



**Commission on Disability
AGENDA
Regular Meeting**

**Commission on Disability
Wednesday November 3, 2021 6:00 PM**

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A. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS

- 1) Call to Order by Chair Freeman**
- 2) Roll Call by Secretary**
- 3) Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda.
(Up to 3 minutes per speaker)**
- 4) Approval of Draft Action Minutes of October 20, 2021***
- 5) Staff Update**
 - Stipends**
 - Speakers**
 - Structure of the Agenda**
 - Minimum number of Commissioners**
- 6) Approval and Order of Agenda**

B. ACTION ITEMS

**The public may speak at the beginning of any item.
(Comments may be limited to 3 minutes per speaker)**

1. Elevator Ordinance

Proposed Action: Create a subcommittee on the elevator ordinance revisions

2. Vacancies

Proposed action: Write a letter to Council asking them to appoint more Commissioners.

Commission will take a 5 minute break around 8pm.

C. DISCUSSION ITEMS

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1. Infrastructure Bond Measure Input **

(City staff will present.)

2. Scooters and Ebikes

(Bob Walsh from Bird Scooters will present.)

3. South Side Complete Streets Project ***

(City staff will present.)

4. Leonard Powell Displacement Issue

5. Disaster Preparedness

6. Accessible Housing Item Update ***

7. Housing Element Update***

8. Elevator Ordinance Update ***

9. I. Ethnicity & Disability Statistics of People who have contracted Covid in Berkeley since the beginning of the pandemic. ***

II. Utilization rates and accessibility of City of Berkeley Covid testing sites for BIPOC people with disabilities. ***

IV. Number of BIPOC people with disabilities who have accessed Covid related and/or supportive services since the beginning of the pandemic. III. Vaccinations distribution among seniors and BIPOC communities with disabilities in Berkeley ***

Announcements

C. INFORMATION ITEMS AND SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

D. COMMUNICATIONS

1. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS (from adopted work plan, referrals, etc.)

TBD

E. ADJOURNMENT: no later than 9:00pm

Agenda Posted: TBD

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**Commission on Disability
DRAFT MINUTES
Special Meeting**

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Wednesday October 20, 2021 6:00 PM**

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- Roll Call by Secretary Present: Walsh, Singer, Freeman (joined @6:25 PM)**
- Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda. (Up to 3 minutes per speaker)**

- **Approval of Draft Action Minutes of October 6, 2021 (Freeman/Walsh, Freeman: aye, Walsh: aye Singer: aye)**
- **Staff Update**
- **Approval and Order of Agenda (Freeman, Walsh, Freeman: aye, Walsh: aye Singer: aye)**

B. ACTION ITEMS

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- **Special Meeting in December**
Proposed Action: Schedule a meeting for December 8 as opposed to December 1, due to staff availability. (Singer/Walsh, Freeman: aye, Walsh: aye Singer: aye)
- **Easy Does It Emergency Services**
Proposed Action: Write a letter to the City Council regarding Easy Does It providing same gender attendants. (Freeman/Singer, Freeman: aye, Walsh: aye Singer: aye)

Commission will take a 5 minute break around 8pm.

C. DISCUSSION ITEMS

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- **Elevator Ordinance Discussion ***
Celia McGuinness, Disability Rights Attorney plans
to attend**

2. Easy Does It Discussion ***

- **Merging with Commission on Aging**
- **Leonard Powell Displacement Issue**
- **Posted until next meeting**
- **Disaster Preparedness**
- **Accessible Housing Item Update *****
- **I. Ethnicity & Disability Statistics of People who
have contracted Covid in Berkeley since the
beginning of the pandemic. *****

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(Freeman)**

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- **COMMUNICATIONS**

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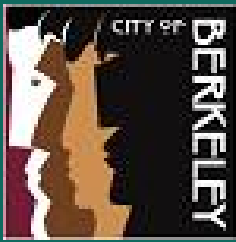


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Berkeley Southside Complete Streets Project

Berkeley Commission on Disability

November 3, 2021

Project Location & Goals

Project Location



Project Goals

- **Safety** for all persons walking, riding bicycles, riding transit, or driving, consistent with the City of Berkeley Vision Zero traffic safety policy
- **Transit** reliability and travel times consistent with the City of Berkeley General Plan Transportation Element Policy T-4 “Transit-First”
- **Economic and cultural vitality** of Berkeley’s Southside neighborhood consistent with the Economic Development goals of the City of Berkeley Southside Plan.

Detailed Public Engagement Timeline

- **Design Alternatives:** Presenting and seeking input on the four corridors
 - *Transportation Commission #1 (10/21/21)*
 - Online Public Survey #1 Opens (10/27/21)
 - Institutional Stakeholder Group Meetings (10/29/21)
 - Small-group public stakeholder meetings (as-needed in October & November)
 - *Online Public Open House #1 (11/10/21)*

- **Preferred Alternative:** Seeking input on selection
 - *Transportation Commission #2 – report back on Public Engagement and Open House #1; preliminary recommendation to Council (11/18/21)*
 - Institutional Stakeholder Group Meetings (TBD November & December)
 - Small-group public stakeholder meetings (as-needed in November & December)

Detailed Public Engagement Timeline (tentative)

- **Preferred Alternative:** Presenting & closing the public engagement loop
 - Institutional Stakeholder Groups Meeting (week of 1/10/22)
 - **Online Public Open House #2 (week of 1/17/22)**
 - Online Public Survey Closes (week of 1/24/22)
 - Small-group public stakeholder meetings (as-needed in January)

- **Conceptual Design: Approval**
 - ~~Transportation Commission #3~~ – report back on Public Engagement process and request for recommendation to Council (1/20/22)
 - **Berkeley City Council** anticipated approval (2/22/22)

Design Concepts

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- **Bancroft Way**
 - Three Options
- **Fulton Street**
 - Three Options
- **Dana Street**
 - One Option – AC Transit Concept
- **Telegraph Avenue**
 - Four Options

Bancroft Way Project Area

Piedmont Avenue to Milvia Street

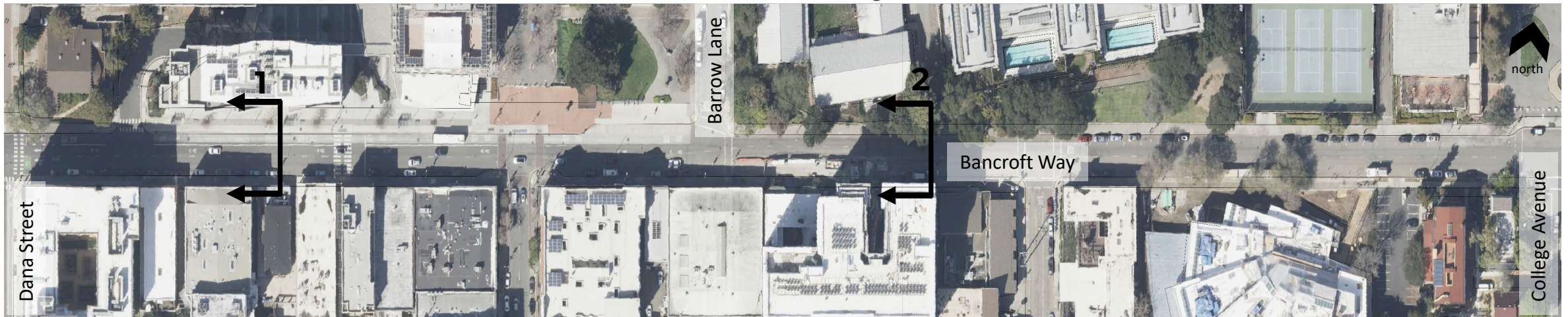
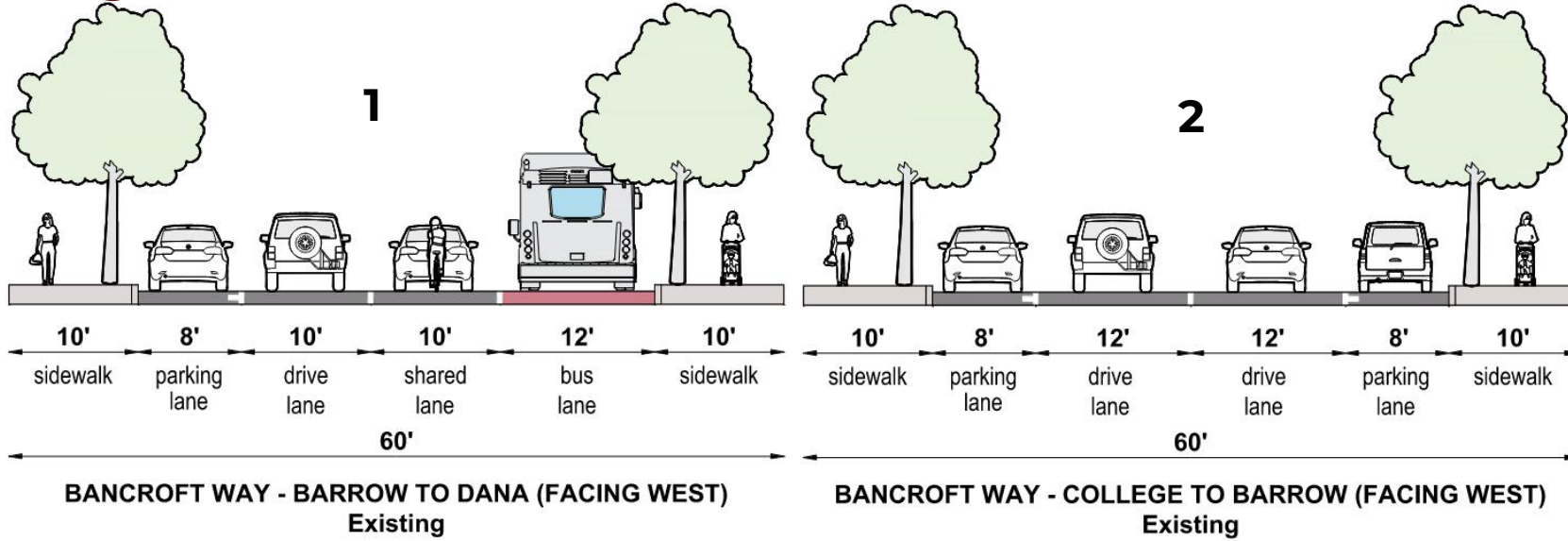
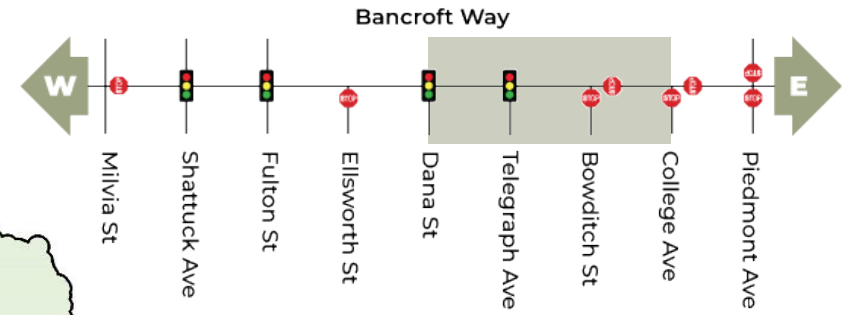


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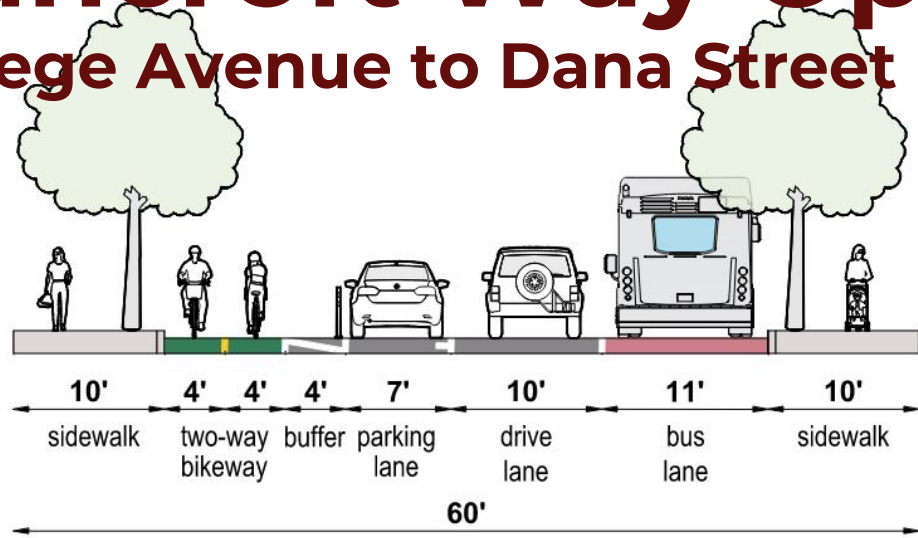
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College Avenue to Dana Street

