



# Contractor Outreach



for the

# I-680 Sunol Express Lane –

# Northbound



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**Alameda CTC PN 1369.000**

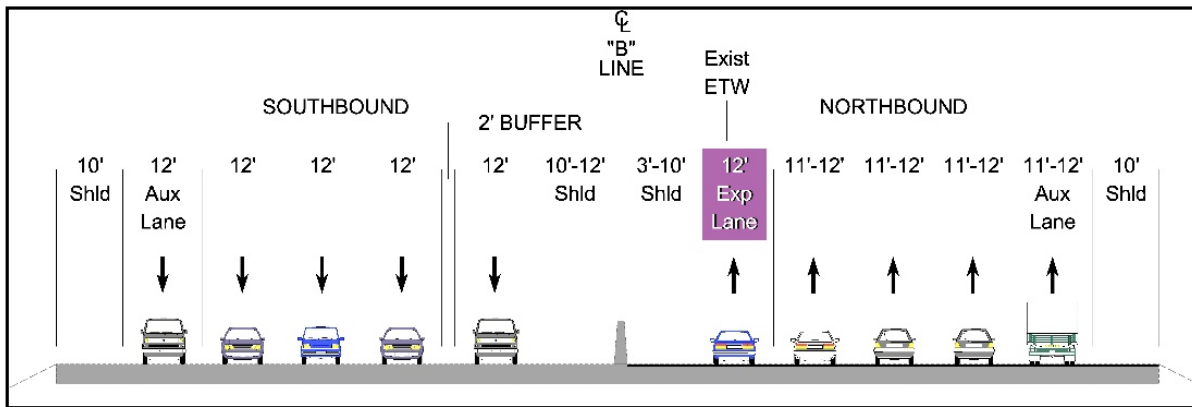
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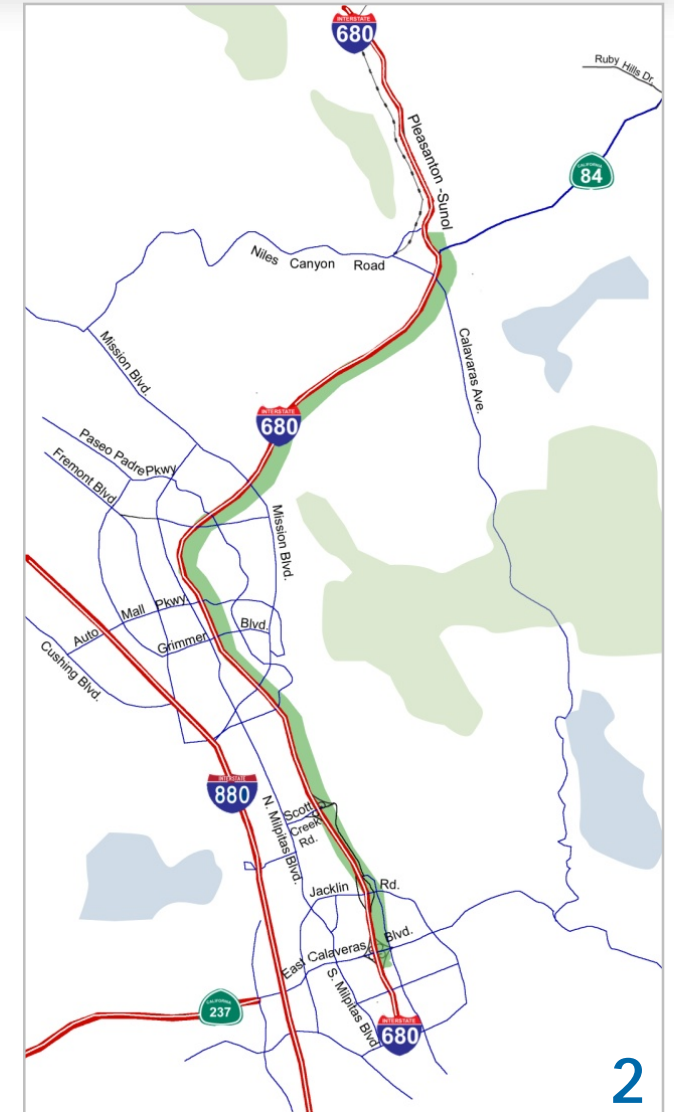
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## Auto Mall Boulevard to State Route 84

- 9 miles of high occupancy vehicle (HOV)/high occupancy toll (HOT) lanes
- Environmental clearance: July 2015
- Construction estimate: \$100 to \$125 million

