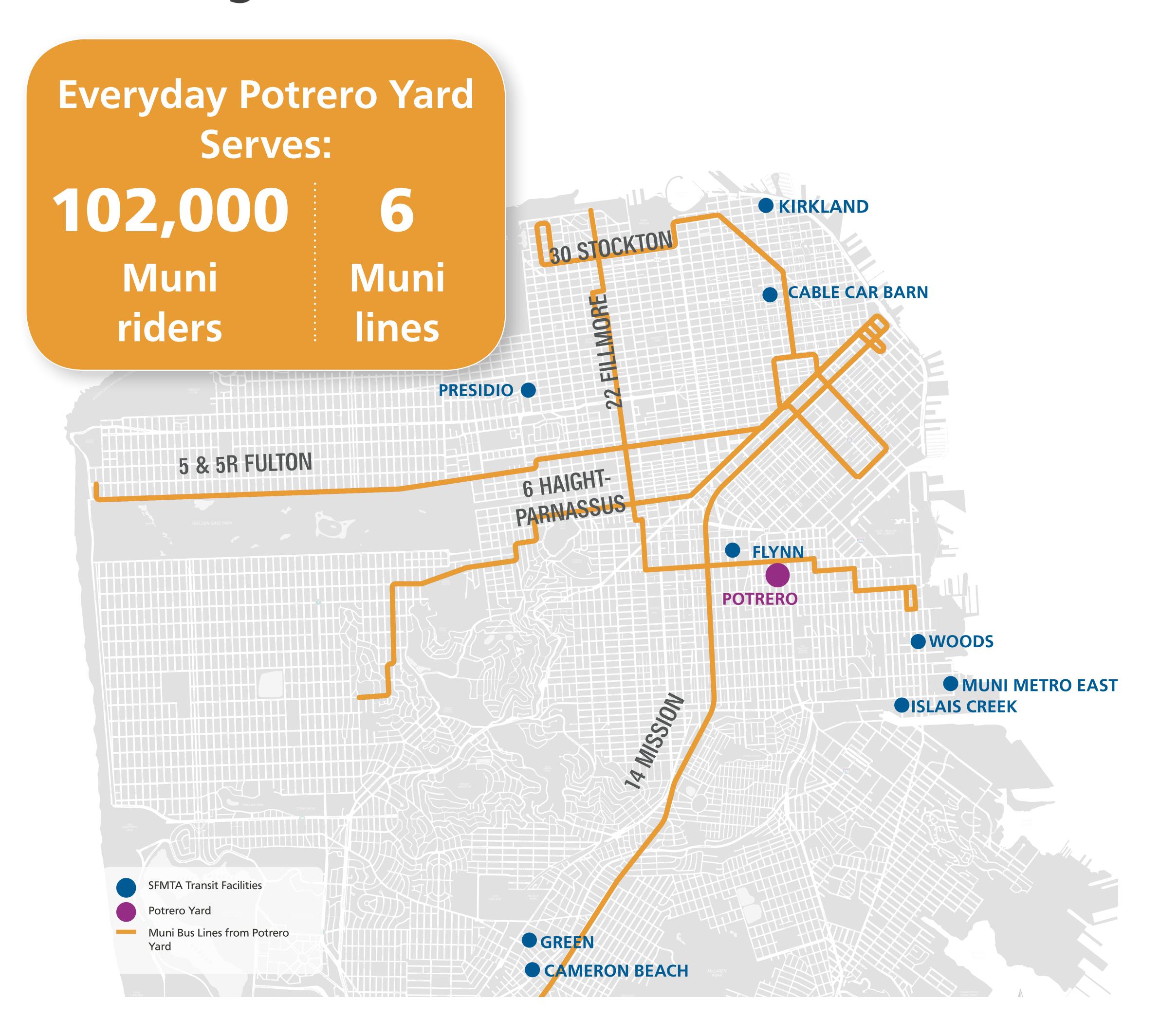


## Investing in Our Future



# San Francisco relies on transit.

Every day, people board Muni buses, trolleys, and trains more than 725,000 times! San Francisco's growing population is expected to reach one million by 2040.

# The SFMTA is growing and modernizing.

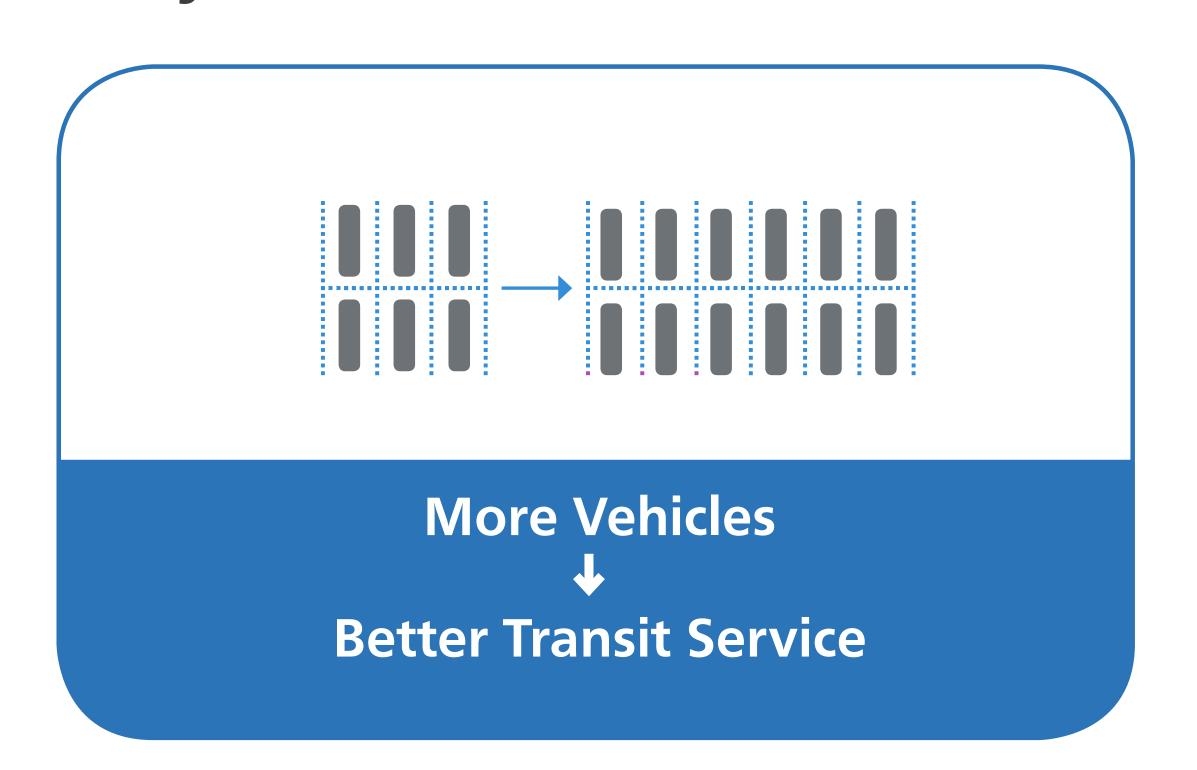
Muni is adding new vehicles to increase service and is preparing to replace its entire bus fleet with battery electric vehicles by 2035.

# Potrero Yard is the first modernization project.

Potrero Yard is the first of multiple essential facility modernization projects in the SFMTA's Building Progress Program. It is among the oldest SFMTA bus yards and in critical need of upgrades.

