TODAY'S MEETING

INTRODUCTION (20 min)

- Caltrans Environmental Justice Grant
- Goal of project
- Timeline
- Working Groups (TWG, CBO)
- Who's in the room

A WALK ALONG CESAR CHAVEZ (40 min)

Issues, opportunities and ideas along the corridor

BREAK (5 min)

YOUR VISION FOR CESAR CHAVEZ (50 min)

Work at tables to draft your vision

NEXT STEPS (10 min)

CESAR CHAVEZ CORRIDOR PROJECT...

...re-imagines Cesar Chavez Street as a livable, walkable and ecological place for all.

PHASE 1 - Cesar Chavez West

- started May 2008/ 4 community meetings and various focus groups
- approved by MTA board in January 2011
- fully funded and moving forward
- likely to begin construction: sewer work/summer 2011, streetscape/end of 2011



Cesar Chavez West and Cesar Chavez East

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

FUNDED: Caltrans Environmental Justice: Context Sensitive Planning Grant

MISSION: A community-based concept design for the 101 interchange and the East Cesar Chavez corridor that promotes safety, comfort and accessibility to all.

OUTCOMES

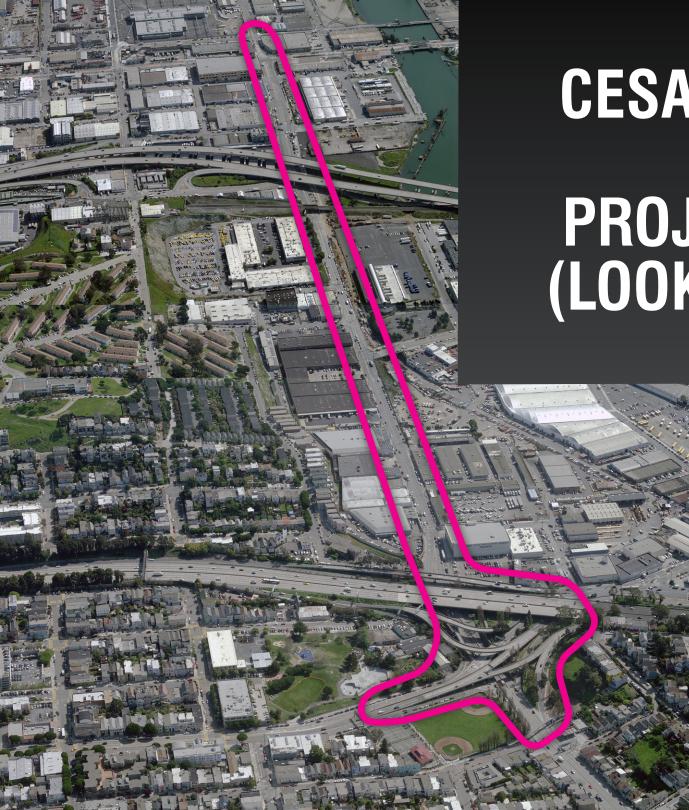
- A strong community vision
- Alternative concept designs for the 101 interchange (short term, medium term, long term)
- A final streetscape and public space opportunities design for Cesar Chavez East street from Hampshire to Illinois Street.

PROJECT TIMELINE

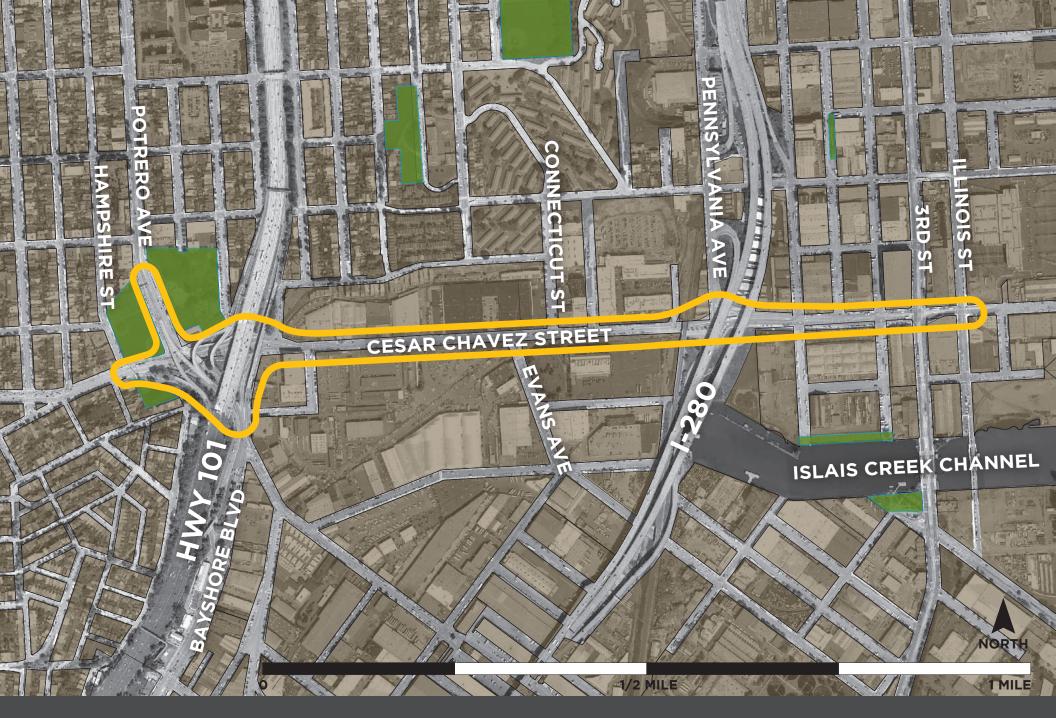
1. DEVELOPING A VISION

- Stakeholder Interviews (on-going)
- Focus groups (on-going)
- Walking Tours (December 2010)
- FEBRUARY 10TH, 2011: WORKSHOP 1
- 2. PRELIMINARY DESIGNS April 2011
- 3. FINAL DESIGNS Summer 2011
- 4. NEXT STEPS: Look for capital funding to build designs





CESAR CHAVEZ EAST PROJECT AREA (LOOKING EAST)



