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Safe Routes to Parks:
How to promote safe connectivity to parks

February 15, 2023

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Agenda

- Zoom Reminders
- Safe Routes to Parks Overview
- Panelists:
  - Claudia Corchado, Cultiva la Salud
  - Dorothy "Dot" Wong, Altadena Town Council
- Discussion
- Wrap Up

Housekeeping

- Please **mute** your audio/phone when you are not speaking to minimize background noise
- Feel free to enter questions or comments in the **chat**
- Please have your **camera on** when you're speaking, if you are comfortable
- All slides will be emailed to everyone registered for today's peer exchange
- Think of something later? Email cpbst@berkeley.edu.
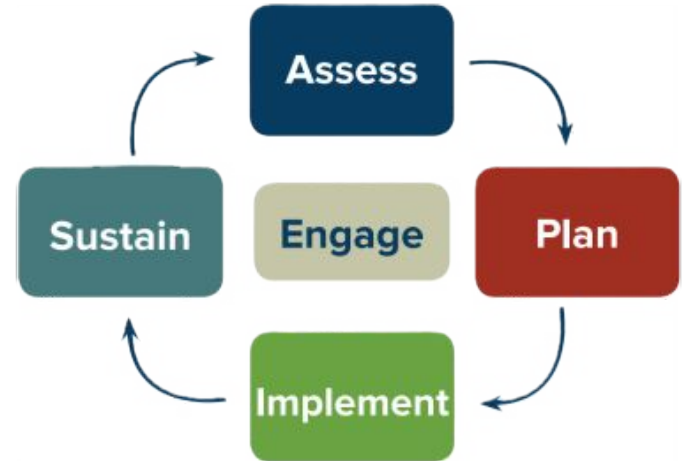
Zoom Logistics

Purpose of Today's Peer Exchange

- Learn best practices for developing Safe Routes to Parks programs.
- Share experiences and expertise among participants who have worked on and/or are interested in building Safe Routes to Parks programs.
- Network with one another to build inter-community relationships to create a support system as participants implement their CPBST recommendations.

Safe Routes to Parks

Safe Routes to Parks are approximately ten-minute walks or bike rides to parks that are:

- Accessible via multiple modes of transportation for people of all ages and abilities
- Safe from traffic and personal danger
- Comfortable and appealing places to walk or bicycle
- Conveniently located within approximately one half mile (10 minute walk) from where people live
- End at parks that are well-maintained and programmed

Safe Routes to Parks Framework

ENGAGE- Partner coalitions with diverse stakeholders from a wide range of organizations and voices.

ASSESSMENT- Understand community priorities informed by data and community input.

PLAN- Develop priority areas, set goals and specific actions, identify policy improvements, and integrate into local plans and policies.

IMPLEMENT- Put plans into action and ensure that those actions are based on best practices in engineering, design, and programming.

SUSTAIN- Ensure that efforts continue, integrated into agency functions, and are positively affecting community.
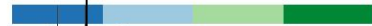
Healthy Places Index Score

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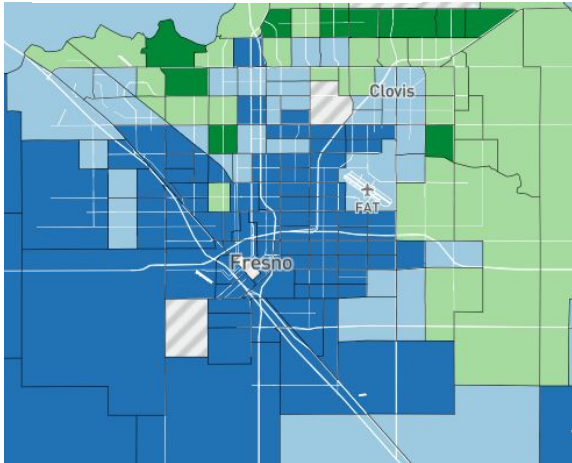

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HPI Score (3.0): 20.6 percentile
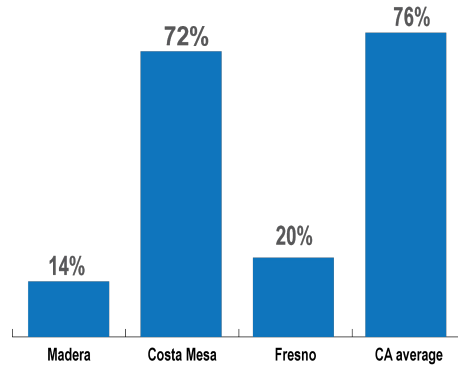
Less → More healthy conditions

This Tract
City / Town Avg: 20.0
County Avg: 12.5

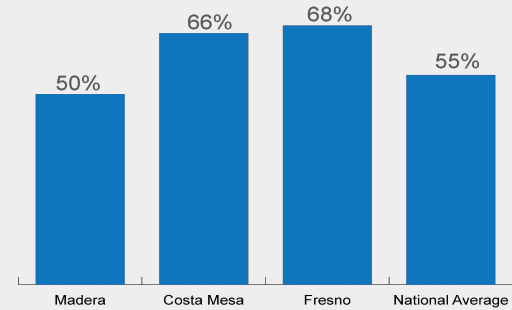This Tract has healthier community conditions than 20.6% of other California Tracts.

Assigned Healthy Place Index Score

Park Score Index

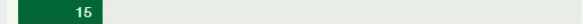**ParkScore Index** evaluates a city based on 14 measure across 5 categories.
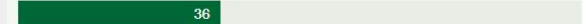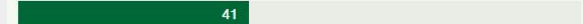
Overall Park Score

	Access	Acreage	Investment	Amenities	Equity
	51	15	22	36	41

Park Score Calculations for Fresno, CA

Additional Sources

[California Active Transportation Safety Information Pages (CATSIP)](#)

[Transportation Injury Mapping System](#)

[StreetStory](#)

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https://safetrec.berkeley.edu/2023-peer-exchange-series

Other Programs Offered!

Community Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Training (CPBST) and
Comunidades Activas y Seguras (CAyS) are accepting applications for new sites.

- CPBST Fact Sheet: English / Spanish and CPBST Application: English / Spanish
- CAyS Fact Sheet: English / Spanish and CAyS Application: English / Spanish

Community Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Program is offering follow-up technical assistance to all former CPBST communities. To apply, email cpbst@berkeley.edu.

- CPBST Follow-up TA Menu: English / Spanish

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