# Why do we need to modernize Potrero Yard?

#### **Project Drivers**

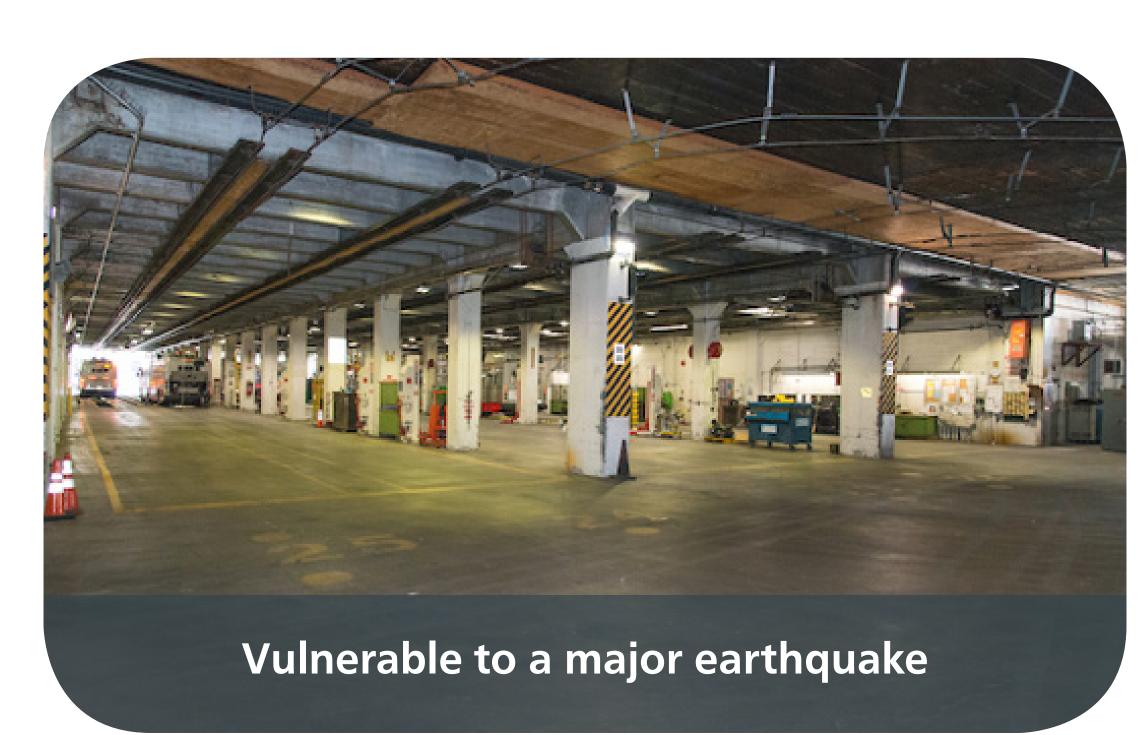




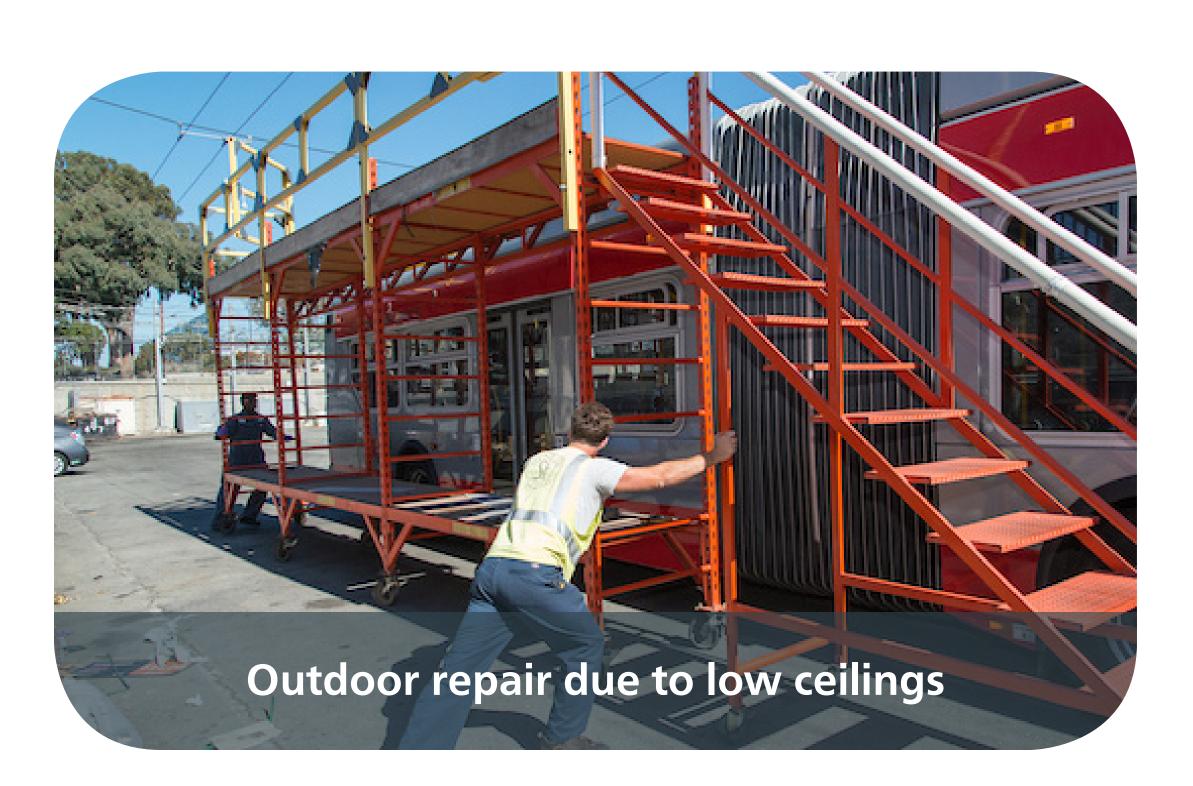


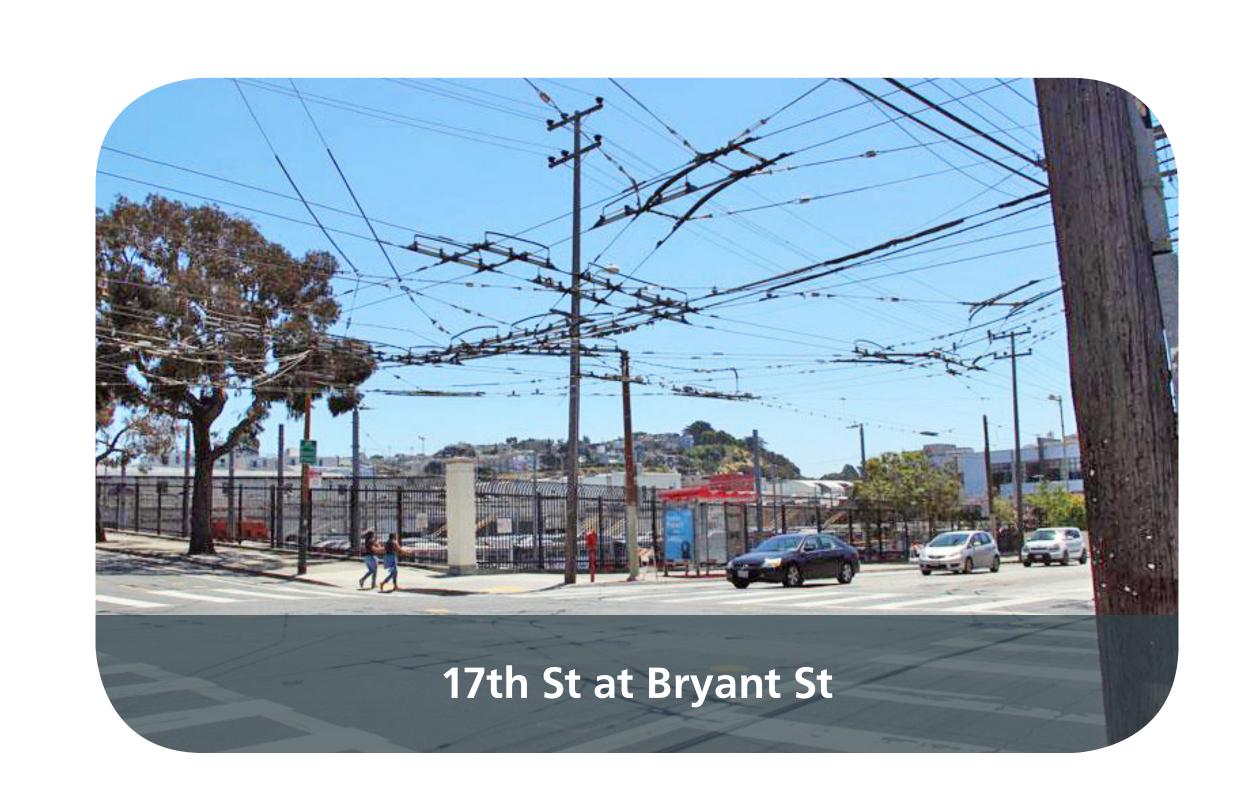
#### Existing Bus Yard / Street Views

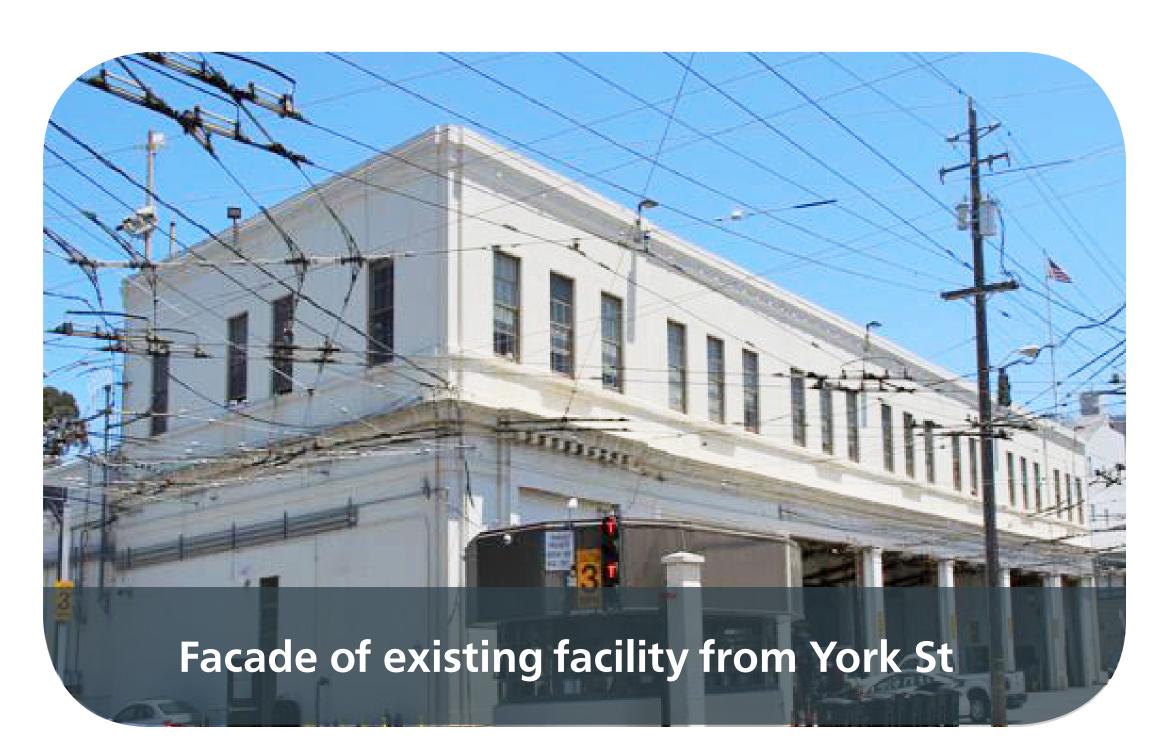




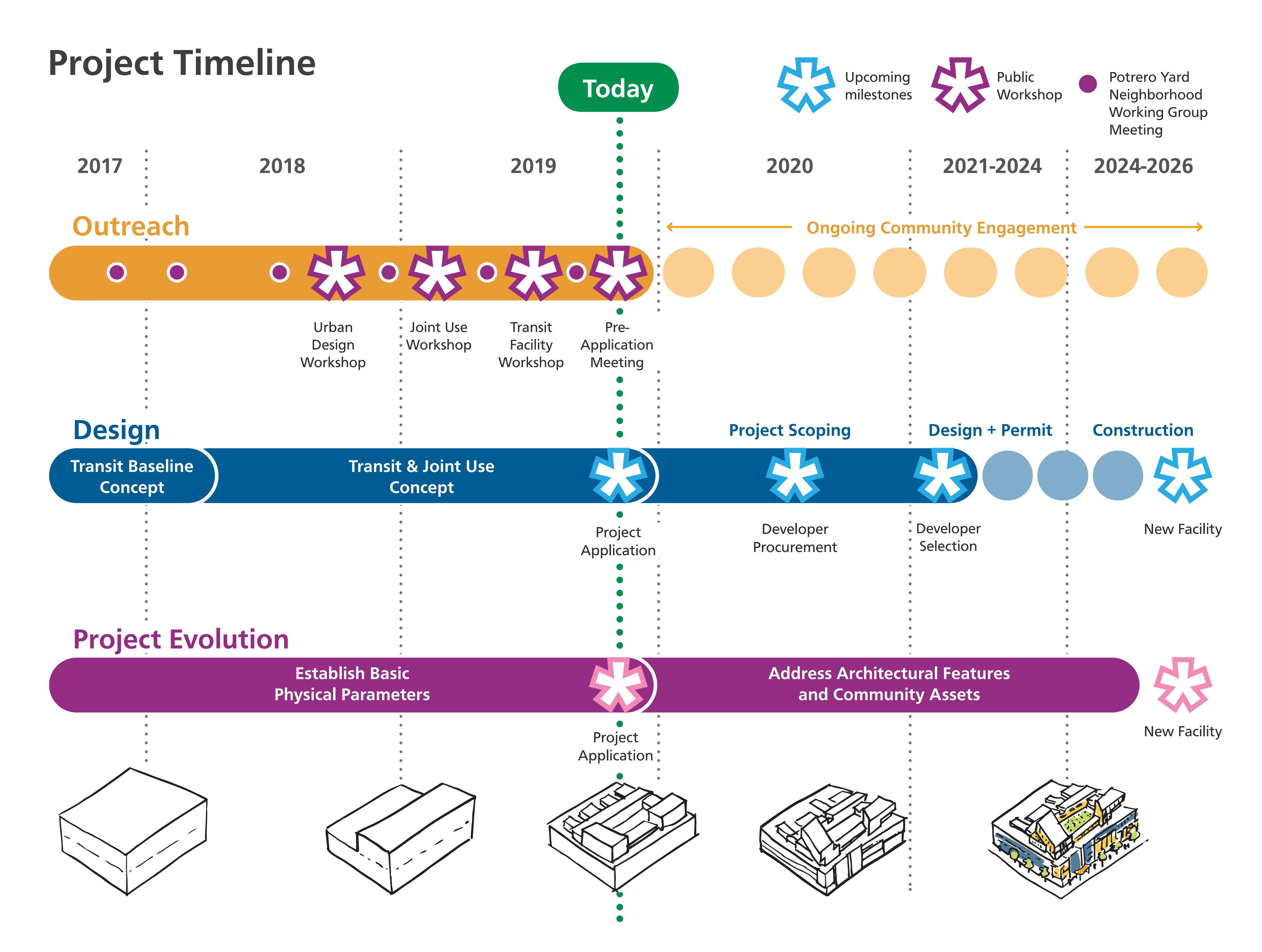




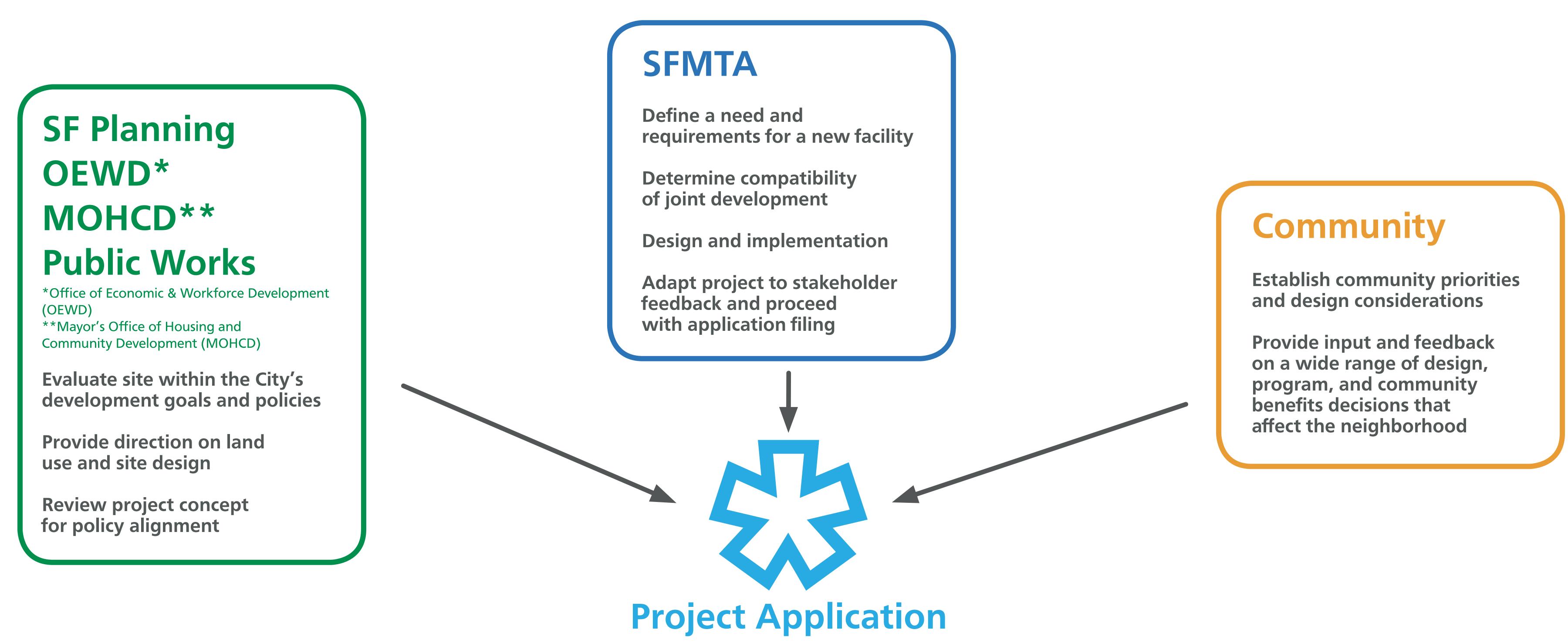




# Project Process



## How do we get to a conceptual project?



## What's in the project application?

## Initial project description, including:

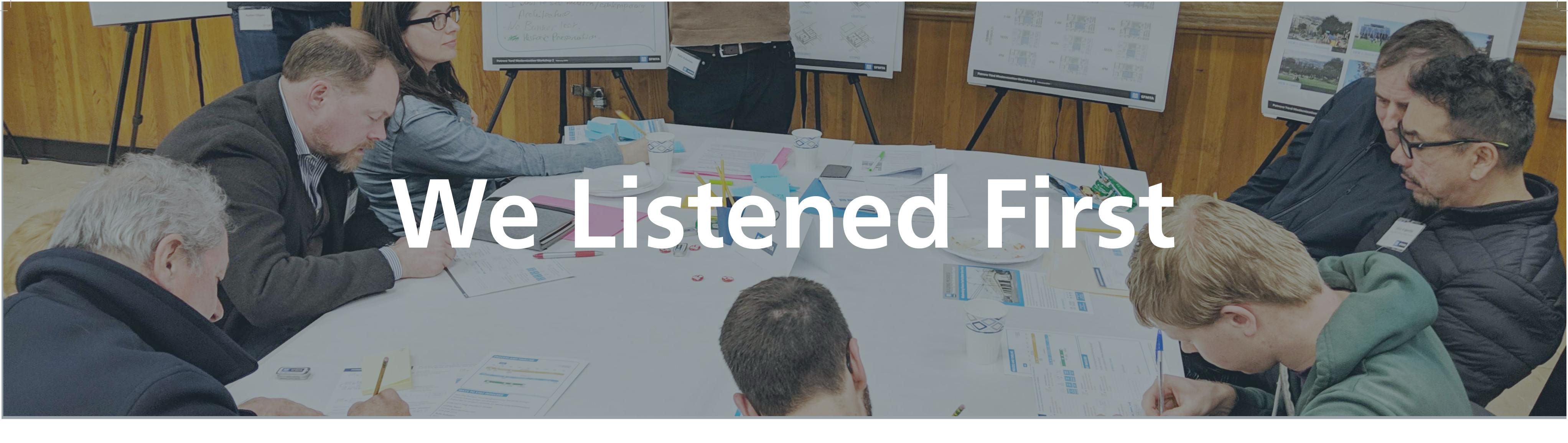
- Transit facility square footage range
- Housing unit count range
- Conceptual project envelope (general building massing, maximum height, etc.)

