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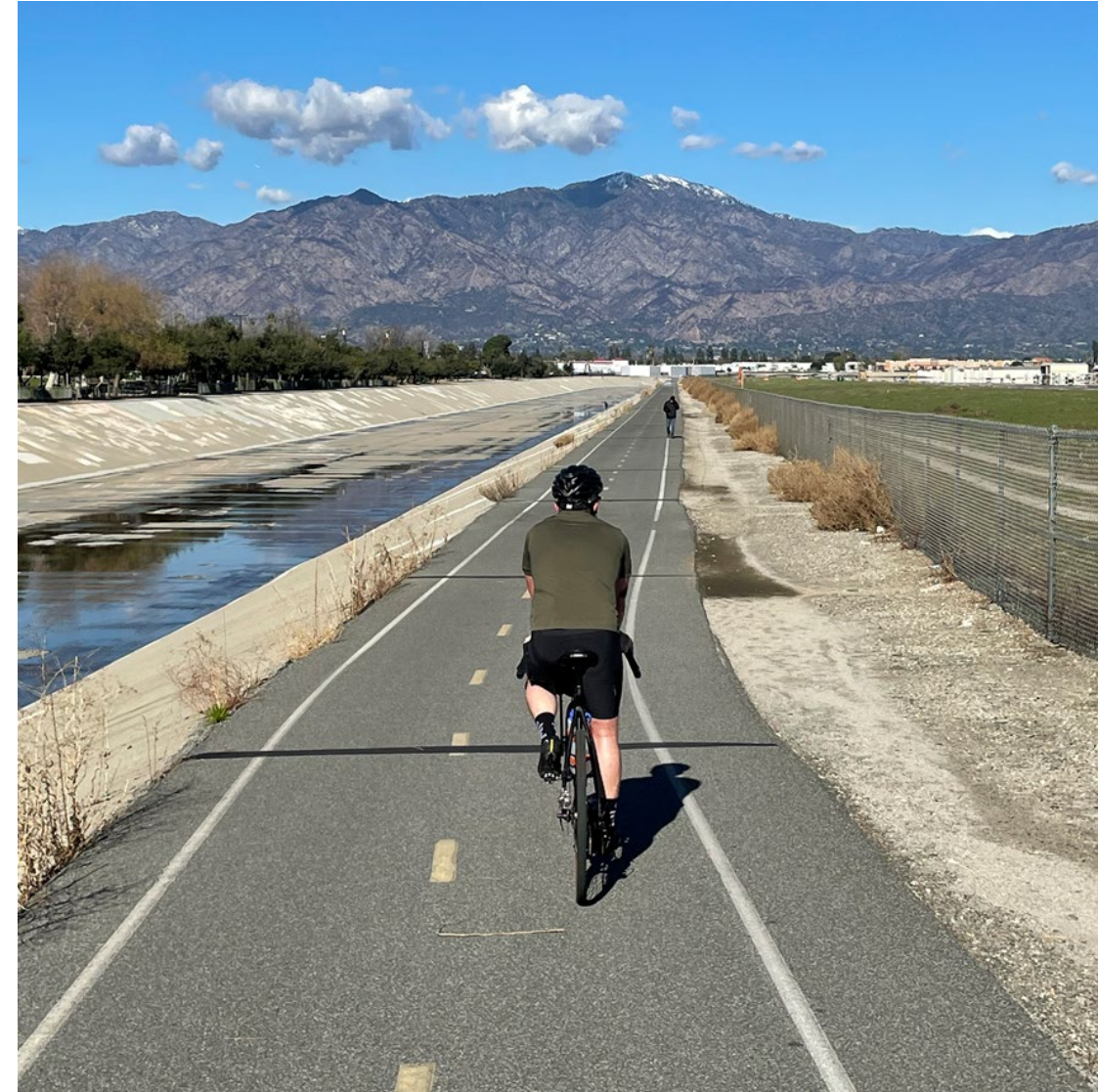
# The San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan



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# Schedule Update



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## Efforts & Studies Aug 2019 – Jul 2020

- Existing Studies & Plan Compilation

## Existing Conditions Jan 2020 – Aug 2021

- Database of Projects, As-Builts, and Potential Gaps
- Channel Geometric Characteristics and Design Flows

## Database & GIS Maps Apr 2020 – Summer 2022

- GIS Database
- Regulatory Roadmap
- GIS Mapping
- County Channel ROW GIS Mapping

## Develop Greenway Network Plan Apr 2020 – Winter 2024

- Tributary Maps - Complete
- Project Priority Matrix - Complete
- Potential Project List - Complete
- Final Bike Path Alternatives
- Final Conceptual Designs for Each Watershed
- Final Opportunities & Constraints
- Final Guidelines & Standards
- Draft Plan Development

## Environmental Documentation Nov 2021 – Winter 2024

- Environmental Strategy Technical Memo - Completed
- Scoping Meeting – Oct 4, 2022
- AB 52 Tribal Letters
- Project Description and Alternatives
- Draft PEIR



## Public Engagement Plan Nov 2019 – Summer 2022

- Graphic Standards
- Community Engagement Plan
- Community Workshops
- Online Survey
- Pop-Up Events

## Public Engagement Plan Fall 2022 – Fall 2024

- Potential Community Events
- Pop-Up Events
- Website - Ongoing

## San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan



## Steering Committee Meetings Apr 2020 – Sept 2022

- Conceptual Designs
- Design Guidelines and Standards
- Draft Plan Review

## Steering Committee Meeting Jan 2023

- Plan Update/3D Renderings
- Municipal Stakeholder Engagement
- Environmental Document

# Environmental Documentation Update



# Environmental Strategy for CEQA Compliance

## Preliminary Draft Program Environmental Impact Report (PEIR)

- Project Description and Alternatives under review by County.
- Draft PEIR will be prepared spring 2023

## Public Scoping and Public Comment Period

- Scoping period was September 20 – November 18.
- Scoping meeting held on October 4. County is reviewing scoping comments received.

