

Caltrain Grade Separation Feasibility Study

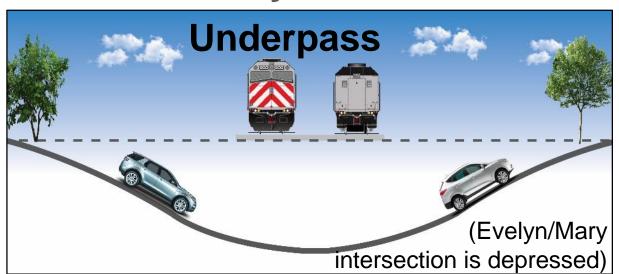
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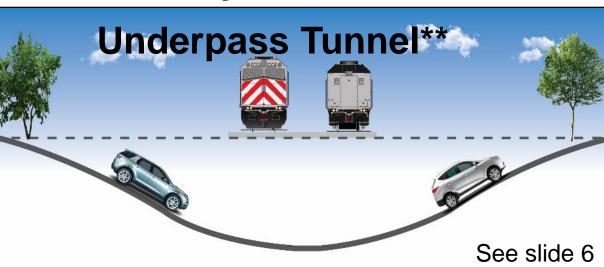
Sunnyvale

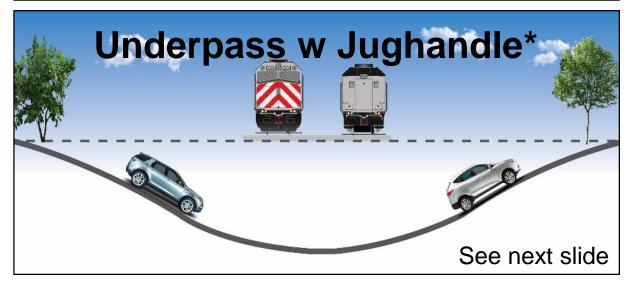
Options Recommended Under Original Scope

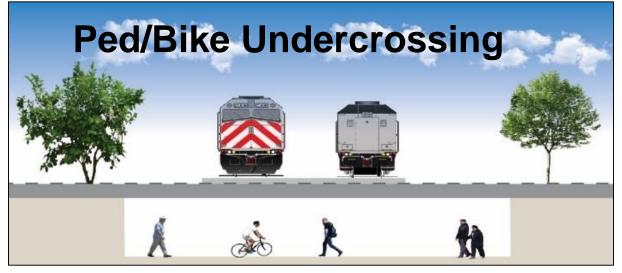
Mary Avenue



Sunnyvale Avenue





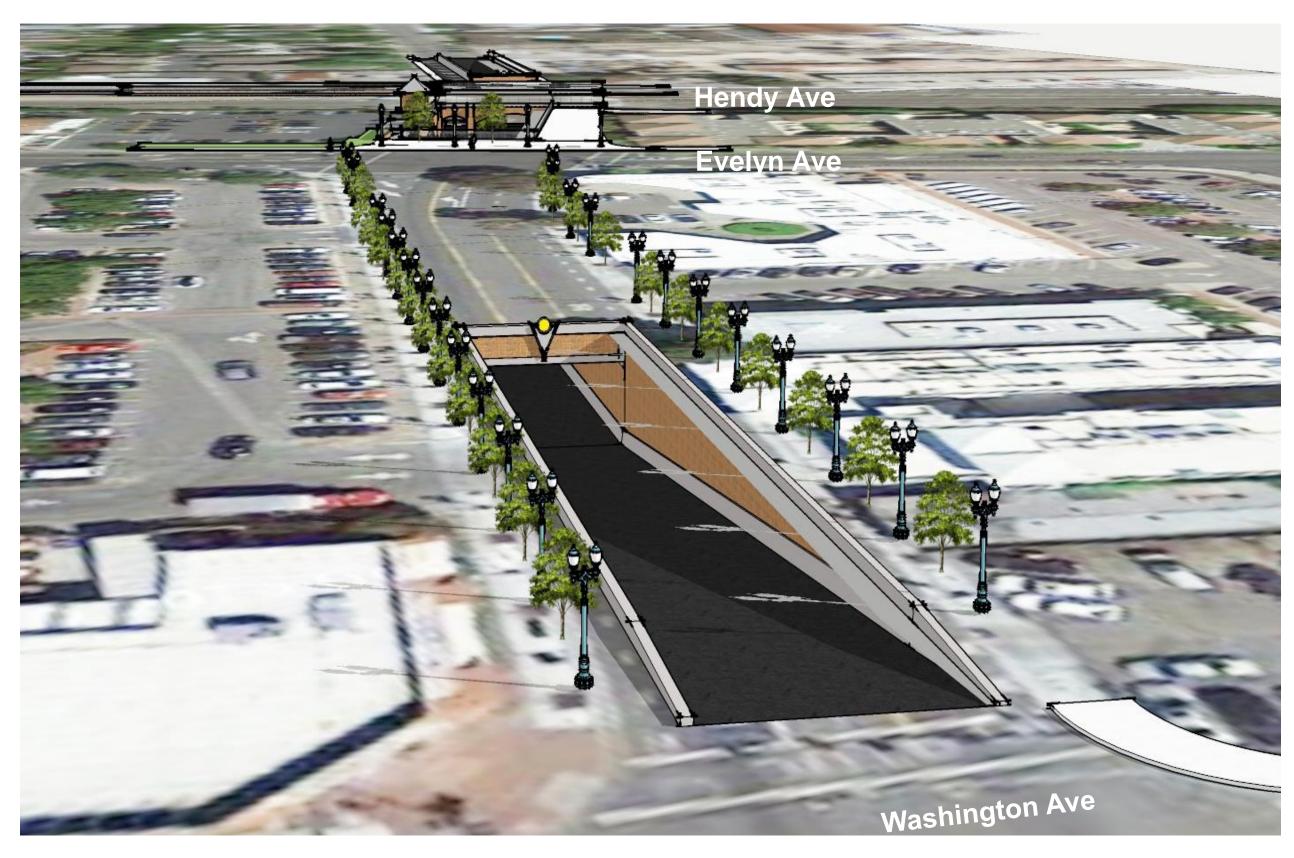


* Mary Avenue Underpass with Jughandle



- Evelyn Ave remains at grade
- "Jughandle" provides access between Evelyn and Mary Ave ³