### Why submit now?

- Increase transparency of the project process through a public filing to the Planning Department
- Keep project on schedule to accommodate growing bus fleet
- Deepen engagement with Planning Department
- design staff Start scoping the project's environmental review

## Preliminary **Project Concept**

The project application is filed with the Planning Department to initiate conversations, and is NOT a final project description or design.



## Your feedback has helped to shape this project













# **Community Engagement Highlights**



Urban Design Workshop



Joint Use Workshop



Potrero Yard Neighborhood Working Group



## Project Program

Approx.
560
residential units

50% affordability target

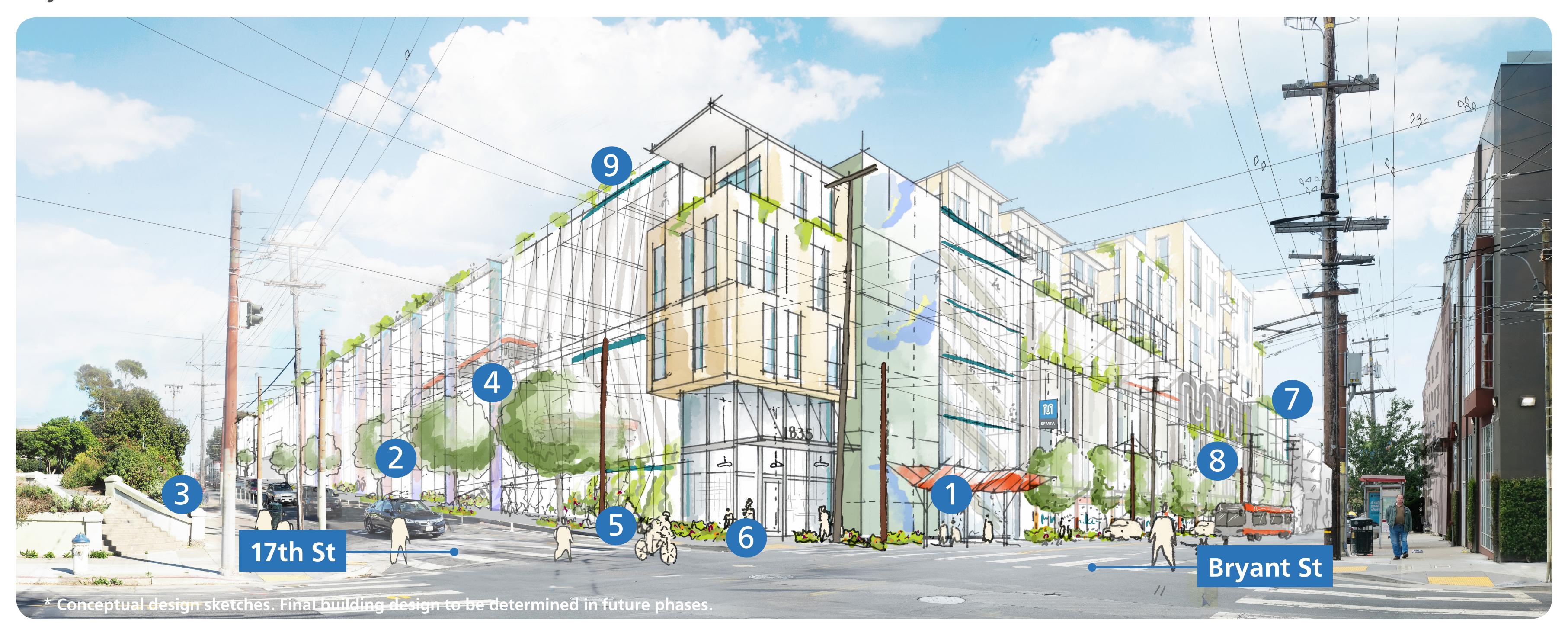
3-level
maintenance/
training facility +
residential above

150'
max building height

4,000 square feet ground floor active uses

## Design Strategies

Bryant & 17th Street View



- 1 Activate Bryant Street
- 2 Activate 17th Street if feasible beyond the transit facility
- Consider shadow impacts on public open space
- 4 Minimize blank walls and maximize transparency into the bus facility
- Improve pedestrian connections to Franklin Square
- Improve SFMTA employee access and pedestrian safety
- Step back at upper floors to minimize bulk of the building
- Comprehensive transportation strategies to support walking, biking, and transit use (resident and employee parking are not proposed)
- 9 Include open space at upper levels

