



CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT
Notice of Exemption

To: [X] Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: Contra Costa County
Department of Conservation and
Development
30 Muir Road
Martinez, CA 94553

[X] County Clerk, County of Contra Costa

Project Title: Miranda Avenue Safe Routes to School, Project #: WO1025, CP#: 24-04

Project Applicant: Contra Costa County Public Works Dept., 255 Glacier Drive, Martinez CA 94553
Main: (925) 313-2000, Contact: Izaac Tompkins, (925) 313-2176

Project Location: Miranda Avenue between Stone Valley Road and Stone Valley Middle School in
unincorporated Alamo, Contra Costa County

Lead Agency: Department of Conservation and Development, 30 Muir Road, Martinez, CA 94553
Main: (925) 655-2705, Contact: Syd Sotoodeh (925) 655-2877

Project Description:

The purpose of the project is to enhance safety and accessibility along the west side of Miranda Avenue,
serving pedestrians and bicyclists between Stone Valley Road and Stone Valley Middle School. The
improvements include the construction of a 5-foot-wide pedestrian pathway compliant with the Americans
with Disabilities Act (ADA) at a length of approximately 1,650 feet. The existing bike lane adjacent to the
pathway will be restored to a five-foot width. Ground disturbance is anticipated up to a depth of 18 inches
for soil to be excavated and replaced with aggregate base to install the pedestrian path and restore the
bicycle lane. Construction is anticipated to occur in 2026 and take approximately 30 days to complete.
Construction will have no impact on school hours. General construction best management practices for
water pollution control will be implemented such as storm drain inlet protection and sediment control at
creek crossings will be implemented throughout the construction period. Up to three native oak trees
within the County right-of-way are anticipated to be removed. Real property transactions, temporary
traffic control, and vegetation trimming may be necessary.

Exempt Status:

- Ministerial Project (Sec. 21080[b][1]; 15268) []
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080[b][3]; 15269[a]) []
Emergency Project (Sec. 21080[b][4]; 15269[b][c]) []
Categorical Exemption (Sec. 15301(c)) [X]
General Rule of Applicability (Sec. 15061[b][3]) []
Other Statutory Exemption (Sec.) []

Reasons why project is exempt: The activity involves the repair and minor alteration of existing public
facilities with negligible or no expansion of existing use pursuant to Article 19, Section, Section 15301(c)
of the CEQA Guidelines.

If filed by applicant:

- 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? [] Yes [] No

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: January 23, 2024 Title: Senior Planner

Contra Costa County Department of Conservation and Development

- [X] Signed by Lead Agency [] Signed by Applicant


AFFIDAVIT OF FILING AND POSTING

I declare that on _____ I received and posted this notice as required by California Public Resources Code Section 21152(c). Said notice will remain posted for 30 days from the filing date.

Signature

Title

Applicant

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255 Glacier Drive
Martinez, CA 94553
Attn: Izaak Tompkins 
Environmental Services Division
Phone: (925) 313-2176