Cesar Chavez East project area map





2009 aerial with historic shoreline, wetlands and creeks

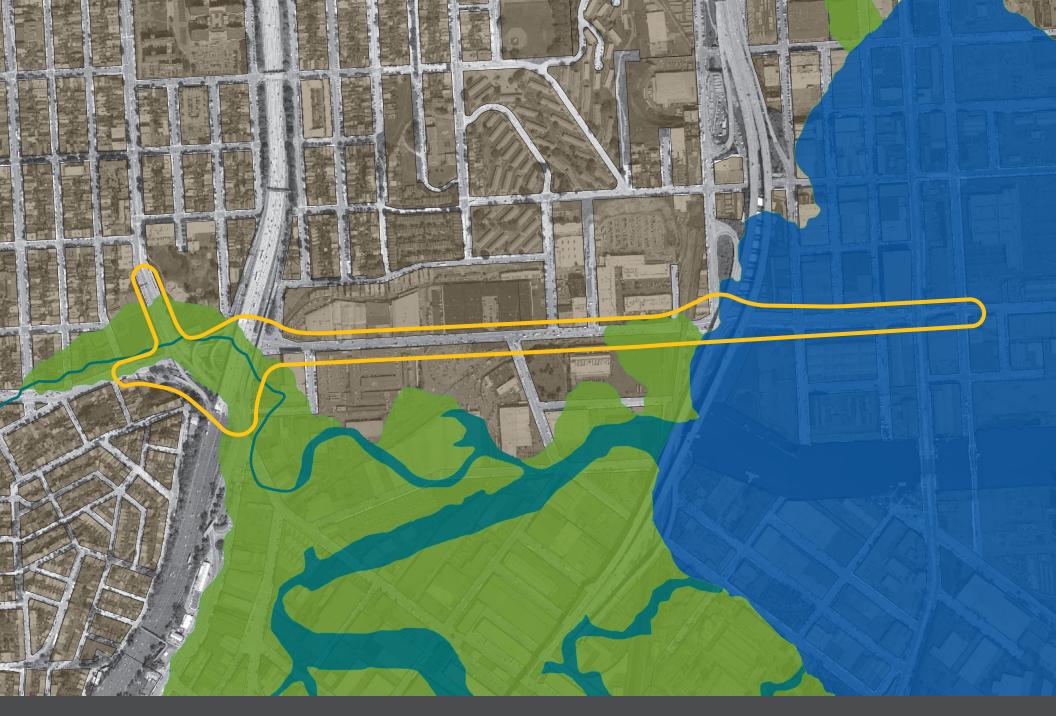
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1869 map: hills, shoreline, wetlands and creeks



1915 map: bay fill in full swing



Plan area with historic shoreline, wetlands and creeks

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A WALK ALONG EAST CESAR CHAVEZ



A walk along Cesar Chavez East



THERE AND BACK AGAIN IN 8 STOPS



A walk along Cesar Chavez East

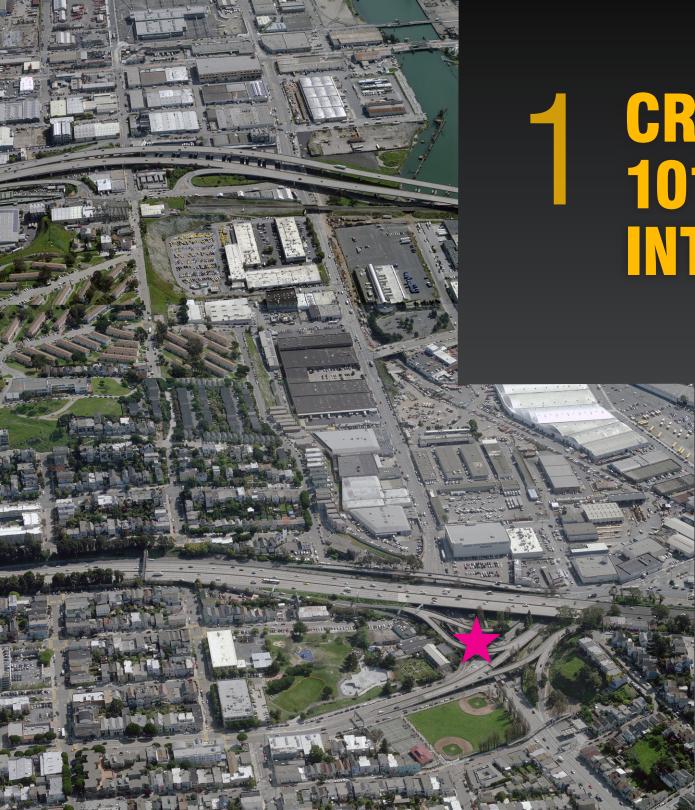


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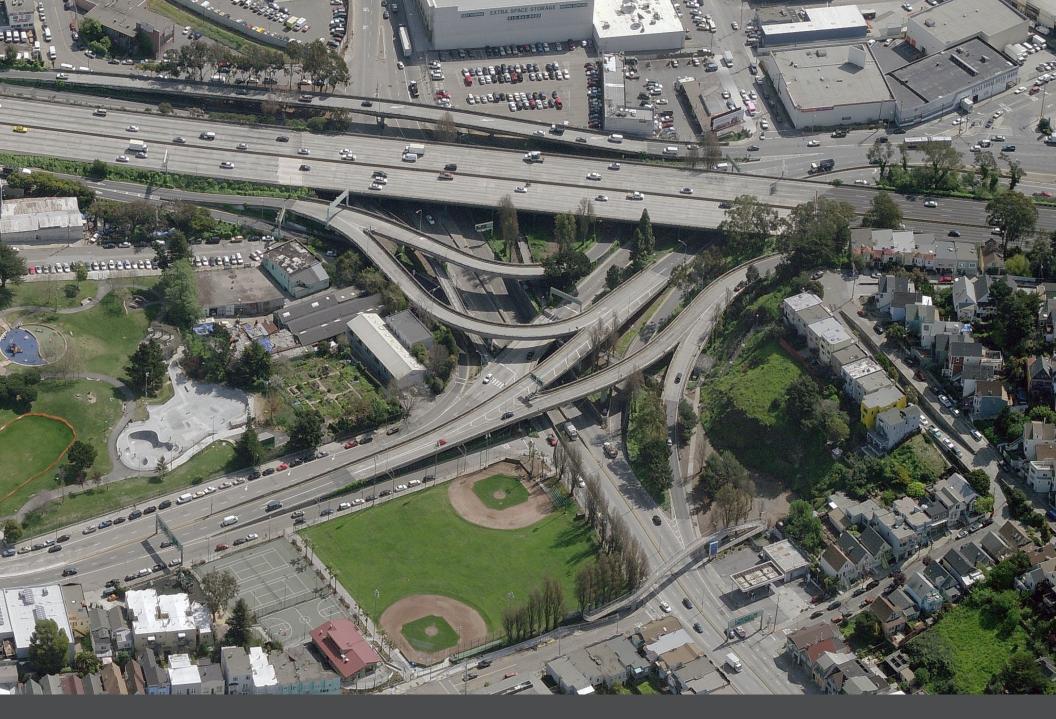
TO ENVISION A NEW STREET FOR ALL



Cameron Kelly, Vista Seating, 2009, hand-sewn custom cushions, mixed media. (Photo: Carrie Galles)



CROSSING THE 101 FREEWAY INTERCHANGE





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1948 Aerial

Before Highway 101, the intersection of Potrero,
Bayshore and Cesar Chavez was relatively simple.

