

# 2023 Complete Streets Call for Projects

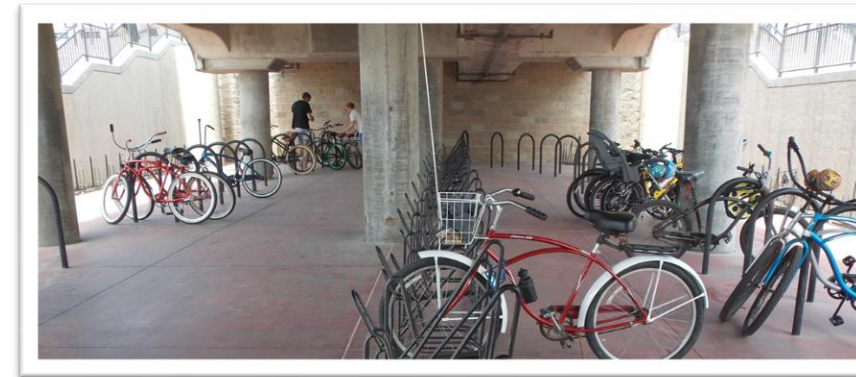
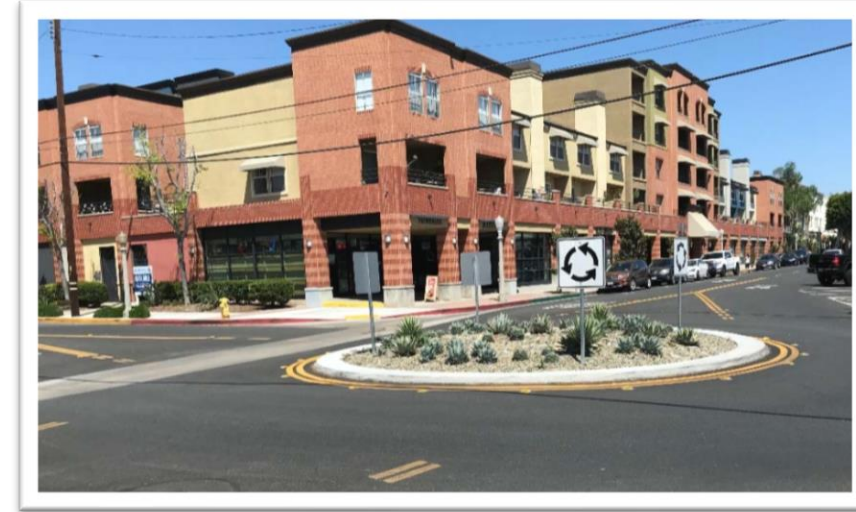
# Background

- \$86.3 million awarded since 2012
- Legacy Programs:
  - Transportation Enhancements (2010)
  - State-Local Partnership Program (2012)
  - Bicycle Corridor Improvement Program (2012, 2014, 2016, 2019)



# Program Goals: OC Complete Streets

- Improve **access** for residents and visitors
- Consider benefits to **all user types**
- Complement the context of the **community** and incorporate community input
- Promote **health** through physical activity and active transportation
- Create streets **safe** for travel even by the most vulnerable – children, older adults, and those with disabilities
- Contribute to the creation of a complete **transportation network** for all modes of travel



# Outreach

- Surveyed Orange County agency on future planned projects and project types.
- Planning documents:
  - OC Active
  - Safe Routes to School Action Plan
  - Long Range Transportation Plan
  - Multimodal Corridor Plans
  - Regional Bikeway Collaboratives
  - Bus Stop Safety and Accessibility Plan
  - OC Bike Connectors Gap Closure



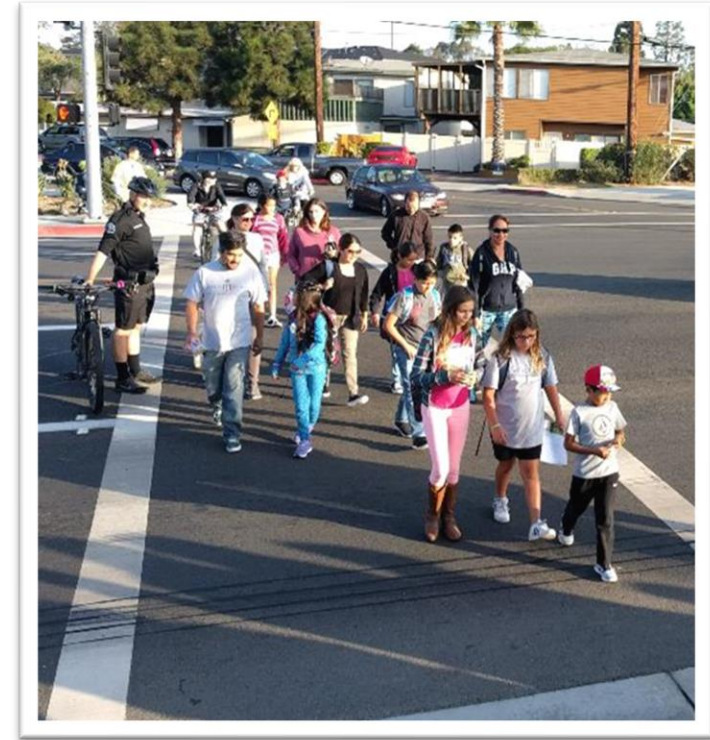
# Funding Availability and Schedule

## Funding

- **Up to \$55 million** approved by the OCTA Board of Directors
- Federal funds authorized through Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act.
- Fiscal Years **2023-2024** through **2025-2026**

## Schedule

- Call release planned by late spring/early summer
- Approvals and Project Selection by late summer



# Federal Funding Program Requirements

## **Applicable to Surface Transportation Block Grant funds *and* Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program funds**

- Demonstrates support for the Connect SoCal Performance Measures (including federal transportation performance measures)
  - Location efficiency, mobility and accessibility, safety and public health, environmental quality, economic opportunity, investment effectiveness, transportation system sustainability, and environmental justice
    - ([https://scag.ca.gov/sites/main/files/file-attachments/fconnectsocal\\_performance-measures.pdf](https://scag.ca.gov/sites/main/files/file-attachments/fconnectsocal_performance-measures.pdf) )

## **Applicable to only Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program funds**

- Documentation of expected emissions reduction and relative cost effectiveness of projects in reducing emissions for criteria air pollutants for the SCAG air basins

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