## AB 52 Letters and Tribal Consultation

- Letters were mailed to tribes September 20.
- No responses received that require formal consultation.

# SGVGN Plan Update





**Jan 2023**

- Draft SGV Greenway Network Plan

**March 2023**

- Steering Committee Review Period Starts

**April 2023**

- Steering Committee Review Period Ends

**July 2023**

- Draft Plan and PEIR Public Release



# SGVGN Plan Purpose and Goals

## **The San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan will:**

- Improve mobility and recreational opportunities for people with disabilities, youth and the aging population, bicyclists, pedestrians, and equestrians.
- Reduce vehicle miles traveled and associated greenhouse gas emissions.
- Integrate stormwater capture and water management opportunities.
- Enhance natural habitats and enrich community well-being.

*Create a countywide network of interconnected, multi-use community greenways by transforming the storm channels, washes, and creeks that feed into the San Gabriel and Rio Hondo Rivers into a modernized network of bicycle and pedestrian pathways in the San Gabriel Valley.*

# SGVGN Plan Draft Sections

Tribal Land Acknowledgment

Director's Message

Executive Summary

1. Introduction

2. Existing Conditions Summary

3. Engagement Strategy and Results

4. Project Opportunities Analysis

5. Greenway Concept Design Development

6. Strategies for Implementation

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Acronyms

Definition of Terms

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# SGVGN Plan Draft Sections

## 1. Introduction

- Plan Goals
- Project Partners and Planning Team
- Background and Introduction to the Project Area
- Approach to Plan Development
- How to Use this Document

## 2. Existing Conditions Summary

- Compilation of Efforts and Studies
- Early Implementation Projects
- Data Research and Digital Database Development
- Channel Characteristics and Dimensions
- Tributary Narratives

# SGVGN Plan Draft Sections

## 3. Engagement Strategy and Results

- Community Engagement Plan
- Engagement Leadership
- Engagement with Municipal Stakeholders
- Engagement with Other Stakeholders
- Community Engagement Report and Integration of Community Feedback

## 4. Project Opportunities Analysis

- Tributary Prioritization
- Tributary Opportunities and Constraints
- Gaps Analysis

# SGVGN Plan Draft Sections

## 5. Greenway Concept Design Development

- Tier 1 Greenway Alignments
- Crossings and Intersections
- Potential Project Opportunities on Tier 1 Reaches
- Conceptual Design Projects

## 6. Strategies for Implementation

- Project Development
- SGVGNSIP Resources for Project Development
- Approvals Process
- Advancing Partnerships
- Funding Sources

# Introducing Our Project Partners – Example



Nature For All strives to build a diverse base of support to ensure that everyone in the Los Angeles area has equitable access to the wide range of benefits which nature provides. As SC members, they continued their mission of environmental stewardship, improving public health, and creating more natural spaces.

Please provide us with:

- Most up to date logo
- Short blurb about your constituency and mission

# Funding Sources

- Local
  - Measure W
  - Measure H
  - Measure A
  - Measure M
- State
  - Proposition Funds
  - Caltrans Grants
  - State Conservancies
  - State Agency Grants
- Federal
  - US Army Corps of Engineers
  - US FWS
  - NPS
  - US Bureau of Reclamation
  - USDOT

