CITY NOTICE ALHAMBRA AVENUE DOWNTOWN PAVING PROJECT

The City of Martinez (City), in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), District 4, is proposing to resurface the existing pavement on Alhambra Avenue between Marina Vista Avenue and Jones Street and on Escobar Street between Berrellesa Street and Alhambra Avenue (Project). The Project also includes constructing Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant curb ramps and restriping.

The Project will consist of grinding and resurfacing the existing pavement on Alhambra Avenue with Hot Mix Asphalt or Rubber Asphalt Concrete from the south returns on Marina Vista Avenue to the south returns at Jones Street as well as Escobar Street from Berrellesa Street to Alhambra Avenue. The Project will include locating and making base failure repairs, constructing ADA compliant curb ramps and restoring existing striping and pavement markings in kind. No work or disturbance is expected deeper than one foot below the existing grade. All Project activity is confined to City right-of-way (ROW) and no additional ROW or easements are anticipated.

The Area of Potential Effects (APE) for the Project was established in September 2022 in coordination between the City and Caltrans. The purpose of the APE is to delineate the geographic areas within which a Project may directly or indirectly cause alteration in the character or use of historic properties, if any such properties exist. The Project's APE was developed from the Project footprint, including current and proposed right of way limits, temporary construction easements, potential staging and storage areas, and to include potential indirect effects on cultural resources that may develop as a result of this undertaking. In addition to the resurface and curb work areas, the APE also encompasses the full boundaries of the Martinez City Hall at 525 Henrietta Street (APN 372-364-005) and one potential historic property at 800 Alhambra Avenue (APN 373-212-002). The Martinez City Hall is the former Martinez Grammar School Annex and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP).

If you have any questions or comments regarding this Project, please contact City of Martinez, Senior Civil Engineer Ali Hatefi at via e-mail at ahatefi@cityofmartinez.org.