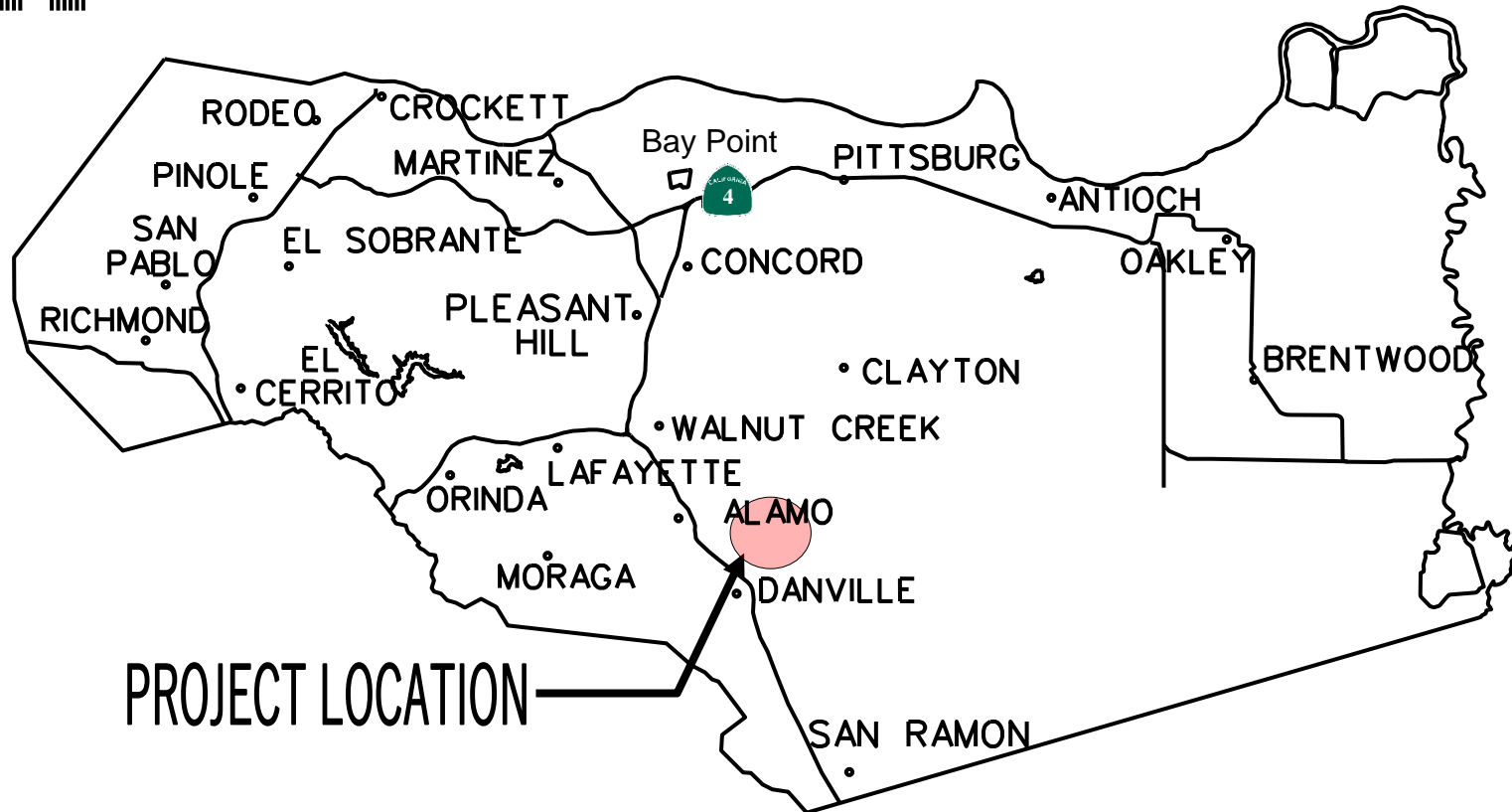
Department of Fish and Wildlife Fees Due

- De Minimis Finding - \$0
- County Clerk - \$50
- Conservation and Development - \$25

Total Due: \$75

Receipt #: _____

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ATTACHMENT 1: PROJECT LOCATION MAP

Miranda Avenue Safe Routes to School

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PROJECT VICINITY MAP - CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

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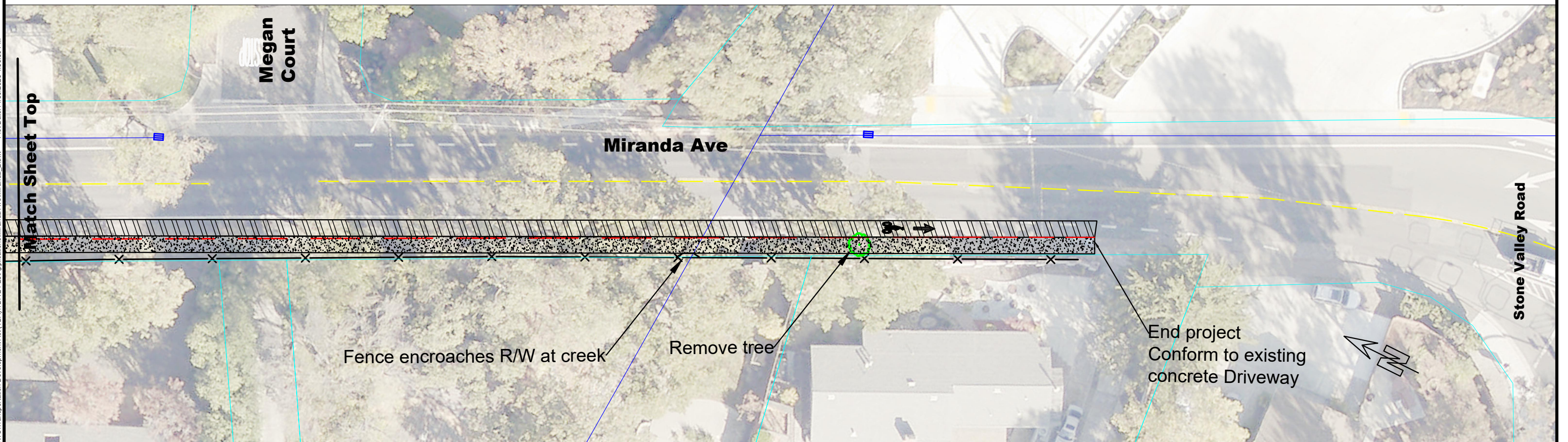
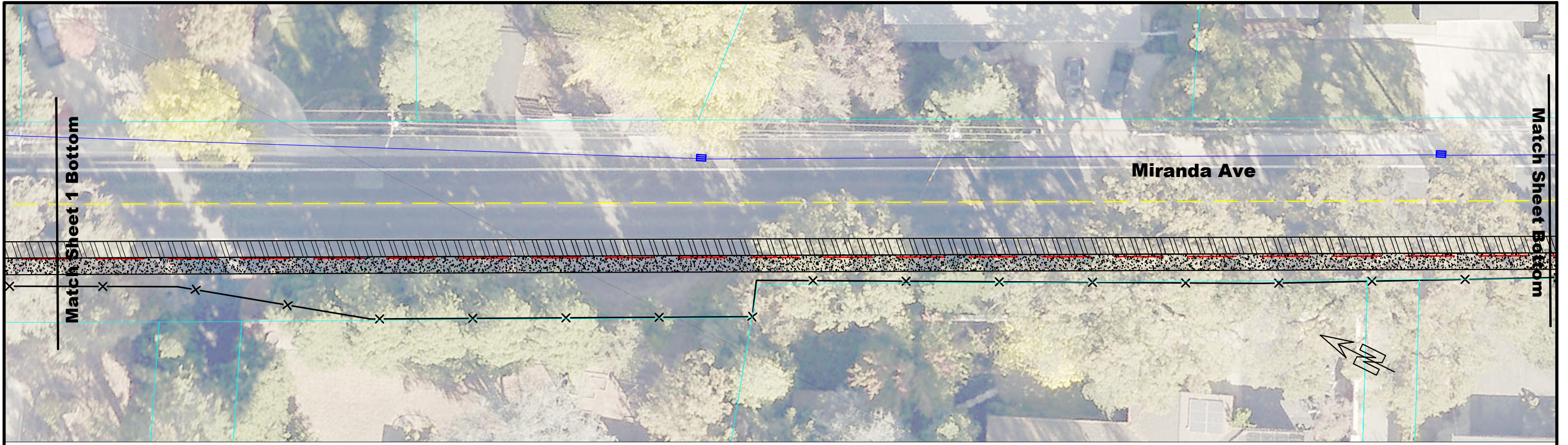
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PRELIMINARY PLAN
Miranda Avenue Safe Routes to School
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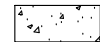
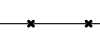