## New Building Goals







**Earthquake** resilience



Greenhouse gas reduction



Expanded City workforce

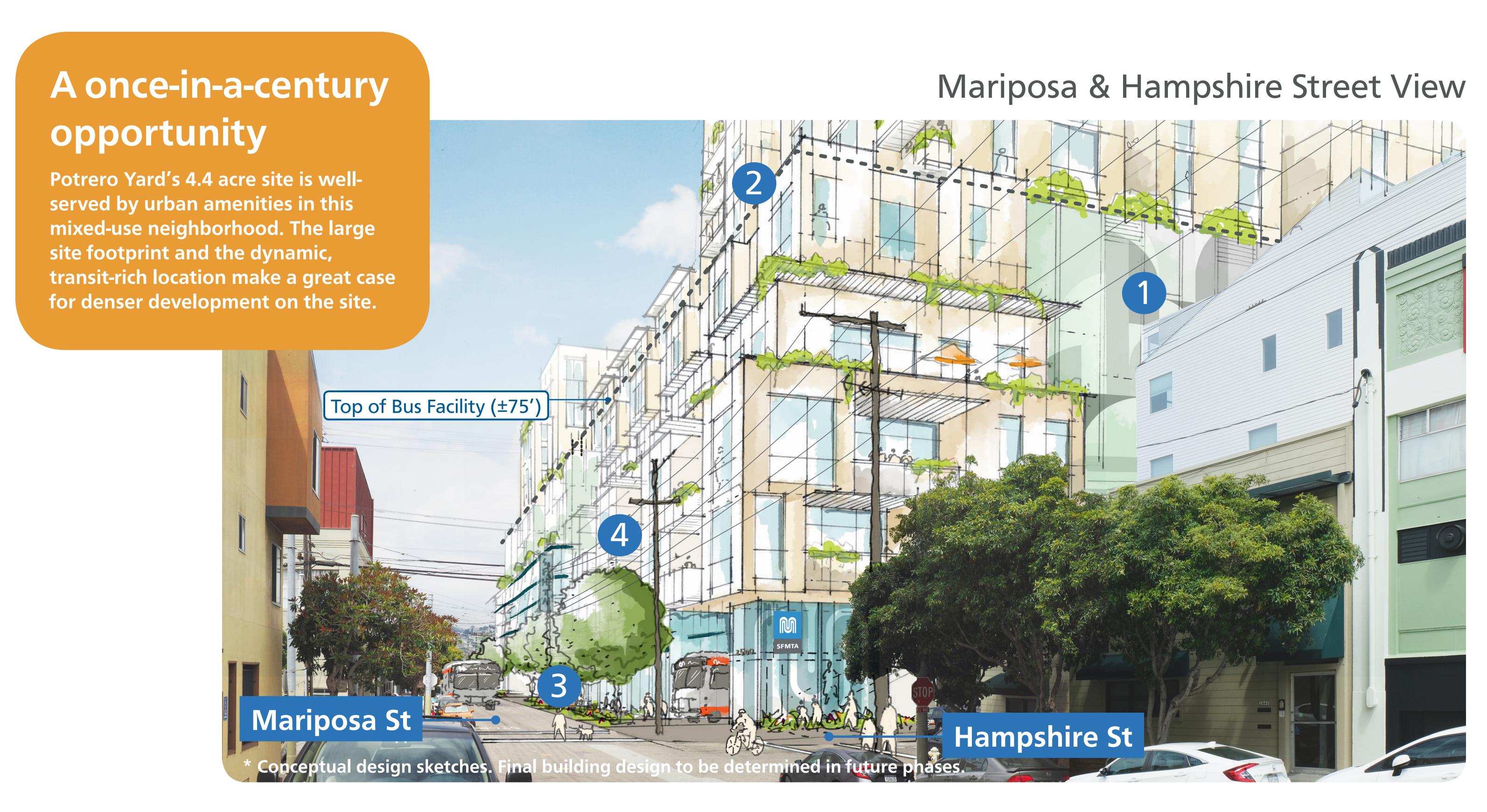


Improved bus maintenance



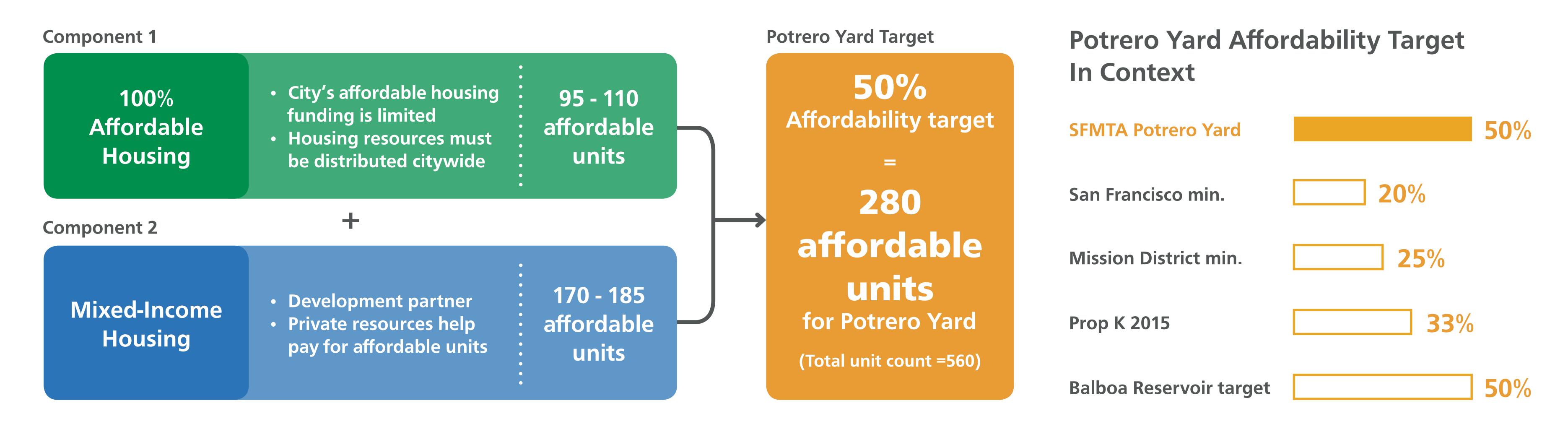
Co-located housing





- Bus facility wall treatment (views into bus facility, green wall, screening, artwork)
- 2 Step back to respect neighborhood scale
- 3 Improved streetscape
- SFMTA operations and training facility

## How did we get to a 50% affordability target?



# How can a developer help this project?



# A Mix of Housing for a Mix of Households



# Existing and Future Facility

## **Existing Facility**

levels

of transit

138 16 391

buses

bus bays

employees (245 operators)

BUS LEVEL 2

±23'- 45' FTF

**BUS LEVEL 1** 

±0'- 23' FTF

## **Future Facility**

levels of

transit

buses

bus bays

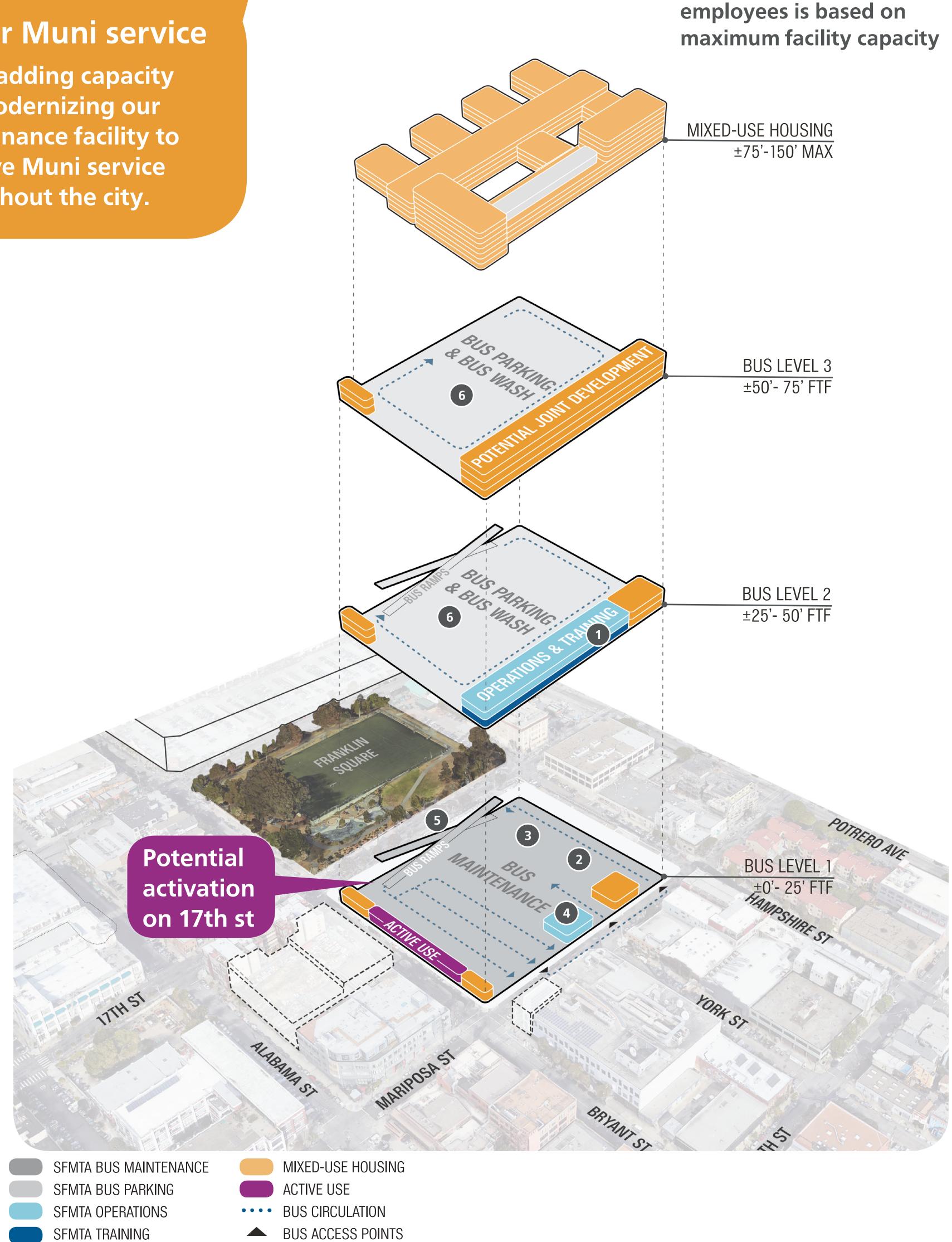
213 17 829\*

employees (383 operators)