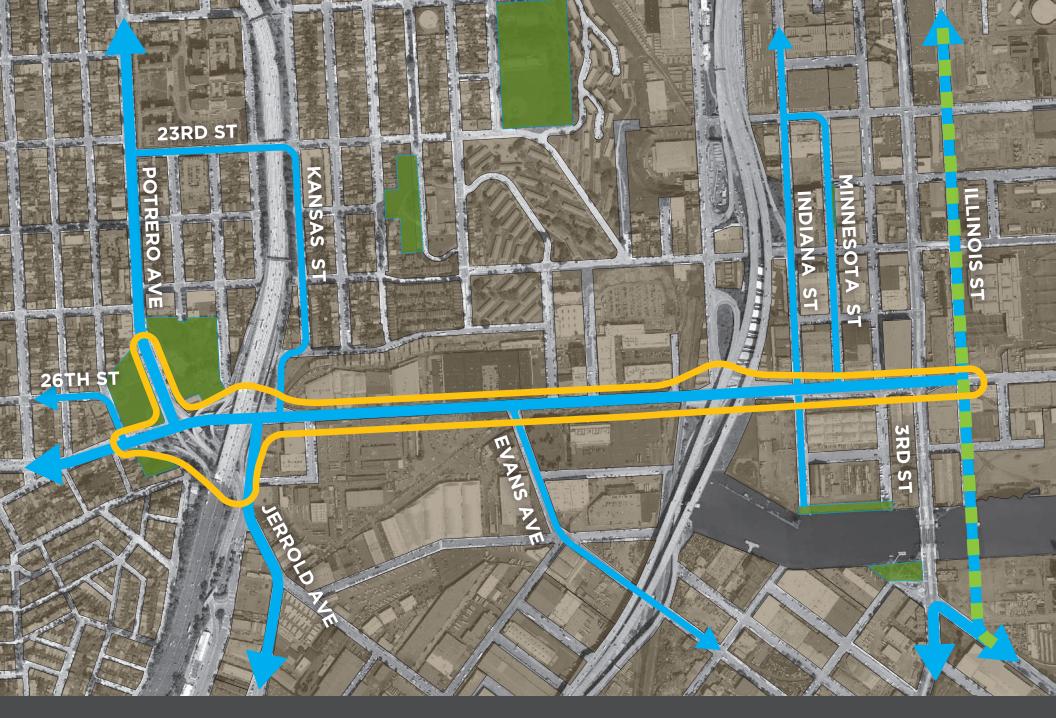
1964 Aerial

Highway 101 is built. A large traffic circle connects the highway and area streets, but pedestrians are acomodated.

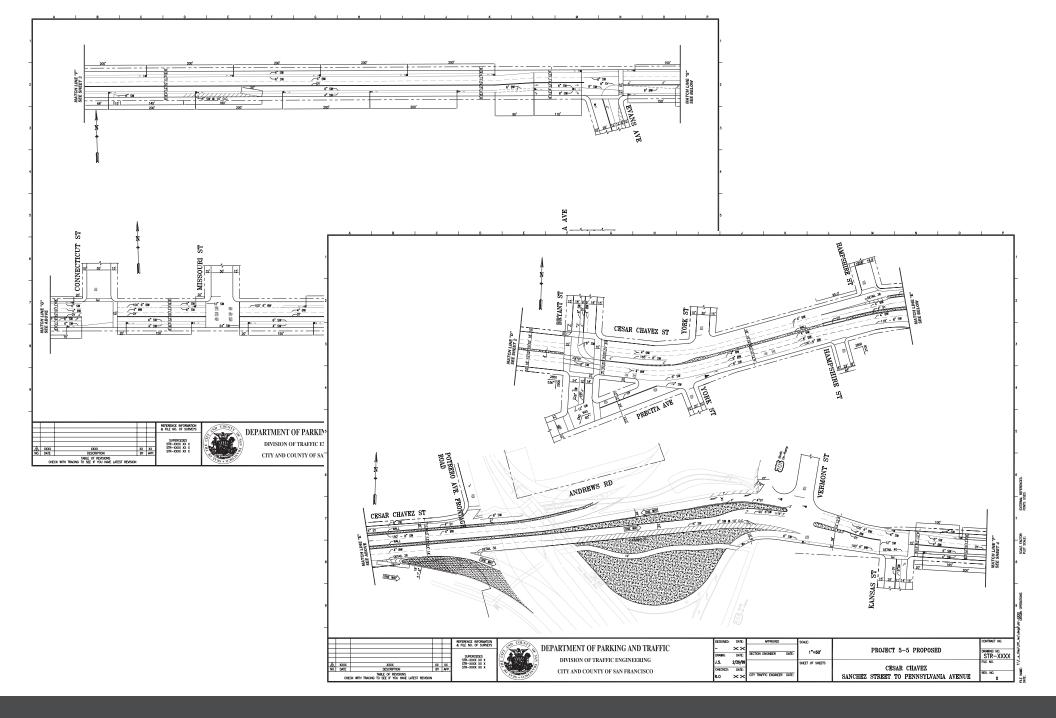
2009 Aerial

Highway 101 is wider, ramps connect it directly to area streets: the present-day "Hairball".