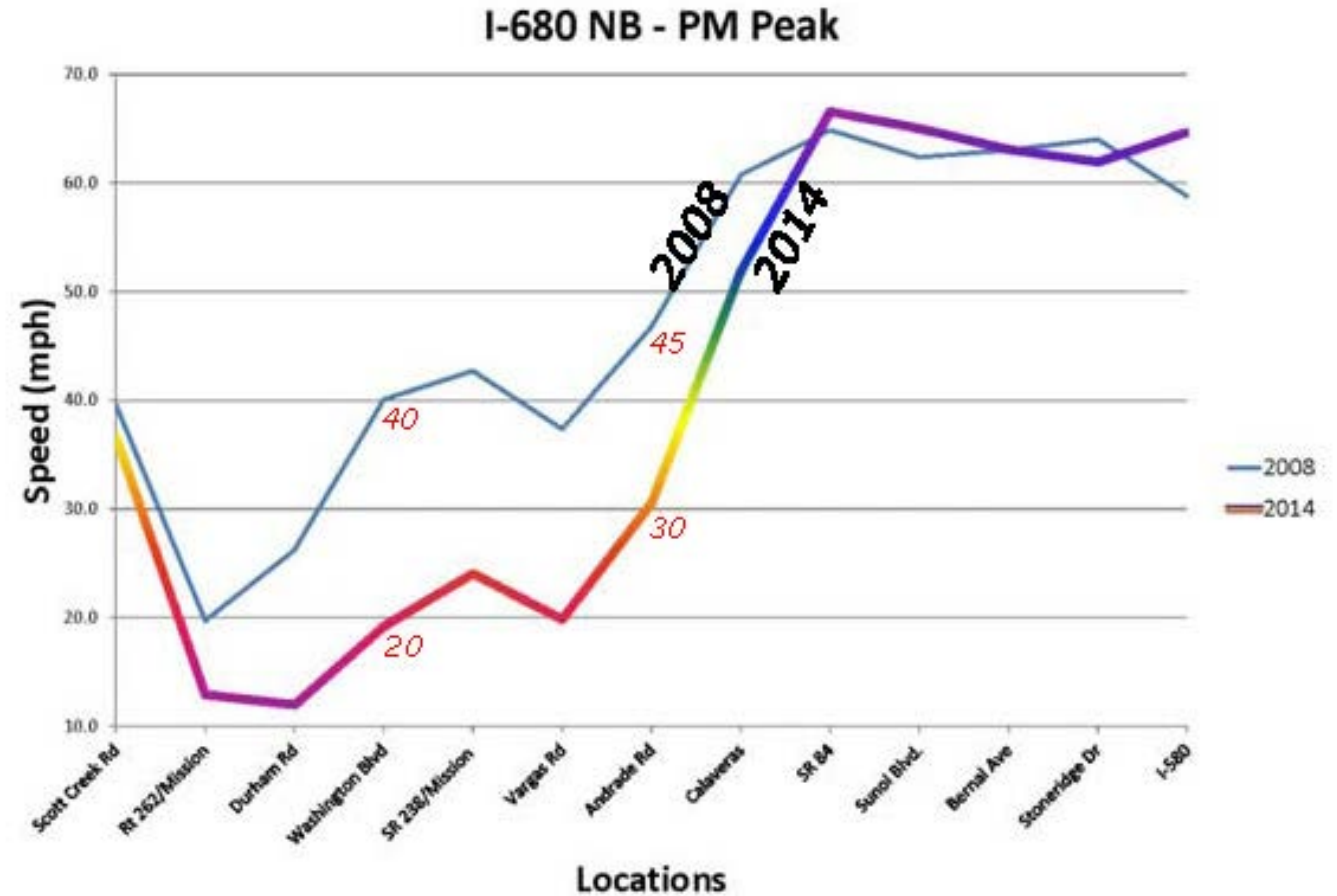


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# Historical Traffic Speed Trends

- Corridor traffic volume increase resulted in lower p.m. peak average speed from north of Scott Creek Road through SR-84 in 2014 compared to 2008



# Existing Northbound I-680

## Bottleneck locations

- Bottlenecks occur during p.m. peak periods
  - SR-262 to Washington
  - SR-238 to Andrade
- Some traffic diverts onto local roads
- Queues begin to form around 2 p.m. on weekdays and extend past Scott Creek Road by height of the commute



# Project Overview

## Location

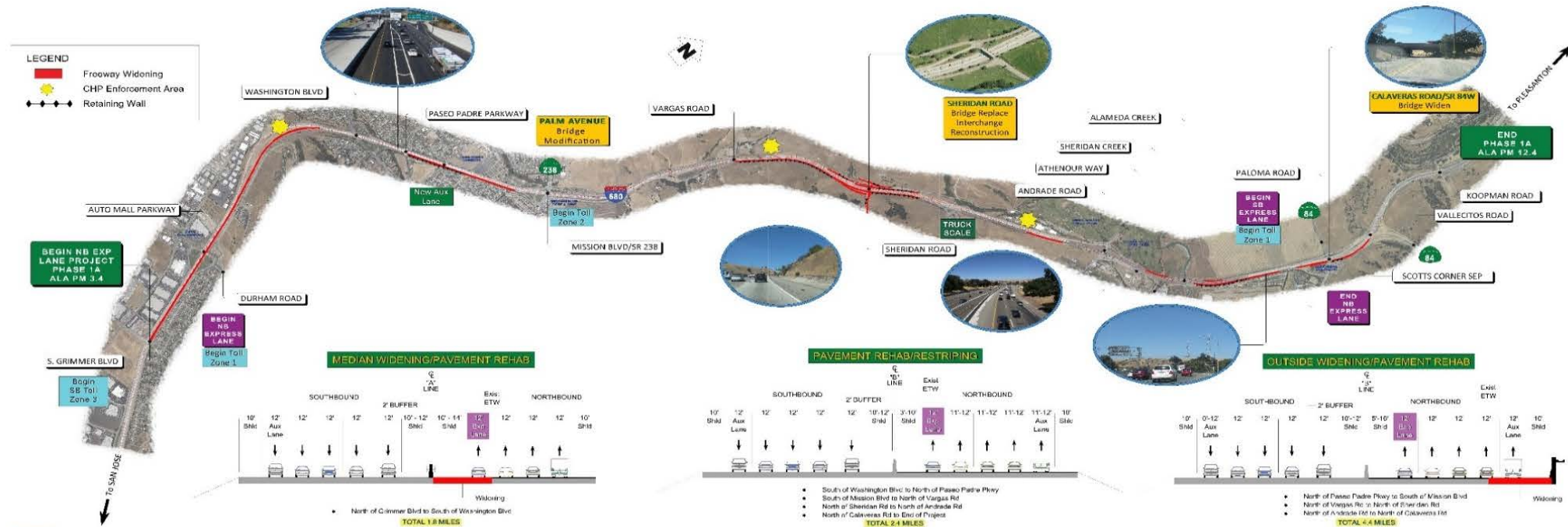
I-680 in southern Alameda County between Mission Boulevard (SR-262) and Koopman Road, approximately 10 miles of corridor improvements