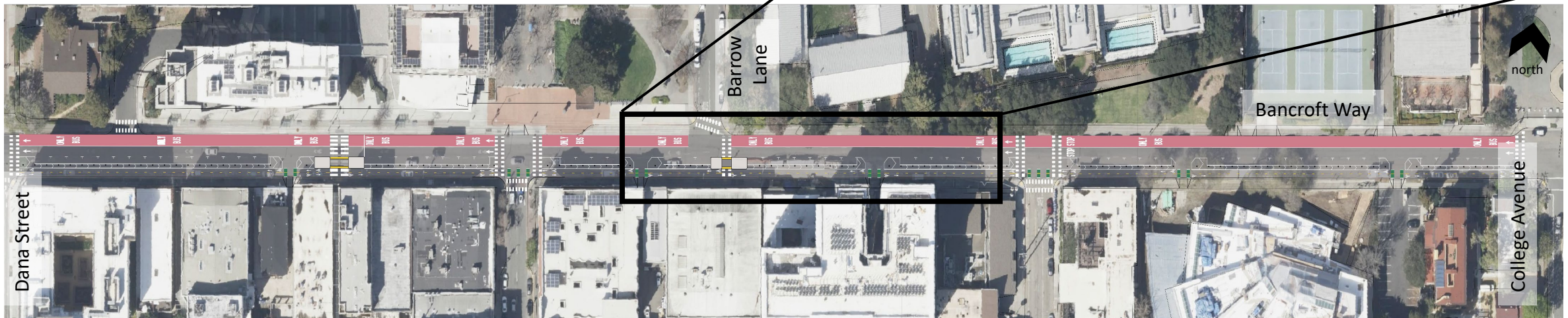
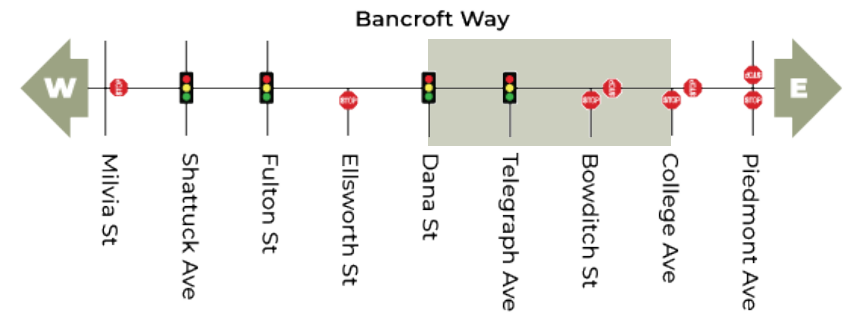


Bancroft Way Option 1

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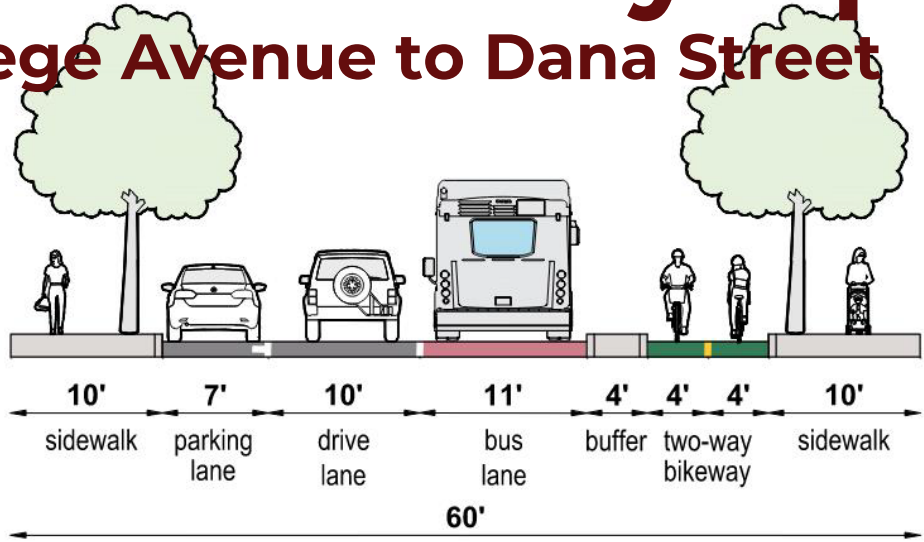
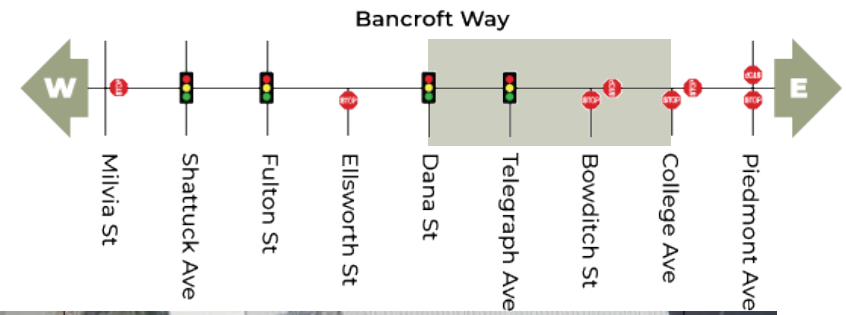
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Option One: Two-way bikeway on south side, curbside bus-only lane on north side



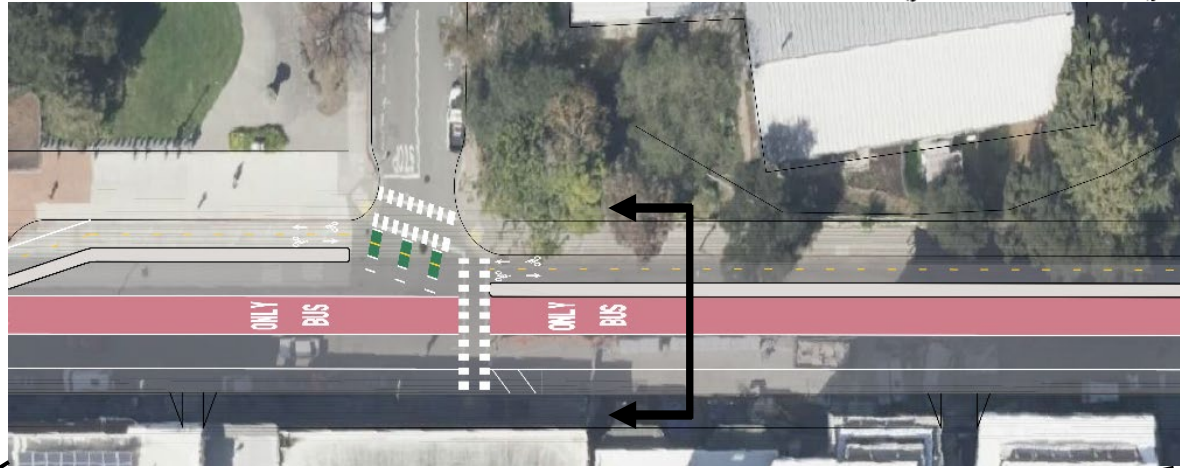
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College Avenue to Dana Street



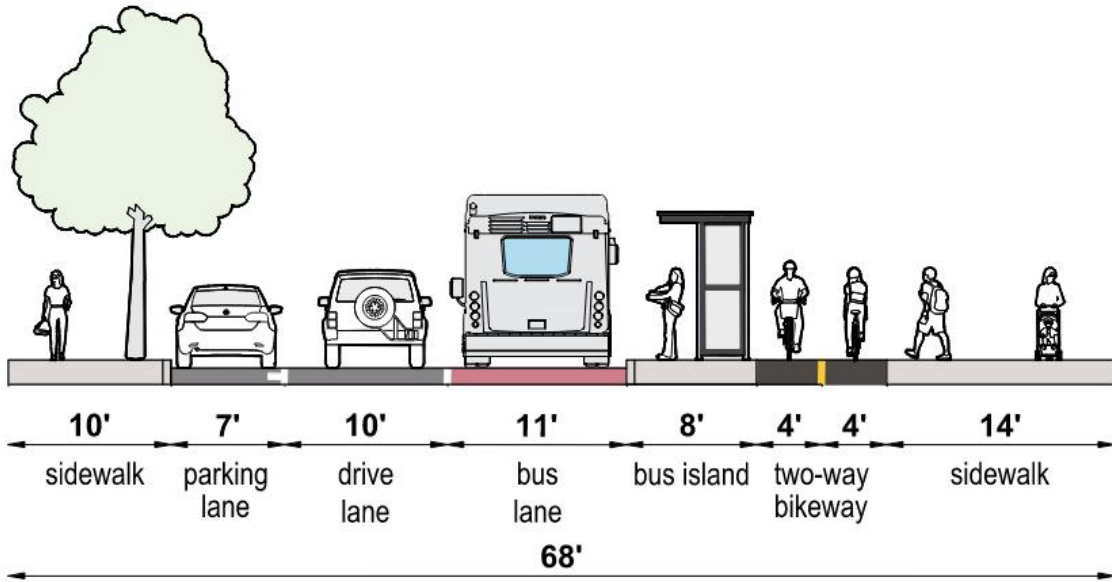
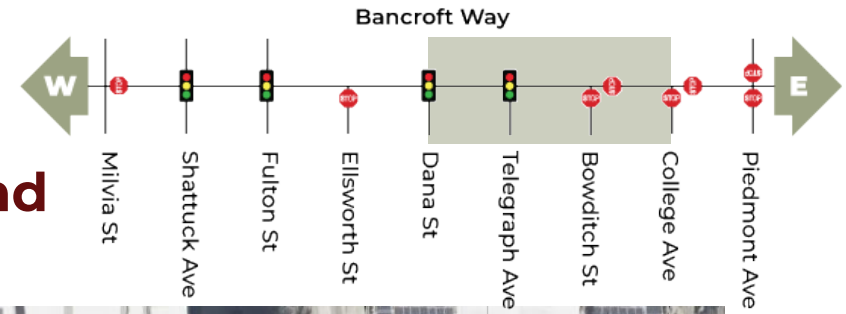
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Option Two: Two-way bikeway on north side
Bus only lane on north side



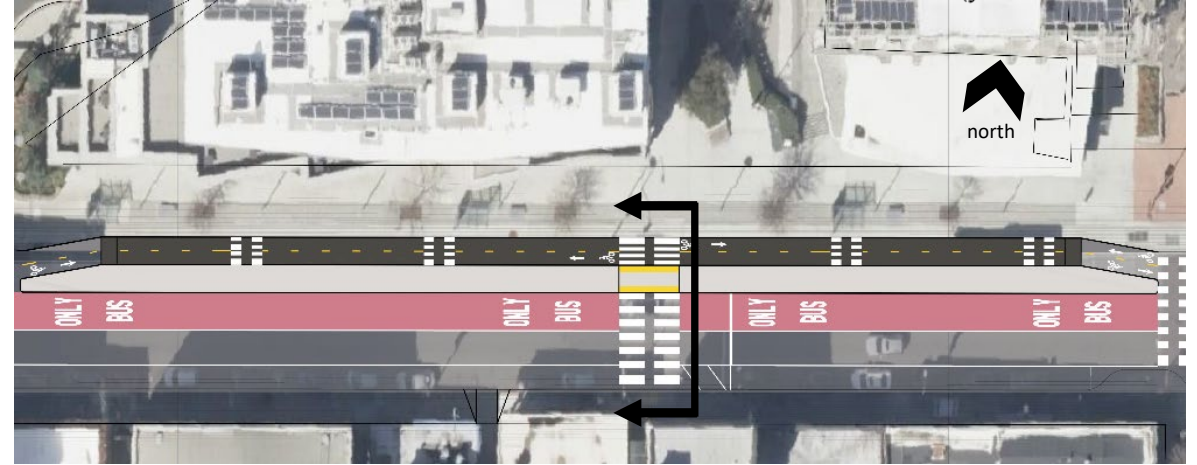
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College Avenue to Dana Street at Bus Boarding Island



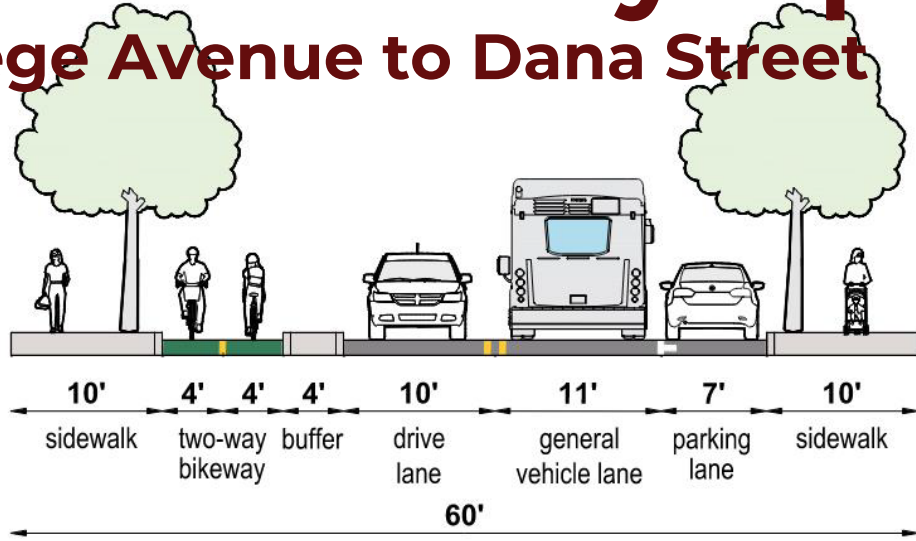
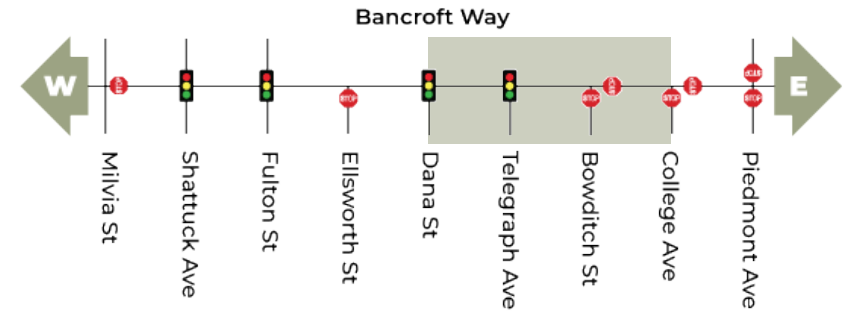
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Option Two: Two-way bikeway on north side, with bus island
Bus only lane on north side