\*The number of future







# Mariposa Street Today

SFMTA BUS MAINTENANCE

SFMTA BUS PARKING

SFMTA OPERATIONS

••• BUS CIRCULATION

BUS ACCESS POINTS

THST

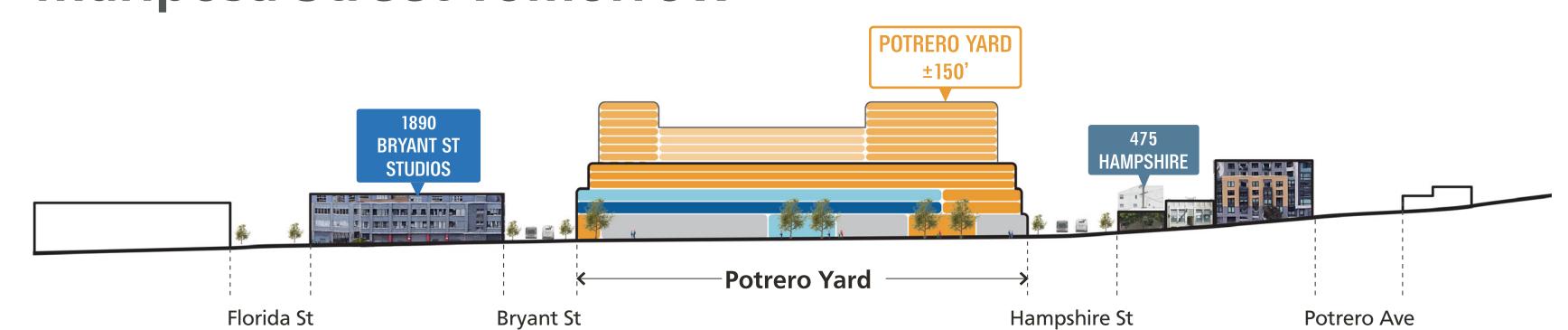


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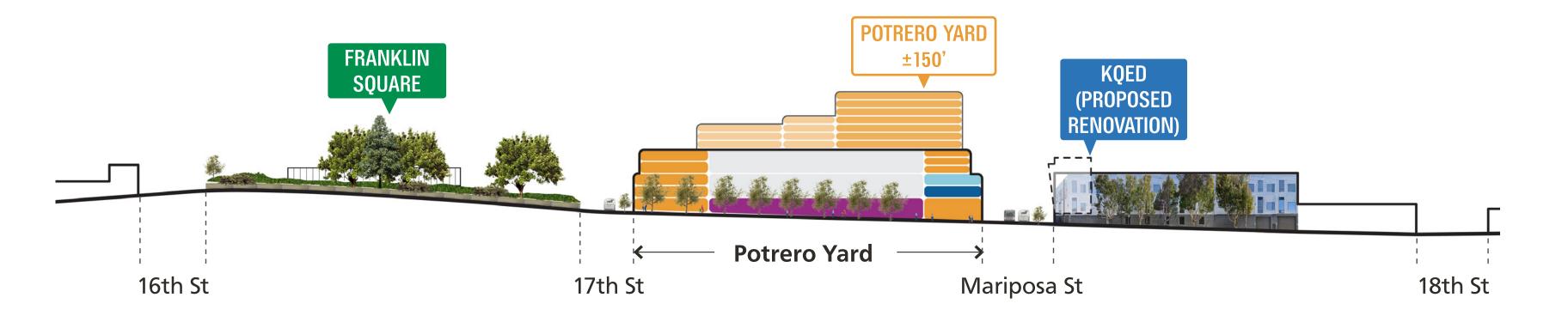
#### **Bryant Street Today**



#### **Mariposa Street Tomorrow**



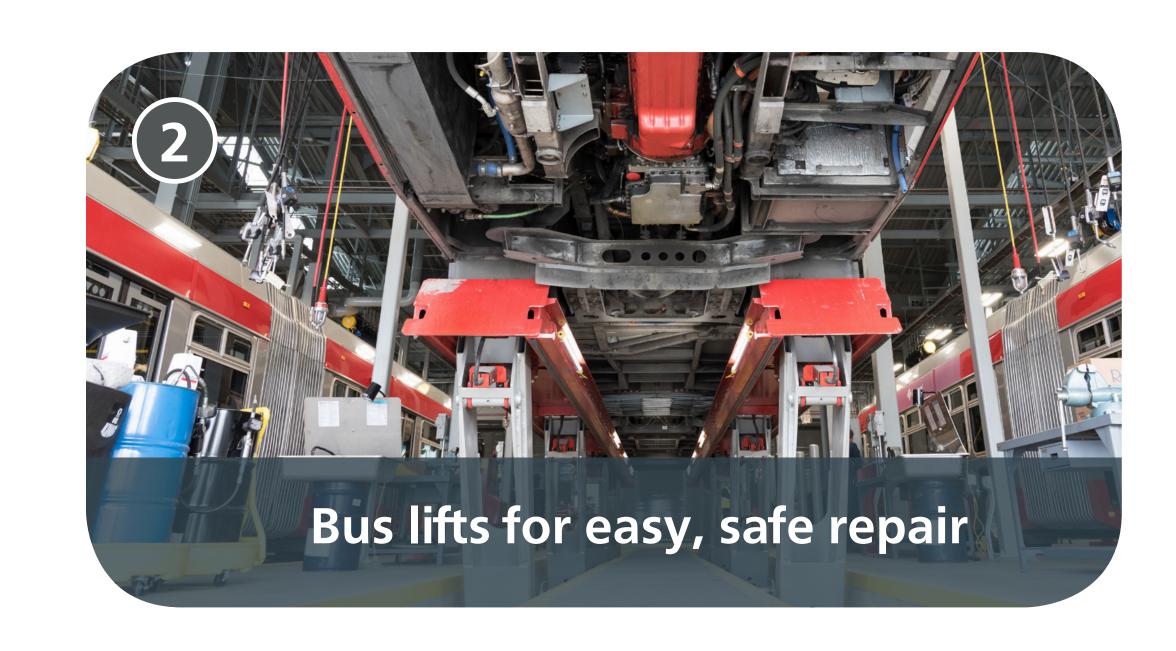
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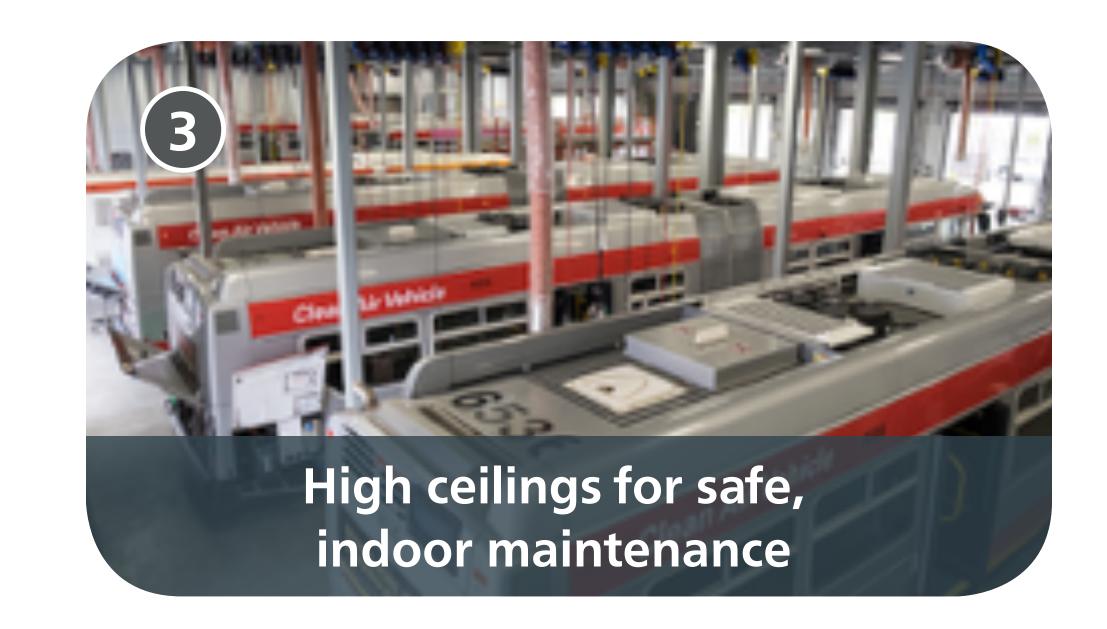
## Improvements at Potrero Yard