## Three key scope components

- **Construction** of a new I-680 northbound (NB) express lane between Auto Mall Parkway and SR-84
- **Conversion** of existing I-680 southbound (SB) express lane
- **Pavement rehabilitation** of existing freeway lanes

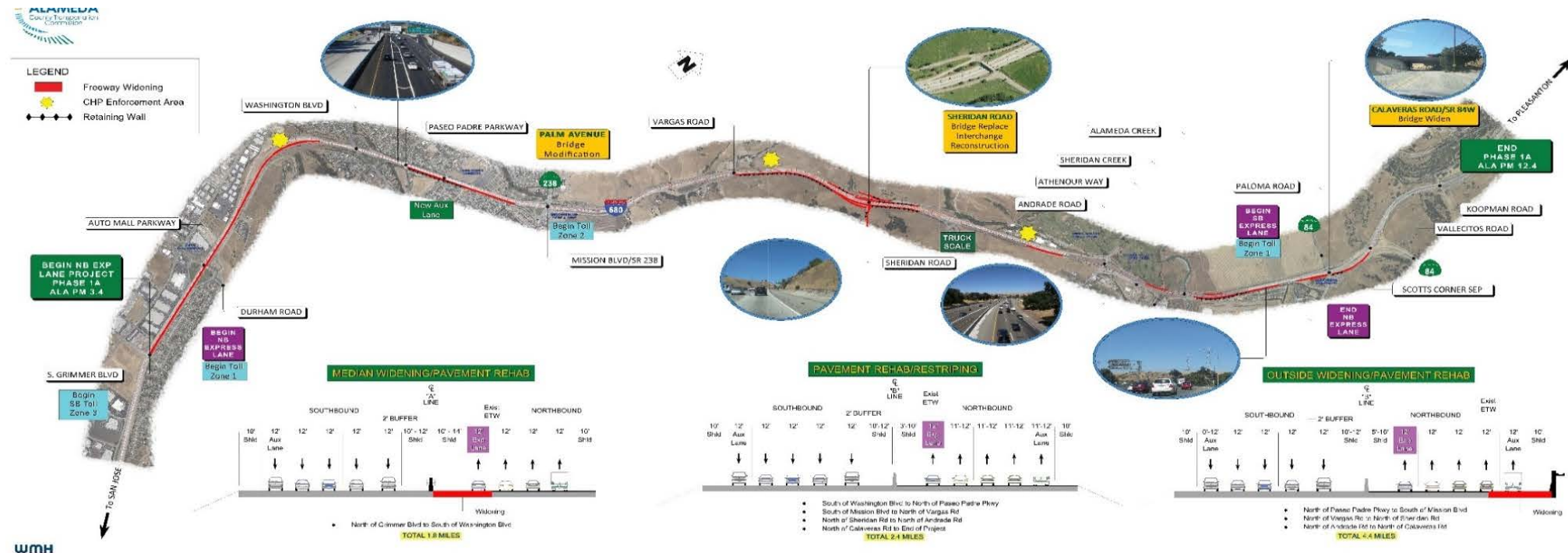
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- Add new continuous-access HOV/express lane from Auto Mall to SR-84 (Calaveras)
- Widen roadway in the median and to the outside
- Construct new auxiliary lane from Washington on-ramp to SR-238 (Mission) off-ramp
- Modify three bridges (Sheridan, Palm, Calaveras)



