

Community Meeting for Selecting Public Restroom Locations:

San Pablo Ave & University Ave
Alcatraz Ave & Adeline St.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 2022

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2. Project Purpose
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6. Public Input



Introduction

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- ▶ City of Berkeley
 - ▶ Liam Garland, Public Works Director
 - ▶ Joe Enke, City Engineer
 - ▶ Elmar Kapfer, Supervising Civil Engineer, Facilities
 - ▶ Uriel Gonzalez, Junior Engineer, Facilities

Project Purpose

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- ▶ Public Restrooms
- ▶ Measure T1
- ▶ 2020 - Citywide Wash Assessment
 - ▶ Need for a public restroom in this area
- ▶ Public input on locations



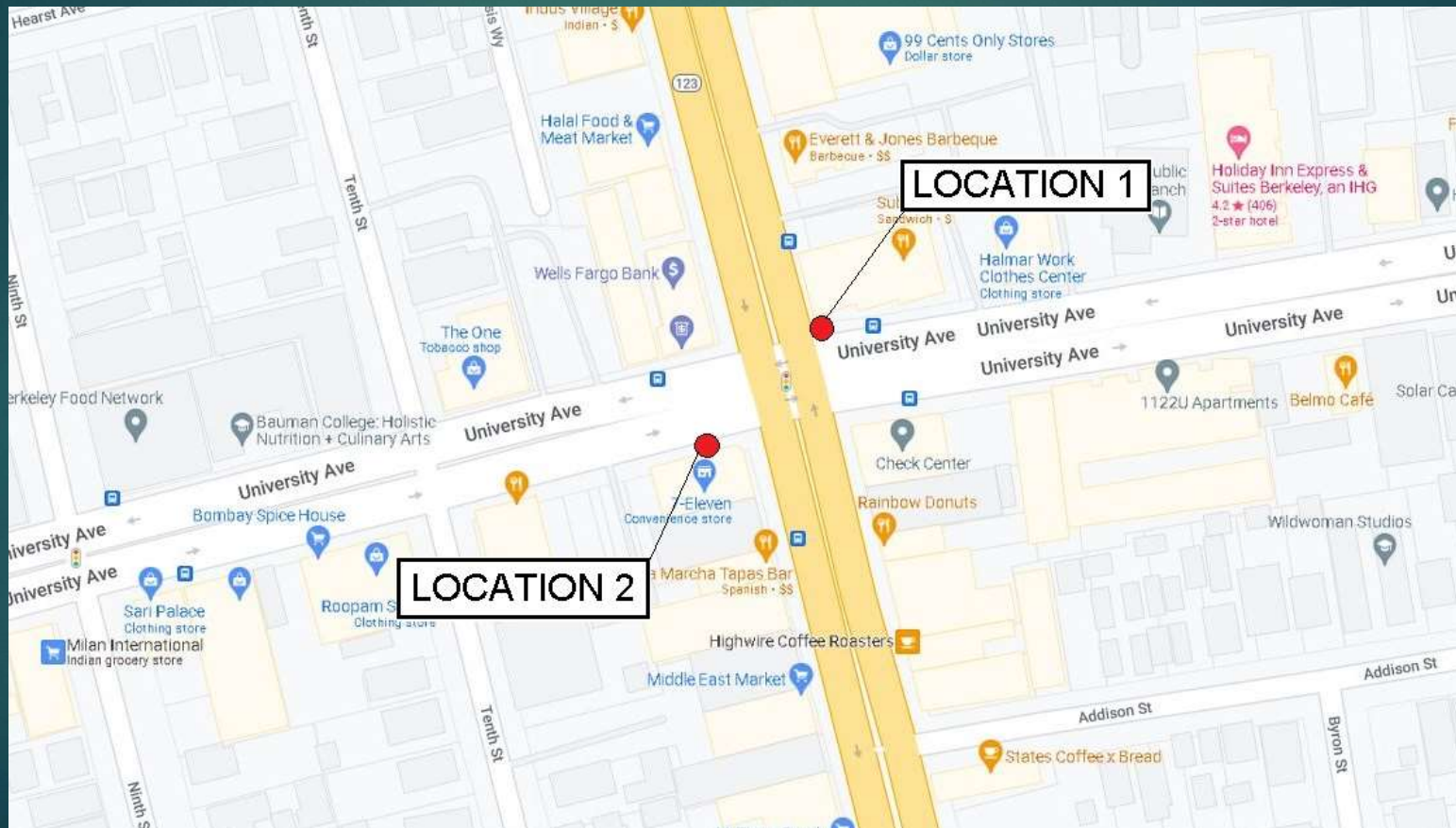
Project Details - Background

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- ▶ Evaluated several possible locations
- ▶ Visited proposed locations
- ▶ Investigated surroundings
- ▶ Checked utilities in area
- ▶ Recommend two locations for each area

