*Assumes passage of Measure A 2008 on November 4 ballot.



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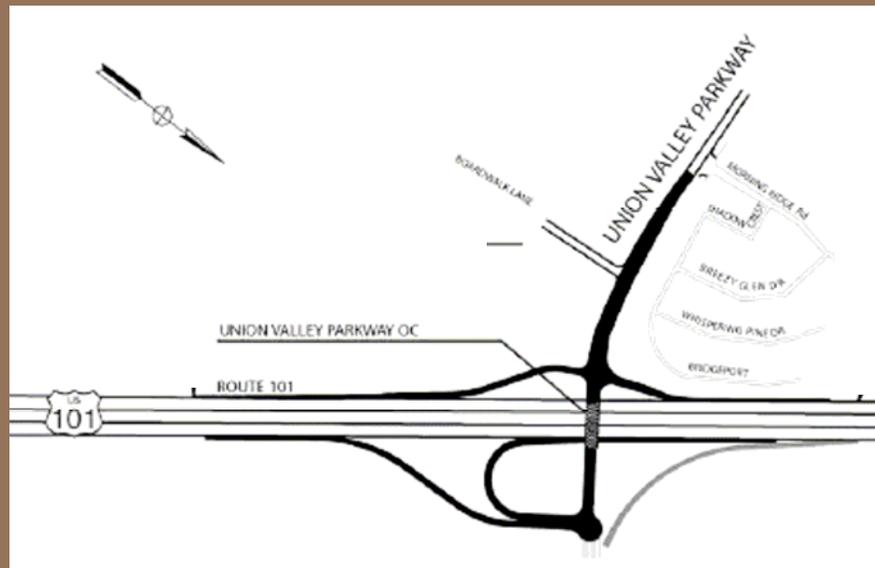
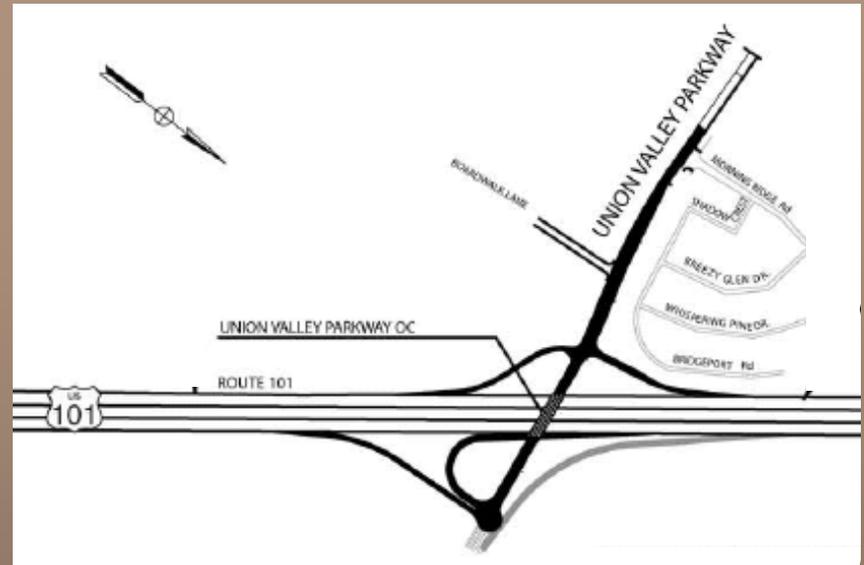
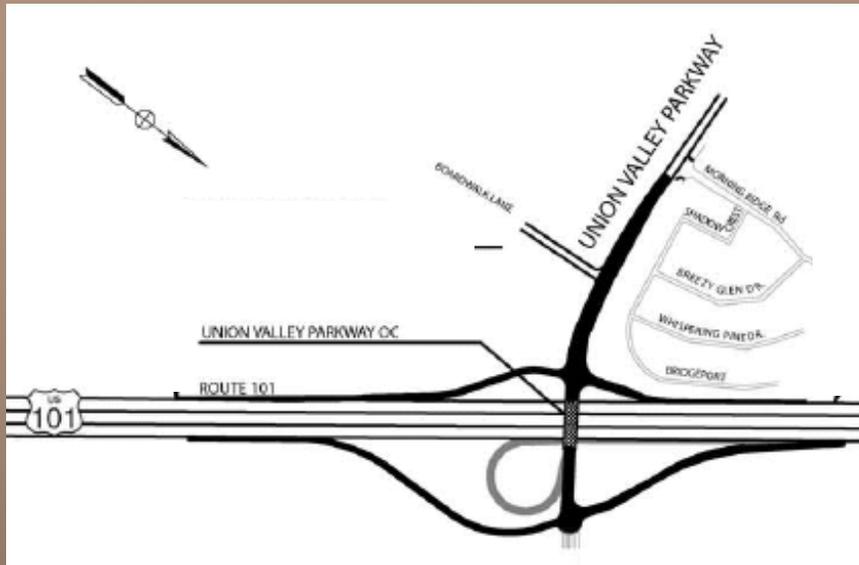
Alternatives 1 & 2- UVP Extension



Alternatives 3 & 4- UVP Extension



Design Variations 1, 2, & 3- UVP Interchange



Design Variation 2- UVP Interchange



Design Variation 3- UVP Interchange



Environmental Studies

- Historic Property Survey Report
- Air Quality Studies
- Noise Study Report
- Traffic and Circulation Study
- Natural Environment Study
- Paleontology Report
- Hazardous Materials Report
- Visual Impacts Studies
- Water Quality Report
- Geologic Hazards Report



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- **Milestones in 2008**

- Circulate Draft Environmental Impact Report (July 28 - September 11, 2008)
- Open House Public Hearing (August 12, 2008)
- Receive Public Comments (Until September 11, 2008)
- Address Public Comments (Fall 2008)



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- **Milestones after 2008**
 - Final Environmental Impact Report (February 2009)
 - Planning Commission and City Council hearings on the FEIR and Project
 - Detailed Design (2009-2010)
 - Purchase Right of Way (2009-2010)
 - Phased Construction
 - UVP Extension (2009-2011)
 - UVP Interchange (2011-2012)



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- **How to Make Comments:**
 - **Written Comments in Comment Box**
 - **Spoken Comments to Court Reporter**
 - **Written Comments by Mail or Email**
 - **David Beas, City of Santa Maria Public Works, Engineering Division, 110 South Pine St. Suite 101, Santa Maria CA 93458**
 - **dbeas@ci.santa-maria.ca.us**
 - **Comment Period closes September 11, 2008**



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Thank You

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