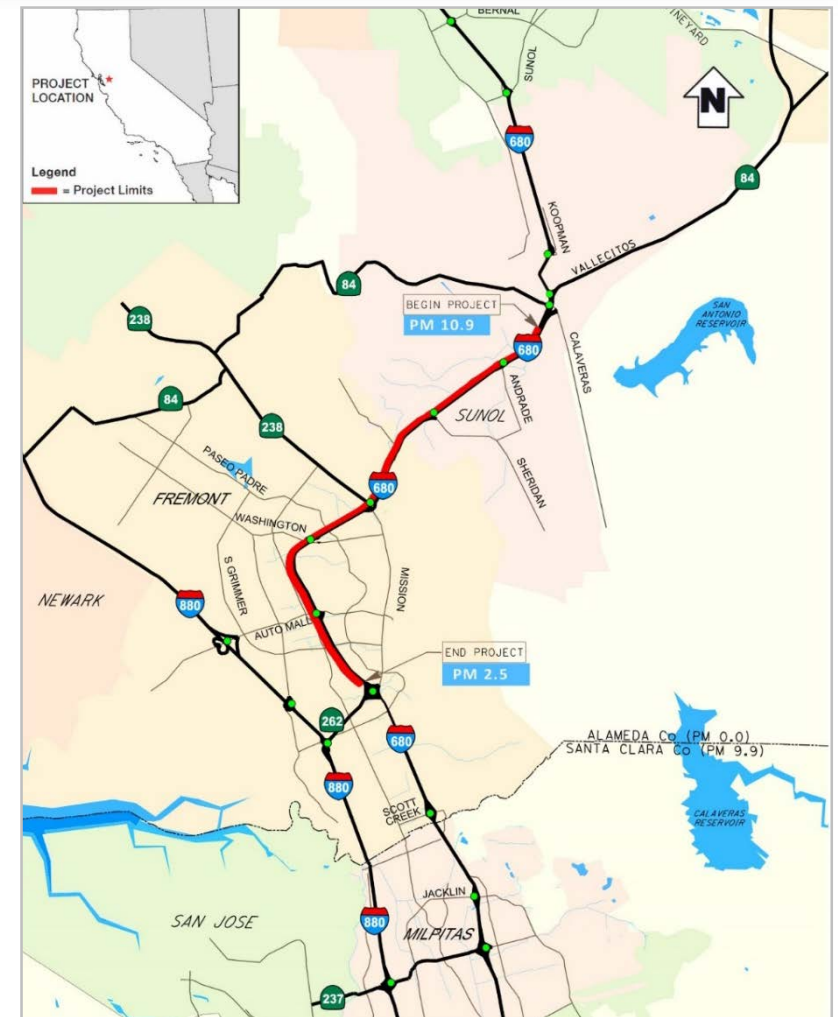
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- Construct nine retaining walls to accommodate widening
- Rehab existing pavement from Auto Mall Parkway to Koopman Road
- Install electronic tolling equipment and signage
- Install enhanced lighting and other safety features



# Southbound Sunol Express Lane Conversion

- Convert SB express lane to continuous access from SR-262 (Mission Boulevard) to SR-84
- Integrate existing SB elements into the new toll system, south of SR-262
- Create a single toll operation for NB and SB

