



# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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## UPAS STREET PIPELINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

### Community Concerns

Infrastructure Projects:

- 📌 Airports
- 📌 Bikeways
- 📌 Bridges
- 📌 Drainage Control Facilities
- 📌 Flood Control Facilities
- 📌 Libraries
- 📌 Parks
- 📌 Recreation Centers
- 📌 Police Stations
- 📌 Fire Stations
- 📌 Lifeguard Stations
- 📌 Street Improvements
- 📌 Street Lights
- 📌 Traffic Signals
- 📌 Utilities Undergrounding
- 📌 Water Facilities
- 📌 Sewer Facilities
- 📌 Water Pipelines
- 📌 Sewer Pipelines

**A number of schools and youth-oriented facilities are located along the project alignment. How will the project provide for the safety of children in the neighborhood?**

Safety and access are top priorities for the City. City staff will be working with school administrators, Scout leadership and other neighborhood stakeholders to provide safe access routes during construction. Construction areas will be delineated by barricades, safety fencing and/or cones, as well as safety posters and signage. In some places, the Contractor may also be required to employ trained flag-personnel to supervise construction zones and to route the traveling public of all ages around construction areas.

**How will the project impact access to Roosevelt Middle School and the Boy Scout and Girl Scout facilities on Upas Street?**

The City will be working with school administrators, Scout leadership and neighborhood stakeholders to provide safe, reliable access routes to all facilities along the project alignment during construction. Roosevelt Middle School and the Boy Scout and Girl Scout facilities will remain accessible and in use throughout the project. During some phases of the construction process, access may be rerouted but all changes will be posted in advance. In addition, construction work areas will be delineated by barricades, safety fencing and/or cones, as well as safety posters and signage, and in some places, the Contractor may also be required to employ flag-personnel to route pedestrians and bicyclists around construction areas.

**Will I be able to ride my bike or jog along the streets affected by construction?**

There may be some temporary impacts to existing bike routes and pedestrian walkways along Upas Street. To ensure safety, alternative routes will be provided and will be posted well in advance.

**Will access to Morley Field be blocked during construction?**

The City will be working with park administrators and other stakeholders to provide safe, reliable access routes to all facilities along the project alignment during construction. Morley Field will remain accessible and will continue to be in use throughout the project. During some phases of the construction process, access may be rerouted but all changes will be posted at least 72-hours in advance.

**Will there be disturbance to recreation or impacts to Balboa Park users?**

No. Work will be performed in the roadway and no disturbance to Balboa Park recreational, museum, or zoo facilities is anticipated. The Contractor will be required to provide safe and reliable access to all facilities at the Park.