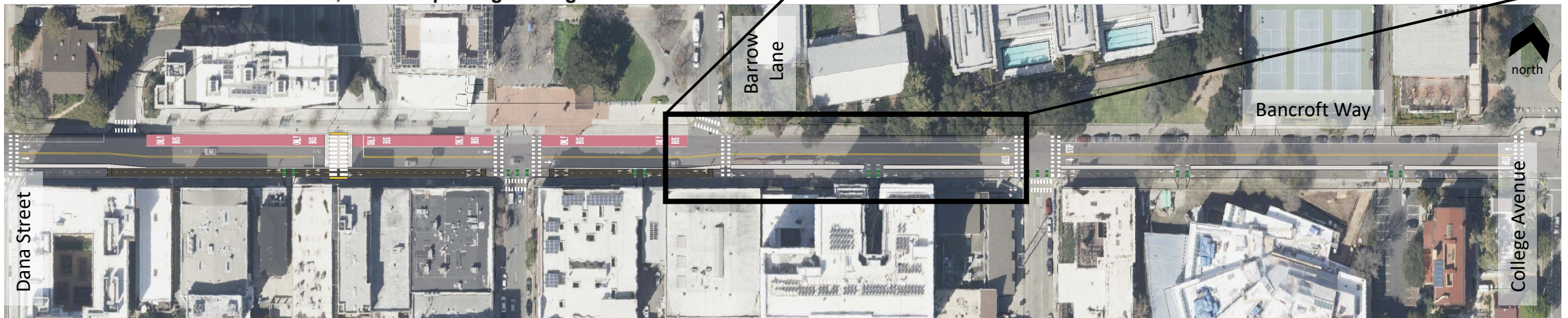
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Bancroft Way Option 3

College Avenue to Dana Street



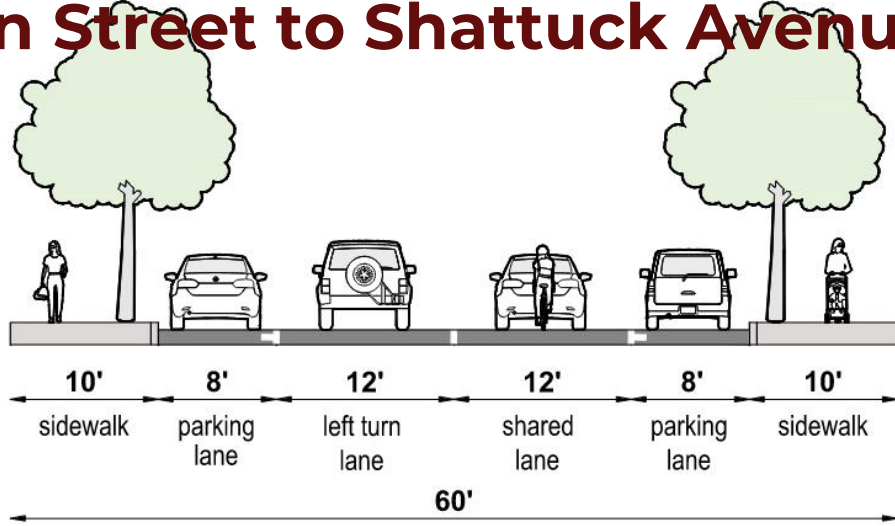
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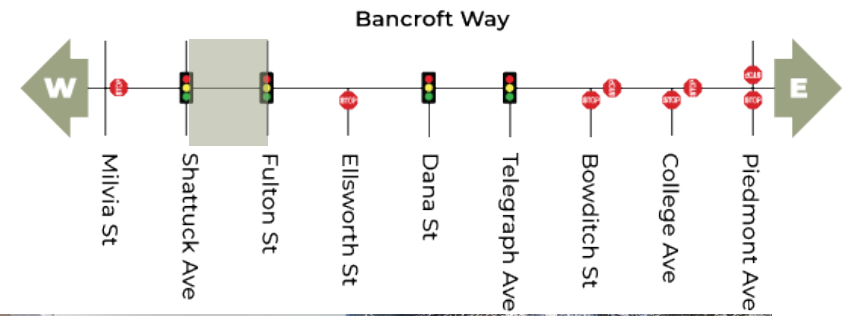
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Fulton Street to Shattuck Avenue

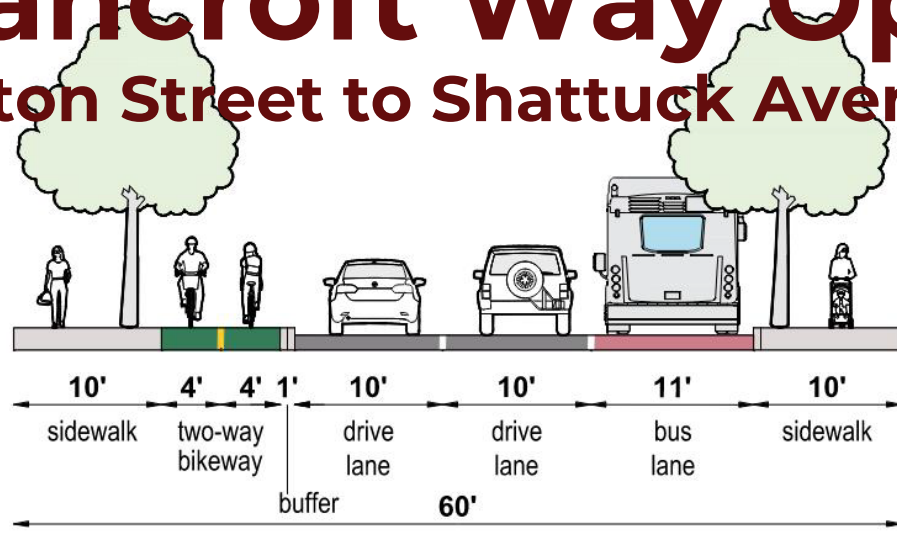


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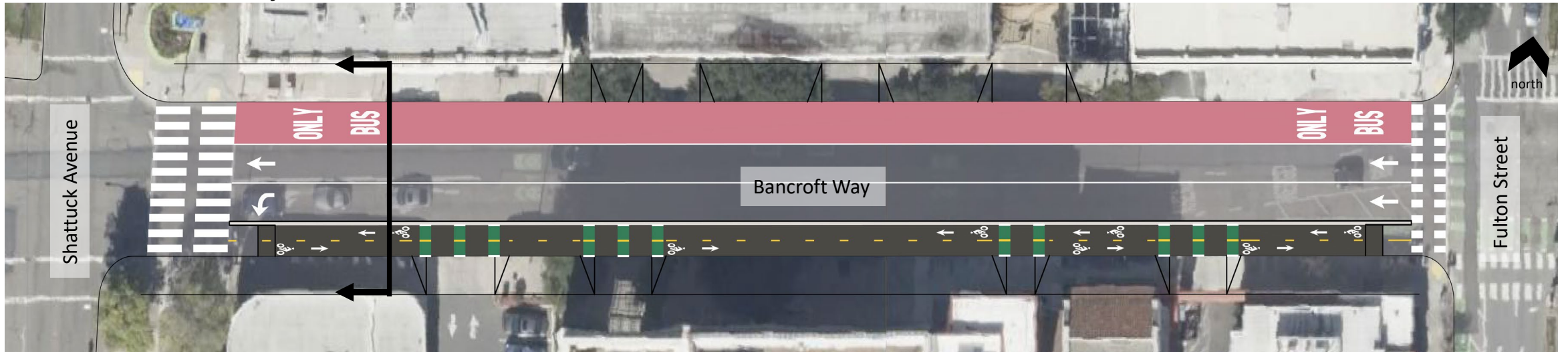
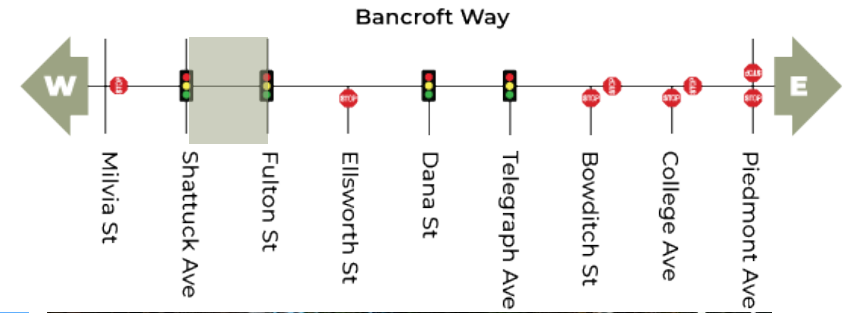


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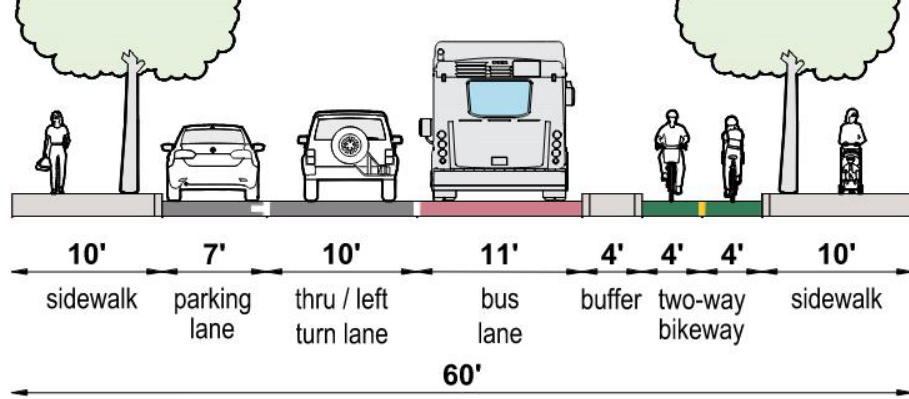
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Option One: Two-way bikeway on south side, two drive lanes,
no parking
Bus only lane on north side



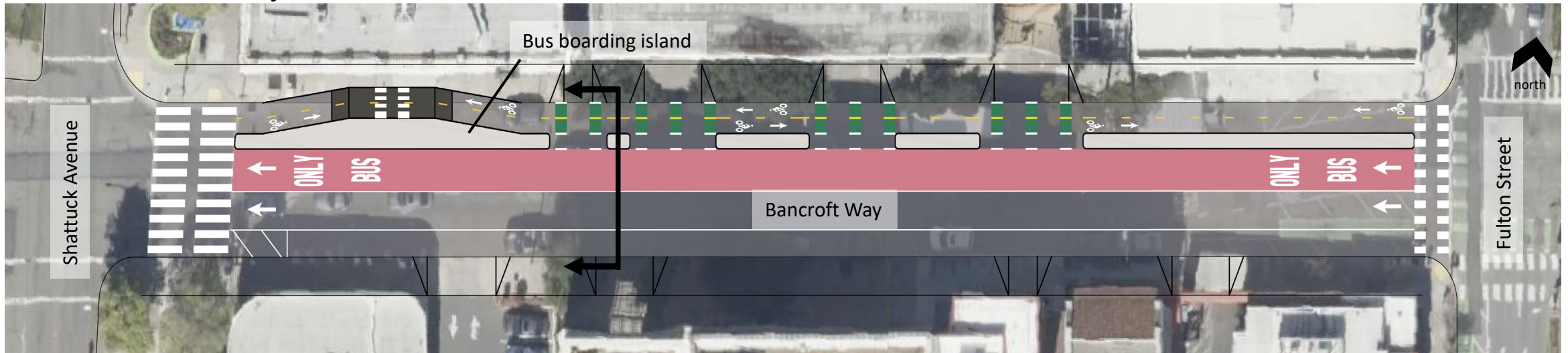
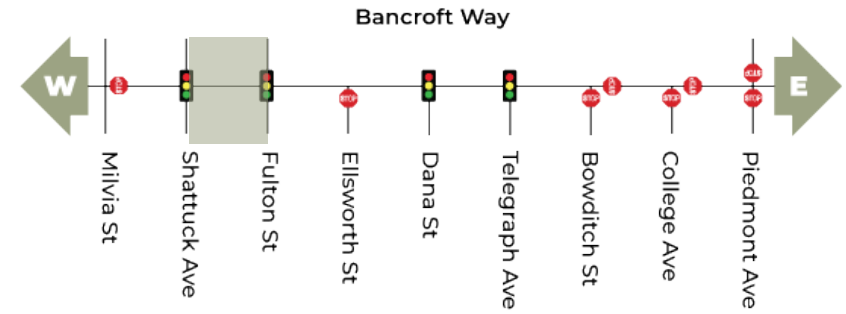
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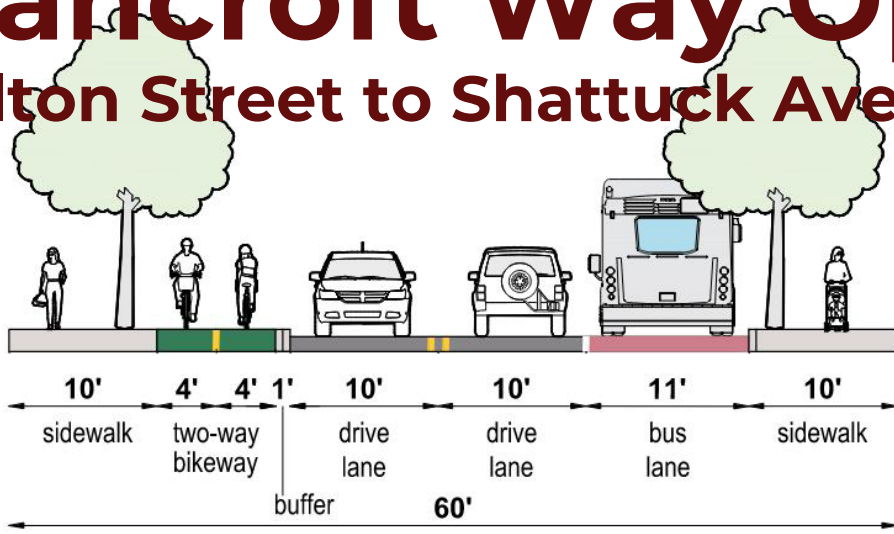


