## **Quarry Site Restoration Project**



Welcome! We will begin shortly...

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## Quarry Site Restoration Project



Virtual Community Meeting

June 3, 2021

## Purpose of the Meeting



- Introduce the proposed project and its purpose
- Present preliminary site design and conceptual visual simulations
- Receive feedback from the community

## Agenda



- Introductions
- Background
- Project Purpose and Description
- · Visual Simulations
- Next Steps
- · Q & A

### **Project Team**



#### EBMUD

- Chien Wang, P.E., Project Manager
- Jeni McGregor, P.E., Senior Engineer
- David Rehnstrom, P.E., Division Manager
- Lindsay Edelman, Community Affairs

### Consultants

- Woodard & Curran
- Terraphase
- RHAA

### **EBMUD Water System**





## EBMUD Pipeline Replacements and Trench Soils



- EBMUD is proactively replacing its pipelines to improve water service, reduce water loss and the number of pipeline breaks in the service area
- Trench soils are excavated soil and rock generated by pipeline construction and repair work



## **Project Purpose**



 Acquire a permanent pipeline trench soils storage site that allows long-term beneficial re-use



### **Quarry Site Restoration Project Location**



## **Quarry Aerial**



## **Quarry Aerial Views**





NORTH-EAST VIEW

**Quarry Site Photos** 



# Quarry Site Interim Trench Soil Operations



- Clean trench soils from EBMUD pipeline replacement activities would be transported to the Quarry Site within the EBMUD service area
- Trench soils would be placed according to a phased Quarry Site fill plan and compacted to stable slopes

## Preliminary Quarry Site Restoration Plan



- The proposed Project would:
  - Restore the Quarry Site with approximately 3.6 million cubic yards of clean trench soils
  - Take approximately 40-80 years to restore the Quarry Site assuming a future 40-mile per year pipeline replacement rate
  - Include interim phases to allow restoration opportunities before final restoration

# Quarry Site Interim Trench Soil Operations



- Haul routes to and from the Quarry Site are still to be analyzed.
- Haul routes will likely be the most direct route from public highways to Estudillo Avenue and to Fairmont Drive and Lake Chabot Road.





## Restoration Opportunities



- Potential beneficial uses of the Quarry Site include:
  - Open space
  - Native plant restoration
  - Passive recreation (hiking trails)

## Potential Trail Connection to Fairmont Ridge Staging Area



## **Concept Site Design**



## **Concept Planting Palette**





Quercus agrifolia Coast Live Oak



Quercus Iobata Valley Oak



Escholzia californica California Poppy



Lupinus albifrons Silver Lupine



Achillea millefolium White Yarrow



Bromus carinatus California Brome



Leymus condensatus Giant Wild Rye



Vulpia microstachys Small fescue

## **Concept Viewpoints**



### **Viewpoint 1: Existing View**



### **Viewpoint 1: Proposed Concept View**



### **Viewpoint 2: Existing View**



### **Viewpoint 2: Proposed Concept View**



# Next Steps and Proposed Timeline



- Consider feedback from tonight's public meeting as the project continues to be developed
- Continue outreach with local stakeholder agencies
- Hold a second community meeting to provide a Project update in fall 2021
- Prepare an Environmental Impact Report for the Project that is scheduled to start spring/summer 2022

### **Questions and Comments**



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### Thank You



Thank you for your participation tonight.

More information and tonight's presentation can be found at the **Project Website:**<a href="https://www.ebmud.com/quarry">www.ebmud.com/quarry</a>

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