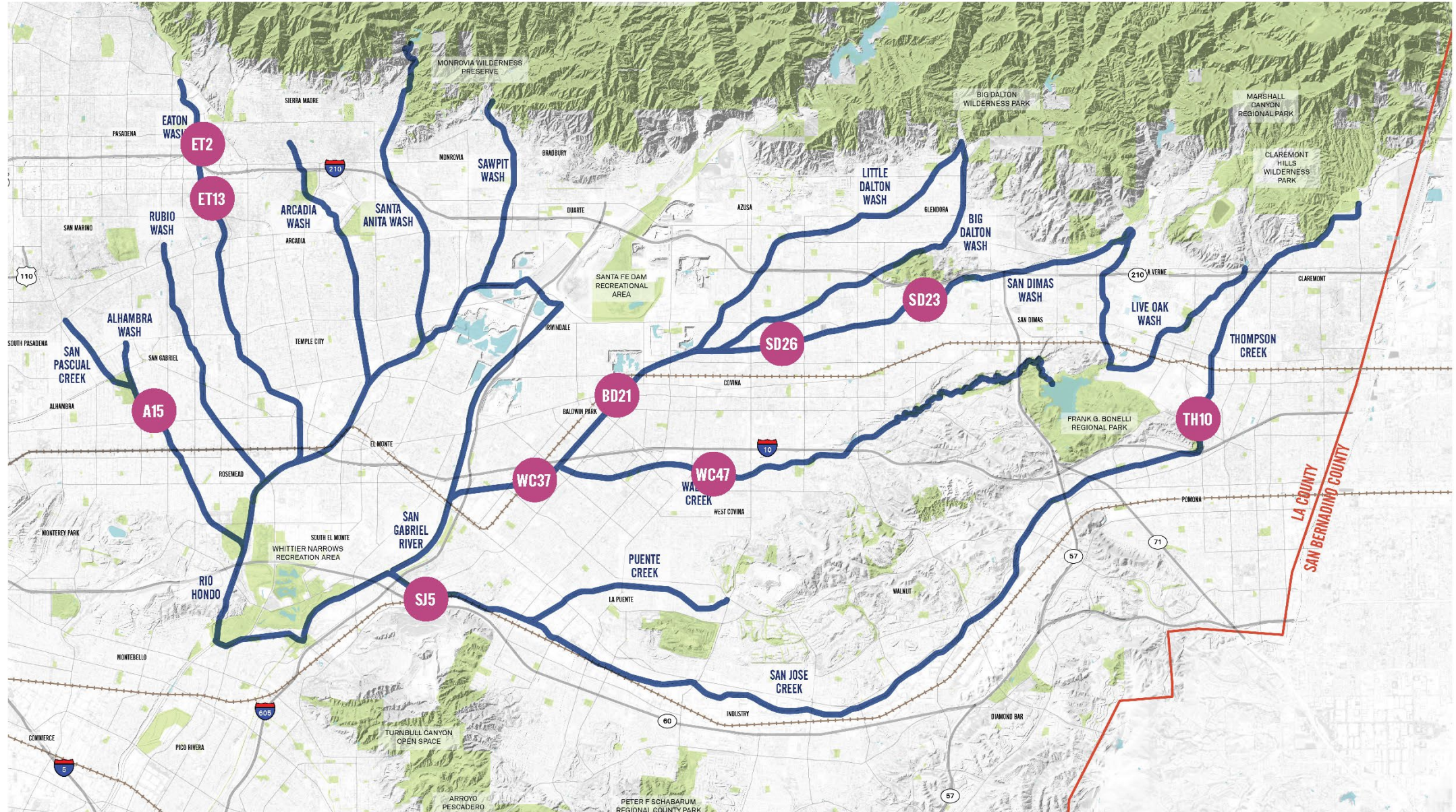
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