

September 25, 2024

Marcella Bothwell, MD Chair, Pacific Beach Planning Group

RE: Diamond "Slow Street" Pilot

Dear Chair Bothwell,

Thank you and the Pacific Beach Planning Group (PBPG) for your August 15, 2024 letter regarding the pilot slow street implementation of bollards on Diamond Street. Acknowledging the PBPG vote and the pilot's temporary nature, we are announcing that the bollards will be removed on September 27, 2024.

The City will utilize the results and lessons learned in future implementation of the Slow Streets Program as well as other traffic calming and Vision Zero projects. With formal and broad community input, we will develop a more comprehensive program to identify effective traffic calming measures and create a community resource toolkit. The toolkit will be designed to facilitate community–driven projects in Pacific Beach and in neighborhoods across the City.

Thank you again for the time and public meetings the PBPG has dedicated to this item. We look forward to working with the PBPG, community groups, stakeholders, experts, and neighbors on the future Slow Street Program and initiatives. Together, we can successfully prioritize safety.

Sincerely,

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