Evolution of the Highway 101 interchange



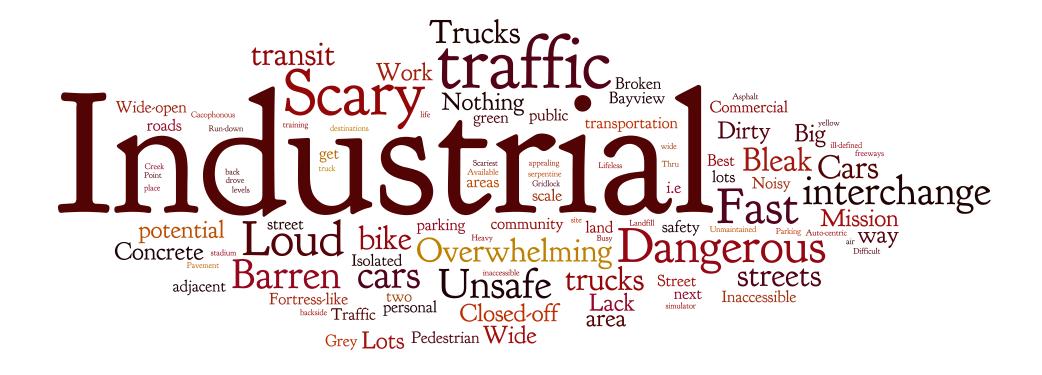
Area bicycle routes



Approved bicycle lanes coming Spring 2011



2 KANSAS STREET

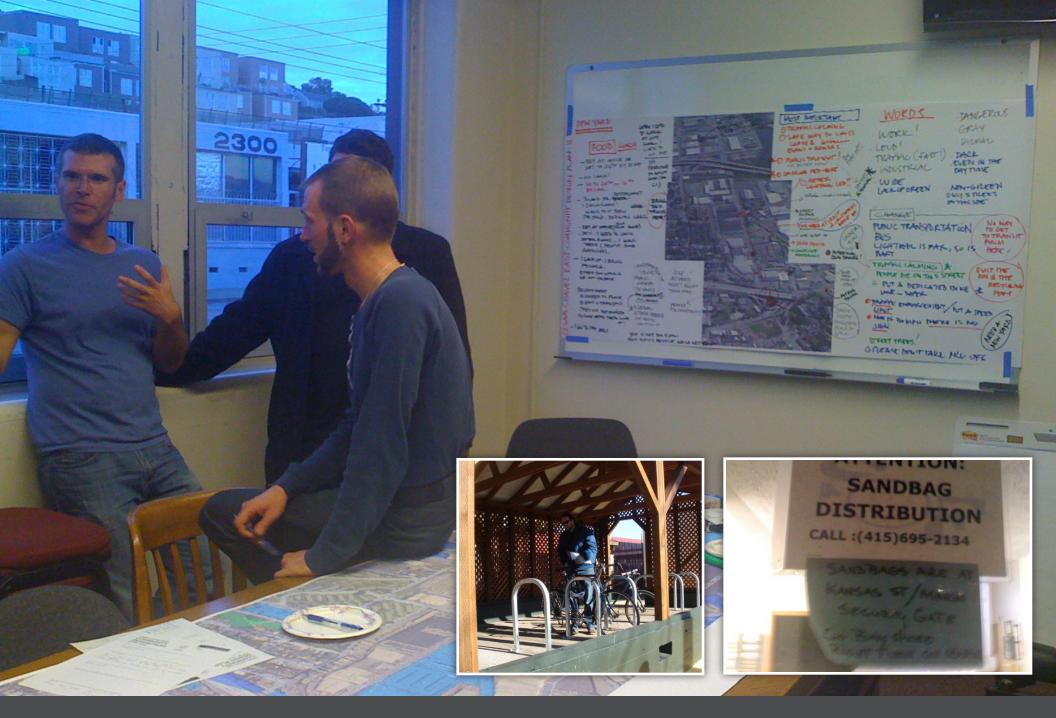








2. Near Kansas Street



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Land Use along Cesar Chavez East and vicinity

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Employment along Cesar Chavez East and vicinity

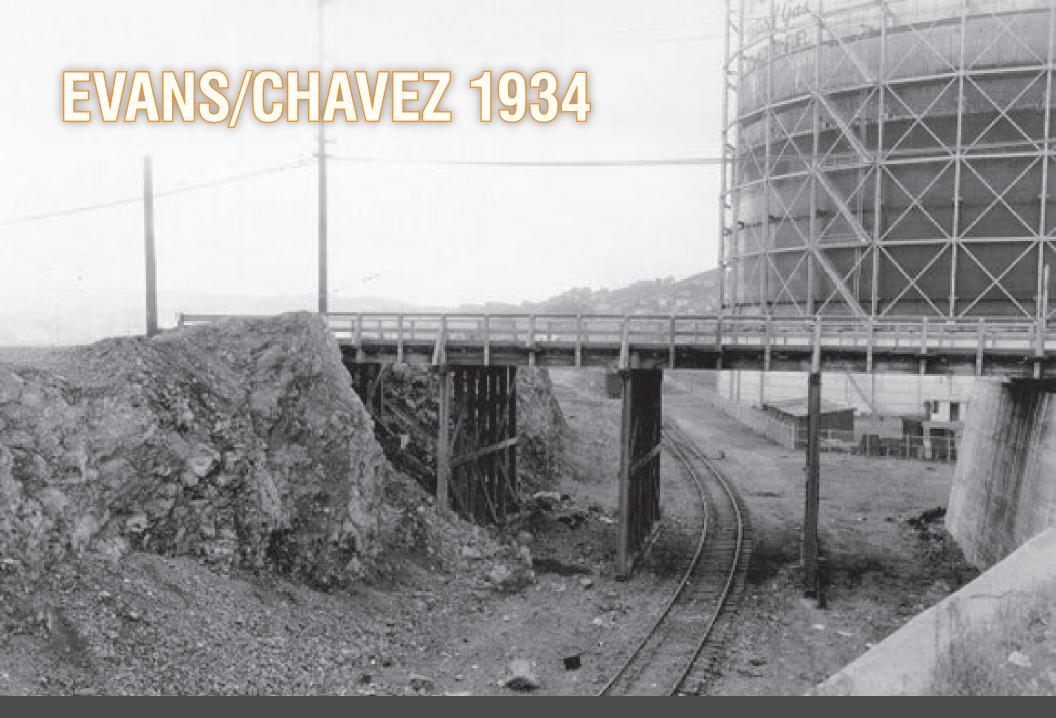
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3 EVANS/ CONNECTICUT STREETS



3. Near Evans and Connecticut Streets



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"...THE MOST UNCOMFORTABLE STRETCH: NARROW SIDEWALK, FAST TRAFFIC..."

