

LONG BEACH RIVERLINK

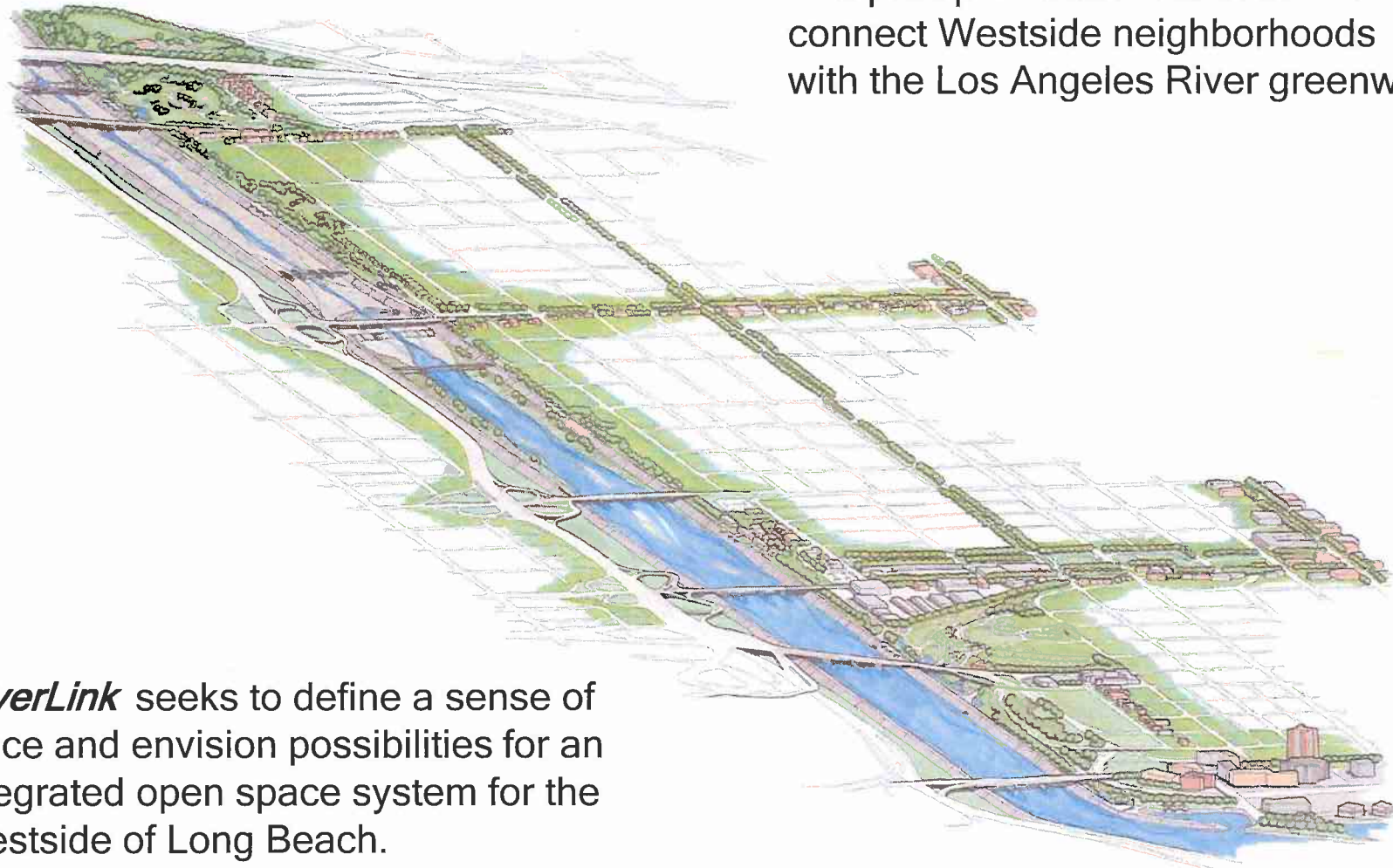
RIVERLINK GENESIS

- January 2003: P,R & M Contracted With San Pedro Bay Estuary Project and Cal Poly Pomona's "606 Studio" Engaged
- Project Team Conducted Community Meetings, Outreach Sessions, and Charettes
- June 2003: RiverLink Presented to City
- Reviewed by Design Professionals and Additional Community Meetings Held
- April 2005: RiverLink Approved in Concept by Parks & Recreation Commission, With Staff Suggested Revisions



VISION

The plan provides a framework to connect Westside neighborhoods with the Los Angeles River greenway.

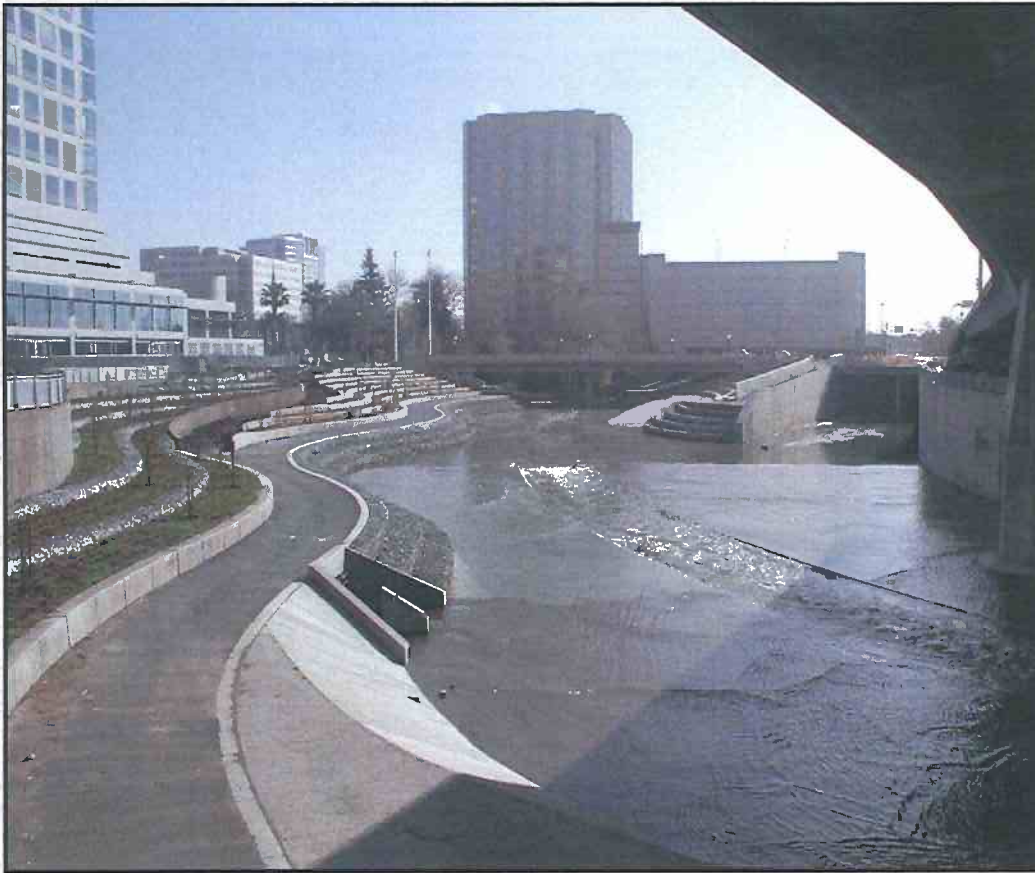


RiverLink seeks to define a sense of place and envision possibilities for an integrated open space system for the Westside of Long Beach.