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Bus only lane on north side

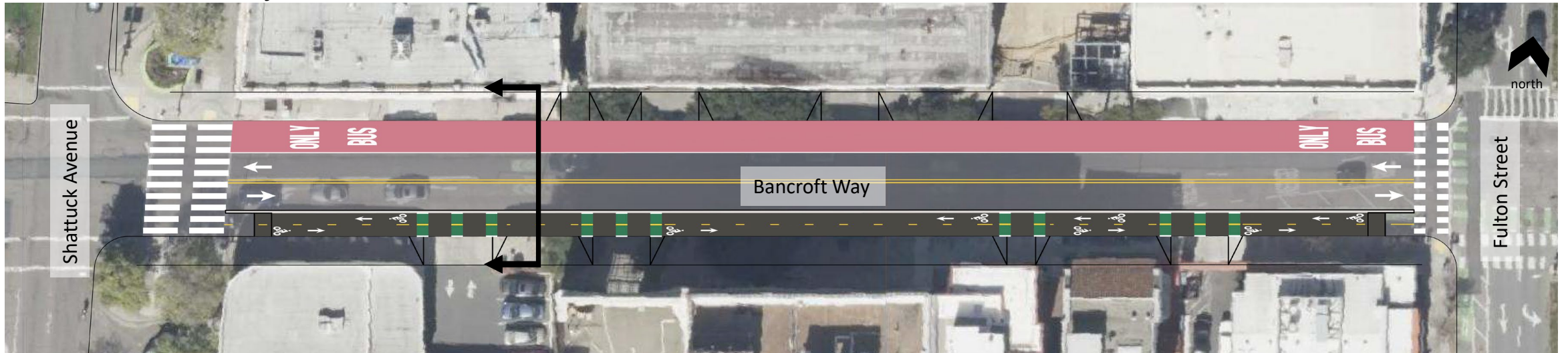
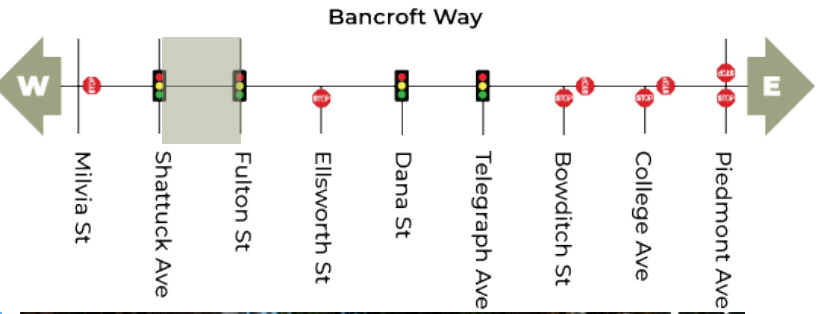


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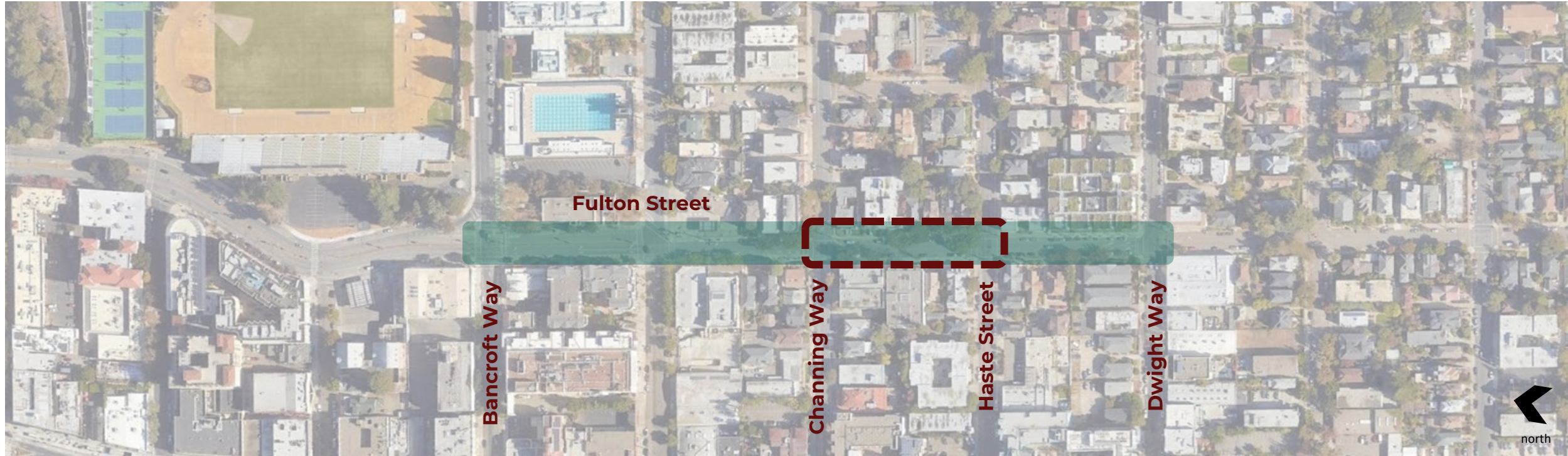


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 Bus only lane on north side



Fulton Street Project Area

Bancroft Way to Dwight Way

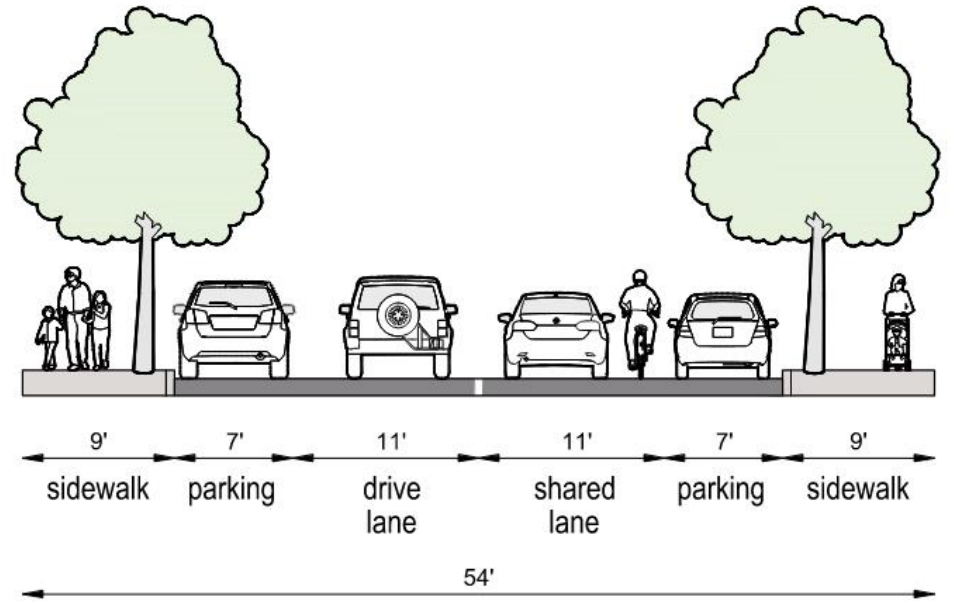
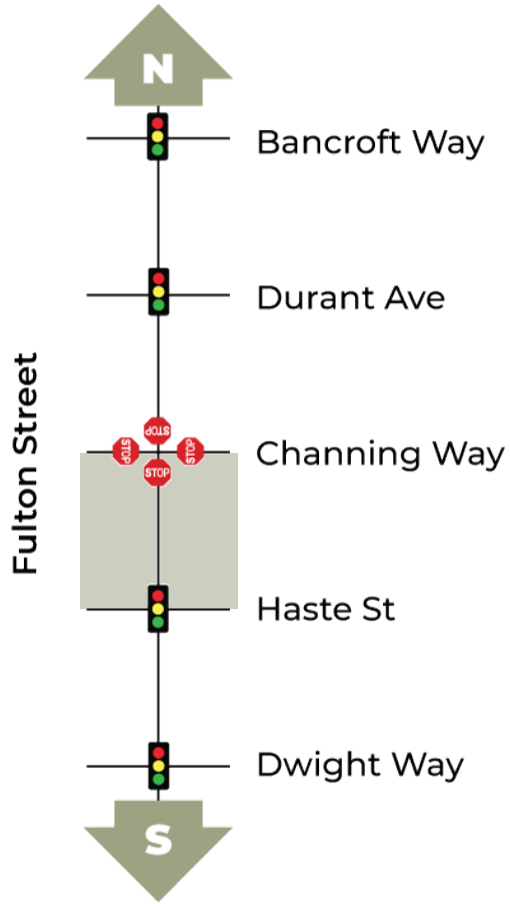


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Fulton Street Existing

Channing Way to Haste Street

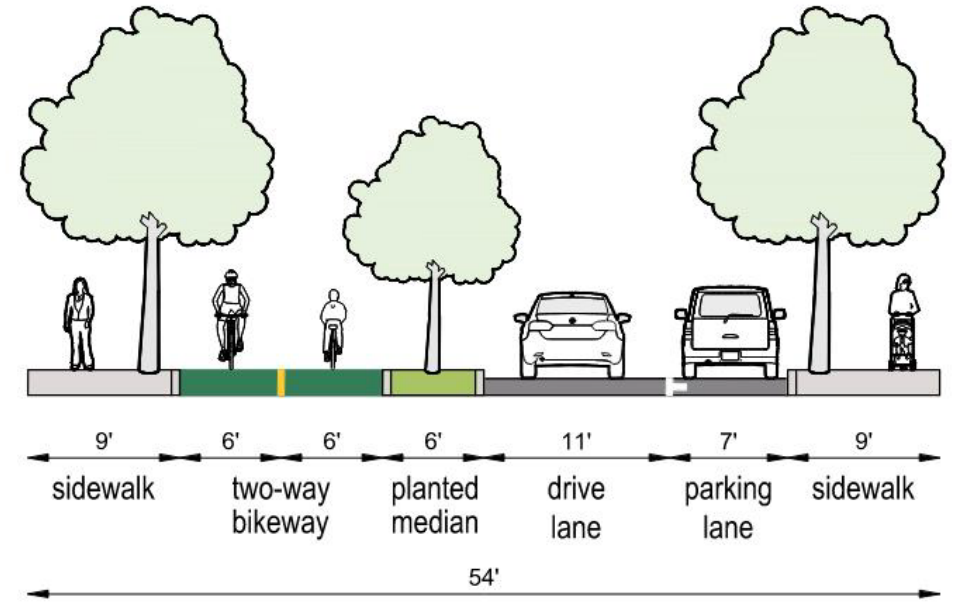
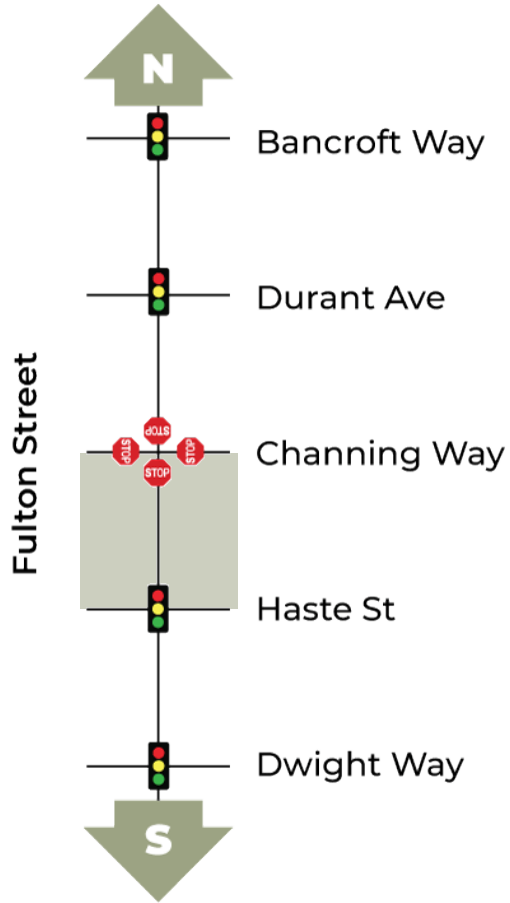


FULTON ST - CHANNING TO HASTE (FACING SOUTH)
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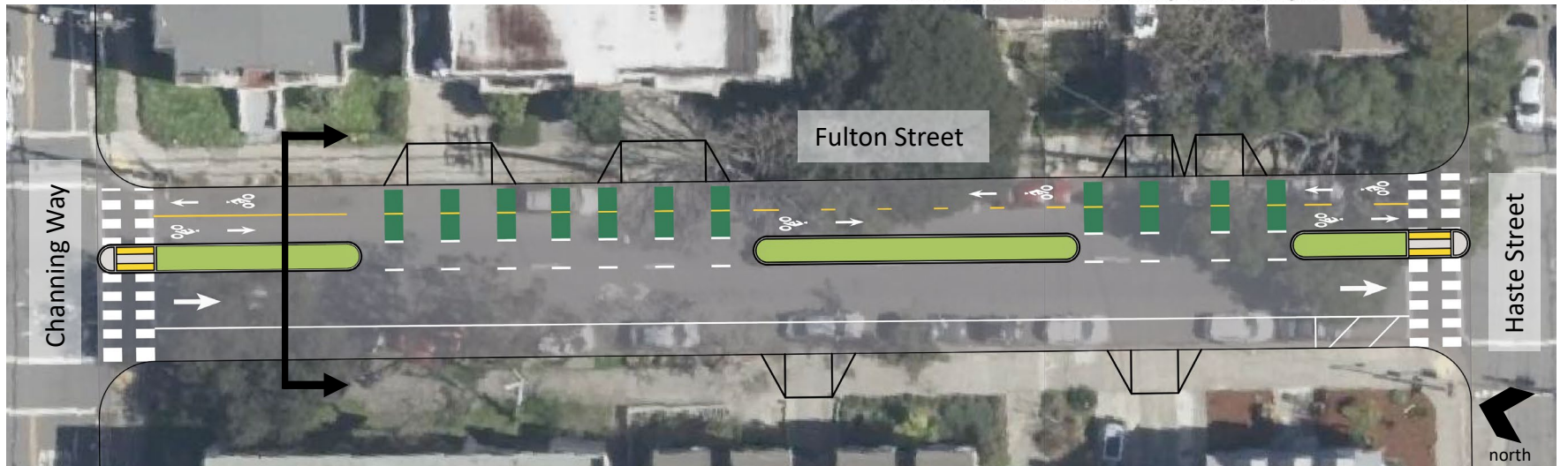


