HIGHWAYS TO BOULEVARDS REGIONAL STUDY

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) is leading the *Highways to Boulevards Regional Study* to address past harms caused by the past rapid expansion of the freeway system and other major transportation projects that created physical barriers that divided communities and resulted in amplified racial inequities across the region.

Through the study, SCAG will identify opportunities to reconnect communities by removing, retrofitting, or mitigating transportation facilities such as highways or railways that create barriers to community connectivity, including mobility, access, and economic development. The Study will strategically position Southern California communities to advance these projects.

The study area includes the entire six-county SCAG region, including Imperial, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Ventura counties.

STUDY GOALS

> Offer a path for communities to reknit by removing, retrofitting or mitigating divisive transportation facilities so that what remains is a better fit for the context of their surroundings and serves all people.

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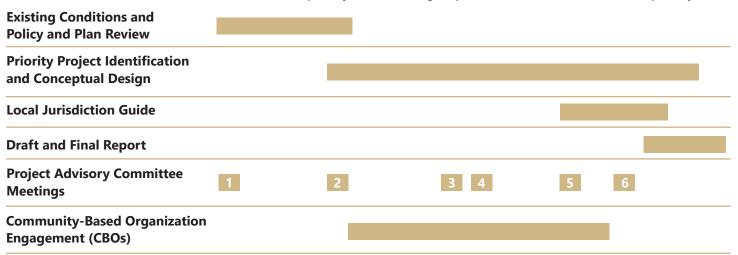
- Provide a framework to identify and evaluate potential transportation facilities to reconnect communities and provide more multi-modal travel options.
- Focus on facilities that intersect with Priority Equity Communities.
- Preserve local communities and create opportunities for safer and healthier communities.
- > Position the region to compete for federal funds.

2025

TIMELINE

2024

Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun



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