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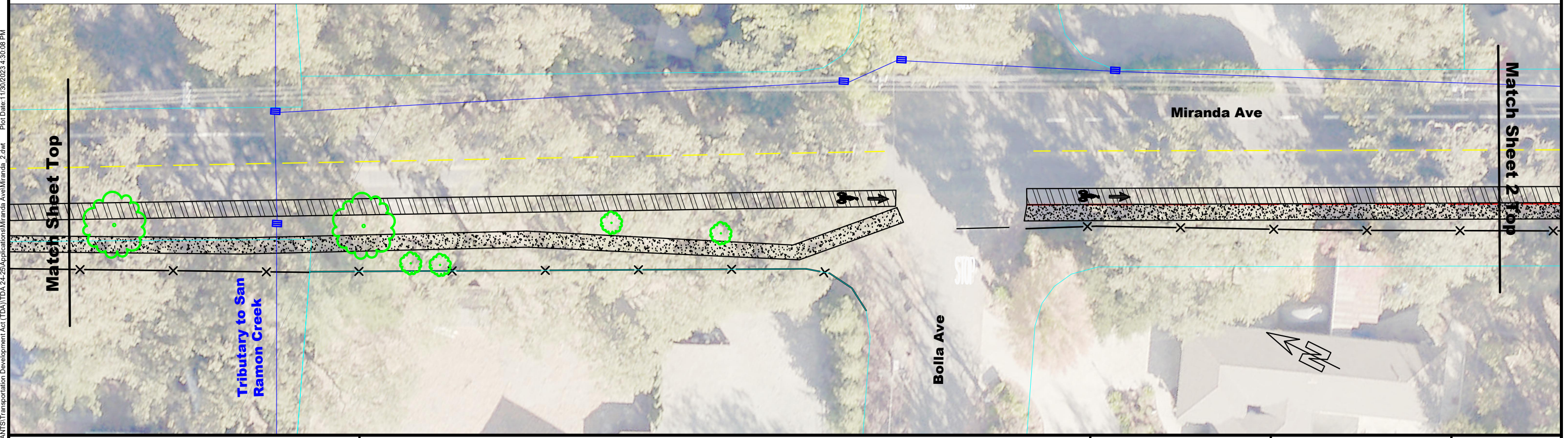
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LEGEND

-  Restore existing bike lane
-  Proposed pedestrian path at grade
-  Existing fence
-  Asphalt berm
-  Existing road centerline
-  Existing drainage
-  Existing tree




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