walking tour participant

3. Near Evans and Connecticut Streets









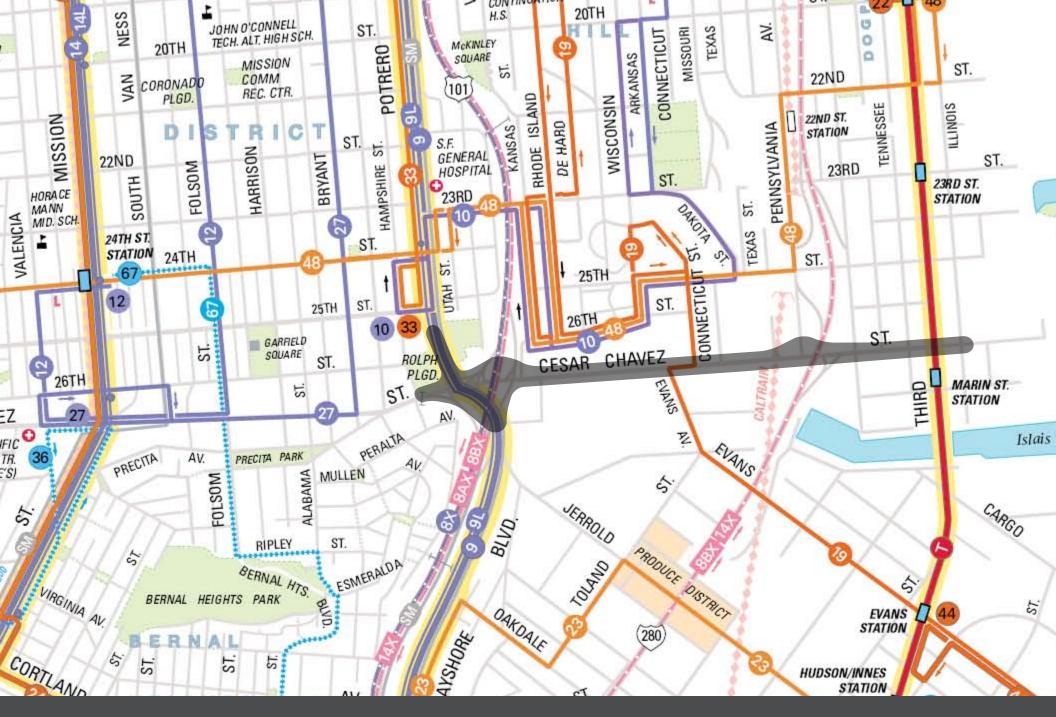
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Transit context: MUNI lines



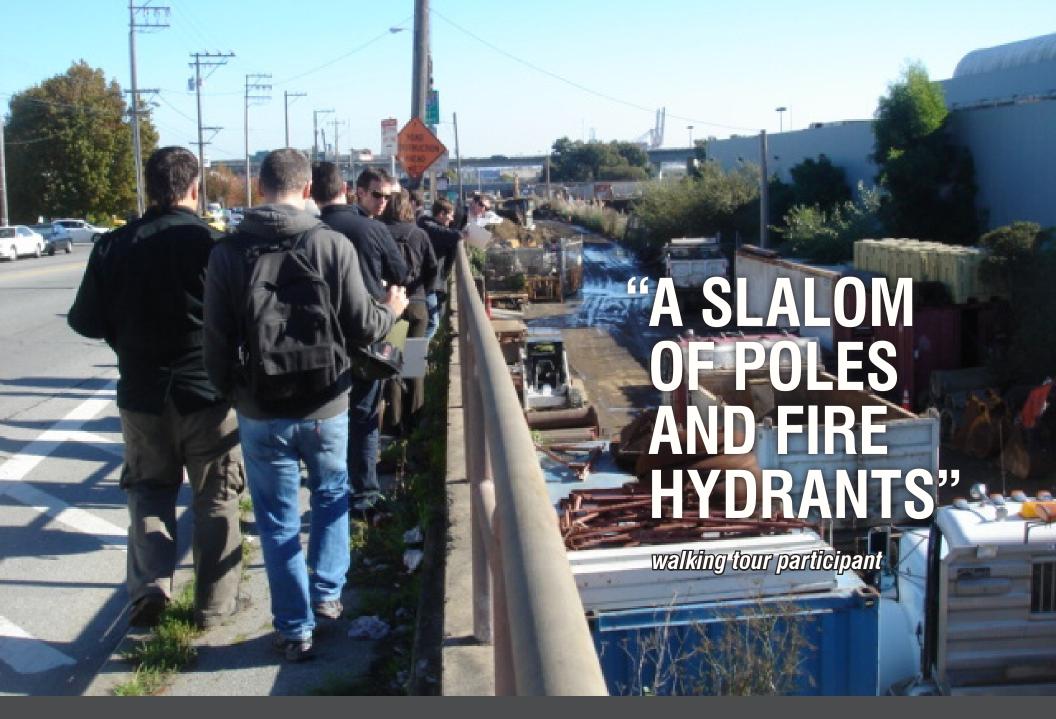
Transit context: system overview



4 MISSOURI STREET















4. Near Missouri Street

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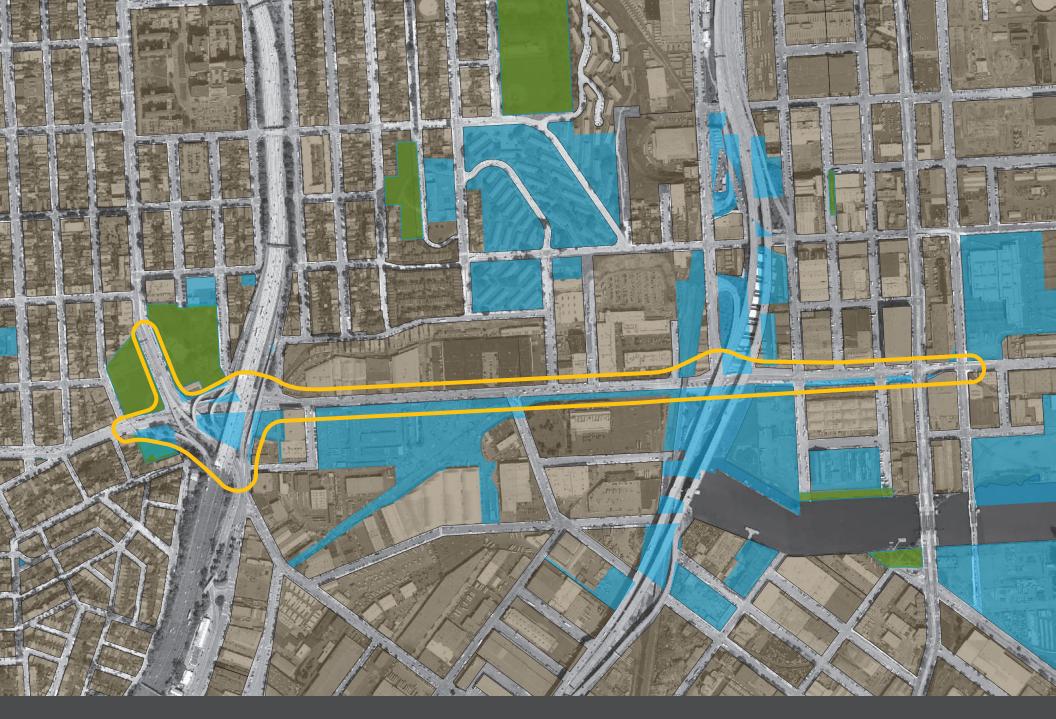


"SIDEWALK?"

