HILLSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
ALAMEDA COUNTY UNINCORPORATED AREAS SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PLAN

PROJECT OVERVIEW

Hillside Elementary School is located in San Lorenzo, California, and is part of the San Lorenzo Unified School District. In 2016-17 there were 479 students enrolled at Hillside Elementary School. An on-site walk audit was conducted on Monday morning, May 1st, 2017 with Office Manager Cynthia Flemister, Patrick Gilster (F&P), Carrie Modi (F&P), and Natalie Chyba (F&P).

ISSUES & CONCERNS

PRIORITY

1. Poor yielding at the Marcella Street midblock crosswalk
2. Poor pedestrian facilities at the Marcella Street/159th Avenue intersection
3. Severe congestion along Marcella Street during pickup/drop-off

GENERAL

1. Poor utilization of existing facilities

COLLISION HISTORY

1. Pedestrian-involved collisions due to vehicles not yielding to pedestrians and pedestrians in the road
2. Bicycle collisions reported along E. 14th St

PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS

PRIORITY

P1. Marcella Street Raised Midblock Crosswalk Project
Addresses Issue(s): Priority 1
Marcella Street/159th Avenue intersection improvements, including curb extensions, advanced stop bars, and high-visibility ladder striping at all approaches, including along the south approach.

P2. Marcella Street/159th Avenue intersection improvements, including curb extensions, advanced stop bars, and high-visibility ladder striping at all approaches, including along the south approach.
Addresses Issue(s): Priority 1

GENERAL

G1. Implement a one-way onsite loading zone within the existing staff parking lot. As a long term project, consider an onsite loading loop as an extension of the existing staff parking lot.
Addresses Issue(s): General 1

G2. Bicycle User Education Program
Addresses Issue(s): Collision 2

G3. School district to continue feasibility study of additional parking and drop-off.
Addresses Issue(s): General 3

KEY METRICS AT-A-GLANCE

300 (201) AM(PM) Peak Hour Pedestrians at Major Intersection Access
5 (3) AM(PM) Peak Hour Bicycles at Major Intersection Access

Crossing Guard
None

No Planned Funding
Planned School Funding

Reported Collisions 2009-2014