

Project overview

US 101 is the major coastal north-south route that connects the northern, central and southern parts of the State. US 101 connects Ventura County to our neighboring counties of Los Angeles and Santa Barbara and serves as both regional connection and Main Street, connecting our communities with one another and serving as a critical link in a resilient transportation system. Over half of Ventura County's jobs and residents are located within the 3-mile corridor along US 101.

The 101 has been identified as the highway network's greatest area of need, with aging infrastructure, no continuous alternate routes, peak period speeds forecast to drop and travel times to increase, and constraining person and goods movement.

Providing an HOV lane enables travelers to Opt Out of Congestion, a Key Action in Caltrans' Climate Action Plan for Transportation Infrastructure.

Purpose and Need

Project Purpose

- Improve Traffic Conditions by:
 - Improving Trip Reliability
 - Achieve Regional HOV Connectivity
 - Support Regional Prosperity
 - Improve Efficiency of Public Transit System

Project Need

- Improve Trip Reliability and Traffic Operations

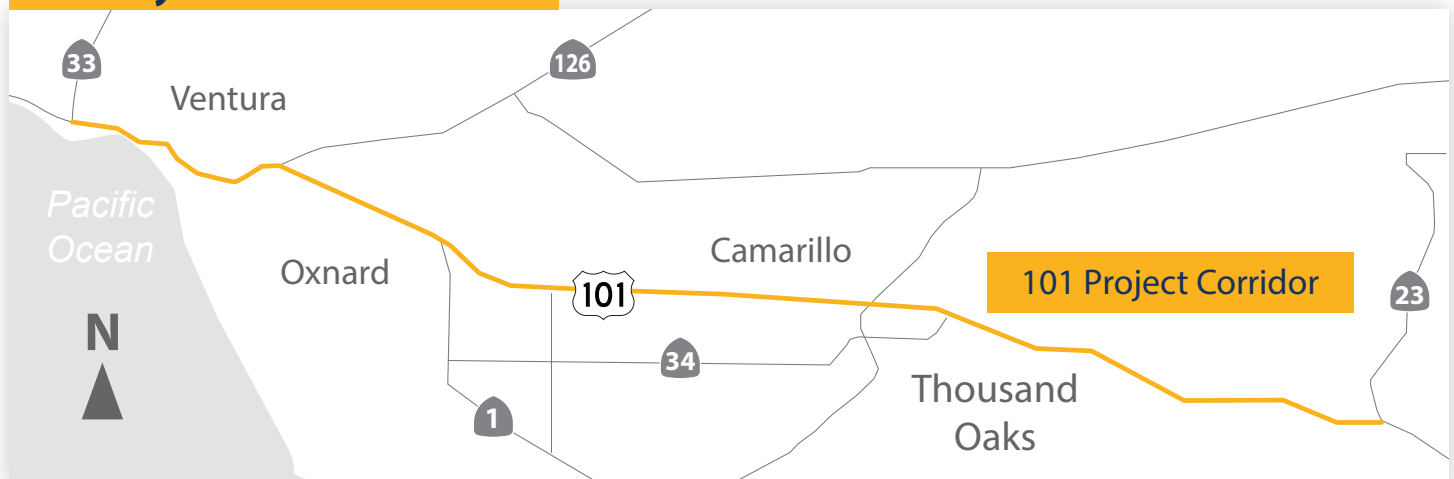
Alternatives

- **Alternative 1** - No Build
- **Alternative 2** - HOV/Express Bus Lane with Auxiliary Lanes
- **Alternative 3** - HOV/Express Bus Lane with Auxiliary Lanes and Design Variations

Project Funding

This current phase of the project is being funded through Ventura County's share of federal Surface Transportation Program (STP) funds. STIP, STBG, SCCP, Federal & State Grants.

Study Area – 26.8 Miles



Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT)

- Estimated VMT modeled by Ventura County Transportation Model
- Caltrans approved VMT analysis & mitigation methodology February 2023
- Project estimated to generate 0.7% more annual VMT more than no-build scenario
- Multimodal transportation improvements included to off-set VMT impacts



When and Where

Thousand Oaks Civic Arts Center - Founders Room
2100 Thousand Oaks Blvd, Thousand Oaks, CA 91362
Wednesday, November 4, 2026 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Camarillo Library - Community Room
4101 Las Posas Rd, Camarillo, CA 93010
Wednesday, November 18, 2026 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Oxnard Performing Arts Center - Ventura Room
800 Hobson Way, Oxnard, CA 93030
Thursday, November 12, 2026 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Ventura City Hall - Community Room
501 Poli St, Ventura, CA 93001
Thursday, November 19, 2026 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.



Virtual Meeting

Link: [us02web.zoom.us/j/](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84664840634)

ID: 846 6484 0634

Phone: 1 (669) 444-9171

Date: November 14, 2026

Time: 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



Where You Come In

Comments regarding the proposed project may be submitted in writing until December 7, 2026, or turned in at one of four upcoming Public Hearings. See reverse for Public Hearing dates, times, and locations.

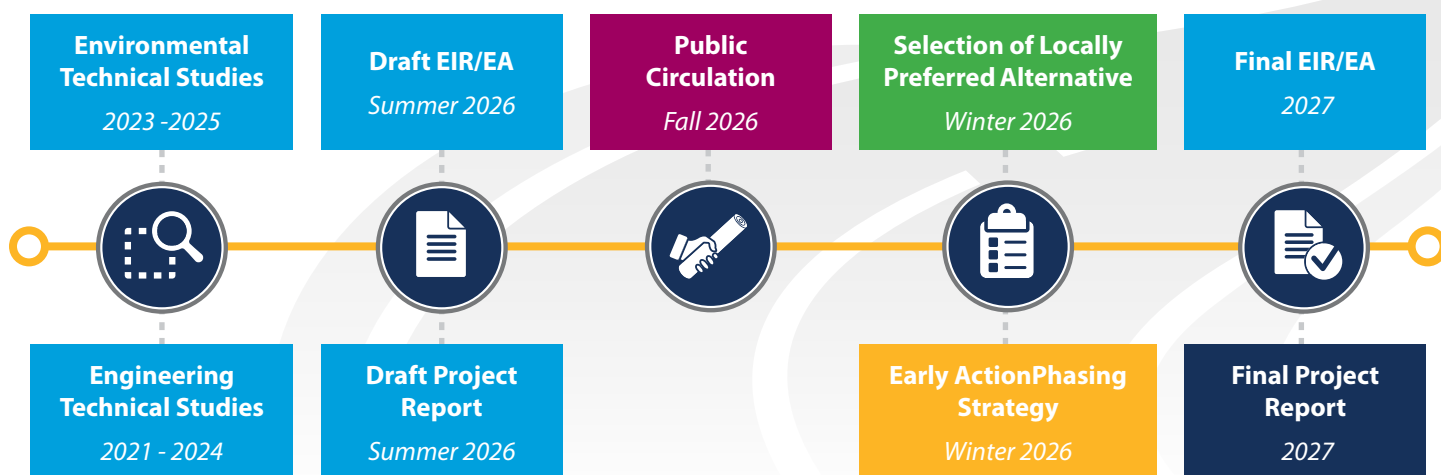
Please send your comments, including **"US 101 HOV EIR/EA"** in the subject line, no later than December 7, 2026 to Susan.Tse@dot.ca.gov or to:

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