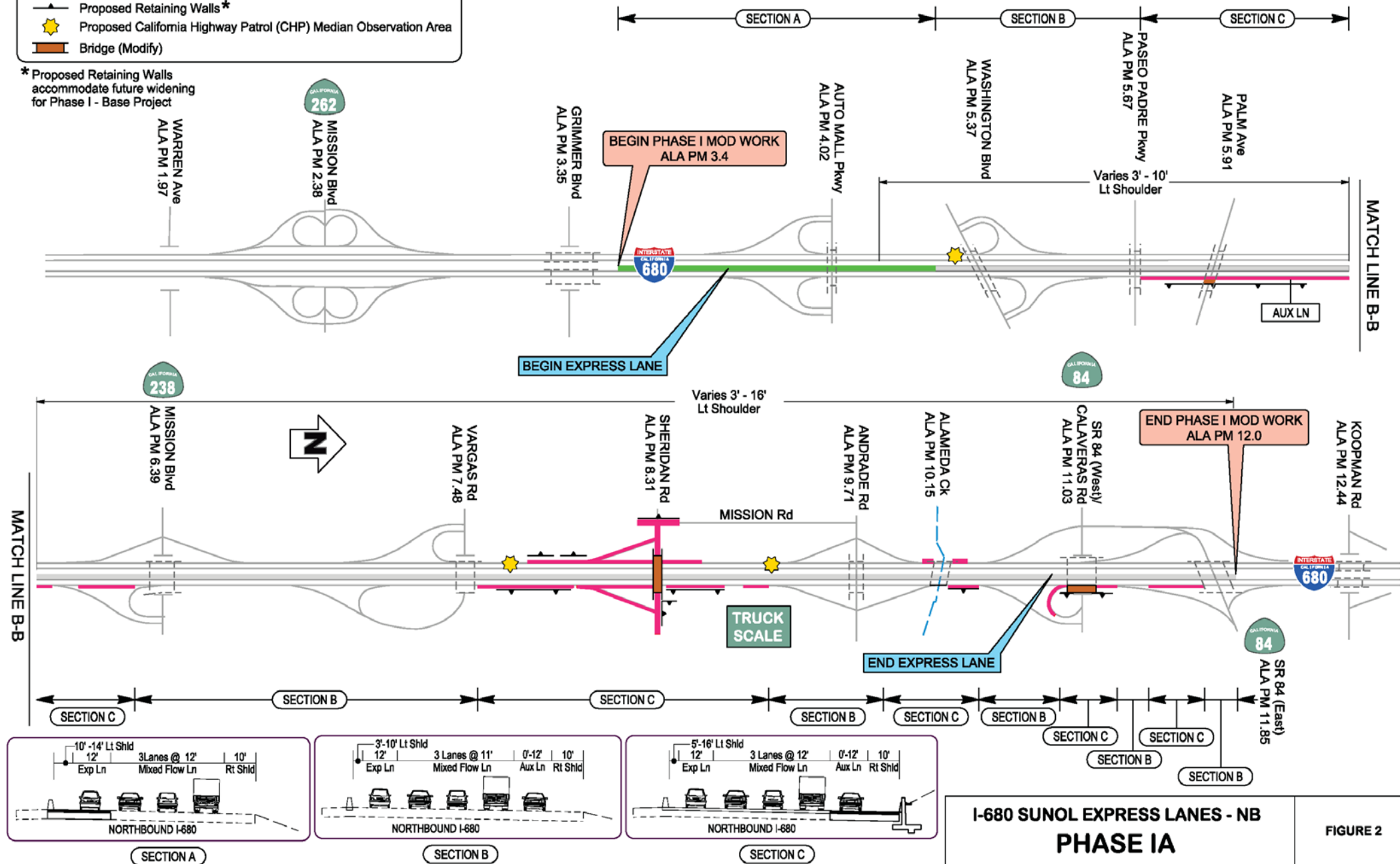




**LEGEND**

- I-680 NB Continuous Access Express Lane
- Proposed Widening (Outside Freeway, Ramp, Local Road)
- Proposed Median Widening
- Proposed Retaining Walls\*
- Proposed California Highway Patrol (CHP) Median Observation Area
- Bridge (Modify)

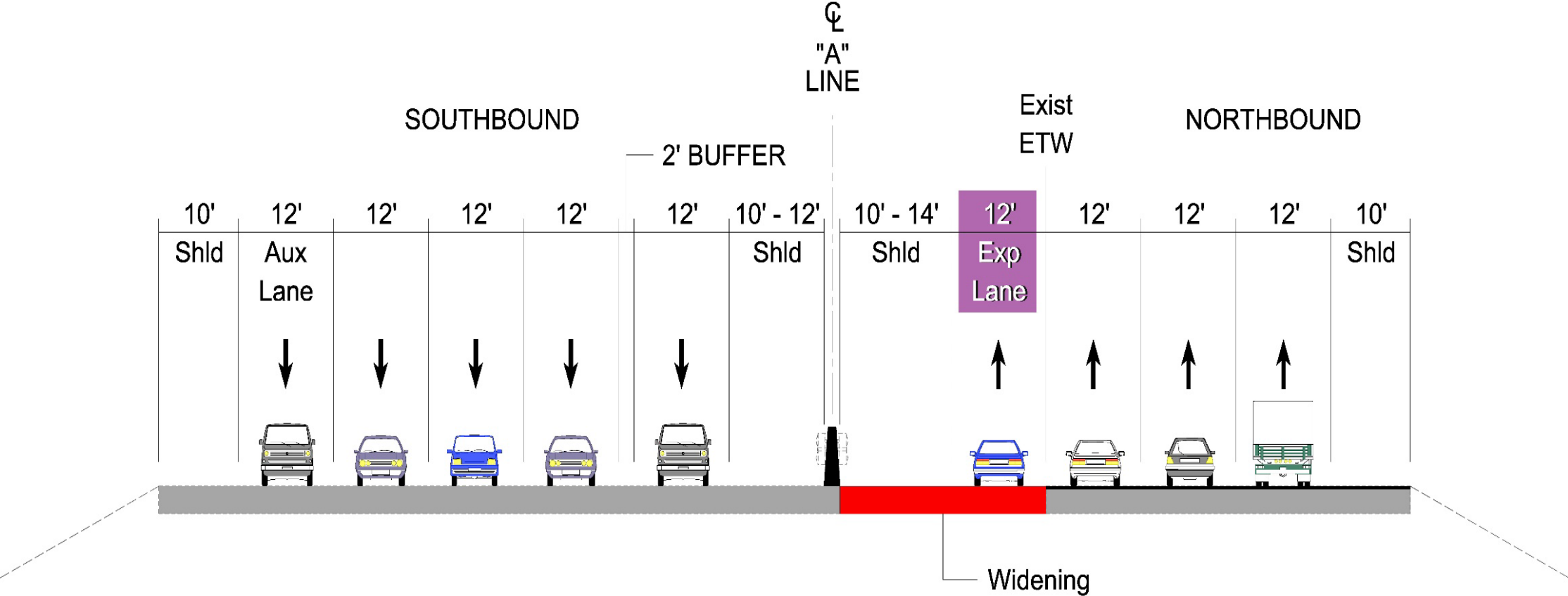
\* Proposed Retaining Walls accommodate future widening for Phase I - Base Project



