







# PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

### THEMES

- 1. NATURALISTIC ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION
- 2. PREHISTORIC NATIVE AMERICAN
- 3. HISTORIC JOHN SUTTER

## NATURAL AREAS

- RIPARIAN CORRIDOR RESTORATION WITH SEASONAL WETLANDS, NATIVE PLANTINGS,
- AND COARSE WOODY DEBRIS ON-SITE ELDERBERRY (VELB) MITIGATION
- OPEN SPACE WITH NATIVE GRASS RESTORATION, WILDLIFE VIEWING, AND FORAGING HABITAT WITH WILDLIFE ENHANCEMENTS
- PERENNIAL PLANTING AND SOME WOODY SHRUBS AT LANDFILL (3- TO 18-FEET DEEP)
- NATIVE PLANTINGS TO SCREEN INTERSTATE 80 AND RAILROAD TRACKS POCKET PLANTINGS OF TREES
- NEST BOXES (E.G., BARN OWL, BATS) "RAIN GARDENS", TO CATCH RUN-OFF FROM HARDSCAPE AREAS

#### TRAILS

- NATIVE POLLINATOR GARDEN TRAIL (E.G., HUMMINGBIRDS, BEES)
- SELF-GUIDED NATURE TRAILS FOR WILDLIFE OBSERVATION AND RELAXING WALKS VIEW LOOP TRAIL
- RIPARIAN LOOP TRAIL, WITH ELDERBERRY PLANTINGS (FOR VELB), AND CONNECTION TO RIVER
- PARKING AND RIVER ACCESS FOR BOAT LAUNCHING (HAND CARRIED CRAFT ONLY) ACCESS TO THE AMERICAN RIVER BIKE TRAIL

### AMENITIES

- SMALL VISITORS CENTER (WITH AMPHITHEATER, CAMPFIRE PIT, SMALL SHADE STRUCTURE, PICNIC BENCHES) NATIVE AMERICAN HORTICULTURAL PLANTINGS AND INTERPRETATION
- CREATIVE PLAY AREAS NATURAL PLAYGROUNDS (E.G., MOUNDS, BOULDERS)
- PICNICKING SITES WITH TABLES UNDER THE SHADE OF OAK TREES AND NEAR THE RIVER
- RESTROOMS SHADE STRUCTURES
- BENCHES AND REFLECTIVE SITTING AREAS
- ENHANCE SKATE PARK AREA ENHANCE DOG PARK AREA

#### NATIVE PLANTS TREES

ACER NEGUNDO / BOX ELDER FRAXINUS LATIFOLIA / OREGON ASH QUERCUS WISLIZENII / INTERIOR LIVE OAK QUERCUS LOBATA / VALLEY OAK

- ROSA CALIFORNICA / CALIFORNIA WILD ROSE **RUBUS URSINUS / CALIFORNIA BLACKBERRY** SAMBUCUS MEXICANA / ELDERBERRY
- **GRASSES / WILDFLOWERS**
- BROMUS CARINATUS / CALIFORNIA BROME CAREX BARBARAE / SANTA BARBARA SEDGE
- CLARKIA SPECIES / CLARKIA
- ESCHSCHOLZIA CALIFORNICA / CALIFORNIA POPPY
- HORDEUM BRACHYANTHERUM SPP. CALIFORNICUM / CALIFORNIA MEADOW BARLEY LEYMUS TRITICOIDES / CREEPING WILDRYE
- LUPINUS SPECIES / LUPINE

## LEGEND

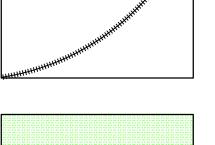
**GRASSLAND - WILDLIFE HABITAT ENHANCEMENT** 

UPLAND - RIPARIAN NATIVE HABITAT

BIOSWALE

CLASS 1 BIKE TRAIL





FOOT TRAIL - PHASE 1

FOOT TRAIL - FUTURE PHASE

PROJECT LIMIT

EXISTING RAILROAD TRACKS

EXISTING GRASSLANDS