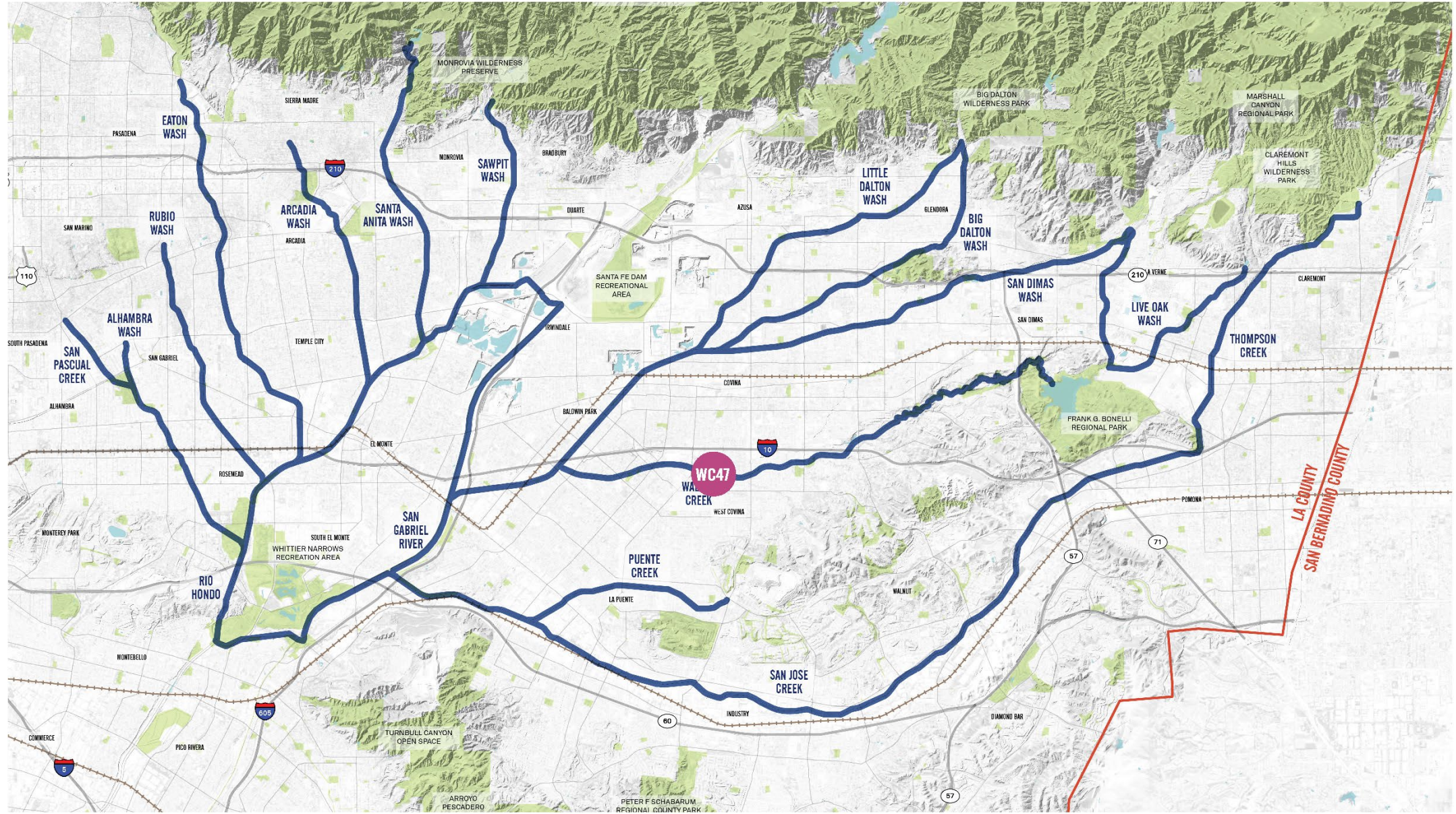
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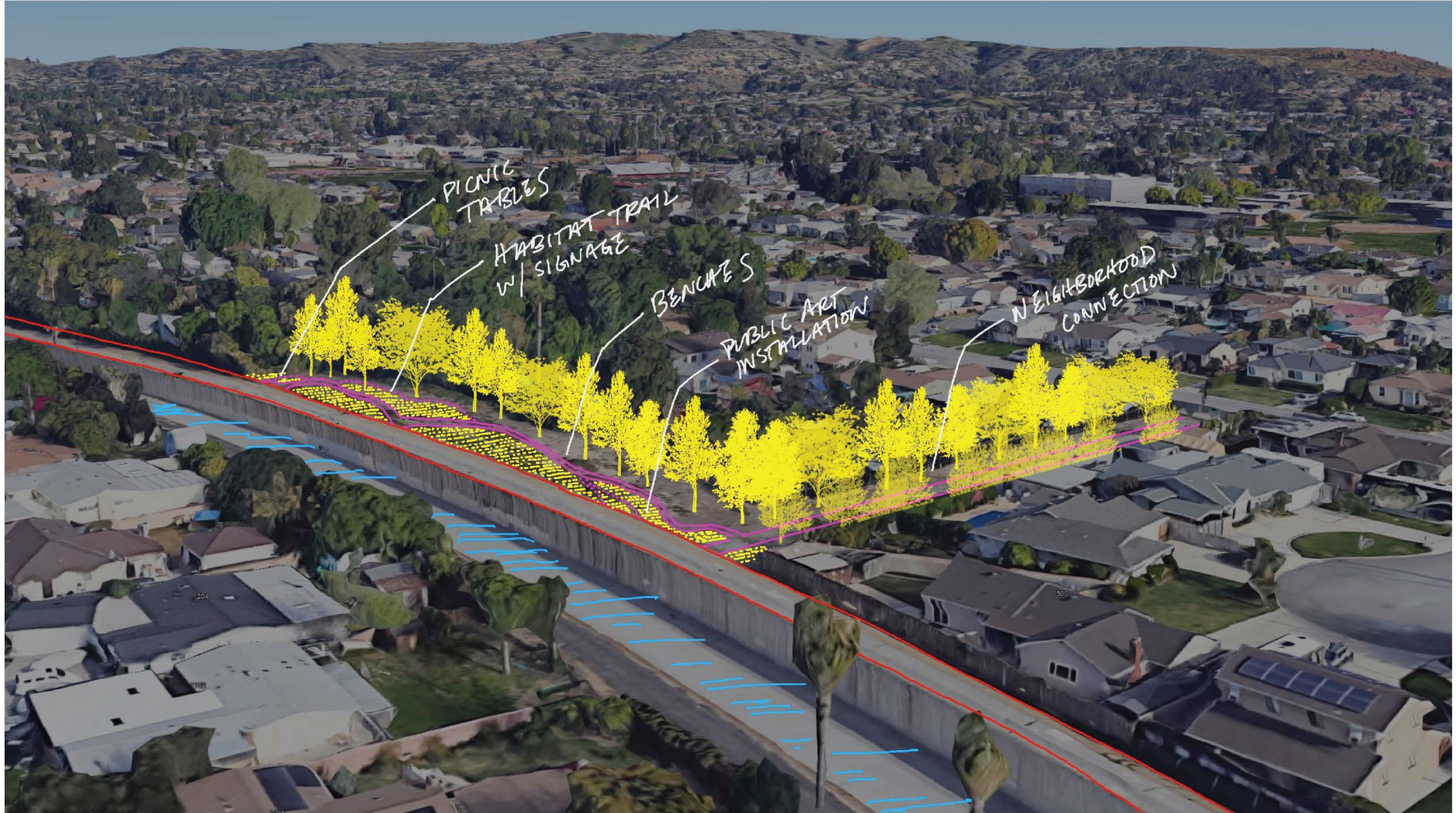