**I-680 SUNOL EXPRESS LANES - NB  
PHASE IA**

**FIGURE 2**

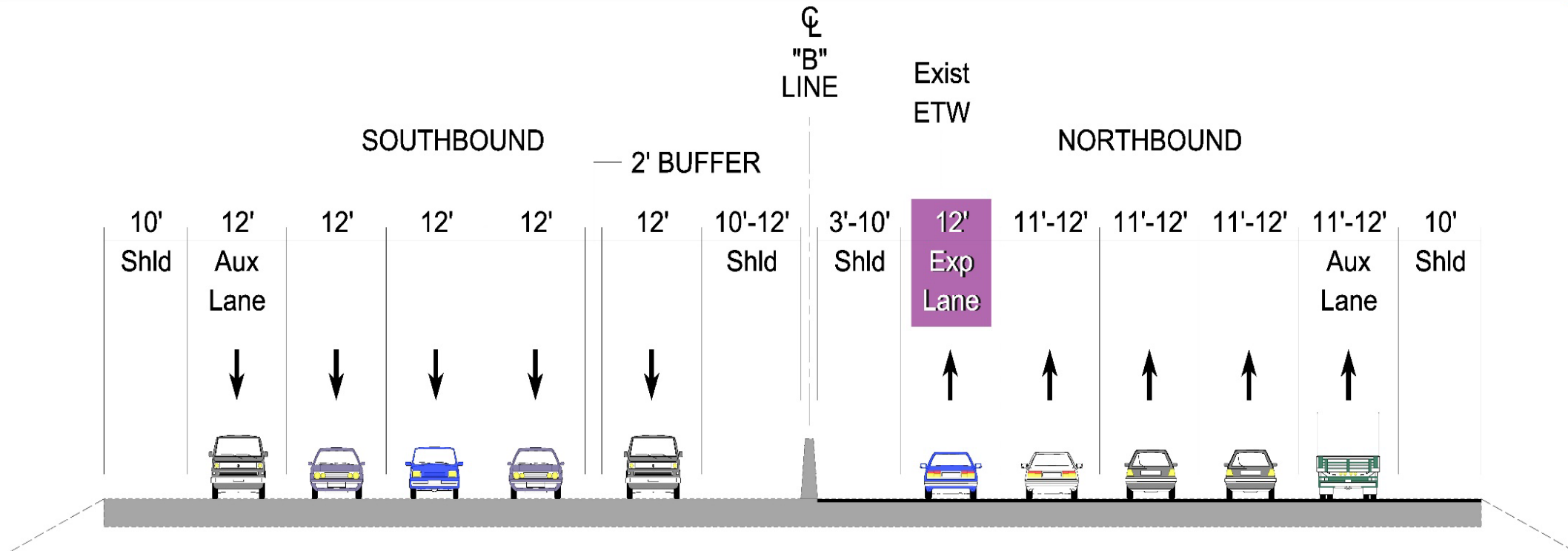
# Median Widening/Pavement Rehab



- North of Grimmer Blvd to South of Washington Blvd

TOTAL 1.8 MILES

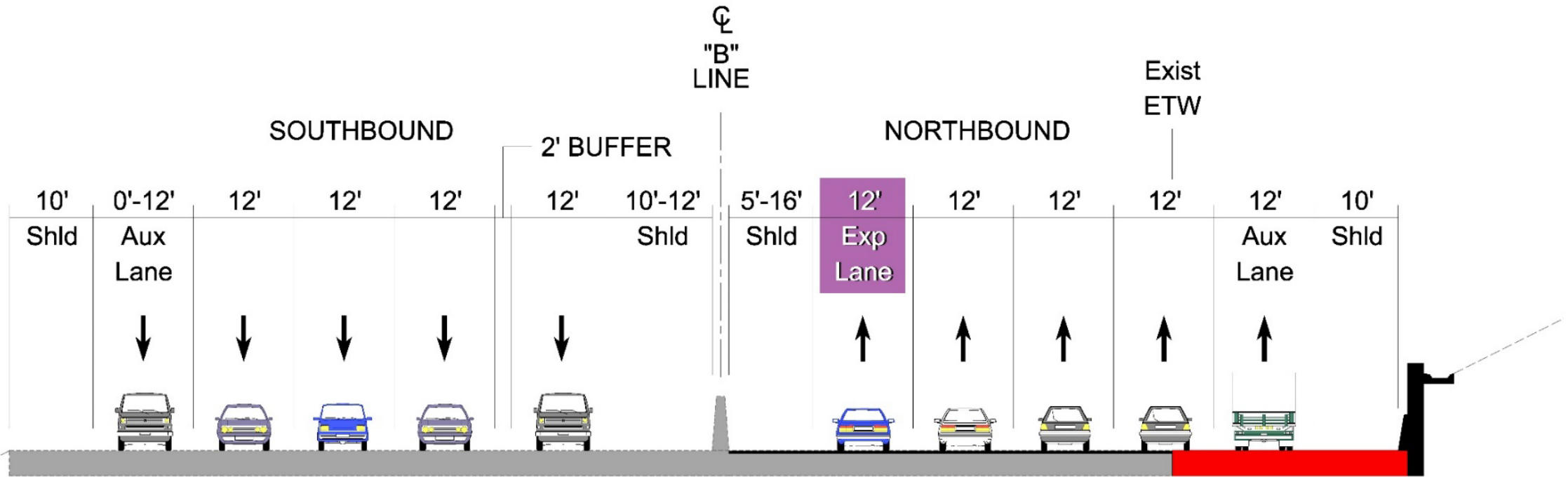
# Pavement Rehab/Restriping



- South of Washington Blvd to North of Paseo Padre Pkwy
- South of Mission Blvd to North of Vargas Rd
- North of Sheridan Rd to North of Andrade Rd
- North of Calaveras Rd to End of Project

