



SFMTA

# Geary Community Advisory Committee

November 13, 2018

*Members please sit at the table*

# Order of Business

1. Call to Order
2. Roll call
3. Ice breaker activity
4. Approval of minutes – September 18, 2018
5. Public comment
6. Geary Boulevard Improvement Project update
7. Geary Rapid – Implementation update
8. Geary Rapid – Communications/outreach update
9. Geary Rapid – Draft Transportation Management Plan
10. Adjourn

# 3. Ice breaker

What was your least favorite food as a child?

Do you still hate it or do you love it now?

# 4. Approval of Minutes

- [September 18, 2018](#)

# 5. Public Comment

- See Public Comment Policy on back of agenda.
- Public comment for matters within the Geary Community Advisory Committee jurisdiction and are not on today's calendar.
- Public comment is limited to two minutes each.

## 6. Geary Boulevard Improvement Project update

- Preliminary design work progressing
- Letters to property owners to go out in December to gather information about sub-sidewalk basements
- Review process with SFFD in Spring 2019
- PUC sewer work scope is not in the 35% design
- PUC water expects minimal work

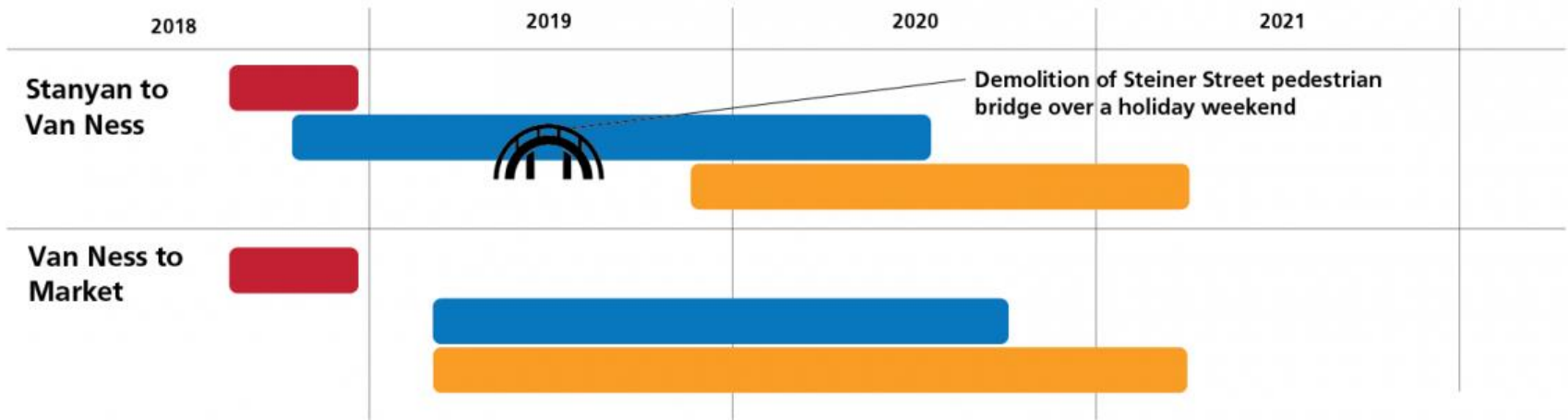
# 6. Geary Boulevard Improvement Project update

Major planning currently underway (not all listed):

- General
- Civil
- Roadway
- Landscape architecture
- Street lighting
- Communications
- Structure
- Traffic signals
- Traffic sign plan
- Traffic striping
- Construction sequencing
- Utility composite

# 7. Geary Rapid – Implementation update

## Overview




### Transit and safety treatments

 Bus-only lanes  Pedestrian safety treatments

 Bus stop changes  Roadway striping changes

### Utility upgrades

 Water main replacement on Geary (Masonic to Market)  Fiber-optic cable conduits (Stanyan to Gough)

 Sewer main replacement (primarily Masonic to Van Ness)

