

Rail Corridor Vision Study



What is the Rail Corridor Vision Study?

The study will help the City understand different issues and opportunities that exist along the rail corridor. The outcome of the Rail Corridor Vision Study (RCVS) will be a long-term, comprehensive vision for the rail corridor based on input from both multi-jurisdictional agencies and members of the public to address connectivity and quality of life needs along the rail corridor in consideration of numerous ongoing projects in this area. Early action projects may be identified, such as a quiet zone.

Anticipated Study Process and Schedule

1. Existing Conditions-

Analysis of existing setting, policies, and studies related to the corridor to help identify issues and opportunities.

- collected in fall 2016

2. Visioning -

Public workshops and other activities to collect information from residents, businesses, and visitors about what they would like to see change in the corridor.

- late 2016

3. Advisory Groups -

Additional input from community organizations.

- ongoing, throughout 2016 and 2017

4. Draft Concept Alternatives -

Developing community-supported solutions.

- presented to public in spring 2017

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS...

How does the Rail Corridor Vision Study tie into the Coastal Mobility and Livability Study (CMLS)?

The CMLS is comprised of three studies: the Active Transportation Plan, Parking Study and the Rail Corridor Vision Study. The CMLS is a coordinated effort for efficiency, coordination and to allow public participation through a unified vision.

Because residents, businesses, and other community members have an important role in the CMLS, a Public Participation Plan was created to organize for how and when public input would be obtained and how it would be used. Through this multi-project approach, the public will be invited to participate in workshops, community events, and public outreach meetings to assist in developing the CMLS.

What are the goals of the RCVS?

A comprehensive plan is needed to determine the location of the various improvements proposed for the rail corridor including, Coastal Rail Trail, Leucadia Streetscape, Drainage Improvements, Pedestrian Rail Crossings, crossing improvements and a quiet zone. More efficient ways to meet parking demand and mobility needs are necessary, particularly as the coastal business districts draw more users. More investment is needed to improve pedestrian and bicycle travel in Encinitas. The goal of the RCVS is to develop community-supported solutions to improve connectivity to and along the corridor, while improving our quality of life.

What can I do to get involved?

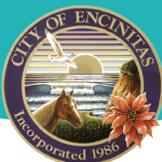
If you have any comments about the RCVS, please visit the project website online at www.encinitasca.gov/cmls; or send an email to the Project Contacts listed below.



Staff and consultants will report back to City Council with more information about the RCVS and public comments Spring 2017.

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For more information about the RCVS and upcoming workshops on creating an overall vision for the coastal corridor, please visit www.encinitasca.gov/cmls.

