

ALAMEDA CORRIDOR-EAST CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY

Alameda Corridor-East Project Fact Sheet

Jump Start Program

Overview

The Jump-Start Program is a safety upgrade program involving 39 rail crossings along the ACE corridor. Improvements at the 39 grade crossing locations were completed as of January 2004. Improvements included:

- New traffic and train signage
- Striping or re-striping of streets
- Updated signal preemption
- Measures to eliminate gate drive-arounds
- Minor Roadway widening
- Installation of active warning devices
- New pedestrian sidewalks and safety protection
- Re-grading and repair of vehicle crossings
- Other measures designed to improve traffic flow or enhance safety

Eliminating Gate Drive-Arounds

A variety of median improvements were implemented along the ACE corridor to discourage and/or prevent motorists from driving around lowered crossing gates. These improvements included median concrete barriers, four quadrant crossing gates, narrow barrier posts and raised traffic dots. The intersections that have received some type of drive-around protection are listed below:

Montebello S. Greenwood Ave.	Industry California Ave.
Vail Ave.	Fullerton Rd. (UP)
vali Ave.	Lemon Ave. (UP)
San Gabriel	Brea Canyon Rd.
Ramona St.	Rose Hills Rd.
Mission Road	Workman Mill Rd.
Del Mar Ave.	Mission Mill Rd.
San Gabriel Blvd.	
	LA County

Temple City
Encinita Ave.
Lower Azusa Rd.

LA County
Turnbull Canyon Rd.
Walnut Grove Ave.
Lower Azusa Rd.

Pomona (Quad Gates)
El Monte
Baldwin Ave.
Arden Dr.
Tyler Ave.
Temple City Blvd.
Cogswell Rd.
Pomona (Quad Gates)
Hamilton Blvd. (SP/UP)
Main St. (SP/UP)
Park Ave. (SP/UP)
Palomares St. (SP/UP)
San Antonio Ave. (SP/UP)

Pico Rivera Durfee Ave.

<u>Traffic Signal Measures</u>

Traffic signal measures involved improving the signals and warning signs to maximize safety through crossings. The following is a list of crossings that received traffic signal measure improvements:

San Gabriel	L.A. County
Ramona St.	Lemon Ave. (UP)
Mission Road	

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El Monte Hamilton Blvd. (SP/UP)
Cogswell Rd. Main St. (SP/UP)
Palomares St. (SP/UP)
Industry San Antonio Ave. (SP/UP)

Pomona

Temple Ave.

Vineland Ave.

Montebello
Puente Ave.

Maple Ave.

California Ave. Fullerton Rd. (UP)

Roadway Widenings/Restriping

Along the corridor, 13 grade crossings received minor widening improvements to increase traffic capacity and/or improve circulation at the following intersections:

Physical Widenings	Restriping Only
San Gabriel	San Gabriel
Mission Road	Del Mar Ave.
	San Gabriel Blvd.
Industry	

California Ave. El Monte
Fullerton Rd. (UP) Baldwin Ave.
Rose Hills Rd.

L.A. County
Puente Ave.
Turnbull Canyon Rd.
Walnut Grove Ave.
Bindustry
Puente Ave.
Bixby Dr.
Stimson Ave.