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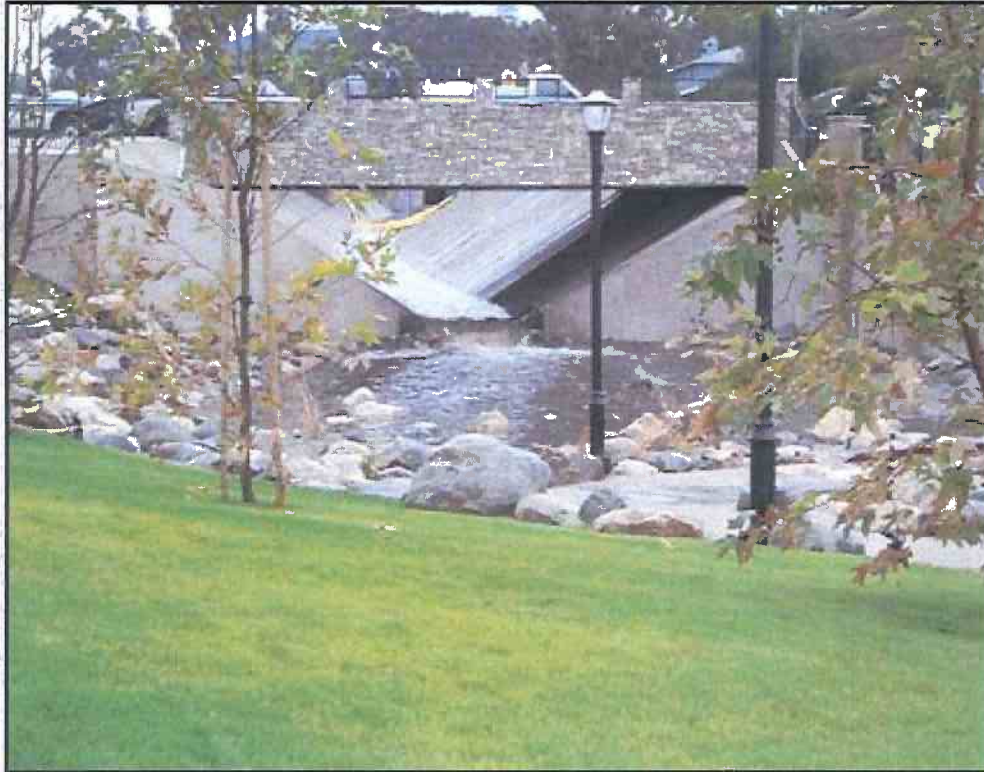


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Guadalupe River Trail Park, San Jose, CA

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Buena Vista Creek, Vista, CA

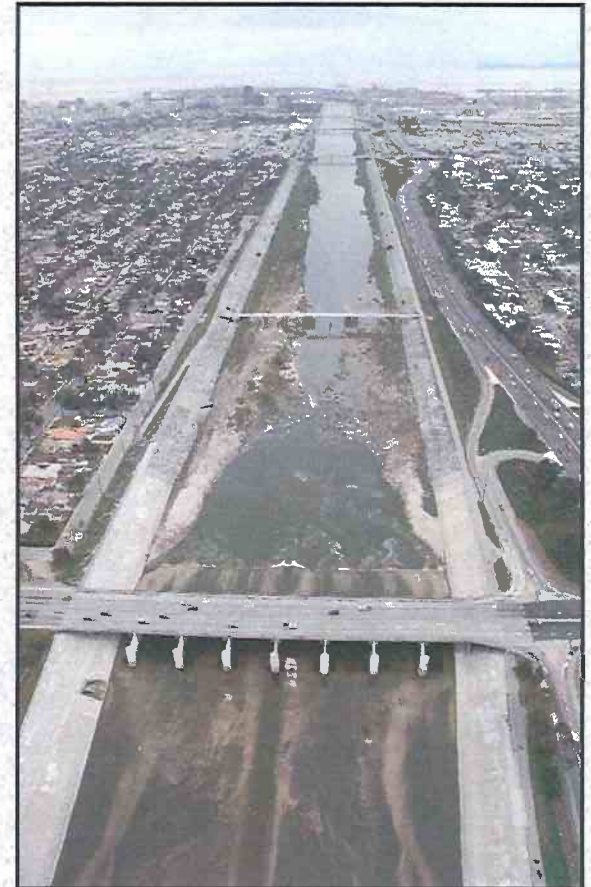
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White River Canal, Indianapolis, IN

RIVERLINK GOALS

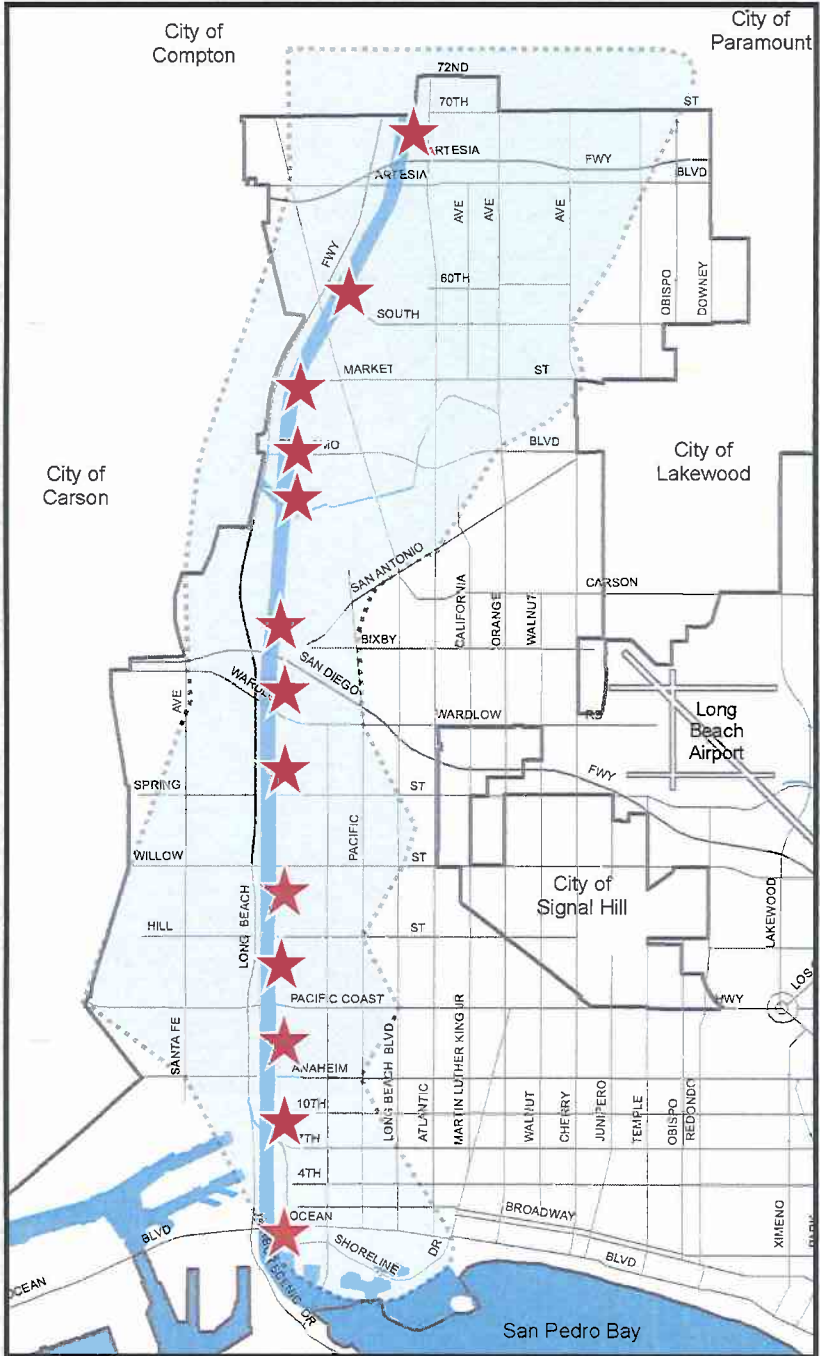
- To identify areas for the acquisition of additional open space
- To identify ways to connect City residents to the River
- To identify locations along the River where native habitats could be restored
- To improve the aesthetics of the River and the City