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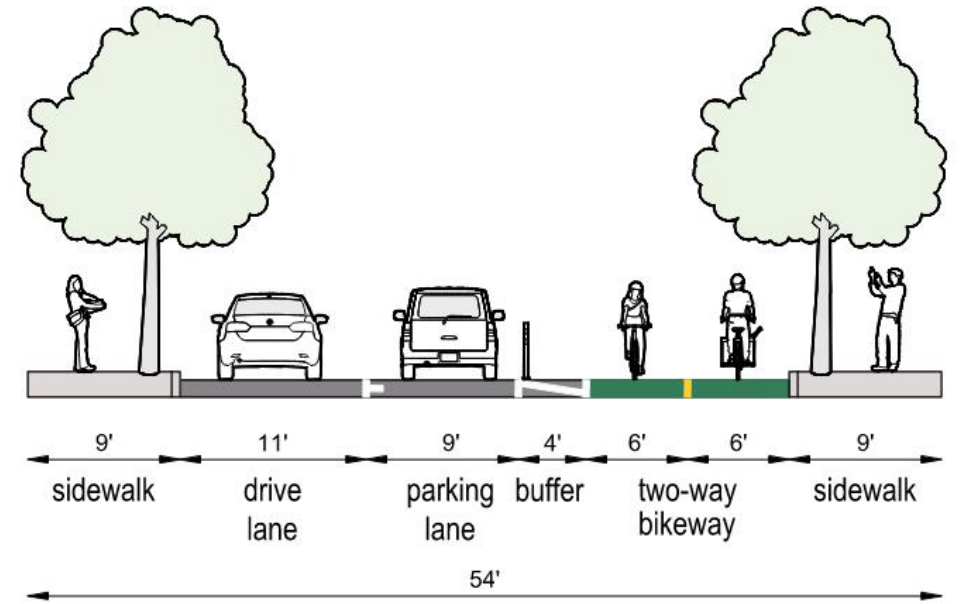
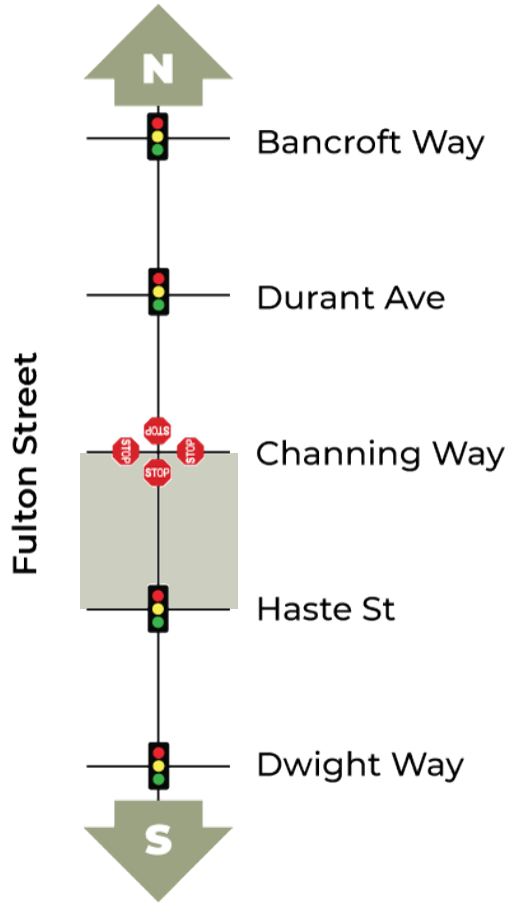
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Option One: Two-way bikeway on east side



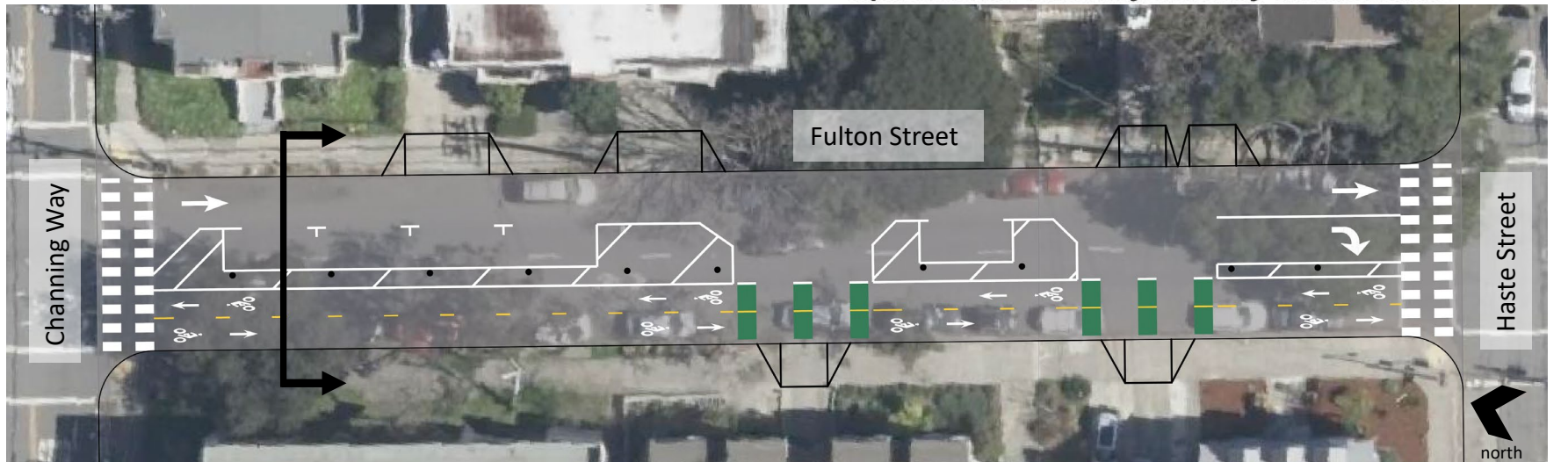
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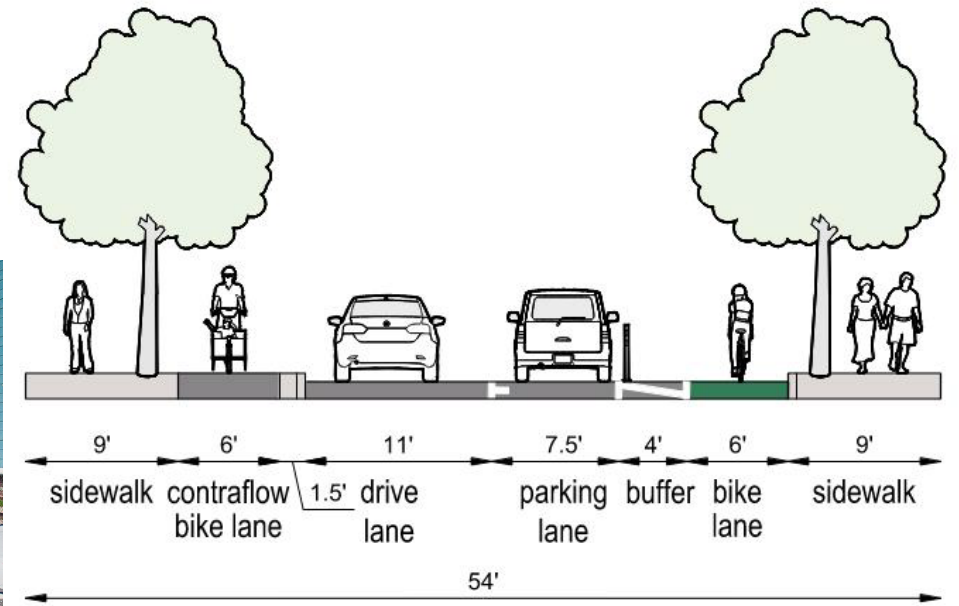
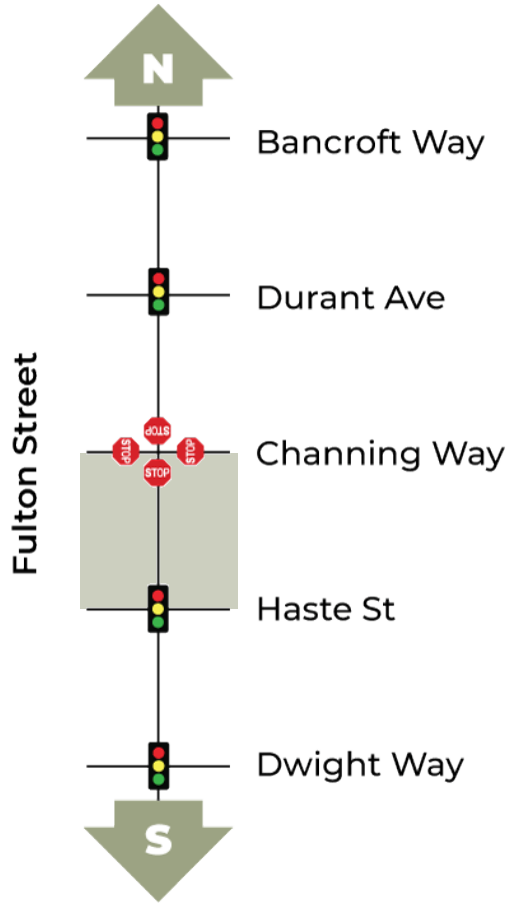
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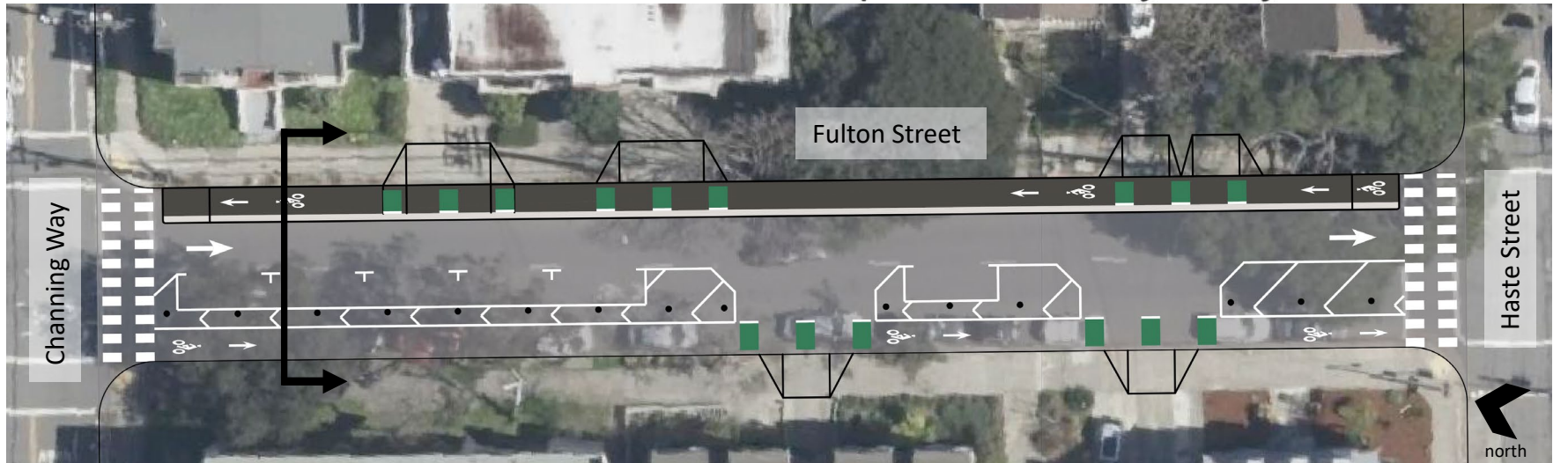
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Channing Way to Haste Street



