

November 17, 2014

Dear Residents,

Subject: Mission Creek Restoration Project construction activities from Lemos Lane to Lake Elizabeth.

This letter is to inform you that the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District (District) will be constructing channel restoration and flood control work along Mission Creek from Lemos Lane to Lake Elizabeth during the summer of 2015. A Project Information Meeting is scheduled as follows:

Project Information Meeting

Location – Gomes Elementary Multi-Purpose Room, 555 Lemos Lane, Fremont, CA

Date – December 9, 2014, Tuesday

Time – 6:00 PM

The meeting will cover: project background, why channel improvements are necessary, proposed project components, construction phasing, and landscaping

The following provides some general project information:

Project Location: construction limits are as shown in red in the aerial image below:



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Purpose of Project

The purpose of the project is to increase flood conveyance in the creek to meet the FEMA 100-year design storm requirement and minimize future flooding. This project will also stabilize eroded slopes using biotechnical bank stabilization control methods, improve riparian habitat function, and provide replanting and landscaping throughout project site.

Anticipated Construction Activities

- Reach 1: Widen the channel and create low-flow terraces, set-back banks; replace existing golf course bridge;
- Reach 2: Install vertical channel retaining walls to provide flood conveyance; excavate new earthen bottom and low-flow terraces; relocate pedestrian pathway
- Reach 3: Construct low, contoured earthen berms through Gomes Park to contain flood flows, replace existing Gomes Park footbridge; replace pedestrian pathways throughout Park; repair bank erosion sites; provide landscaped trees and shrubs throughout park

Anticipated Construction Schedule

- Overall construction duration: April through December 2015; about 130 Working Days
- Construction days: Mondays thru Fridays, no work on weekends and holidays
- Construction hours: typically between 8:00 AM and 5:30 PM. No work that interferes with public traffic will begin before 9:00AM or after 2:00PM

Who to contact during construction

Alameda County Flood Control District's Construction Department:

Office Phone No.: (510) 670-5450

E-mail: info@acpwa.org

While the District continually strives to minimize construction impacts to adjacent neighborhoods, we also recognize the likelihood of increased noise levels during retaining wall and earthwork operations due to the need for specialized heavy construction machinery and equipment. Construction operations will comply with Cal-OSHA requirements and local noise ordinances.

The District would like to thank you in advance for your understanding and patience during construction of this vital flood control improvement project.

If you have any general questions about this project, please feel free to contact Chien Wang, at (510) 670-5552.