RIVERLINK COMPONENTS

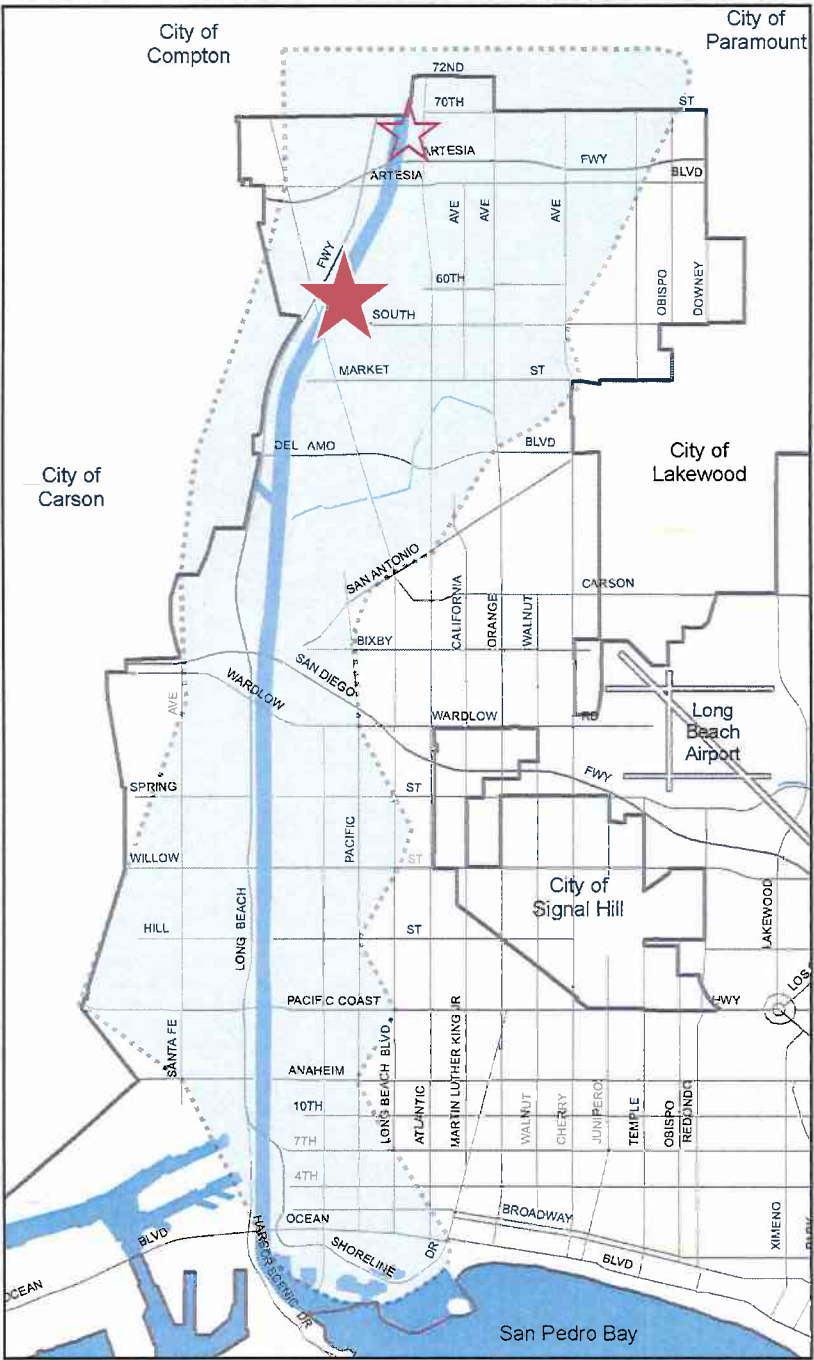


Destinations



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& Wetland

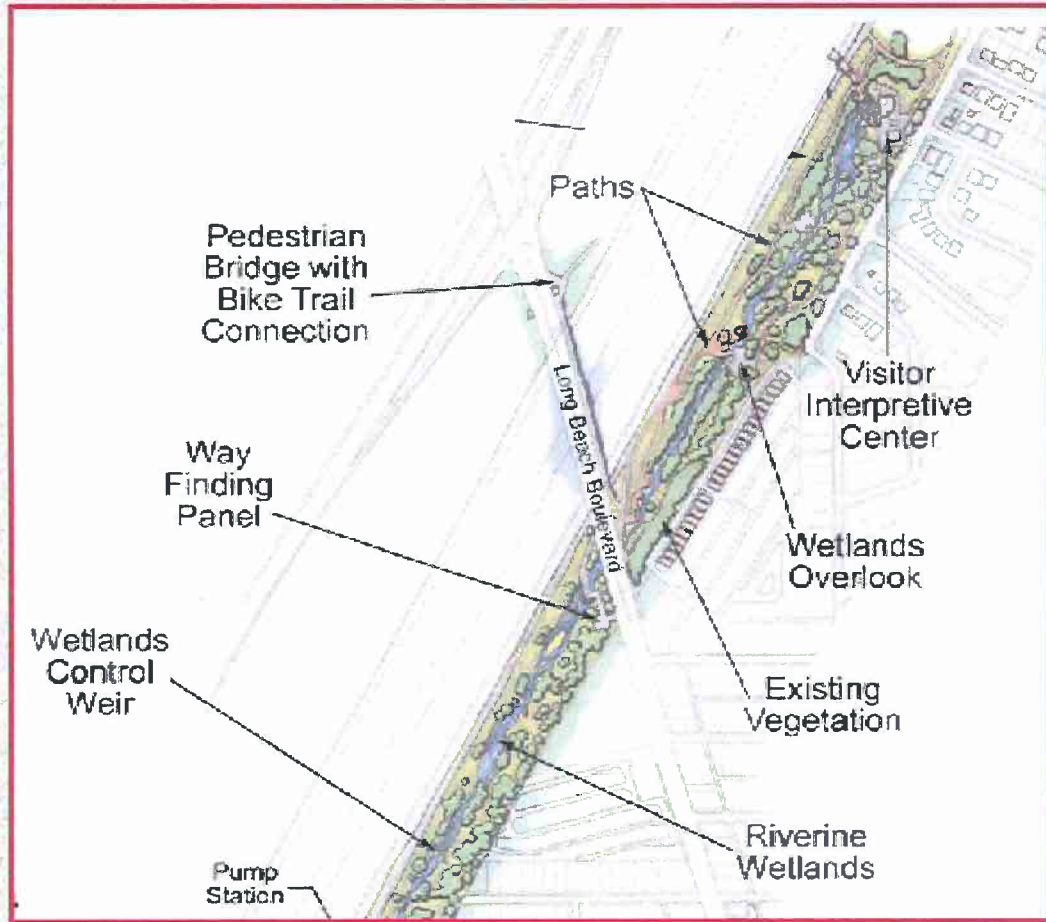