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Dana Street Project Area

Bancroft Way to Dwight Way



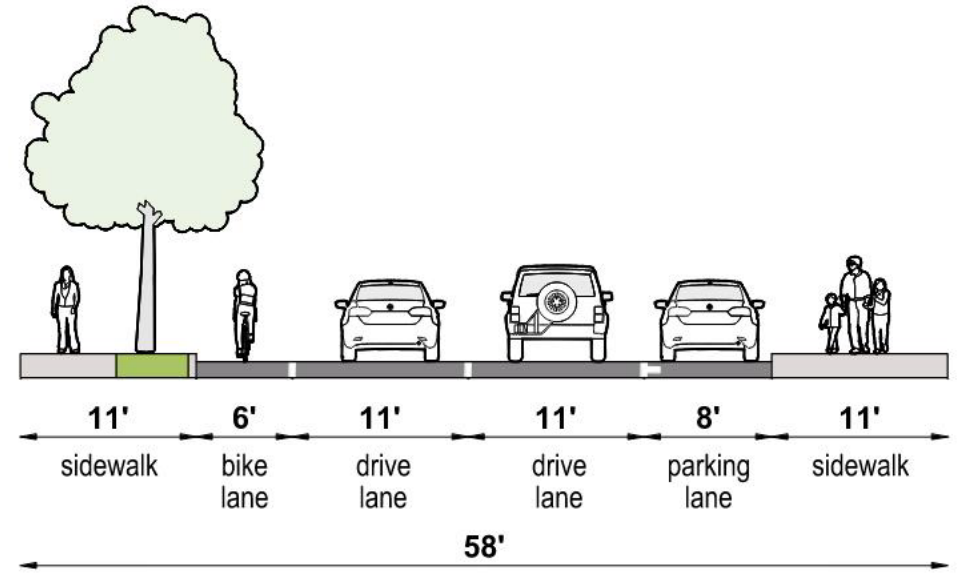
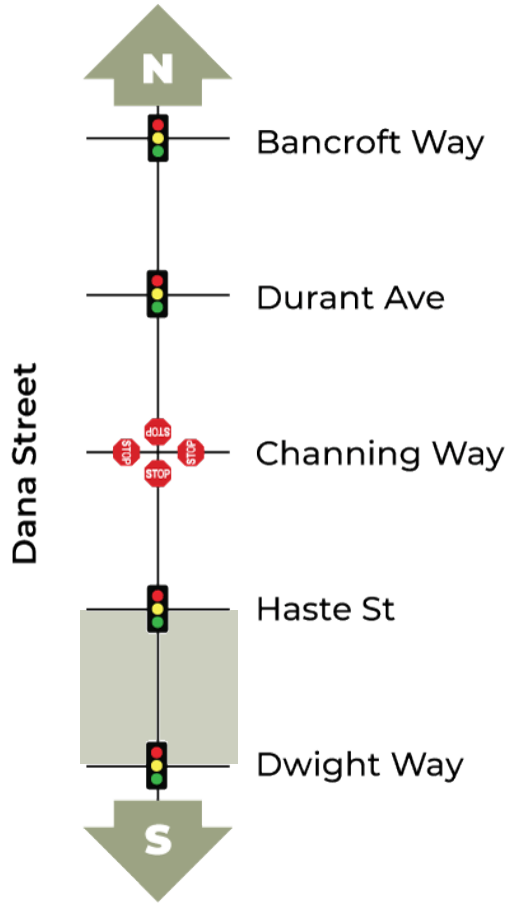
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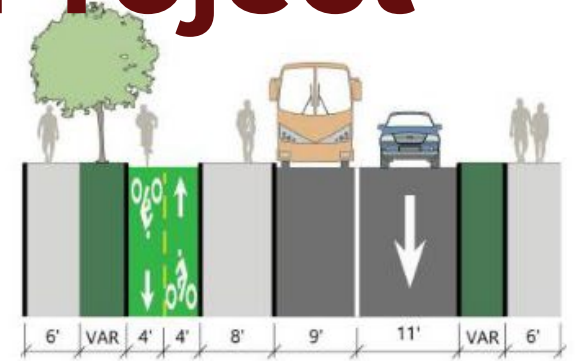
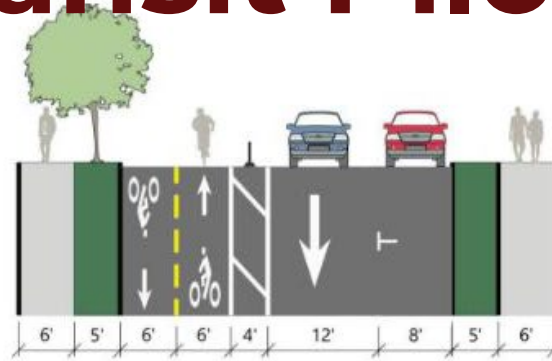
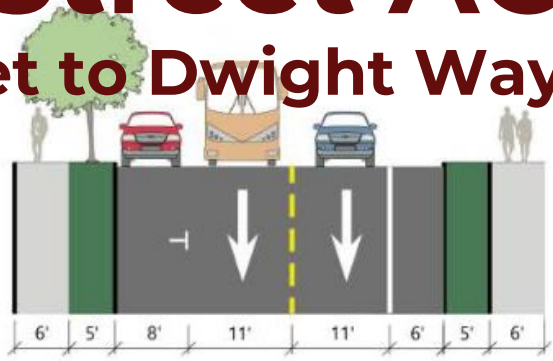
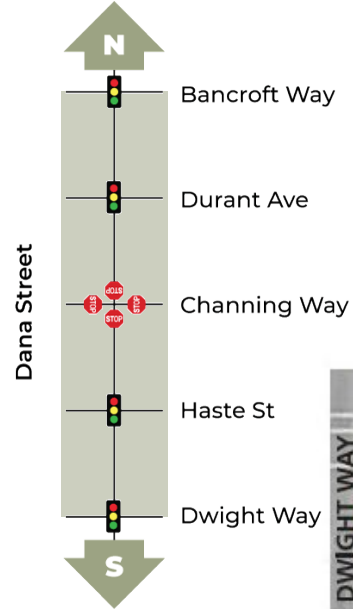


DANA STREET - HASTE TO DWIGHT (FACING SOUTH)
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Dana Street AC Transit Pilot Project

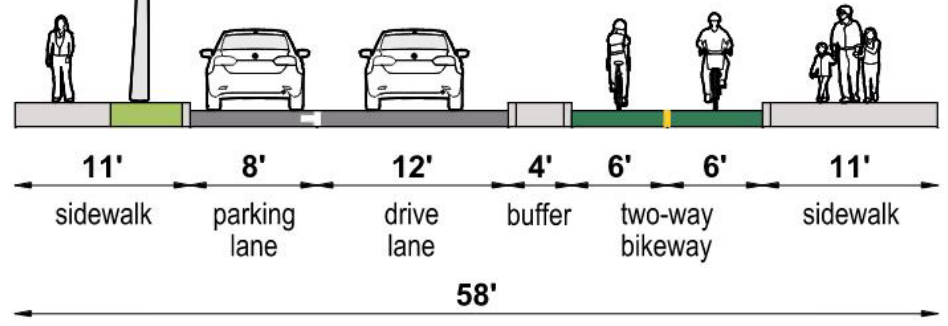
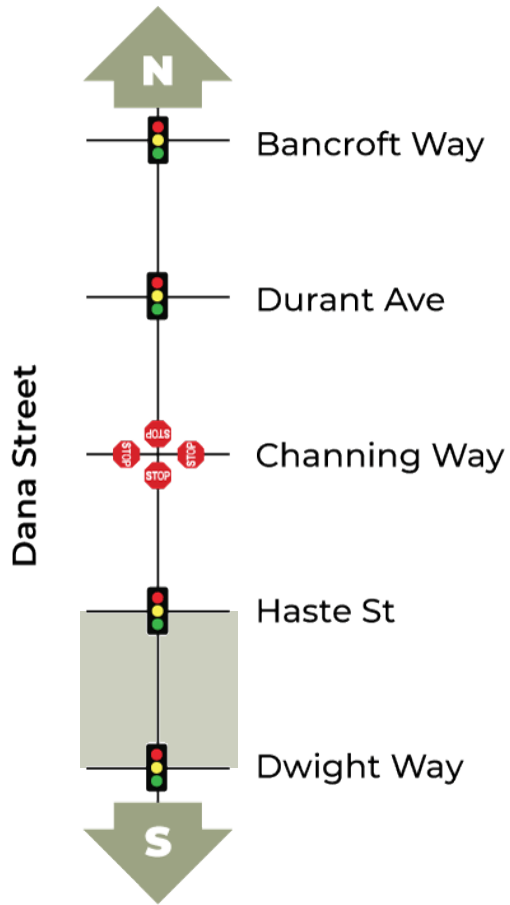
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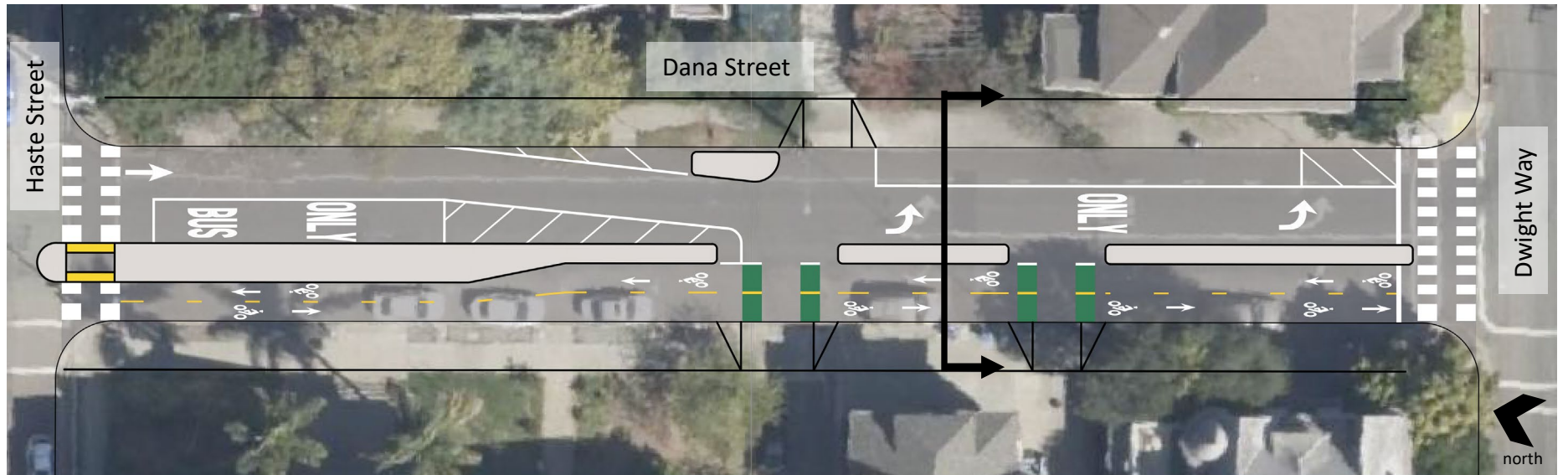
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- Residential Permit Parking
- Accessible Parking Space (Blue Zone)
- Commercial Loading Zone
- Passenger Loading Zone
- Bus Boarding Island
- Traffic Signal Improvement
- Pay Parking Station
- Cycling Infrastructure
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Dana Street Permanent Project

Haste Street to Dwight Way



DANA STREET - HASTE TO DWIGHT (FACING SOUTH)
Selected Design: Two-way bikeway on west side



Telegraph Avenue Project Area

Bancroft Way to Dwight Way

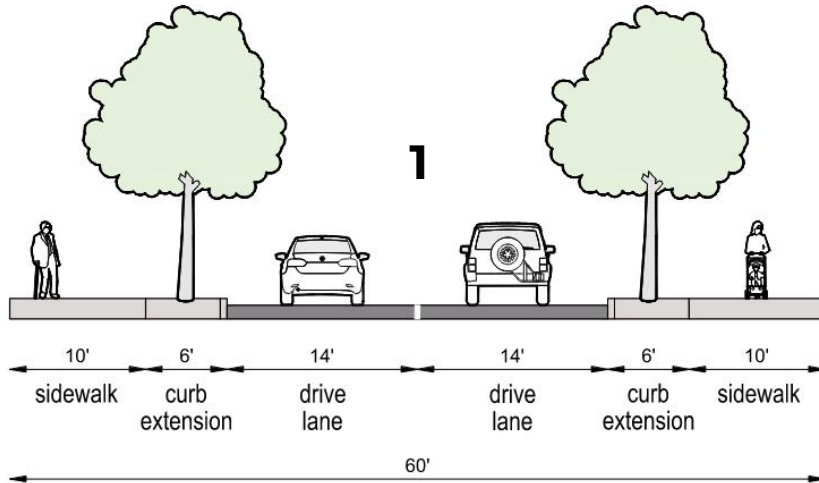
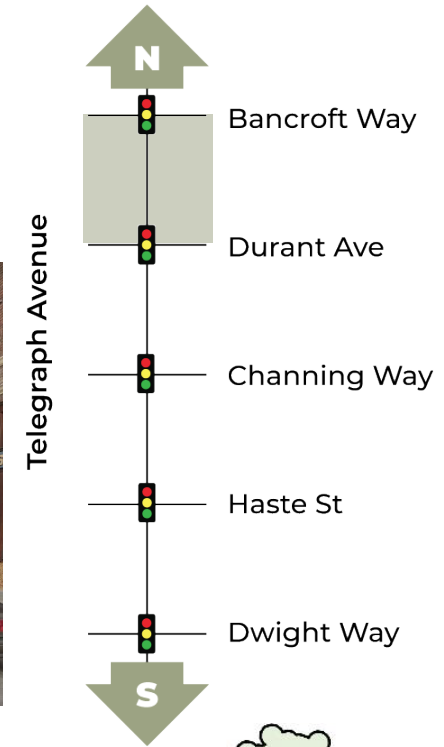
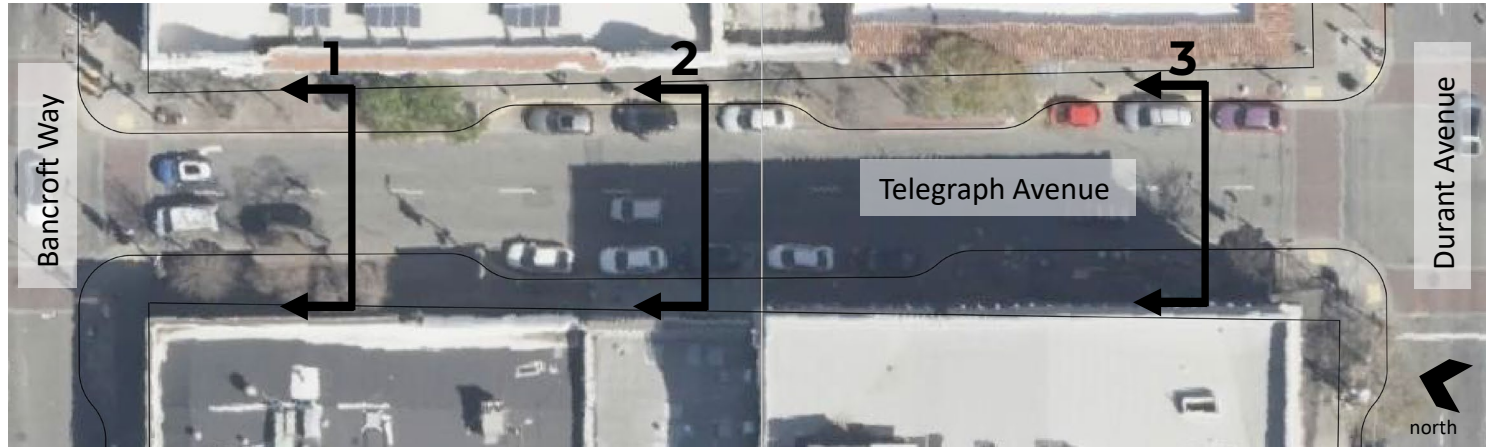