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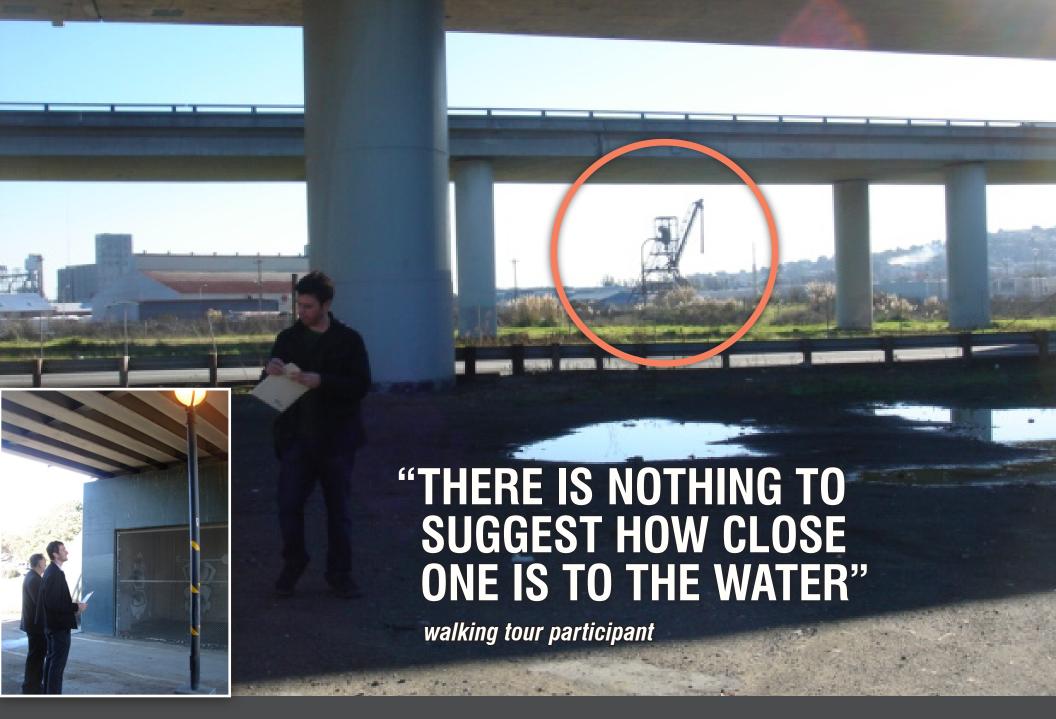
Land in public ownership

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5 I-280 PENNSYLVANIA STREET



5. Near I-280 and Pennsylvania Street

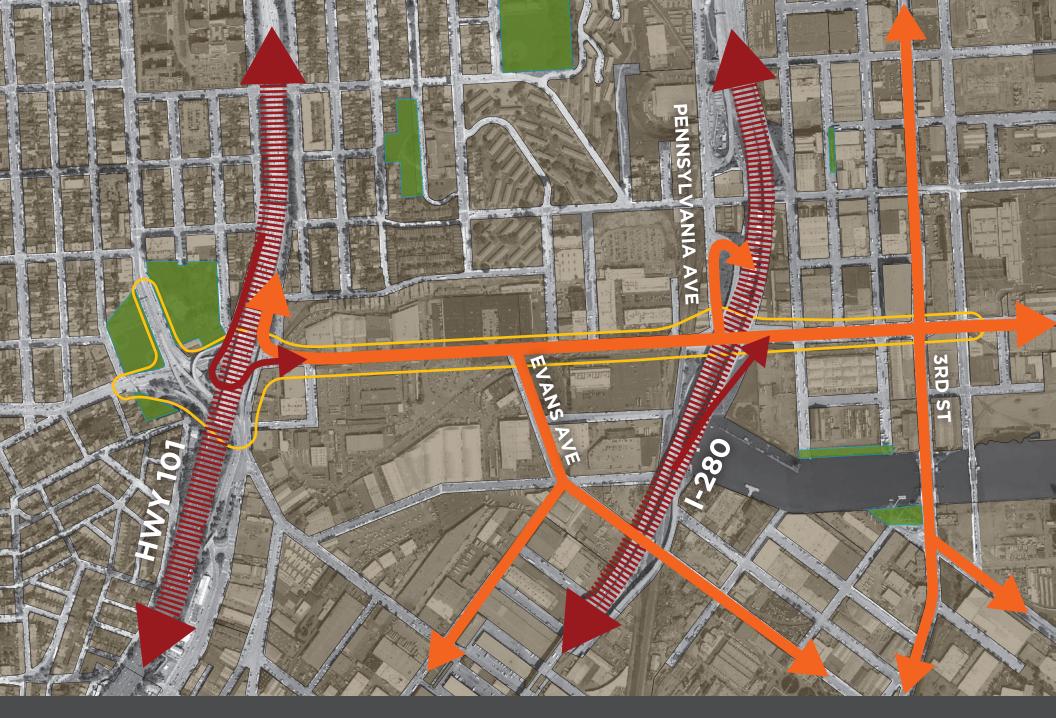


5. Near I-280 and Pennsylvania Street



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Designated truck traffic routes