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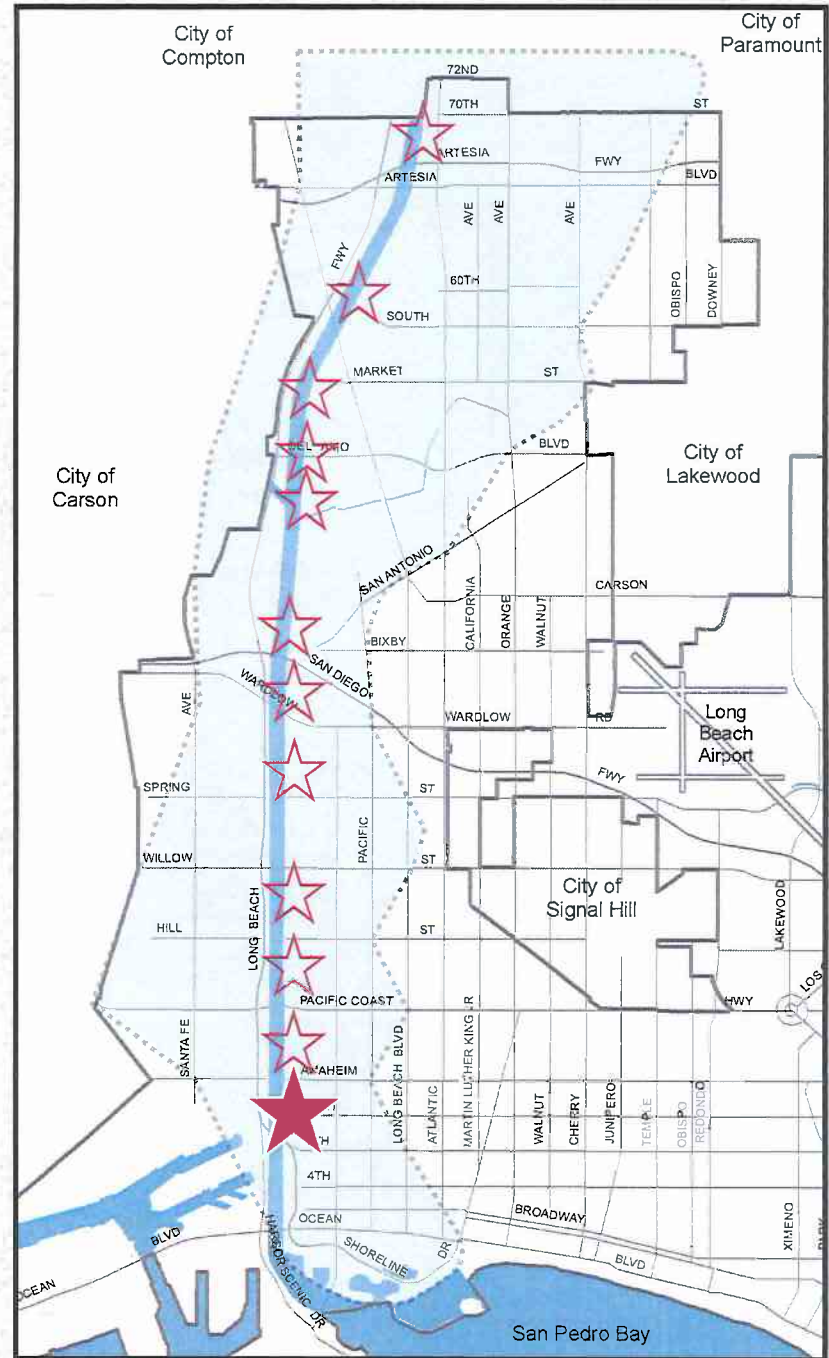
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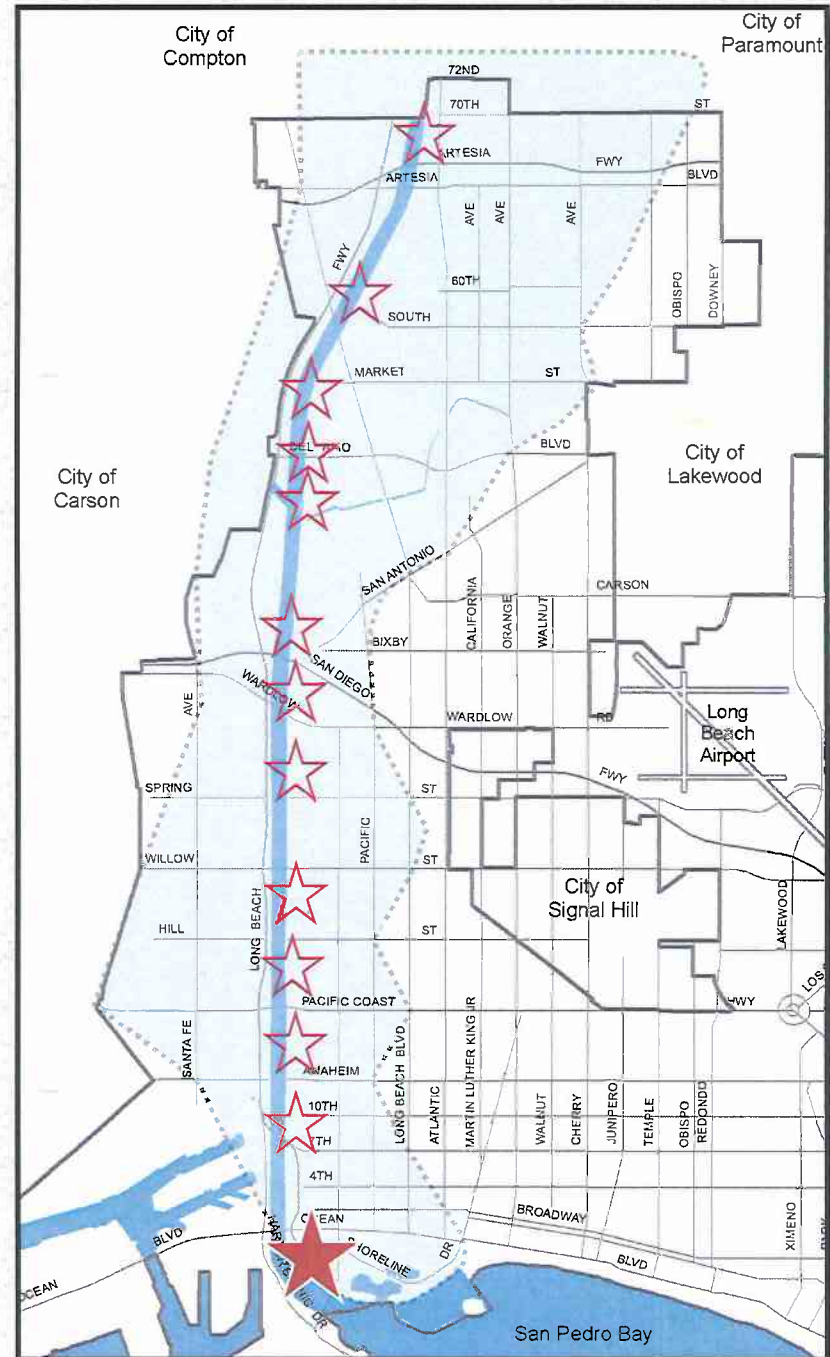
