



Laying the groundwork for a successful project by connecting with the community through meetings, presentations and sharing information.

Community Engagement



Hosted first Community Engagement Workshop (1 in-person & 1 virtual)



Presented an update at SB Mesa Neighborhood Association's Village Hall



Hosted first Meet & Greet event in Project site driveway



Hosted CEQA Environmental Scoping Meeting (1 in-person & 1 virtual)



Presented 5 project-focused presentations to Santa Barbara City Council, City Boards, Commissions & Committees (available to view on Youtube)



Responded to 30+ public phone & email inquiries to Project staff

Information Sharing



Developed suite of Project-focused informational materials (fact sheets, posters, presentations, signage, postcards, website & social media content)



Mailed 1,329 postcards to nearby residents for notification of Project events



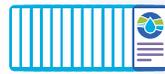
Placed signage in the community to promote outreach events 3 times



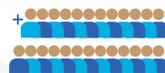
Published 1 press release



Posted 10 updates to City social media channels



Emailed 11 Project news updates to email subscribers

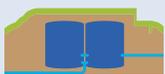


Expanded our subscriber list by 21 people (24%+) for a total of 85 interested community members



Project website regularly updated with new information

Planning, Environmental and Technical Progress



Project design progressed towards 30% completion (coming spring 2026) including:

- Architectural and site landscaping plans
- Offsite pipeline replacements
- Stormwater capture and drainage design
- Traffic control plans



Environmental review process moved forward including:

- CEQA Notice of Preparation (NOP) Released
- Completion of first round of public comment
- Completion of CEQA Initial Study and Project Description