



## City of Sebastopol Planning Commission Staff Report

Meeting Date: October 22, 2024  
Agenda Item: 7A  
To: Planning Commission  
From: Sonoma County Transit Authority (SCTA)/Fehr & Peers  
Subject: Active Transportation Plan Milestone update #3  
Recommendation: Receive presentation and provide comments

### **Introduction:**

The Sebastopol Active Transportation Plan (ATP) is an update to the Sebastopol Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan adopted in 2011. The ATP is being developed as part of the Countywide Active Transportation Plan through a grant awarded to the Sonoma County Transportation Authority (SCTA) and a contract held by SCTA.

City staff and SCTA have worked closely with the consultant team, Fehr & Peers and Leshner Planning, to gather data and establish existing conditions, engage the community, conduct technical analyses, and develop the Draft Active Transportation Plan. City staff and the consultant team previously presented an overview of the project as well as draft projects and policies to the Planning Commission on September 12, 2023 and May 14, 2024, respectively.

### **Project Description:**

Consultant will present the Draft Sebastopol Active Transportation Plan and provide an update regarding next steps as part of the Countywide Active Transportation Plan development. The primary focus of this meeting is to receive an update regarding the Draft ATP content. The Draft ATP is available online (<https://fp.mysocialpinpoint.com/sonoma-county-atp>) now through November 30, 2024 for public comment. Feedback on the presentation contents and the Draft ATP are requested from the Planning Commission to help ensure local needs are prioritized and met through this effort.

### **Analysis:**

The attached PowerPoint presentation provides an overview of the status of the Draft ATP content.

The maps presented in the attached PowerPoint presentation summarize the following:

- Existing Bikeway Network: Shows the existing bikeway network.
- Existing Sidewalk Gaps: Shows the existing gaps in the sidewalk network.
- Level of Traffic Stress: Shows the existing level of traffic stress a person walking or biking may experience on city streets under current conditions.
- 2025 Bikeways and Corridor Projects: Shows draft proposed bikeways and corridor projects in the City's Draft ATP.

- Existing & Proposed 2025 Active Transportation Network: Shows the combined networks of existing facilities with the proposed 2025 projects.

For more details, please refer to the attached PowerPoint presentation and the Draft Sebastopol Active Transportation Plan available to download here: <https://fp.mysocialpinpoint.com/sonoma-county-atp>.

#### Schedule & Next Steps

Project next steps include:

- Draft Active Transportation Plan Available for Public Comment through November 30, 2024
- Present to Draft Active Transportation Plan to City Council on November 19, 2024
- Present Final Active Transportation Plan to City Council for Adoption in Early 2025

#### **Recommendation:**

Receive report and provide comments or recommendations to staff and or the consultant.

#### **Attachments:**

PowerPoint Presentation