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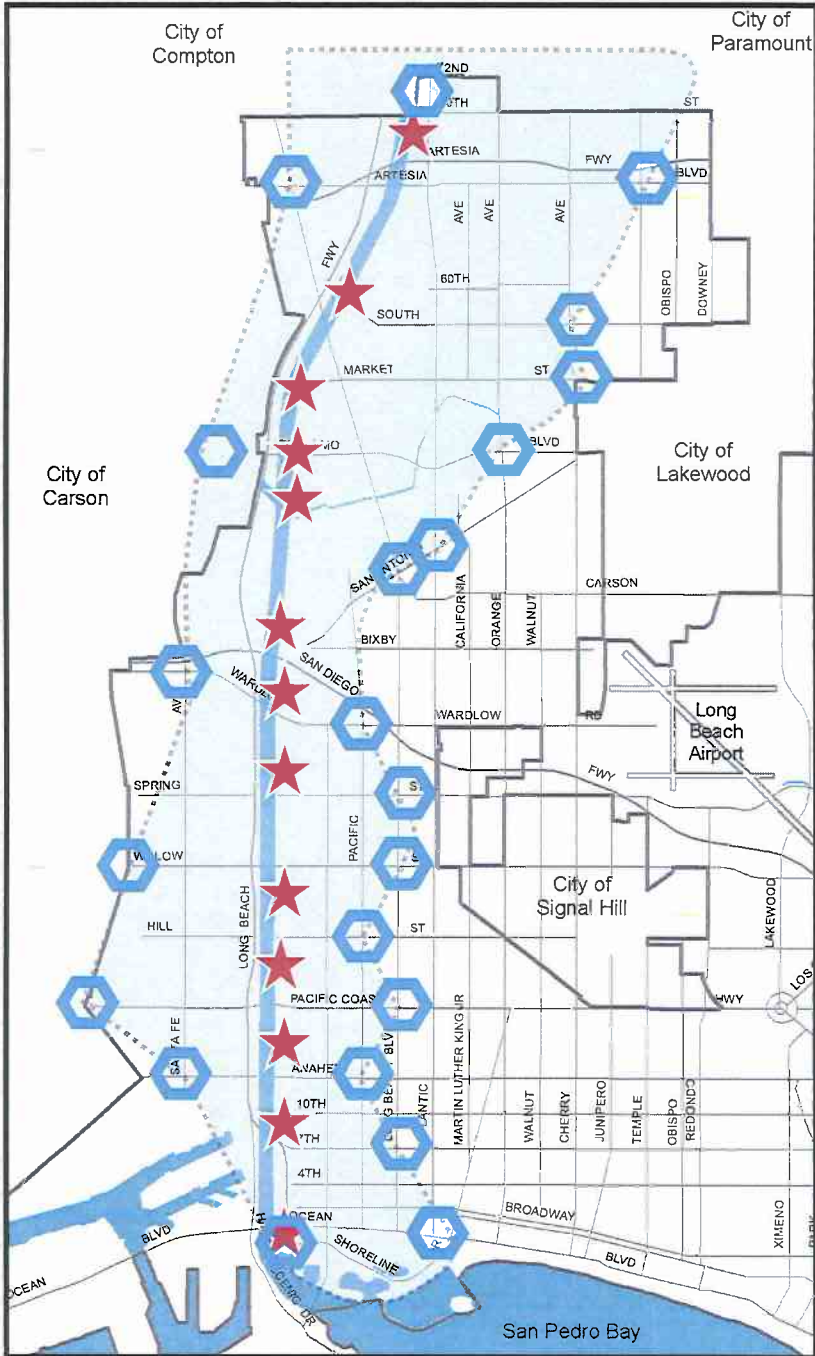
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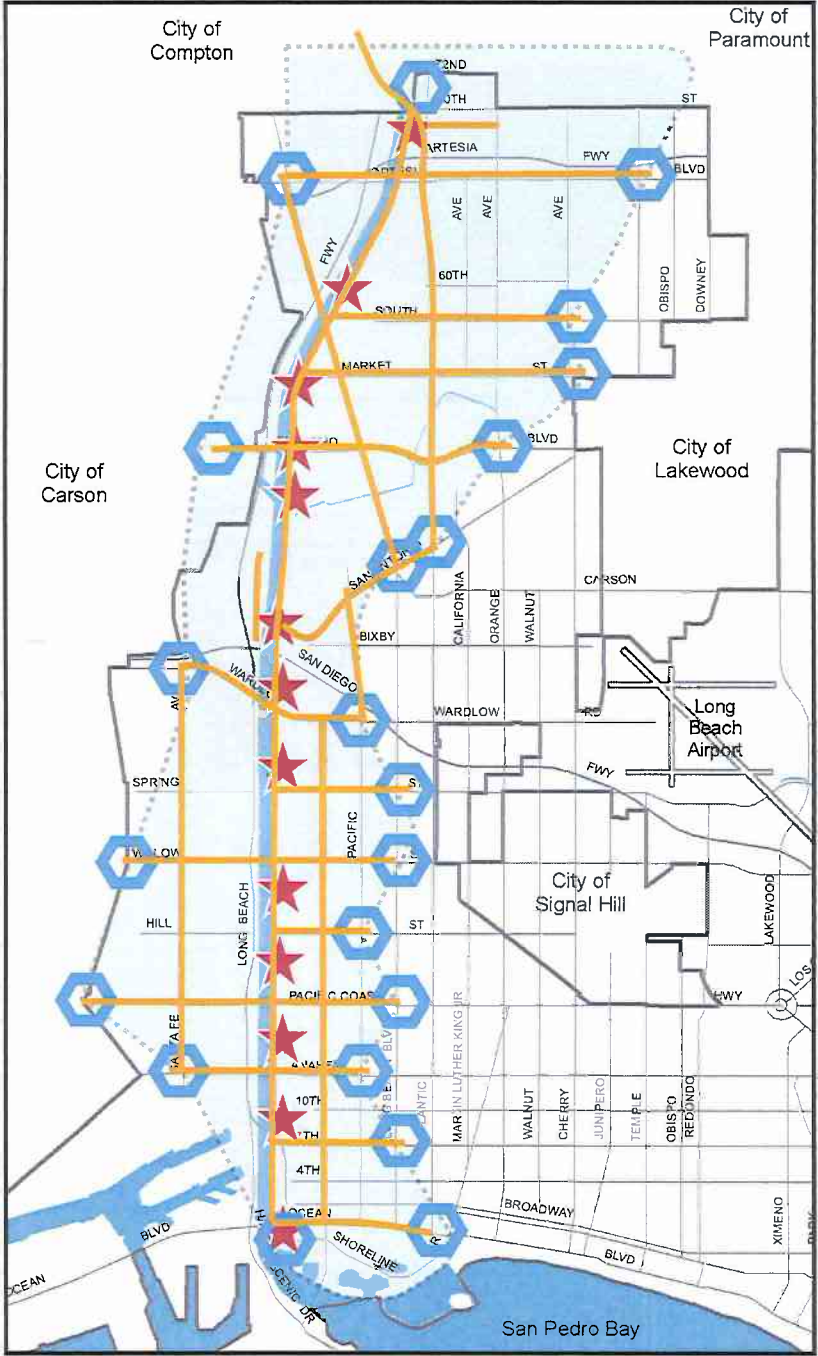