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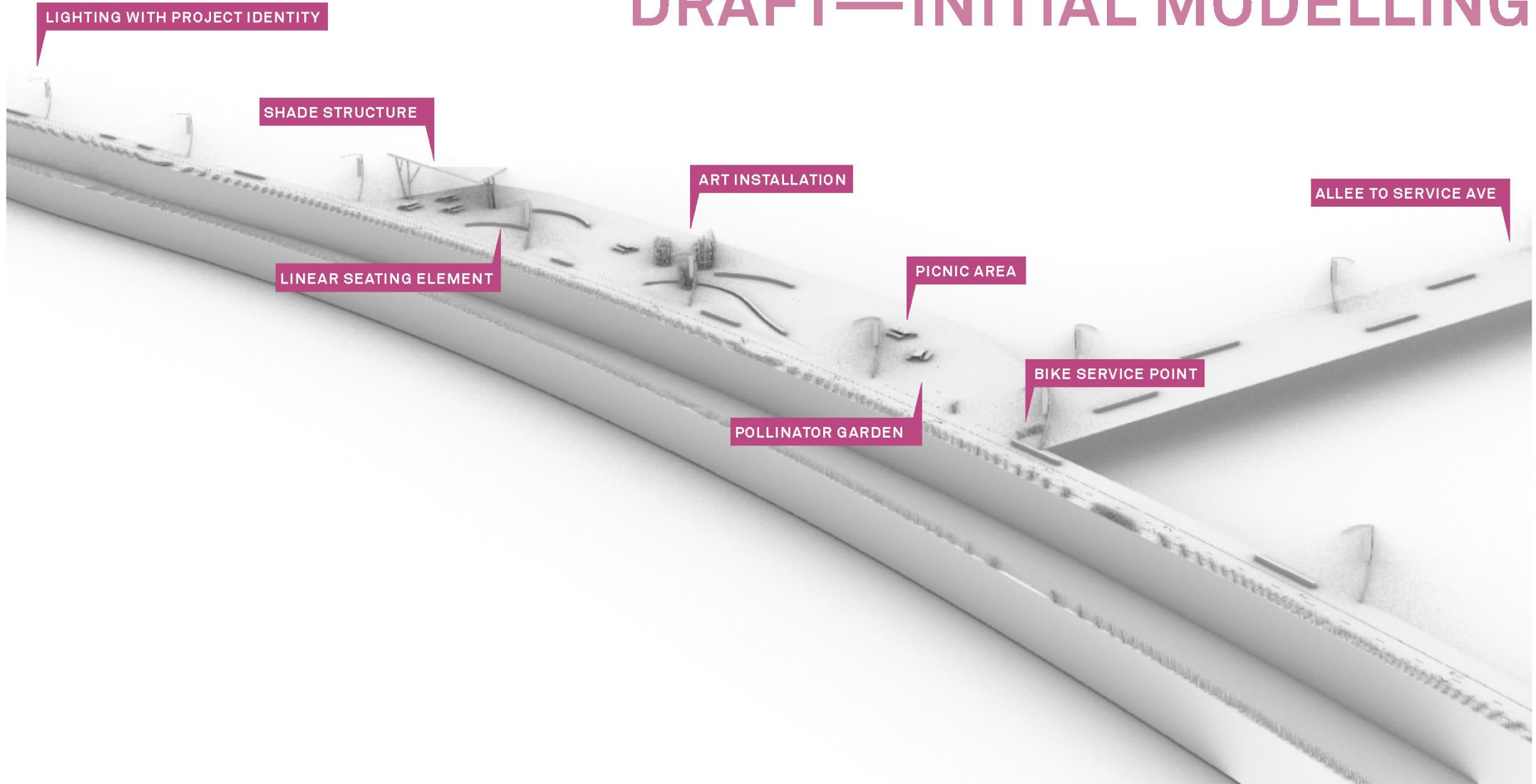