### Major transit and safety improvements

 Bus bulbs  Upgraded traffic signals

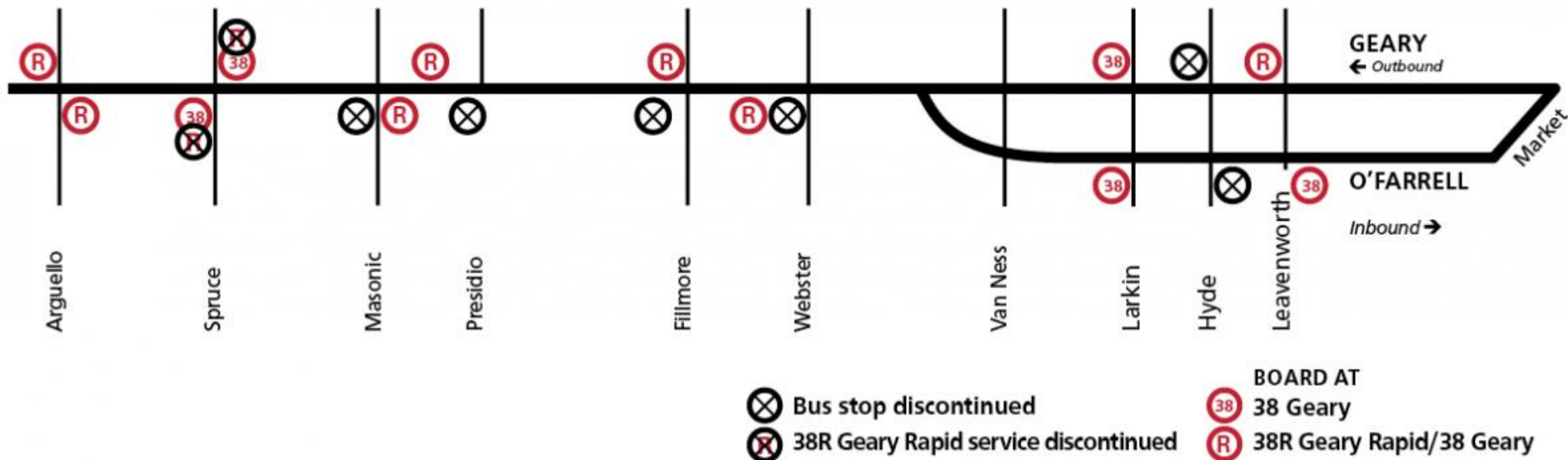
 Pedestrian bulbs  Roadway repaving (Masonic to Van Ness)



# 7. Geary Rapid – Implementation update

## Bus stop changes implemented October 6

- October 1 - 5: Crews made parking/curb changes + built new bus bulb to be ready for changes
- Major outreach push including ambassadors, email, text, social media, press release



# 7. Geary Rapid – Implementation update

## Bus stop changes implemented October 6

New bus bulb inbound between Fillmore/Webster





# 7. Geary Rapid – Implementation update

## Transit-only lanes implementation in progress

- As of end of October, eastbound transit-only lane Baker-Gough is 100% complete
- Next up: westbound Gough-Baker, then both directions Masonic-Stanyan
- Transit-only lane signage installed in entire corridor, both directions

Geary at Baker, implementation in progress (white solid line installed, but not yet pavement markings)



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## Transit-only lanes implementation in progress

Eastbound: Geary at Fillmore





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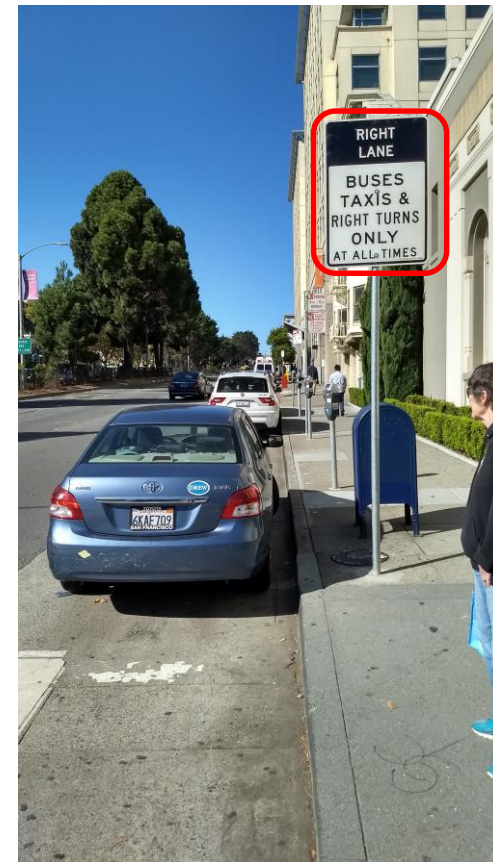
Eastbound: Geary – Webster to Gough



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## Transit-only lanes implementation in progress

Transit-only lane signage examples

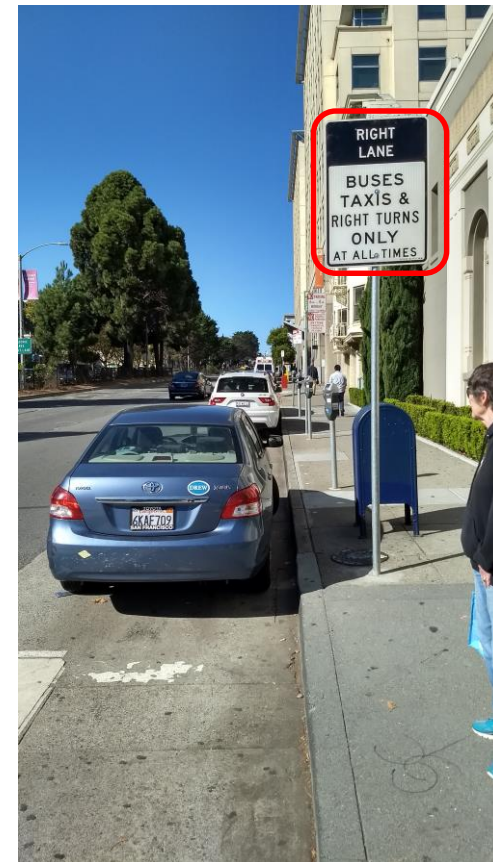




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## Transit-only lanes implementation in progress