San Pablo Ave & University Ave

Project Details – 2 Possible Locations San Pablo Ave & University Ave



Project Details – San Pablo Ave & University Ave

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Location 1



Pro's

- ▶ High pedestrian volume
- ▶ Minimal impact/no grading
- ▶ Minimal impact to sidewalk
- ▶ High visibility
- ▶ No utility constraints
- ▶ Easily accessible

Con's

- ▶ Fire hydrant
- ▶ Possible relocation of bike rack

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Location 2



Pro's

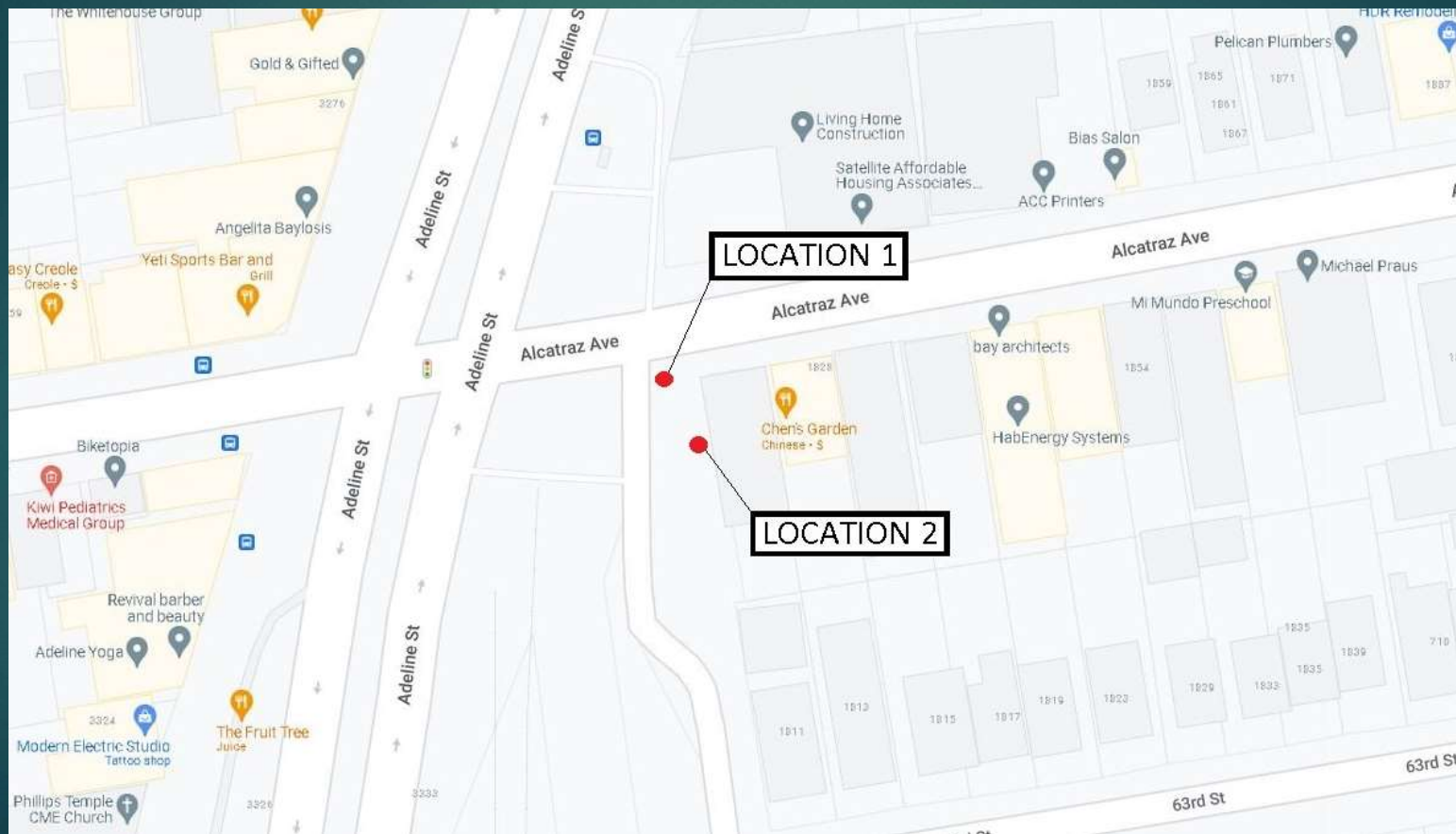
- ▶ High pedestrian volume
- ▶ Minimal impact/no grading
- ▶ Minimal impact to sidewalk & utilities
- ▶ High visibility
- ▶ Easily accessible