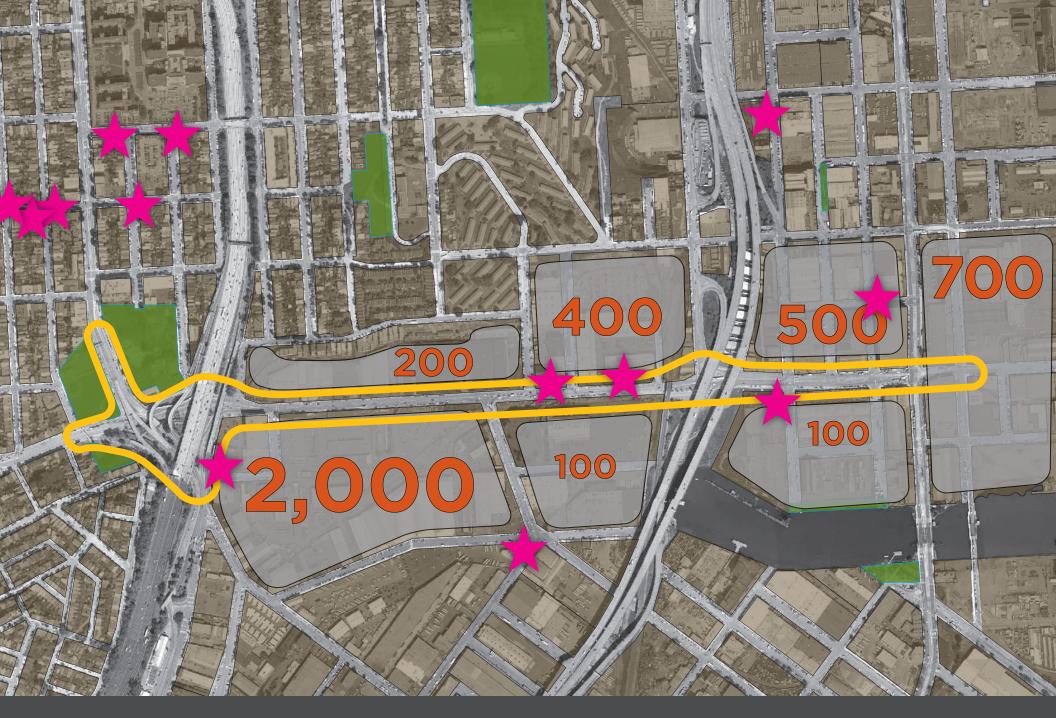


6 INDIANA STREET







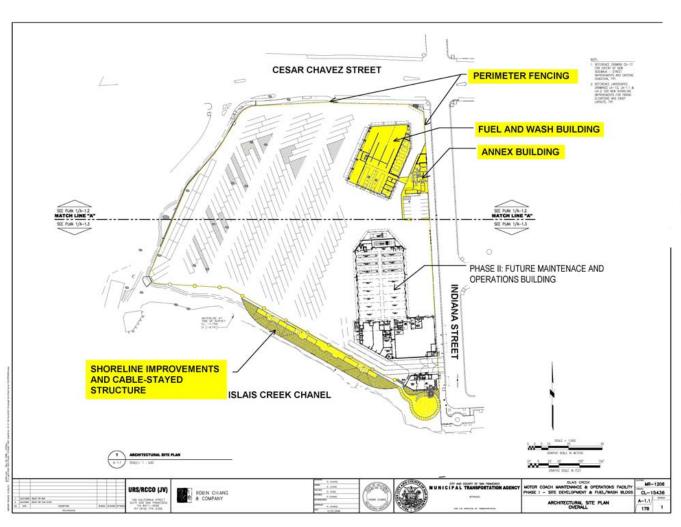


Food options along Cesar Chavez East

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ISLAIS CREEK MOTOR COACH MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS FACILITY PHASE I/ II CONSTRUCTION







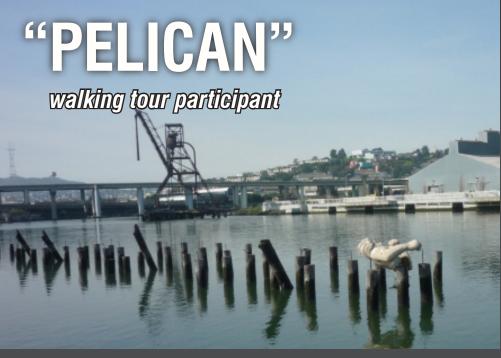
7 ISLAIS CHANNEL

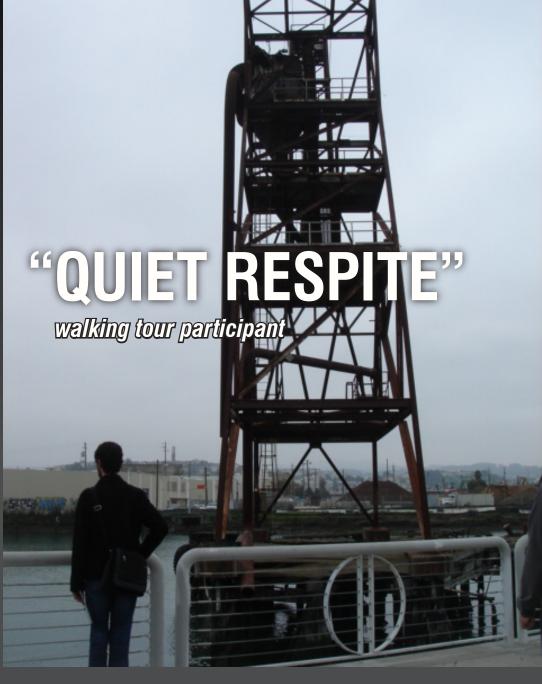


7. Islais Channel, the waterfront and the Blue Greenway

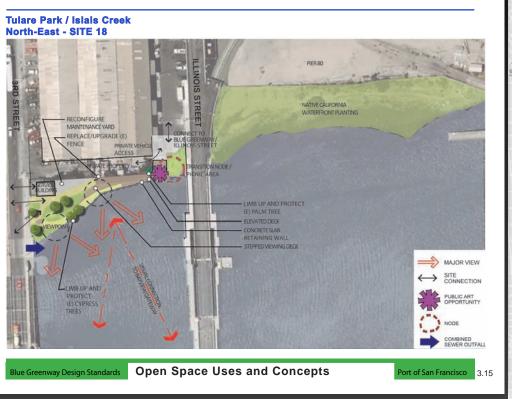
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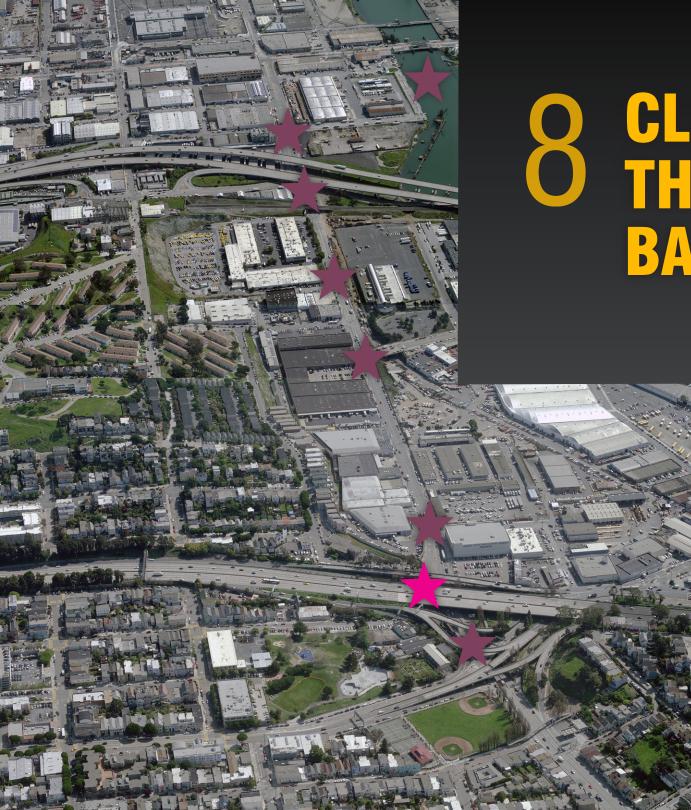