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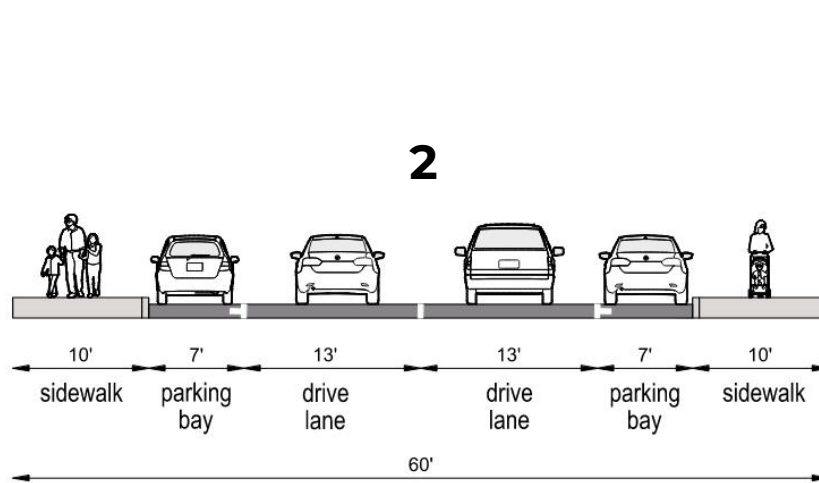
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Telegraph Avenue Existing

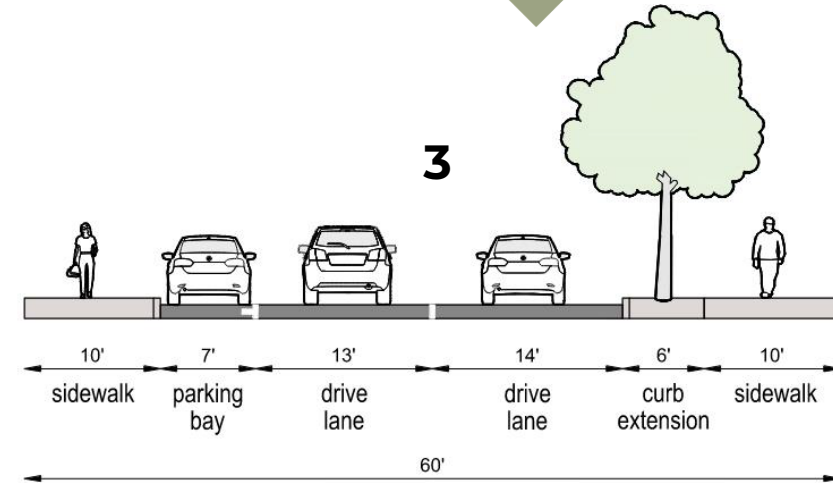
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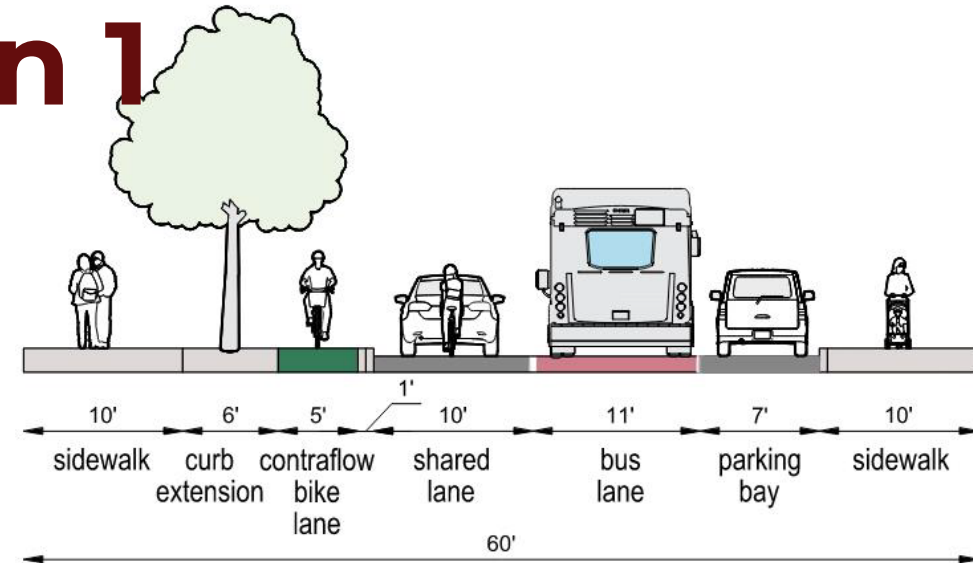
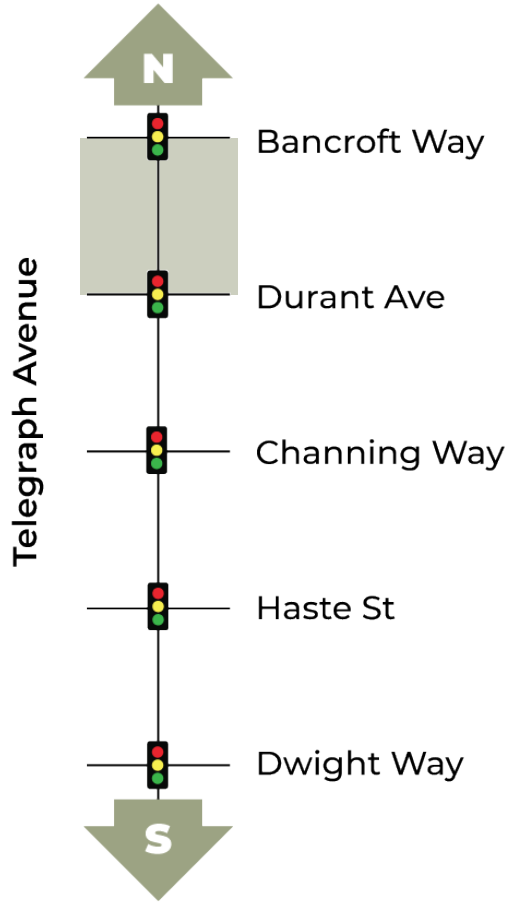
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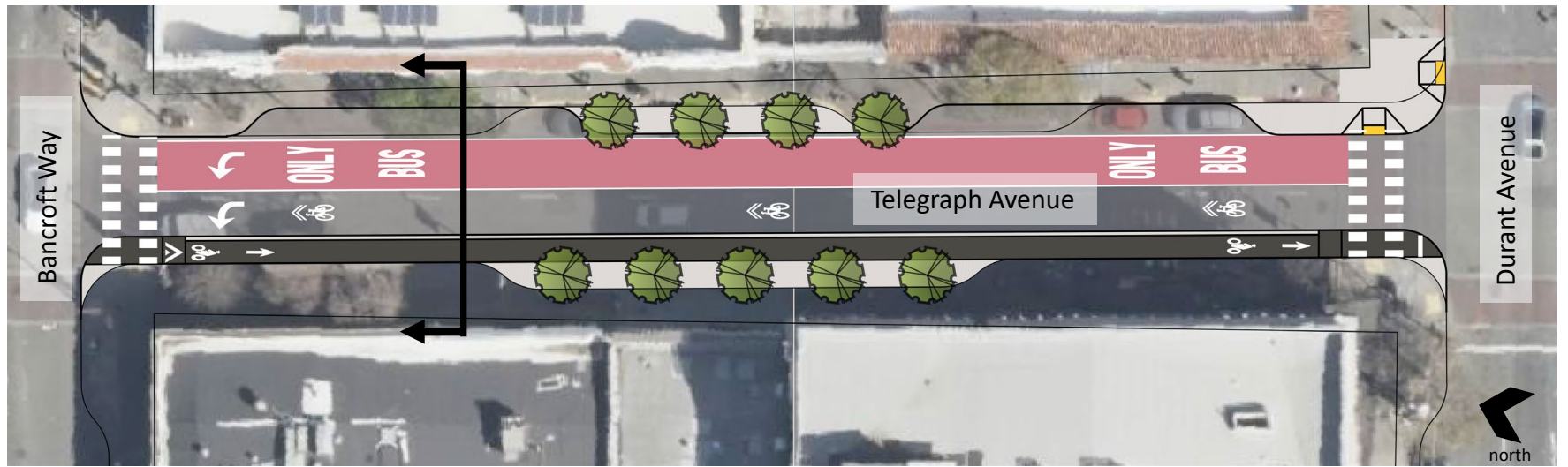
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Telegraph Avenue Option 1

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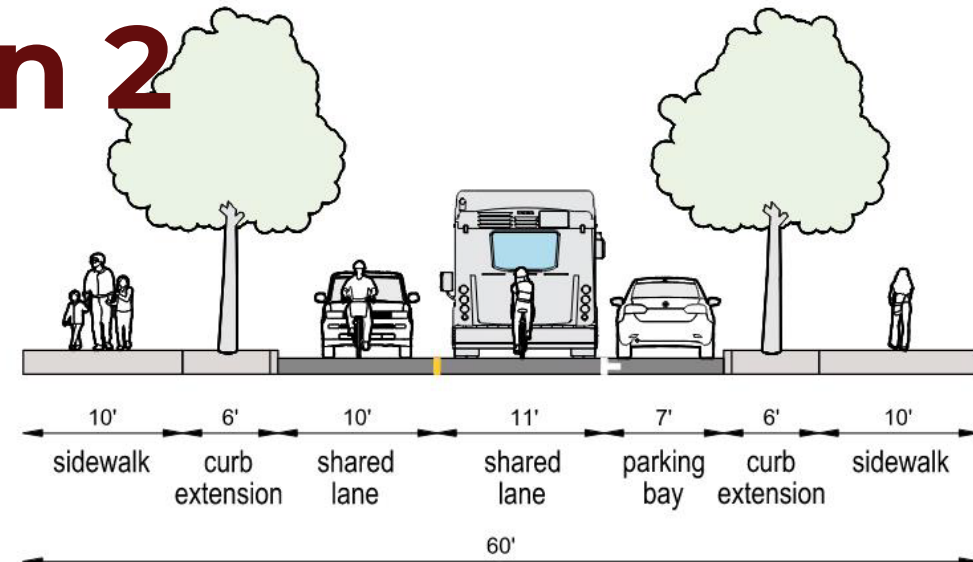
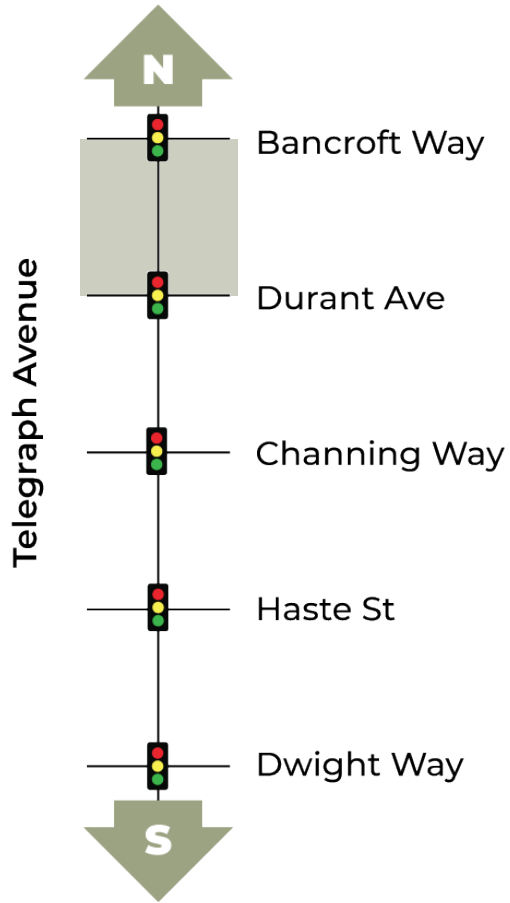
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Option One: Contraflow bike lane, shared lane, and bus lane