Gateways are those points where a visitor begins the journey along a pathway towards a connection and/or destination.

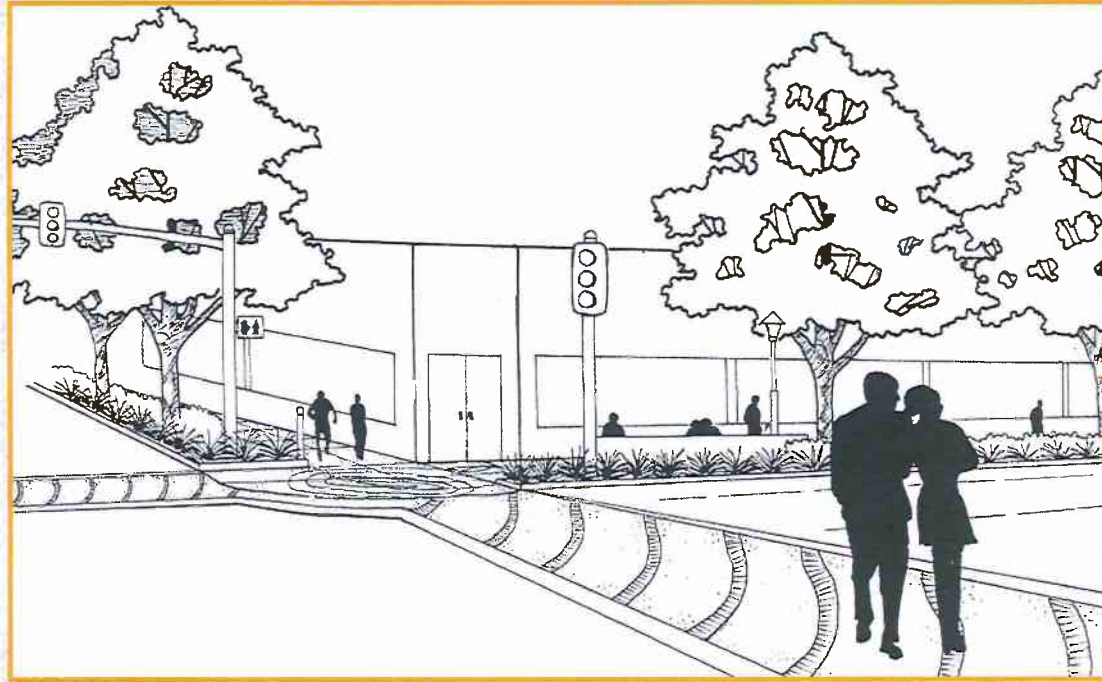
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Pathways —

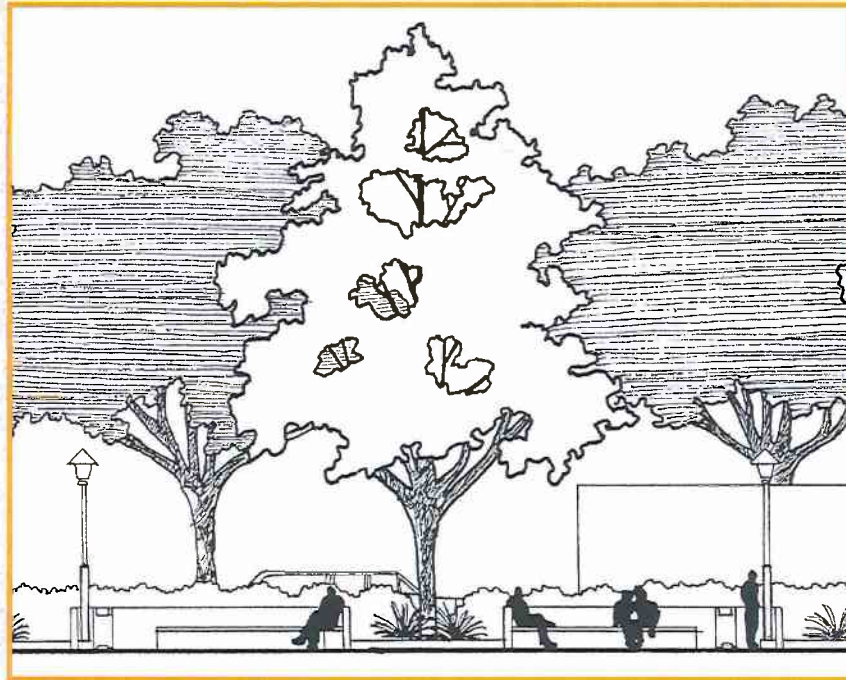


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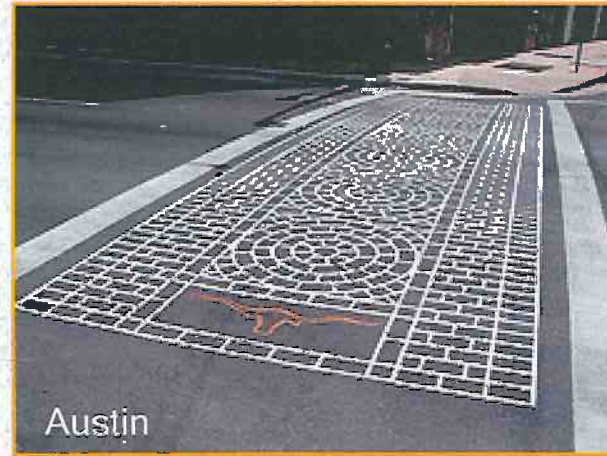
Pathways facilitate movement in and around the neighborhoods to the Los Angeles River.