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O CLOSING THE LOOP: BACK TO 101



"HEADACHE BY END OF WALK"

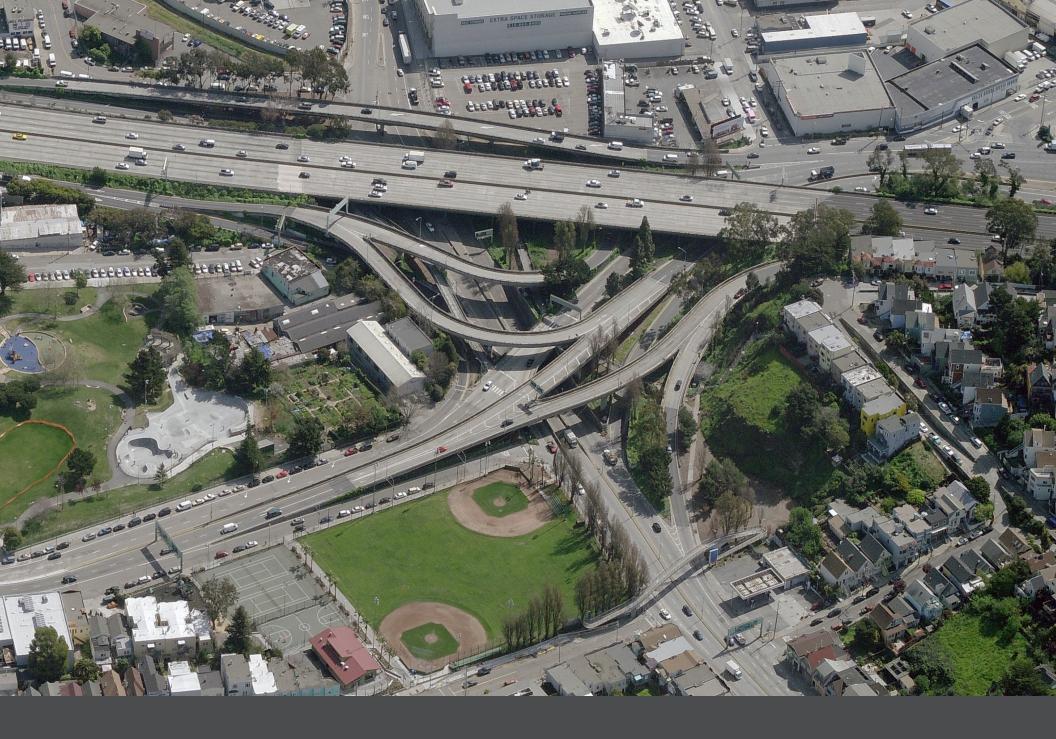
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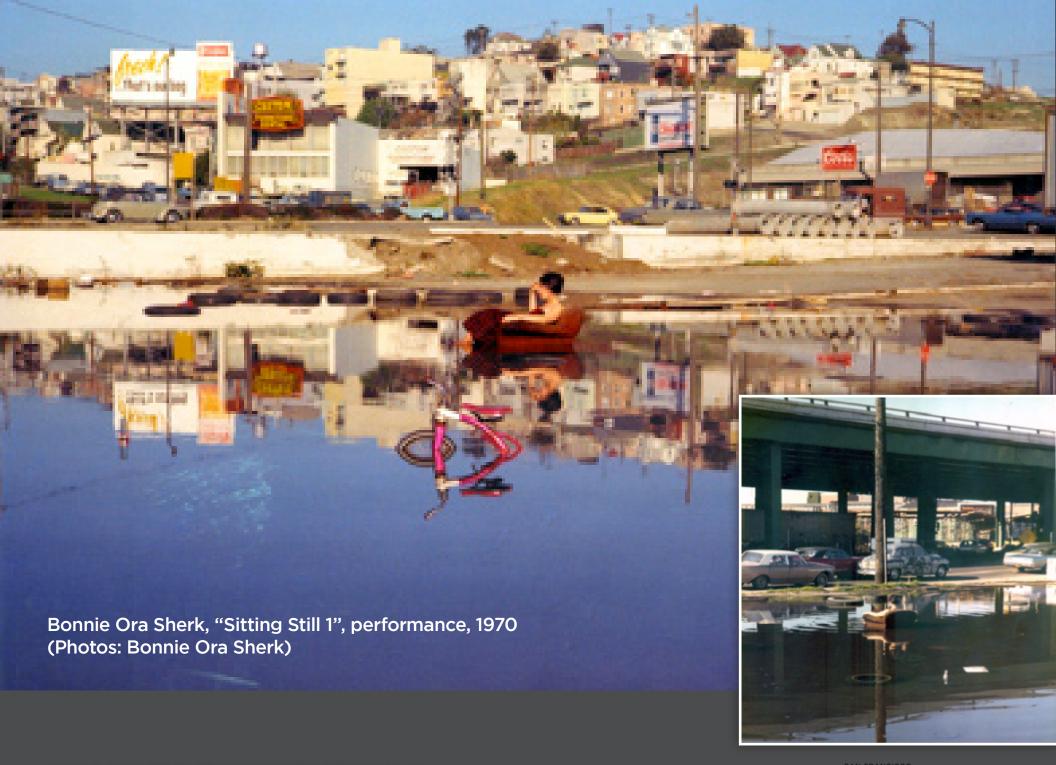














"The Farm", 1974-1986 (Photo: Bonnie Ora Sherk)