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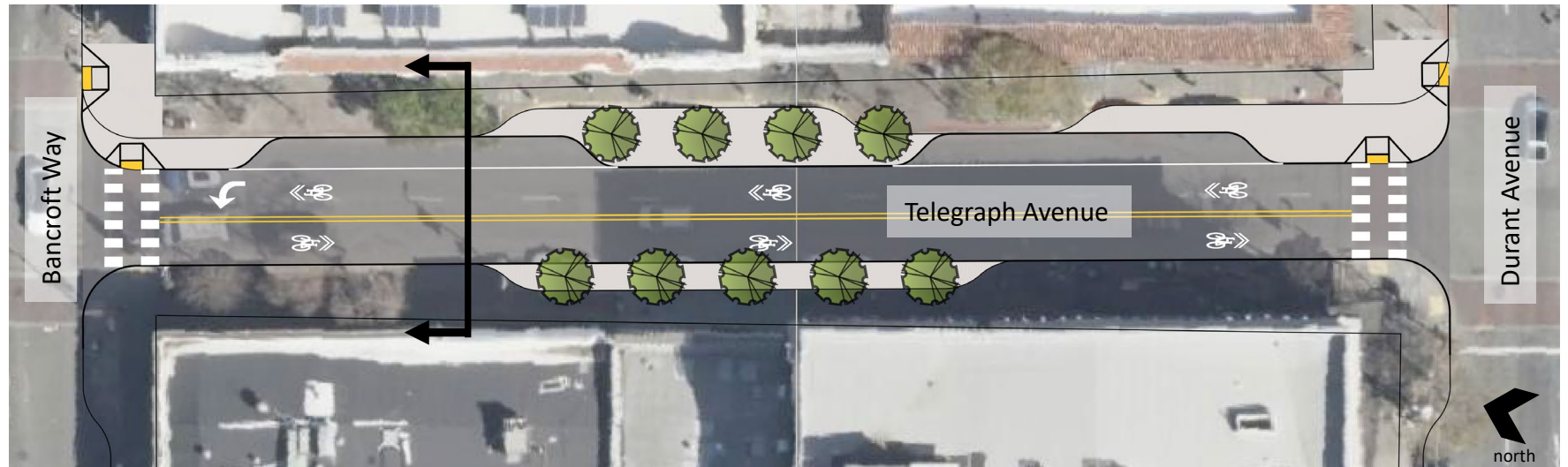
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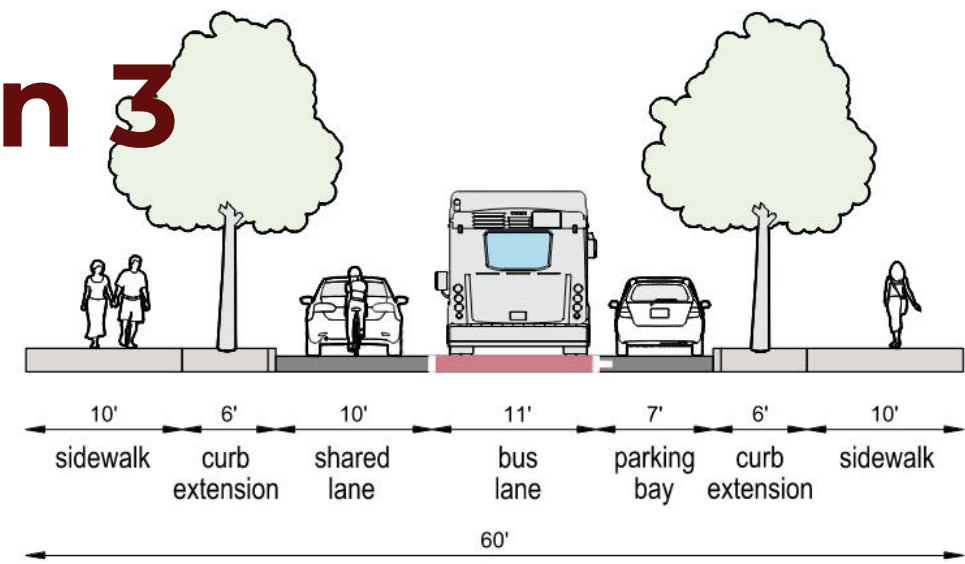
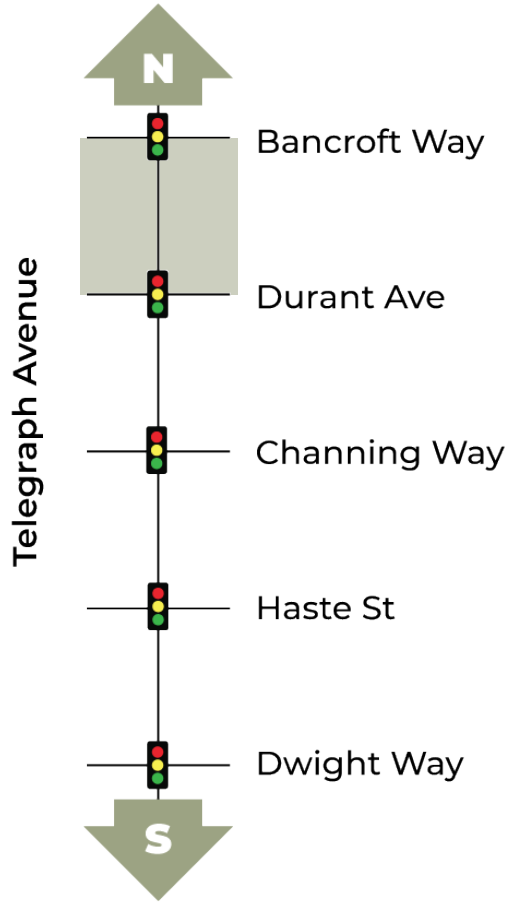
Option Two: Two-way mixed traffic, shared lane



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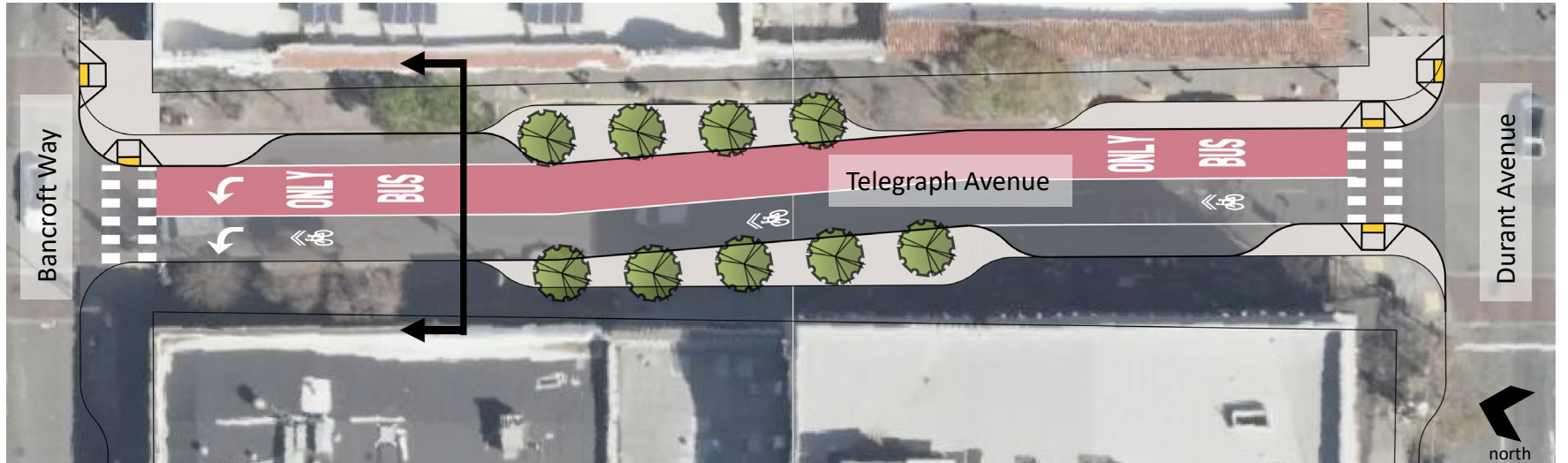
Telegraph Avenue Option 3

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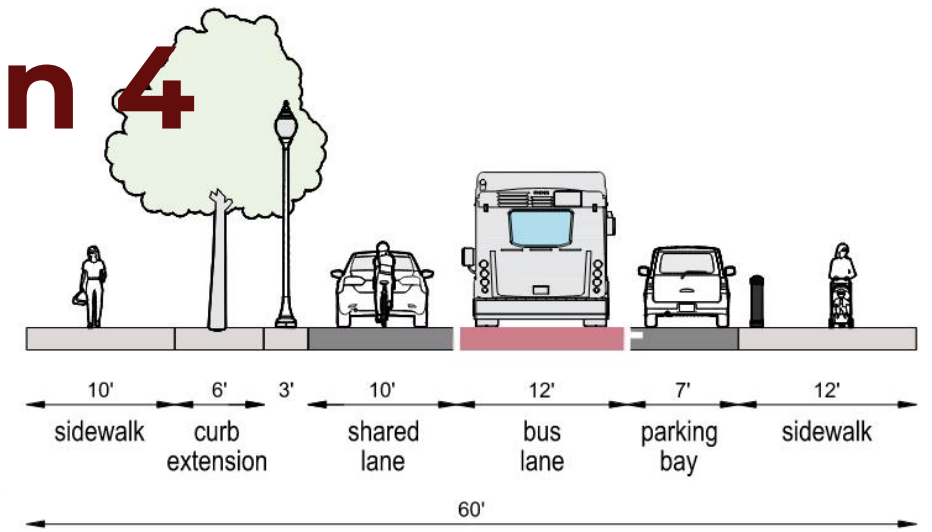
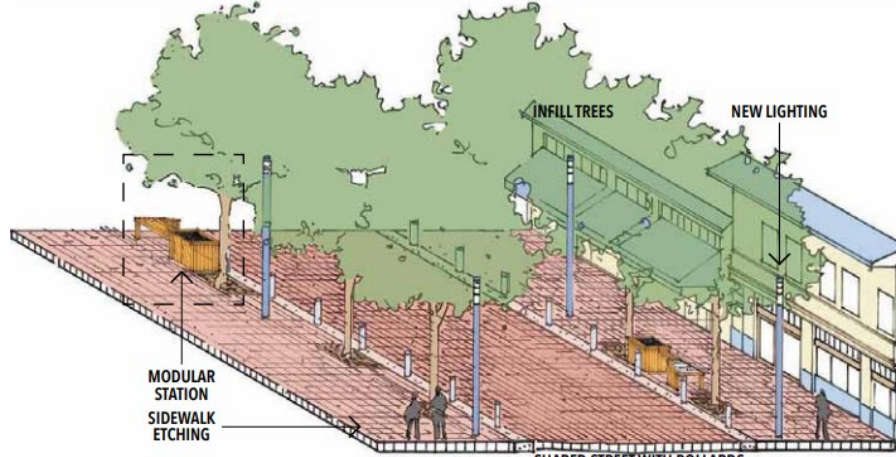
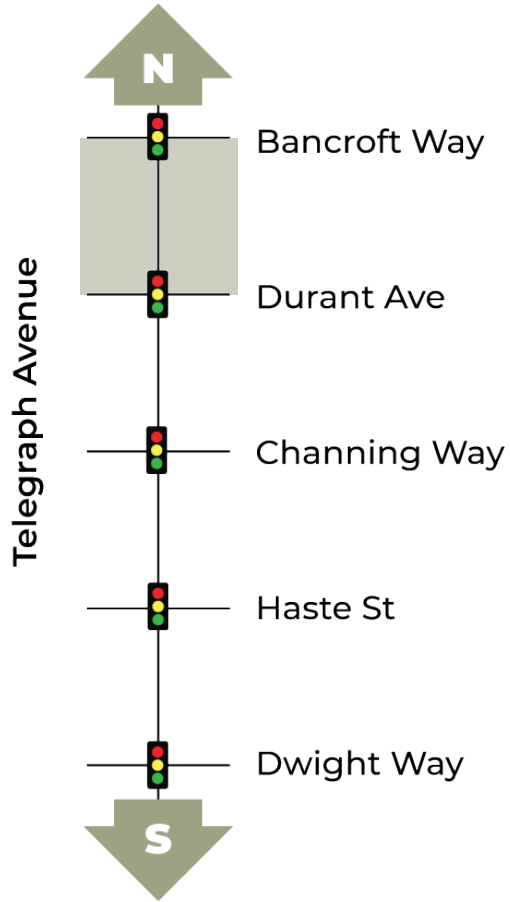
Option Three: One-way mixed traffic chicane street with bus lane; parking/loading areas alternate sides with mid-block chicane



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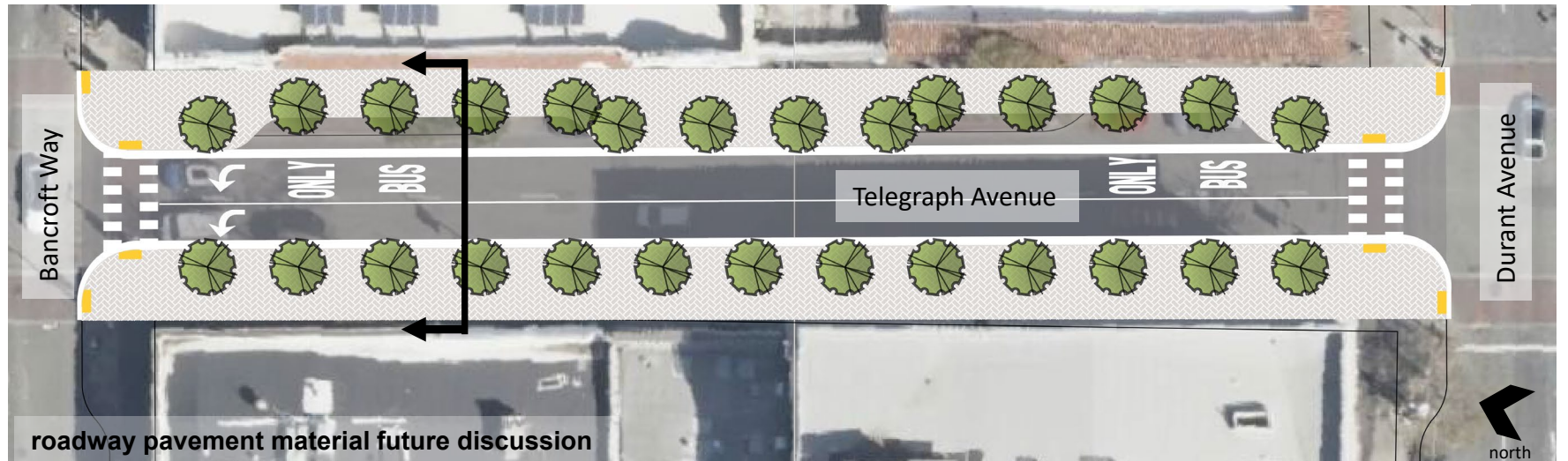
Telegraph Avenue Option 4

Durant Avenue to Bancroft Way



TELEGRAPH AVE - DURANT AVE TO BANCROFT WAY (FACING NORTH)

Option Four: One-way shared street at sidewalk level with pedestrian scale lighting, bollards, and bus lane; parking/loading can alternate sides each block or mid-block




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Next Steps

- **Complete Data Collection and Analysis**
- **Initiate Public Engagement**
 - Institutional Stakeholder Group Meeting #1
 - Reach out to key Public Stakeholder Groups
 - Open House #1 and Public Survey
- **Refine Design Alternatives for presentation to the public**





Thank you!

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