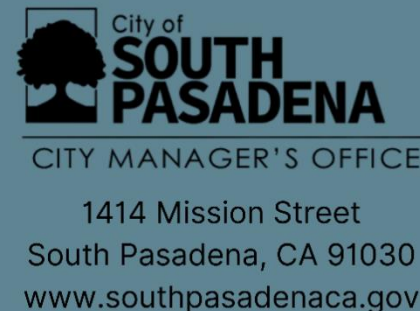




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City of South Pasadena Breaks Ground on Street Improvement Projects

South Pasadena (Calif.) - On July 25, 2023, at 10:00 a.m., City officials, Commissioners, staff, and residents gathered to break ground on a series of transformative street improvement projects, marking the commencement of a new era for South Pasadena. The groundbreaking event marks a significant milestone in the City's renewed commitment to enhancing its infrastructure and ensuring a more vibrant, efficient, and pedestrian-friendly landscape.

At the groundbreaking event, Mayor Jon Primuth expressed immense enthusiasm for the upcoming projects, stating, "These street improvement projects will undoubtedly improve the connectivity throughout South Pasadena." The Mayor also mentioned the City's recent efforts in bringing together the community at the State of Streets Study Session meeting a few months ago that brought together the City Council, Commissioners, and the community to discuss the state of our streets and a path forward.

Some projects that the City has already initiated include:

- Multiple street improvements, including reconstruction and resurfacing, the Slow Streets Program;
- Slow Streets Program, which includes the installation of traffic calming devices on various residential streets throughout the City;
- Fair Oaks Intelligent Transportation Systems (Rogan) Project, which improves American Disability Act (ADA) access along Fair Oaks Avenue,

implements signal synchronization, bus prioritization, and advances traffic safety technology;

- Fremont Avenue and Huntington Drive Improvement Project, which features traffic safety improvements as well as pedestrian and cycling amenities currently underway and there will be a design workshops for community input this Fall.

The City's Public Works Department looks forward to continuing current projects and commencing new improvements. For any questions on upcoming projects or street improvements, please contact the Public Works Department by emailing pwservicerequest@southpasadenaca.gov or call (626) 403-7240.

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