**TOTAL 2.4 MILES**

# Outside Widening/Pavement Rehab



- North of Paseo Padre Pkwy to South of Mission Blvd
- North of Vargas Rd to North of Sheridan Rd
- North of Andrade Rd to North of Calaveras Rd

**TOTAL 4.4 MILES**

Widening

# Project Scope

## Adjacent/overlapping project coordination

- Pavement rehabilitation on I-680
- Freeway Performance Initiative (FPI) ramp metering
- Toll system installation contract (Kapsch and a subcontracted local electrical contractor)

## General construction elements (subcontracting opportunities)

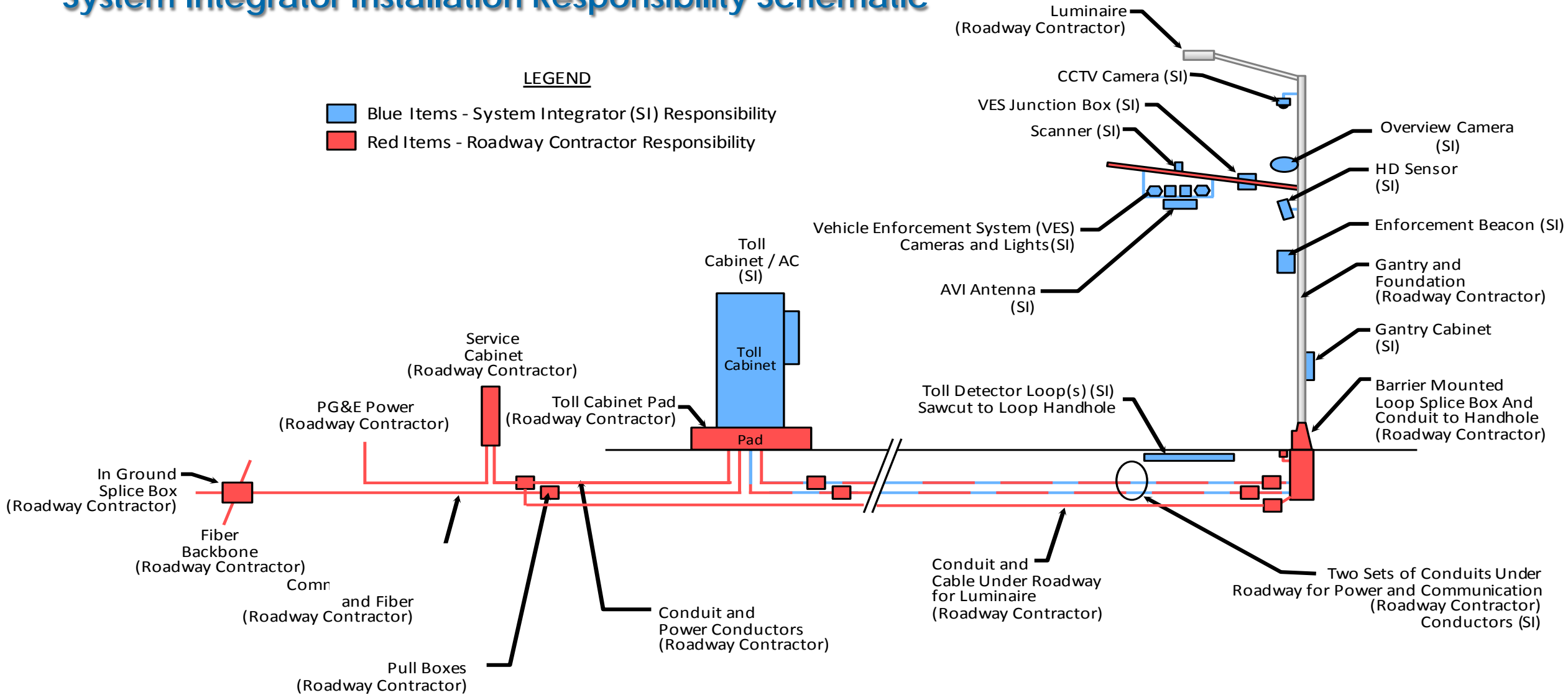
- Asphalt paving
- New roadway section
- Pre-cast pavement slab replacement
- Bridge replacement and modifications
- Retaining walls
- Median barrier reconstruction
- **Toll system civil infrastructure**  
\*\* SPECIALTY WORK & COORDINATION REQUIREMENTS \*\*
- Electrical and lighting systems
- Overhead sign structures and safety lighting
- Traffic control

# Typical Tolling Gantry Infrastructure

## System Integrator Installation Responsibility Schematic

### LEGEND

- Blue Items - System Integrator (SI) Responsibility
- Red Items - Roadway Contractor Responsibility