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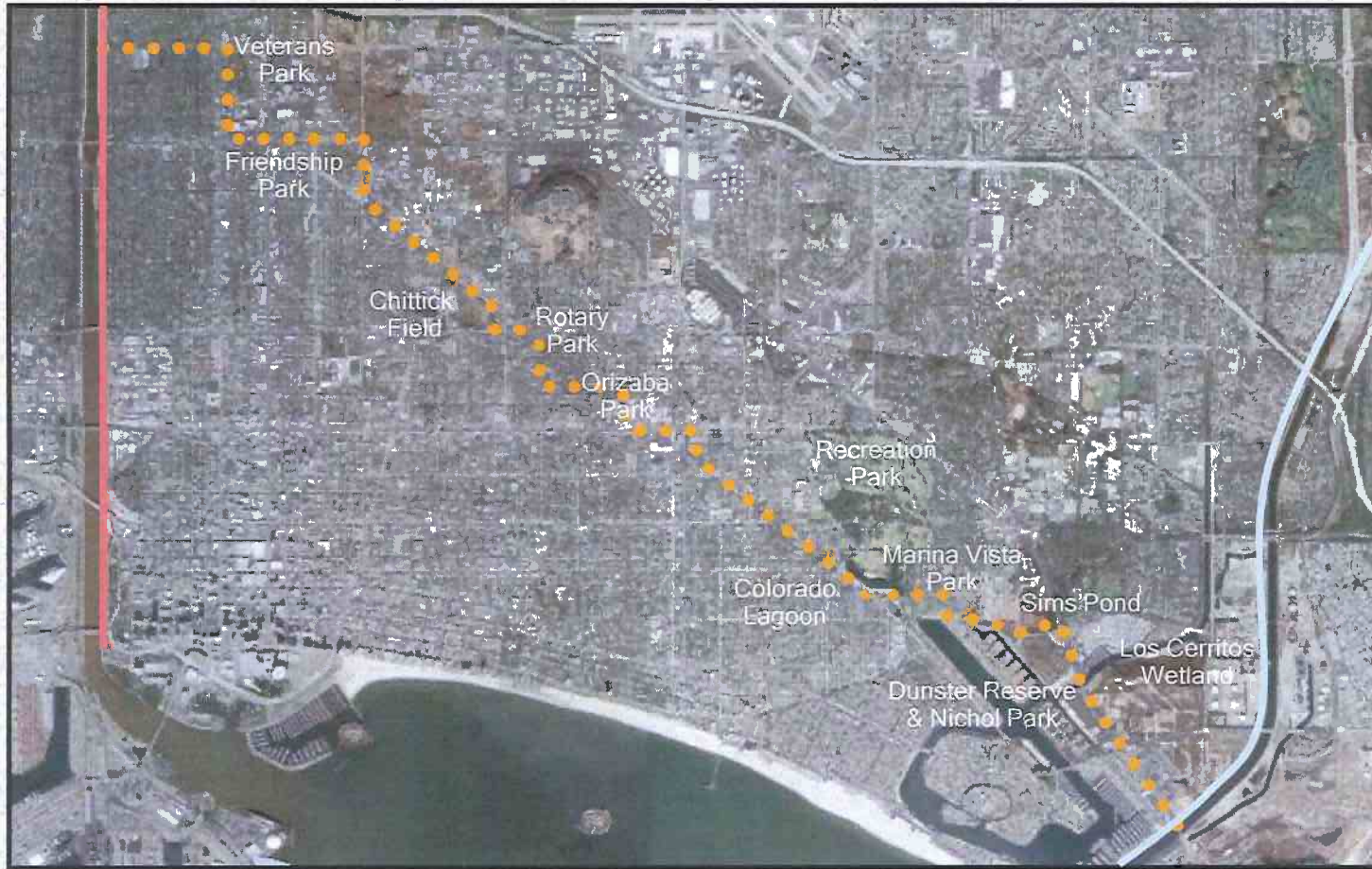


Pathways encourage pedestrian activity by providing amenity zones where people can stop and rest comfortably.

PATHWAYS



PATHWAYS: CITYLINKS



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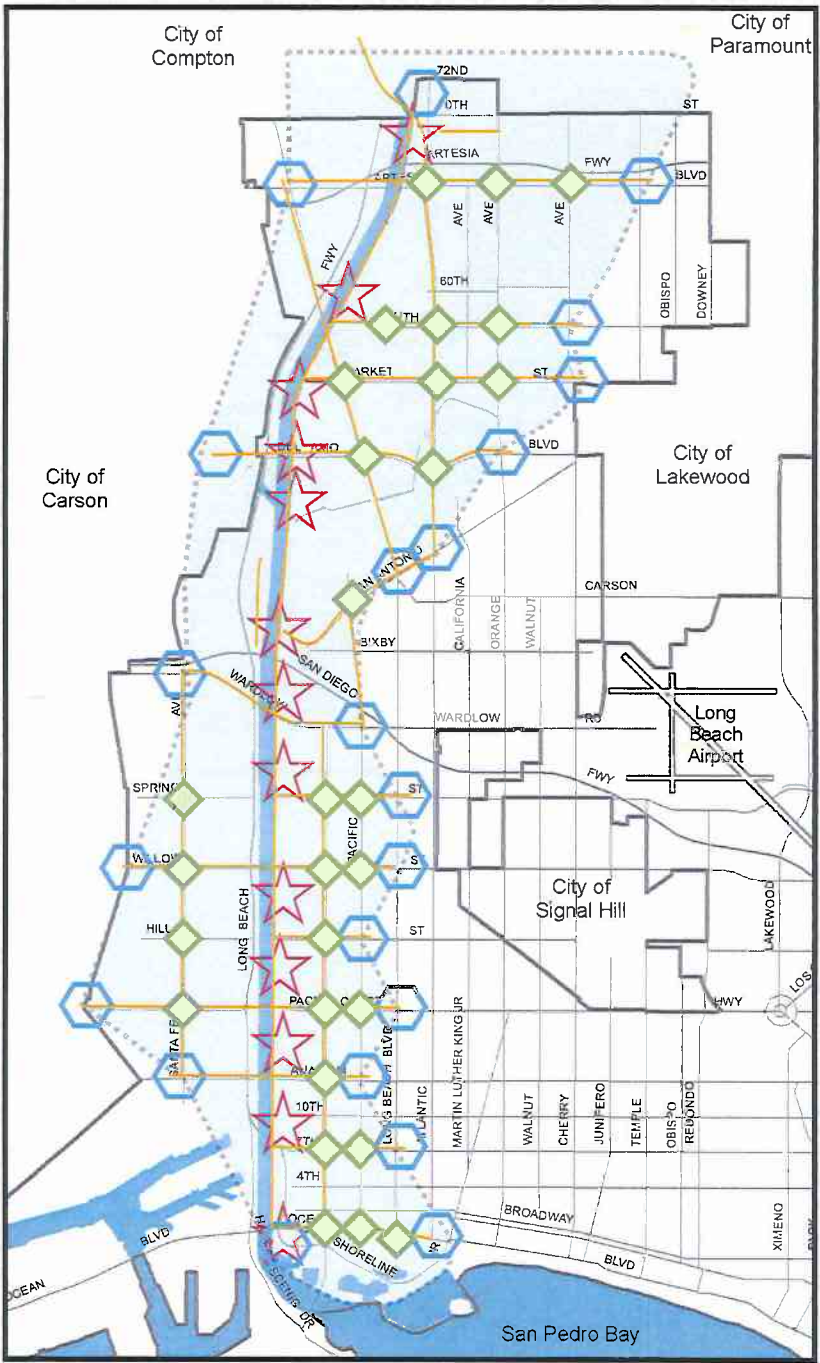