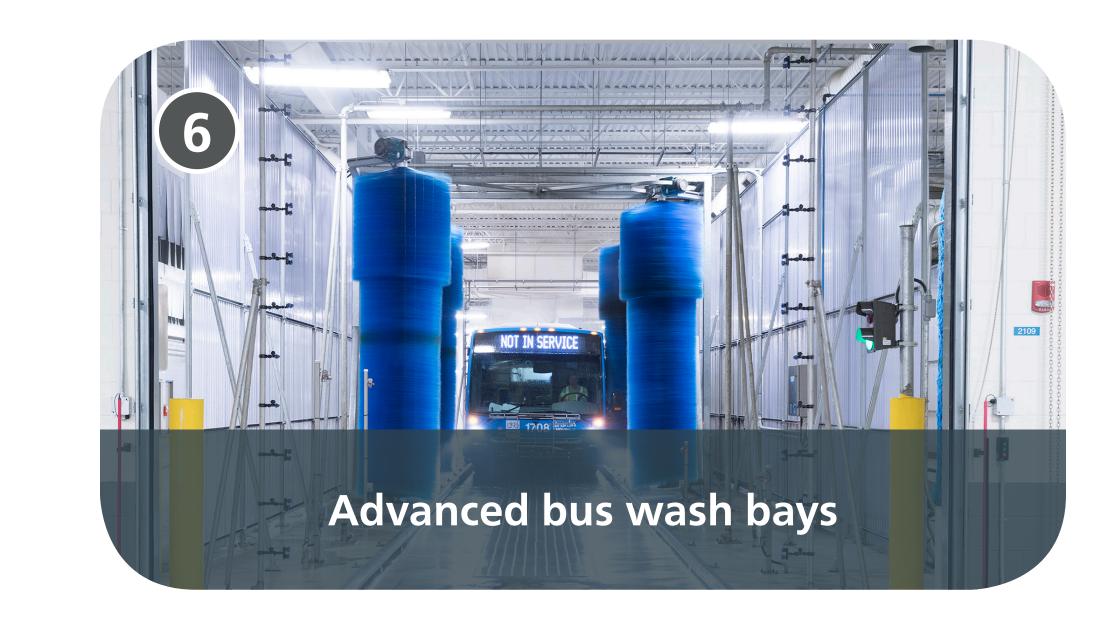














## **Envisioning the Ground Floor Bus Garage Experience**

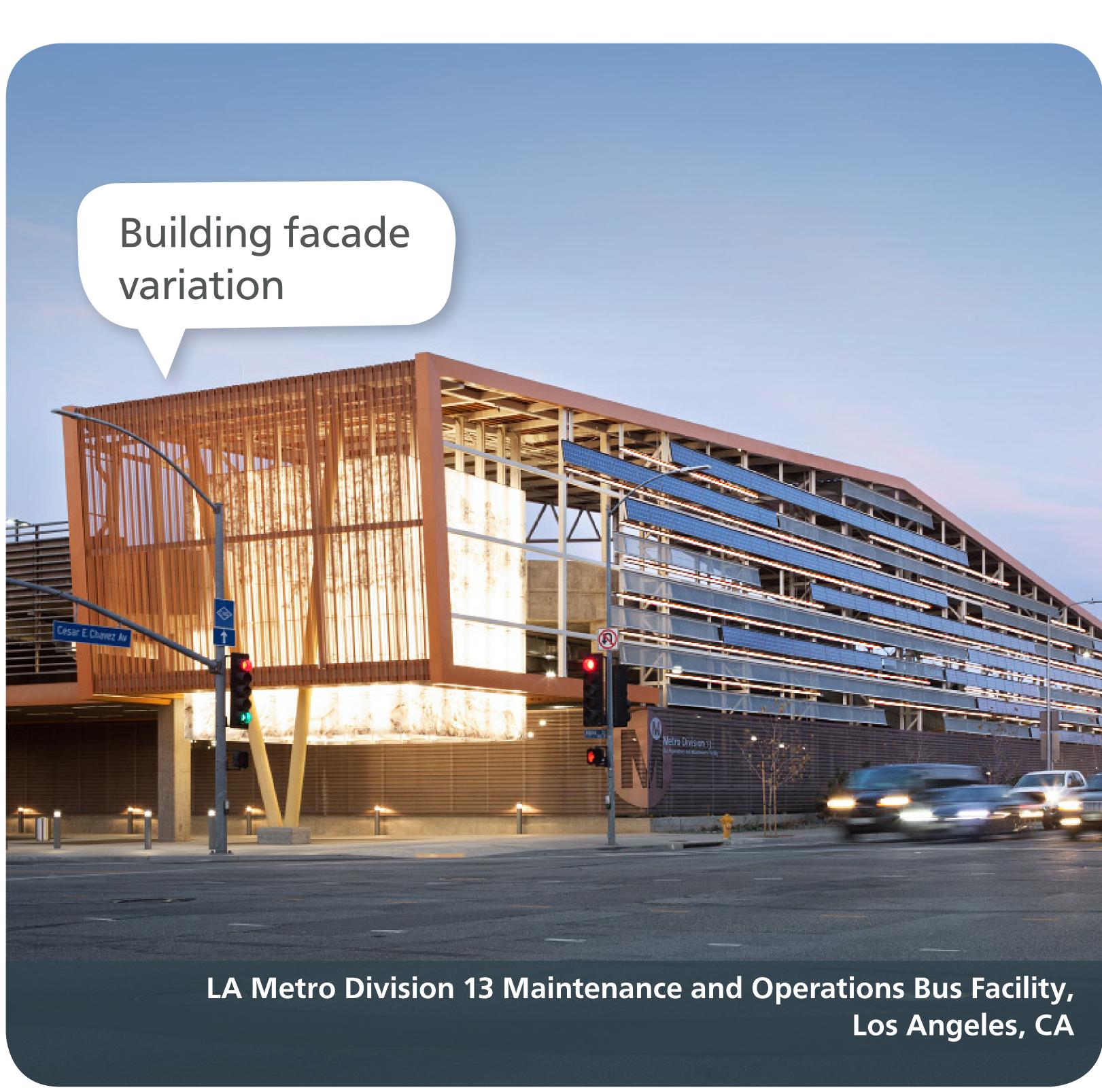
Mariposa Street View Facing Hampshire Street