Con's

- ▶ Fire hydrant
- ▶ Possible relocation of trash can

Alcatraz Ave & Adeline Street

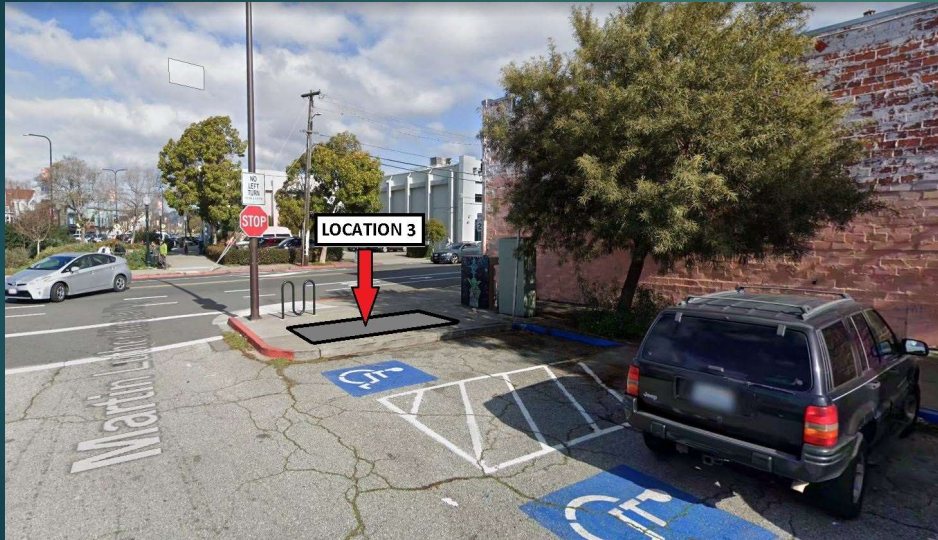
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Location 3



Pro's

- ▶ Adequate distance to businesses
- ▶ Minimal impact/no grading
- ▶ Minimal impact to sidewalk
- ▶ No utility constraints
- ▶ Close to an unhoused encampment
- ▶ Moderate visibility

Con's

Project Details – Alcatraz Ave & Adeline St.

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Location 4



Pro's

- ▶ Adequate distance to businesses
- ▶ Minimal impact/no grading
- ▶ Minimal impact to sidewalk
- ▶ No utility constraints
- ▶ Close to an unhoused encampment

Con's

- ▶ Low visibility
- ▶ Possible relocation of sign
- ▶ Possible tree removal

Portland Loo Details

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- ▶ Heavy duty and durable
- ▶ Easy to maintain
- ▶ Safe
- ▶ Appealing
- ▶ Low water consumption
- ▶ Lighting



Portland Loo Details

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- ▶ Prefabricated
- ▶ 6feet x10feet x 8feet
- ▶ Single stall
- ▶ ADA Compliant
- ▶ Detached hand washing station
- ▶ Solar Panels w/battery



Next Steps

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- ▶ Get public input on the preferred locations tonight
- ▶ Continue receiving comments until 6 pm on June 23 at ugonzalez@cityofberkeley.info
- ▶ Post presentation at: <https://berkeleyca.gov/your-government/our-work/capital-projects/restrooms-right-way>
- ▶ Seek City Council's approval of construction contract at recommended locations by January 2023

Public Input Process

“raise hand”
time limit
chat

