

Connect SoCal Development

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Who Are We Planning For?



MULTI-GENERATIONAL PLANNING

for our region's future

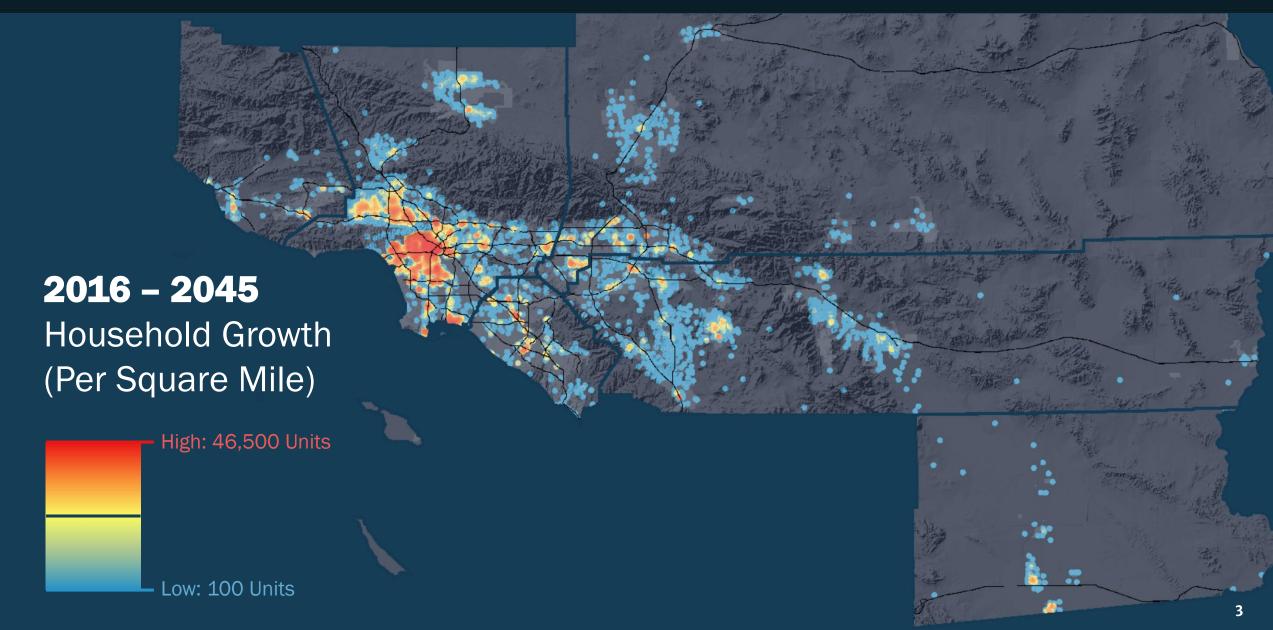






Where Will We Grow?





How Will We Connect?











Technology and innovation are changing how we travel now and in the future.











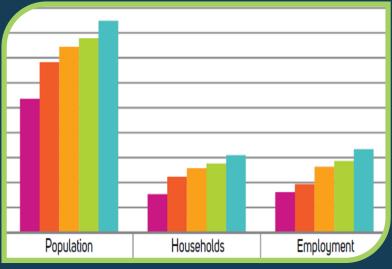
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Existing and Planned Land Use, Local Transportation Infrastructure, Resource Areas, Potential Infill Parcels

Current and Future Population, Households, Employment

Sustainability Best Practices, Transit Supportive Measures



Scenario Development

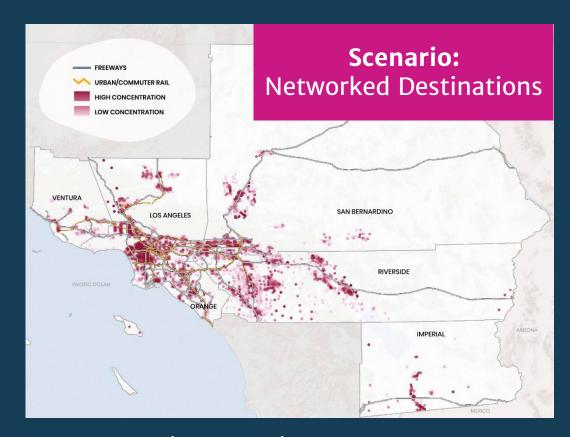


Scenario Development





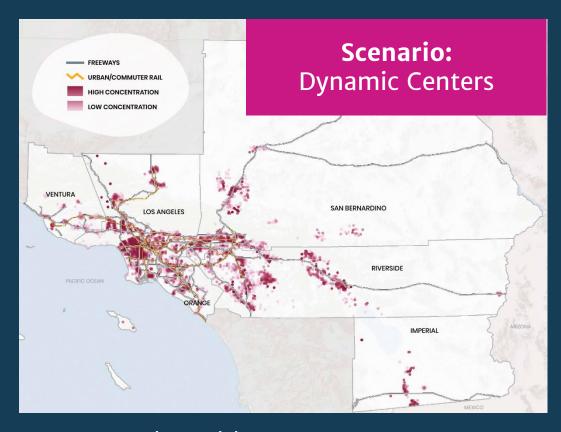
- Growth reflects local government projects
- Transportation network reflects projects from County Transportation Commissions
- Includes technology and work from home trends