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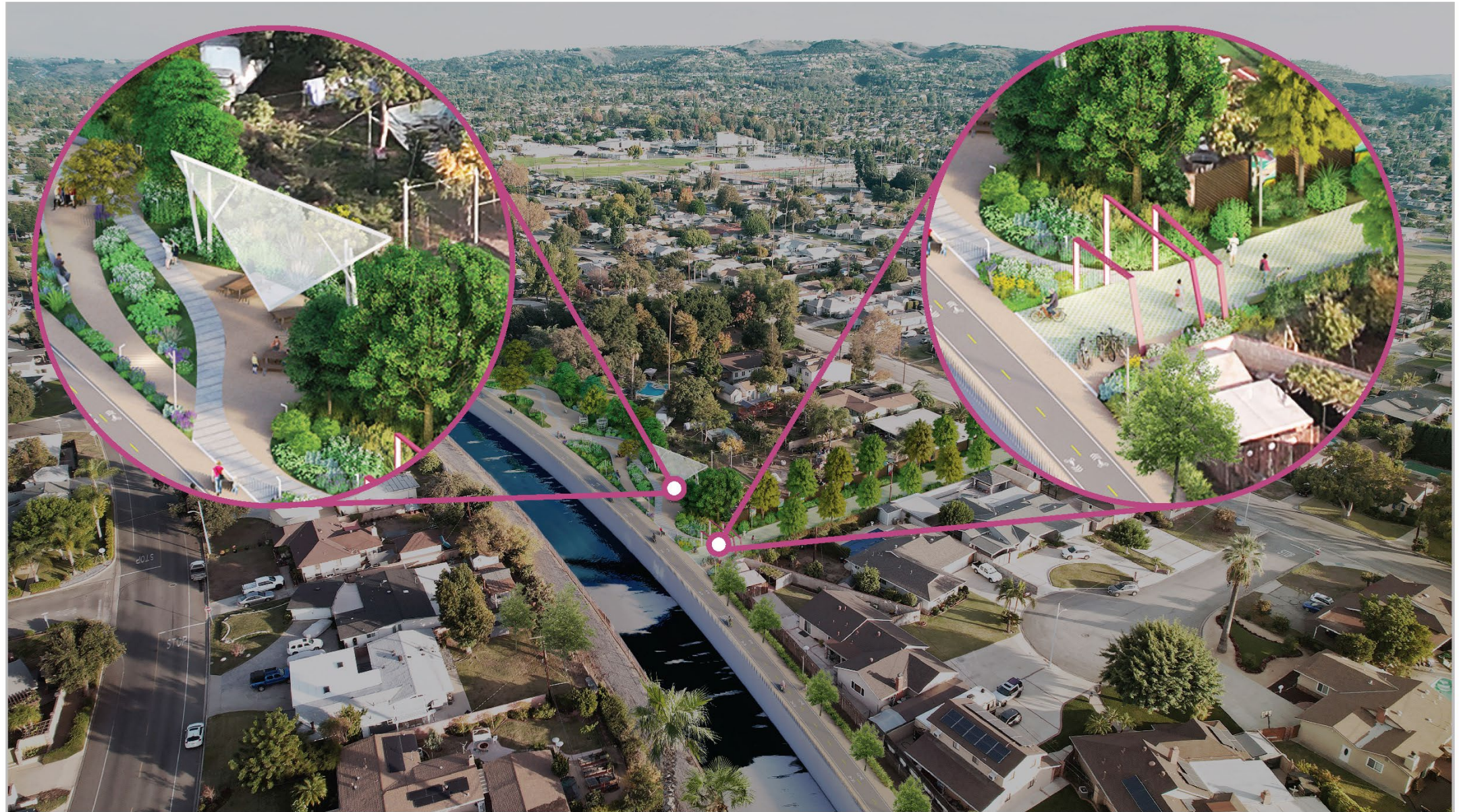
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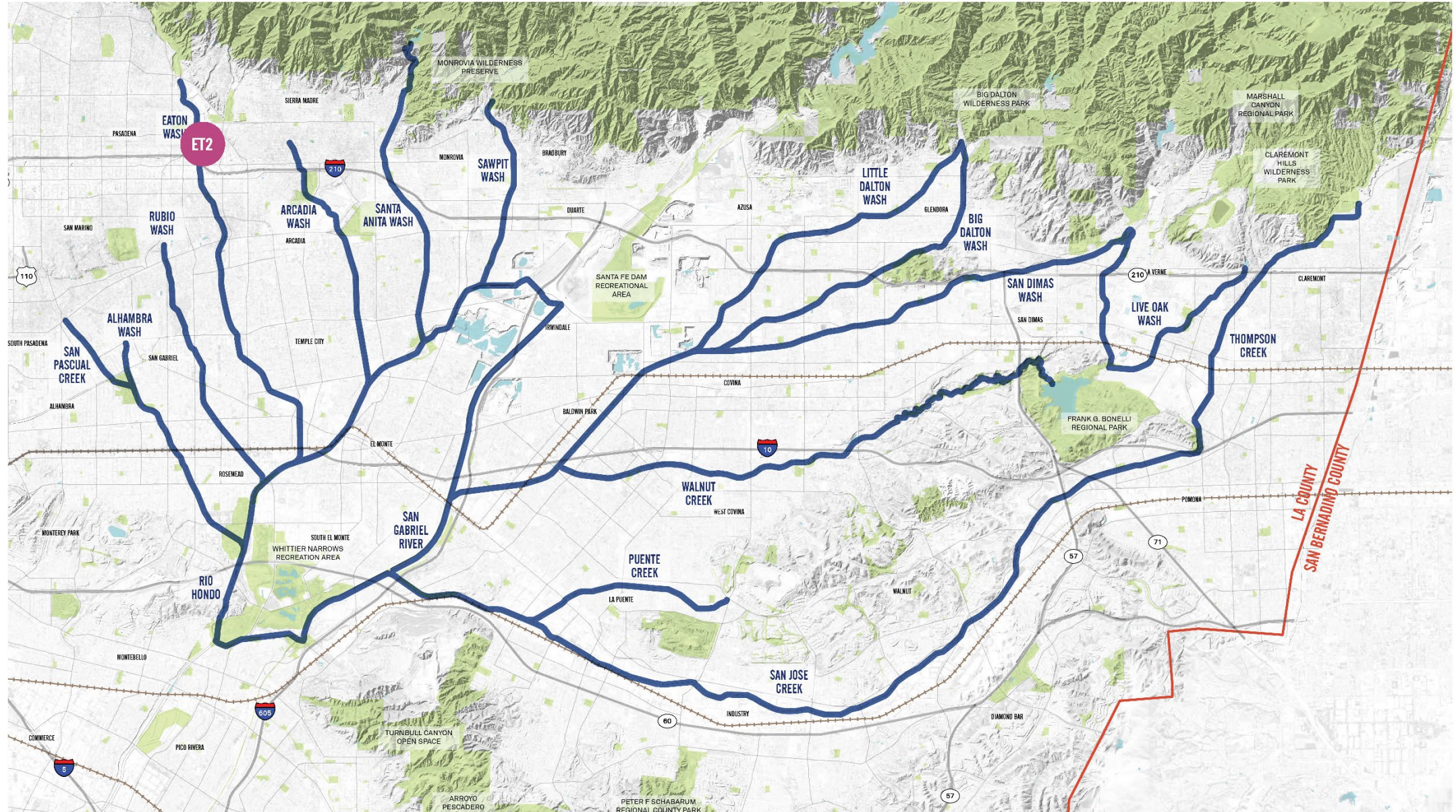
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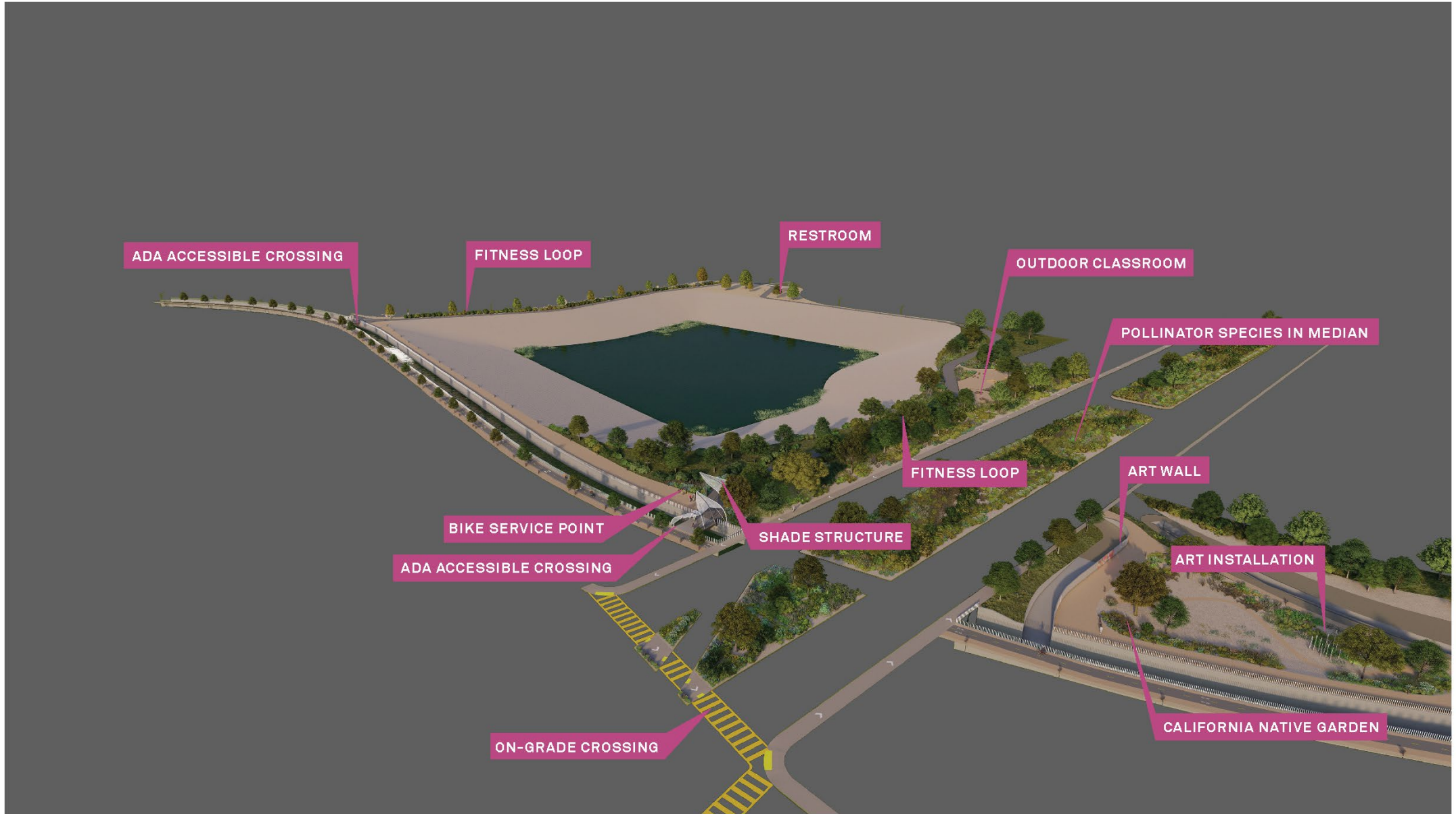
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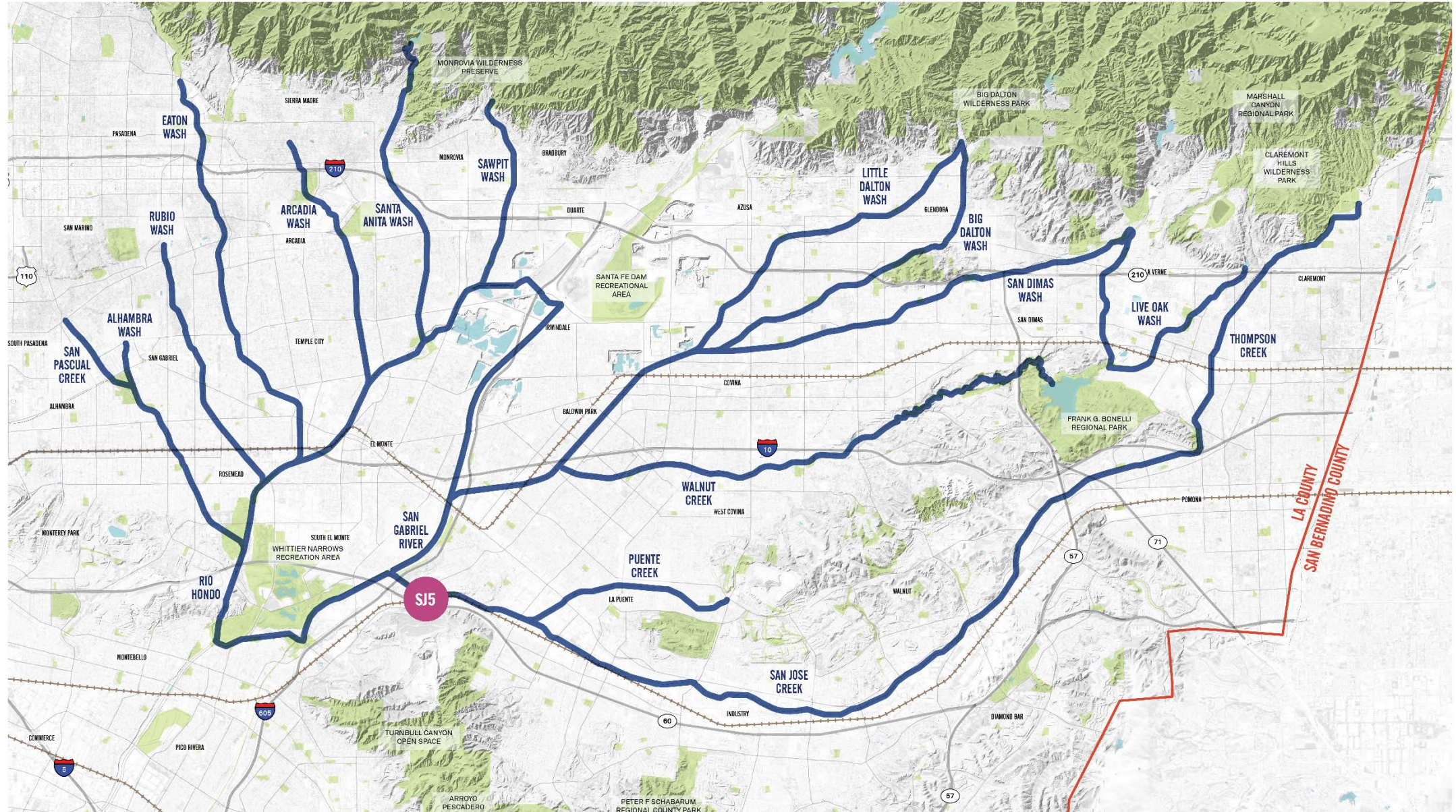
