

San Francisco Bay Trail Project

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**TO:** Bay Trail Steering Committee

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**RE:** SR 37 Public Access Study

Via SB1 grant funds and the Bay Area Regional Collaborative (BARC), a consultant team has been hired

• Establish baseline conditions of public lands, open space, water recreation, and trail facilities within the San Pablo Baylands between Highway 101 and I-80

to prepare the "San Pablo Baylands Public Access Scoping Report." The report will:

- Identify opportunities and constraints for land and water-based trails and recreation between Highway 101 and I-80
- Identify sensitive habitats by type and location and ways to protect them through careful siting and design of trails and public access
- Provide Bay Trail alignment options detailed enough to inform the SR 37 environmental review process

The consultant team is at the midway point in their effort. They will provide an update on the study and seek feedback from the Steering Committee.



SR 37 Public Access Study Area