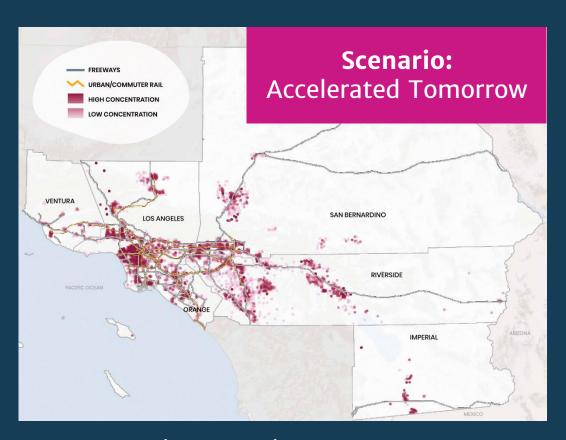
- More growth near transit
- More multifamily housing
- More regional express lanes

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- More growth near job centers
- Less growth in fire prone areas More bike and walk infrastructure



- More growth near transit
- Faster transit service
- More electric vehicle charging



Public Input



Connect SoCal Outreach



500+
people
Public Workshops

1,300+
engagements
Street Team

200-700+

people
Telephone Town Hall

impressions
Advertising

1,500+ people

Community Based Organizations

4,000+
completions
Surveys

Surveys: What We Heard



Future growth should not occur on pristine open space.

Close to transit investments, regardless if its within existing single family or not.

Densification should be done carefully to make sure existing residents aren't pushed out, especially the disadvantaged...

Within in city limits! No more stretching into dangerous wildfire country...

Farm land and protected areas should not be developed. Rural areas need to remain rural

Keep single family housing zoning.

Do not need further growth, already too crowded.

Build new cities if you must out in the desert...

Surveys: Perspectives on Top Challenges, by County



Housing Affordability, Traffic Congestion, Air Quality

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> Housing Affordability, Open Space Loss, Traffic Congestion

Traffic Congestion,
Housing Affordability,
Traffic Safety

Air Quality, Housing Affordability, Traffic Congestion

Community Based Organization Partners





























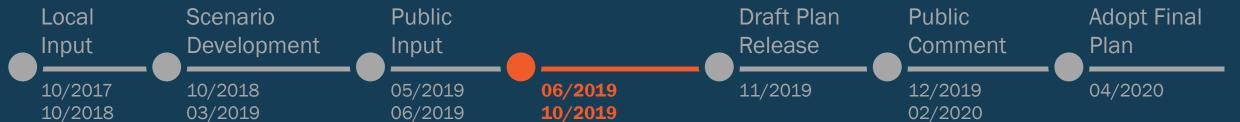








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State Mandate



Achieve 2020 (8%) and 2035 (19%) regional per capita GHG emission reduction targets.

Since the 2016 RTP/SCS



- Senate Bill 1
- LA County Measure M
- Increased GHG Target to 19% by 2035
- Declining Transit Ridership
- Performance Based Planning MAP 21
- Activity Based Model (ABM)
- Selection of Los Angeles to host the 2028 Olympics

Goals





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Performance Measures for Connect SoCal



Location Efficiency

Improved Coordination of Land Use and Transportation Planning

Mobility and Accessibility

Ability to Easily Reach Desired Destinations Using Reasonably Available Transportation Options

Safety and Public Health

Minimize Transportation System Health Risks

Environmental Quality

Improve the Environment and Air Quality

Performance Measures for Connect SoCal



Economic Opportunity

Job Creation and Improved Regional Economy

Investment Effectiveness

Benefits Provided Compared to Cost of Investment

Transportation System Sustainability

Maintenance of Existing Transportation Infrastructure

Environmental Justice

Ensure Social Equity



Next Steps

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Important Considerations



What If Connect SoCal Doesn't Meet State GHG Targets?

• SCAG would be required to prepare a financially unconstrained Alternative Planning Strategy (APS) to meet regional GHG emission reduction targets.

What If Connect SoCal Doesn't Demonstrate Transportation Conformity?

- After June 1, 2020 (Conformity Lapse Grace Period)
 - All projects in 2016 RTP/SCS and 2019 FTIP can still receive federal approval, but no new projects and no project amendments.
- After Grace Period (Conformity Lapse)
 - No federal funding or approval of non-exempt projects and TCM projects not in an approved plan unless these projects have received federal authorization prior to lapse.



Thank You!

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