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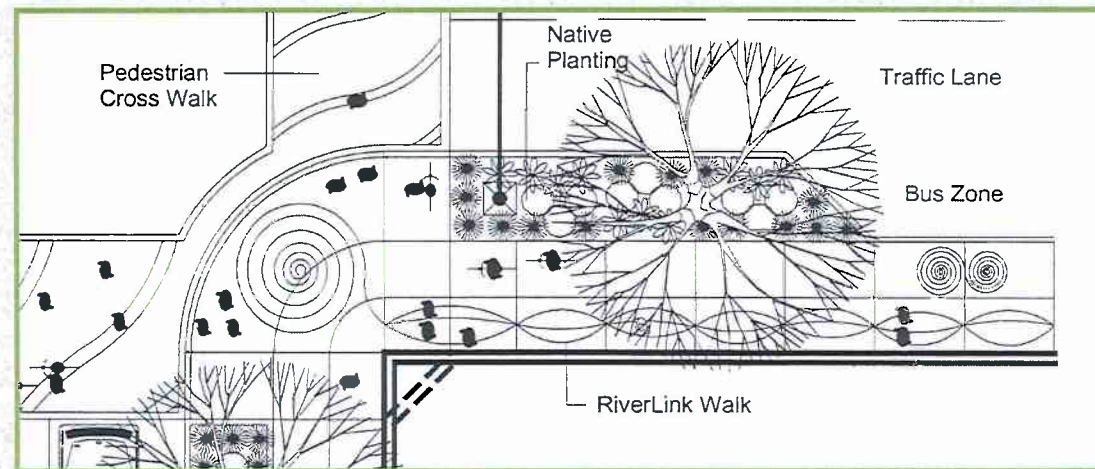
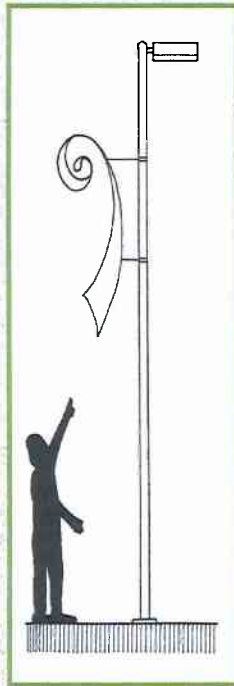
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Connections 

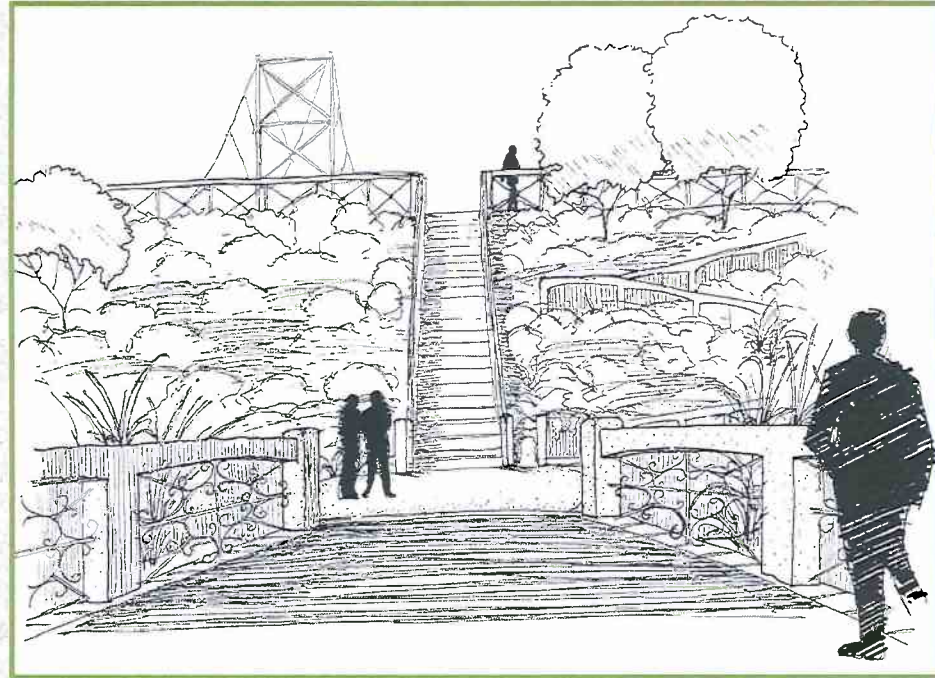


CONNECTIONS



Connections link pathways together. Enhancements signify areas of collection and then movement further along in the system.

CONNECTIONS



Connections along the greenway provide universal access to the Los Angeles River, and improve the public perception of safety.



Completed RiverLink Projects

- Dominguez Gap – 2008
- Wrigley Heights Park
 - Baker Mini-Park – 2013
 - Wrigley Dog Park – 2014



RiverLink & Related Projects In Progress

- ✓ DeForest Park & DeForest Wetlands – Out to Bid
- ✓ Wrigley Greenbelt – Final Design
- ✓ Drake Greenbelt – Soccer Fields & Greenbelt in Final Design
- ✓ Oregon Park – Final Design
- ✓ Sleepy Hollow Greenbelt – Design
- ✓ Cesar Chavez Park Expansion (710 Realignment) – Shoemaker Bridge Design RFP



Future RiverLink & Related Projects

- ✓ Edison Right-of-Way
- ✓ 67th Street Park
- ✓ Magnolia Yards
- ✓ Golden Shore Wetlands
- ✓ Del Mar Trail
- ✓ Long Beach Blvd. & 69th Street
- ✓ 72nd to Atlantic

SUMMARY



RiverLink provides a vision of integrated open space and a framework to connect Westside neighborhoods, and greater Long Beach, with the Los Angeles River.