**Toll Gantry Side View**  
(Not to Scale)

# Major Work Items

Electrical Work (Power, Communication, Lighting, Traffic Operations System and Toll System)	> \$15M
Bridge Widening and Retaining Walls	> \$35M
Drainage Work	> \$2M
Signage and Striping	> \$2.5M
Concrete Barrier, Guard Rail	> \$6.5M
Temporary K-rail	~ 110,000 LF
Roadway/Structure Excavation	~ 150,000 CY
Asphalt Concrete (Hot Mix, etc.)	~ 180,000 Ton
Concrete Pavement Slab Replacement	~ 5,000 CY

# Project Schedule Milestones

- Advertisement (check the Caltrans website) August 2017
- Bid Opening September 2017
- Construction Contract Award October 2017
- First Working Day December 2017
- Construction Complete Spring 2020 (estimate)

Note: Project schedule is subject to change. All of the above dates are tentative unless otherwise noted.



# Schedule: Construction Working Hours

## Daytime work (7 a.m. to 5 p.m. – typical)

- Maintain existing lane configurations
- Shoulder closures
- Work behind k-rail

## Nighttime work (11 p.m. to 5 a.m. – typical)

- Mainline lane closures
- Ramp closures
- Full freeway closure
- Sheridan Road overcrossing
- Traffic detours required for ramp and full closures



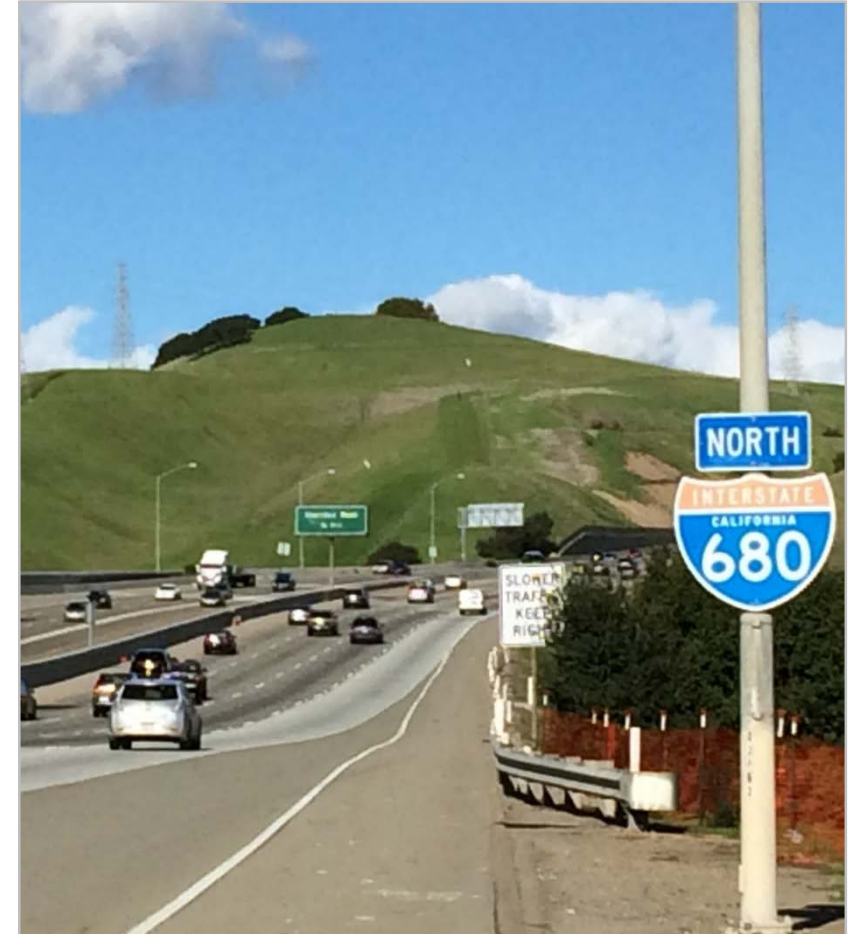
# Project Budget

- Construction contract range estimated at \$100-\$125 million
- Caltrans will be the implementing agency for the construction phase
- The Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC) is a project sponsor and funding partner



# Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Requirements

- Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) utilization requirements are anticipated to apply to this construction contract opportunity (given that Caltrans will be advertising)
- Contract specific requirements will be listed in the solicitation for bids



# Project Resources

- Caltrans projects: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/projects.htm>
- Caltrans Division of Engineering Services – Program/Project Management and Office Engineer: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/des/oe/>
- Caltrans DBE database: [www.californiaucp.org](http://www.californiaucp.org)
- Alameda CTC Local Business Contract Equity Program (LBCE) database:  
[http://www.alamedactc.org/app\\_pages/view/4543](http://www.alamedactc.org/app_pages/view/4543)

# Next Steps

## July/August 2017

- Monitor Caltrans pending advertisements and request bid package

## August/September 2017

- Participate in anticipated mandatory Caltrans pre-bid meeting, including review of anticipated DBE requirements

We look forward to seeing several competitive bids from carefully assembled contracting teams tailored for this project.





Q & A