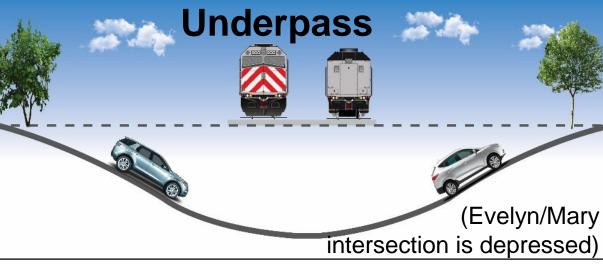
** Sunnyvale Avenue Underpass Tunnel



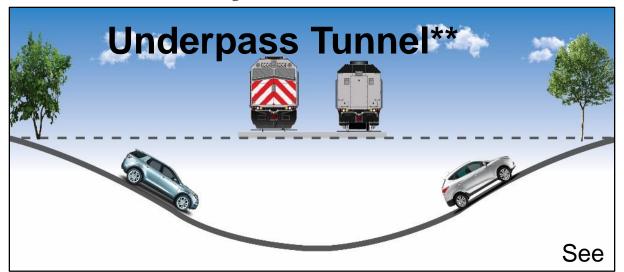
Evelyn Ave and Hendy Ave remain at grade

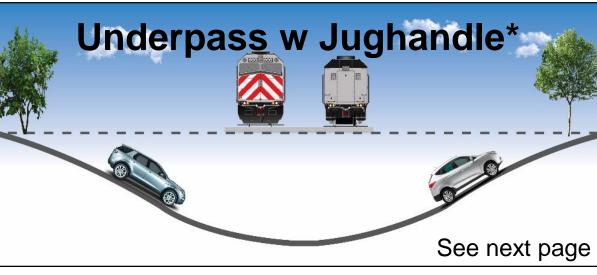
Options Under Consideration with Additional Scope

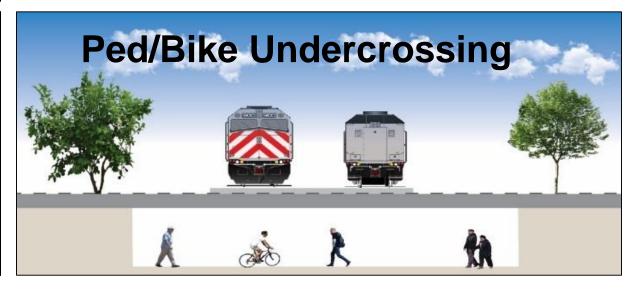
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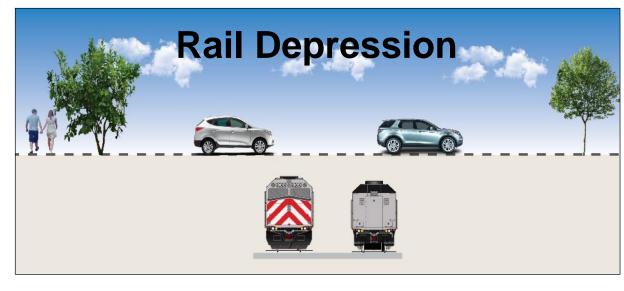


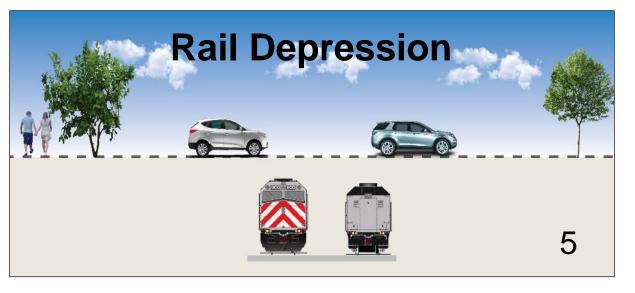


Additional Scope

Accommodated
Original Scope

Scope





Rail Depression



4th St at Clay St, Oakland (Flickr user Andy Tucker)

VTA Light Rail at Diridon Station, San Jose



Ohlone Park, Berkeley (Google Maps)

Summary of Options

	Option	Cost (\$M)	Construction Duration (years)
MARY AVE	Underpass	150-200	2
	Jughandle	100-150	2
	Depressed Rail	600-700+	4
SUNNYVALE AVE	Underpass Tunnel	180-250	2
	Ped/Bike Undercrossing	40-60	2
	Depressed Rail	600-700+	4

Staff Summary of Alternatives

Alternative 1: Authorize Additional Scope to Further Study Rail Depression

- Keep open and further analyze options
 - Better understand and communicate impacts with community members
 - Fully vet Rail Depression impacts
 - Explore creative funding options
- Potentially improve negotiating position for funding
- Cost of early stage study compared to total project cost

Alternative 2: Do Not Authorize Additional Scope to Further Study Rail Depression

- Rail Depression alternatives are challenging
 - High cost
 - Construction impact on Caltrain
 - Hendy closure and Evelyn one-lane operation for 4 years
- Focus on options with higher engineering & financial feasibility
- Cost of additional scope is significant

Thank You!