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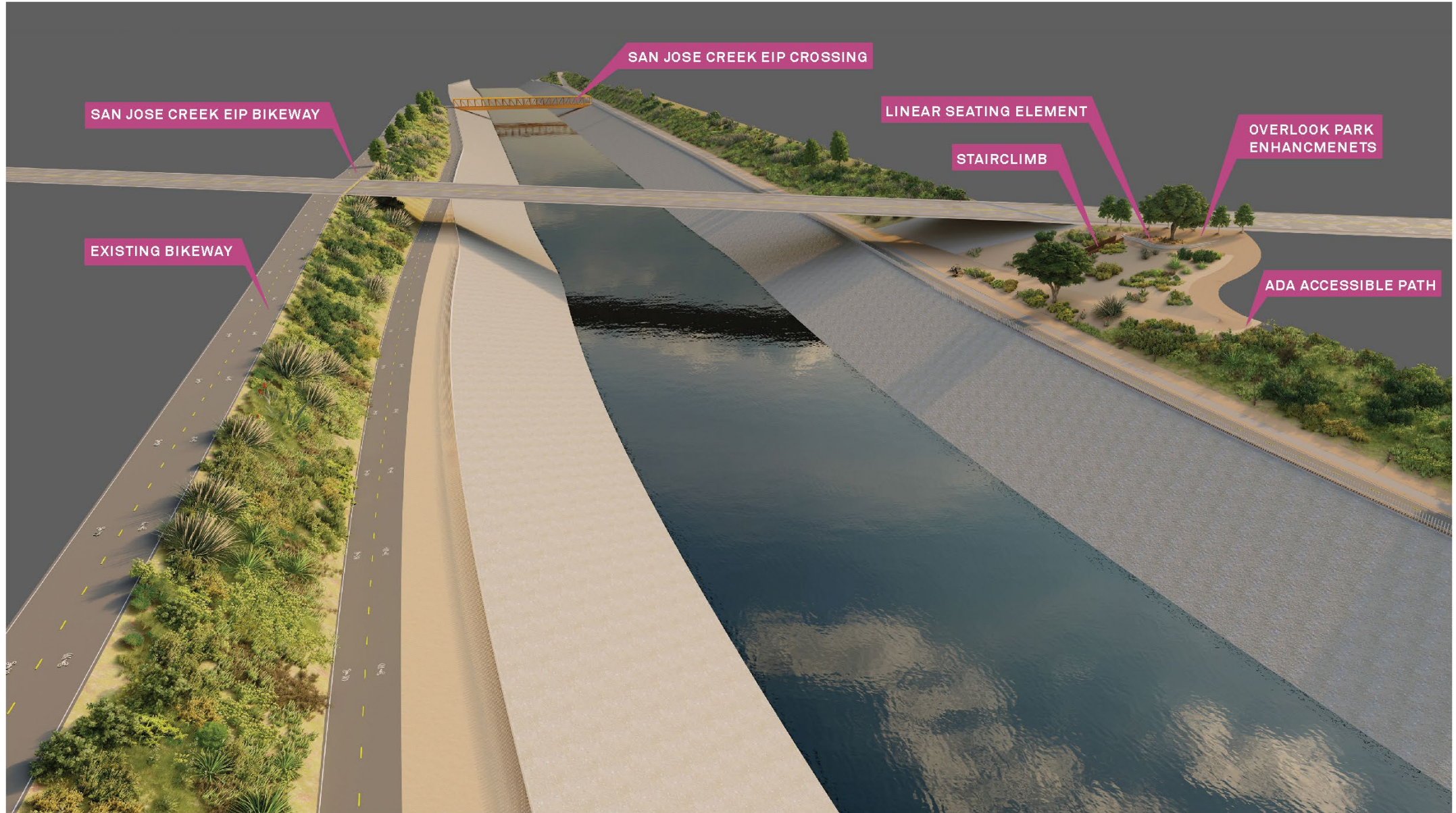
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# Group Discussion



# Asks of the Steering Committee



Send most up-to-date logo and small introductory text.



Provide feedback for the Draft SGV Greenway Network Plan.



Aid in promotion of the SGV Greenway Network.

# Next Steps



- Meeting minutes summary to be sent after the meeting.
- Municipal Stakeholder Engagement (LACPW)
- SGVGN Plan Update
- Environmental Documentation Update

## Next Scheduled Meeting :

- **March 8, 2023, 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM**
  - SGVGN Plan Update
  - Environmental Documentation Update