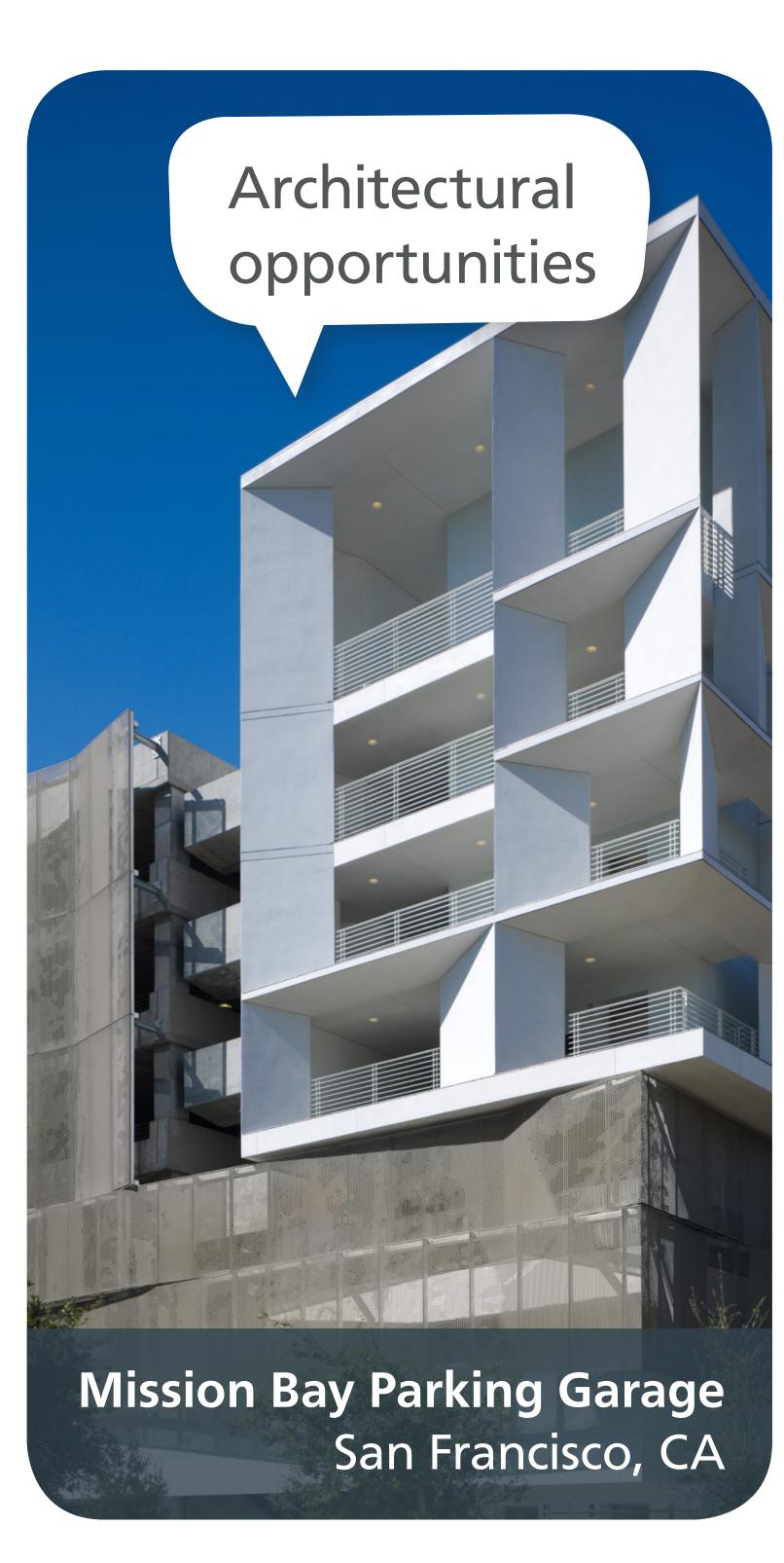
- 1 SFMTA lobby
- 2 Bus maintenance entrance
- 3 SFMTA office and training
- 4 Internalized bus circulation
- Allow visibility(pedestrian safety)
- 6 Improved streetscape

Mariposa St

## **Examples of Transit Facilities and Garages**













<sup>\*</sup> Conceptual design sketches. Final building design to be determined in future phases.



### Activation on the Ground Floor

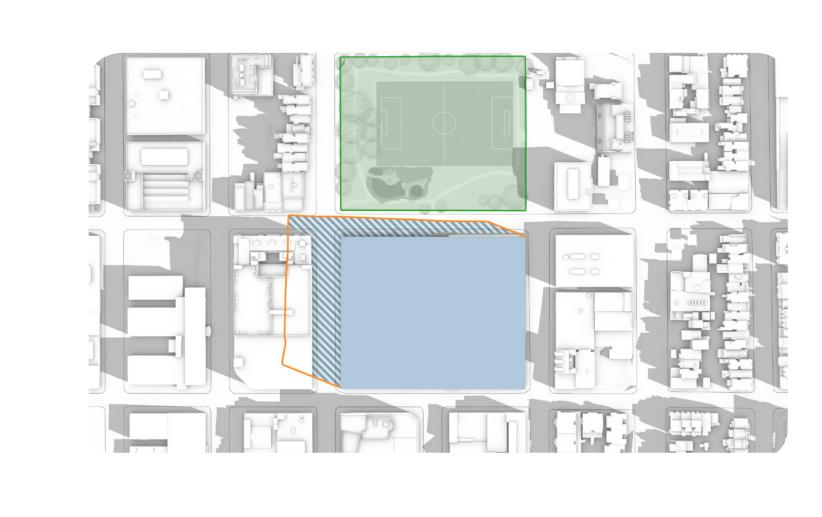
Bryant Street View Facing 17th Street



- 1 Active street
- 2 Neighborhood services
- 3 Opportunity for public art
- 4 Improved streetscape
- 5 Residential lobby
- Pedestrian connection to Franklin Square

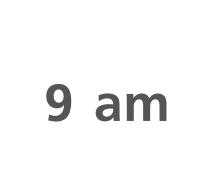
## Preliminary Shadow Studies

\* These shadow studies show impacts for the 75' bus facility. Upper residential floors should not generate additional shadow on Franklin Square. **Equinox (September 21)** 

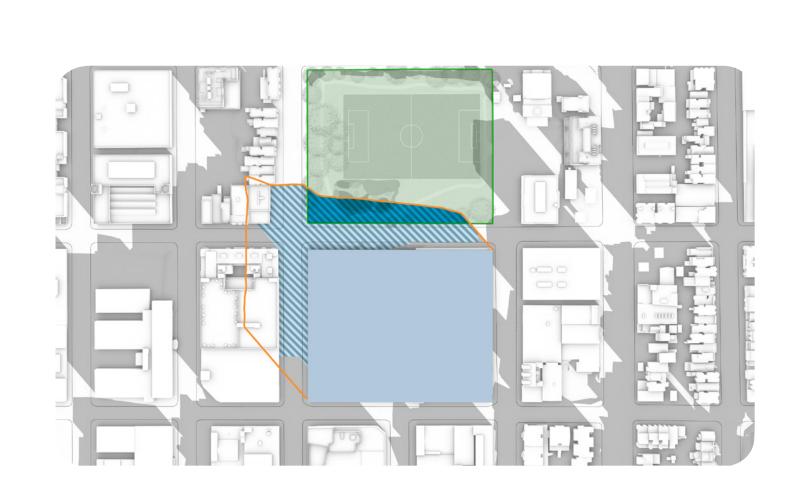


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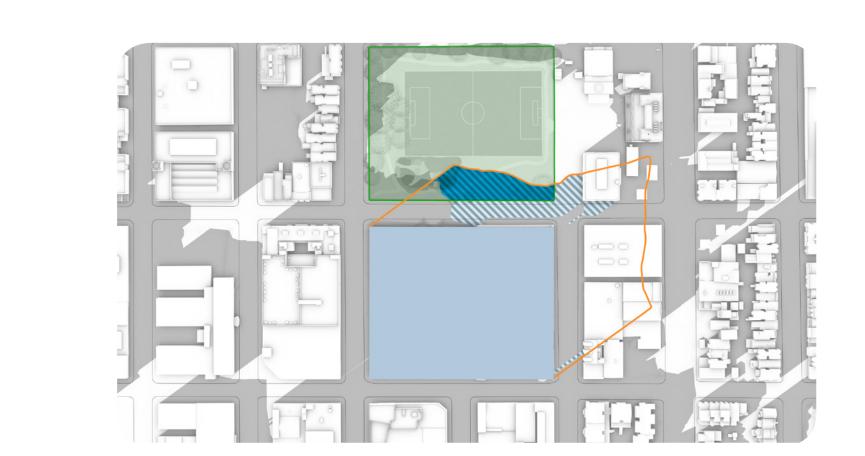


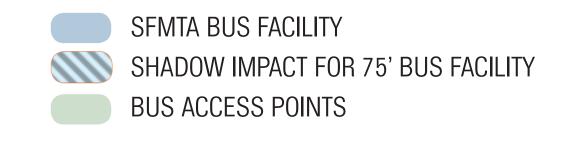
Winter Solstice (December 21)











# **Examples of Housing Architecture**





## Continuing conversations...

What type of ground floor activity will fit in with the neighborhood?

Can there be a public restroom to serve Franklin Square?

Safely separate buses from pedestrians

Can there be public open space in the project?

Activate 17th
Street and
connect to
Franklin Square

Seriously address neighborhood parking and traffic concerns

What else? What other aspects of the project should we continue to develop and refine?

What are your thoughts and impressions about the project?

# Stay involved!

Join the Potrero Yard Working Group

Attend public workshops

Subscribe to project updates at: www.sfmta.com/potreroyard