Transit-only lane signage examples



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## Pedestrian safety implementation in progress

Upgrades include:

- Daylighting and advanced limit lines to make people crossing the street more visible
- Painted safety zones at some locations that will ultimately get bulb-outs

Painted safety zone example





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## Water and sewer: Van Ness to Masonic

- Notice to Proceed from SFPUC to Contractor (JMB Construction) expected early January, 2019
- What to expect in work zone:
  - Some noise and dust
  - Access to properties will be maintained
  - Temporary bus stop re-locations
  - Traffic lane closures
  - Parking restrictions
  - No sewer service interruption
  - Some water service disruption with advance notice

# 8. Geary Rapid – Communications and outreach update

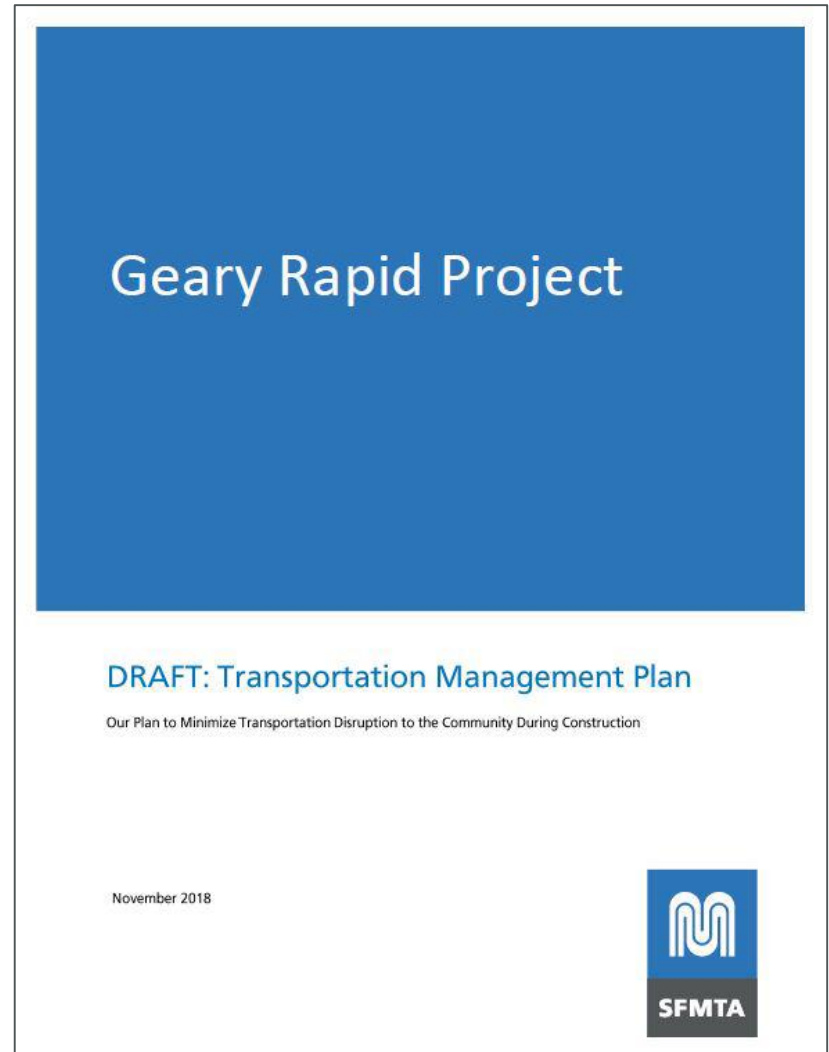
## Groundbreaking event

- When: Mid-January 2019
- Where: Japantown, near Buchanan



# 9. Geary Rapid – Draft Transportation Management Plan

- Purpose: Outlines how project team will minimize transportation impacts during construction
- 2 sections:
  - Public information and outreach
  - Minimizing common transportation disruptions during construction



# 9. Geary Rapid – Draft Transportation Management Plan

## Public information and outreach

- Mailed notices
- Construction forecasts
- 24-hour contact information and complaint resolution process
- Project signs every 100 feet
- Temporary bus stop signs
- Ambassadors
- Geary CAC

# 9. Geary Rapid – Draft Transportation Management Plan

## **Minimizing common transportation disruptions during construction**

- Lane closures
- Parking and loading
- Pedestrian detours
- Temporary bus stop locations

# 9. Geary Rapid – Draft Transportation Management Plan

## Next steps

- Feedback from CAC attendees tonight
- Distributed via email to Geary email list
- Feedback accepted through December 3, 2018 via [GearyRapid@SFMTA.com](mailto:GearyRapid@SFMTA.com) or 415.646.2300
- Geary Rapid Project team will finalize before end of year

# 10. Adjourn

- Thank you!
- Next meeting:
  - January 15, 6pm
  - 1 South Van Ness Avenue, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Union Square Conference Room