

Planning Group Name: LINDA VISTA PLANNING GROUP

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1. Please share specific infrastructure project ideas/ suggestions for your community?	Linda Vista Community Park Upgrades This project will improve park conditions to address safety and quality of life issues, including: new construction of playground structures, ground cover and replacement and updating of playground equipment.	Linda Vista Community Center Over the last two decades, the establishment of a community center has been a priority for the Linda Vista community. Recommended by CD7 in Budget Priorities Fiscal Year 2025 Memo to the IBA, September 27, 2023.	Linda Vista Library Expansion The only library in Linda Vista, \$500,000 was appropriated by Congresswoman Sara Jacobs in FY23 federal budget appropriations. The project is to expand the Linda Vista Library to include an Outdoor Learning Lab. The project needs additional funding to ensure the project proceeds.	Genesee Avenue Street Resurfacing This area is in constant disrepair with large potholes impeding traffic. Patching is no longer sufficient; the underlying drainage issues need to be resolved and the entire lane resurfaced.	Linda Vista Community Garden Infrastructure additions such as covered seating areas, picnic tables, pergolas, solar-powered lights, LV Community Garden welcome sign and outdoor weatherproof bulletin board.	John Baca Park Recommended by CD7 in Budget Priorities Fiscal Year 2025 memo to the IBA, September 27, 2023. In the summer of 2023, the City Council voted to fully fund the design of this project.	Linda Vista Dog Park This would be the community's first dog park. A site assessment should be performed by P&R to determine the feasibility of introducing an off-leash dog park at Mission Heights Park. Recommended by CD7 in Budget Priorities Fiscal Year 2025 memo to the IBA, September 27, 2023
2. Where is your suggested project located? Please provide an exact address or be as specific as possible (e.g., "Along the westside of Boundary Street between Thorn Street and Myrtle Avenue."	Linda Vista Recreation Center 7064 Levant Street	A site on City-owned land has been identified at the corner of Comstock Street and Linda Vista Road.	Linda Vista Library 2160 Ulric Street	Genesee Avenue Between SR-163 Offramps	Linda Vista Community Park 7064 Levant Street	Linda Vista Road and Comstock Street	Mission Heights Neighborhood Park 1716 Westinghouse Street
3. How will this project positively impact the community?	Updating this well-attended community park will greatly improve park conditions and provide an enhanced experience for residents.	Stated in the 2004 LV PFFP as Project R1. This facility will provide a public facility and community center in a low to moderate income community within a redevelopment project area.	The Linda Vista Library was opened in 1987 and is a 10,000 square foot facility. This project would expand the library and provide additional learning opportunities for children and adults.	This is a major thoroughfare for the Linda Vista Community. Properly repairing the street would improve traffic flows and greatly reduce wear and tear on vehicles, saving the community and the City time and money.	This Community garden provides raised garden bed rentals beds for low-and-middle income LV residents; shared communal plots for seniors; ADA-compliant raised beds; production gardens for Bayside Community Center to grow food that will be distributed through weekly food distributions; and an educational area for classes and programming.	Project in progress. Additional funding provides for the development of a General Development Plan, design, and construction of improvements at the existing structure. Proposed improvements include play equipment, shade structures, picnic and game tables, ADA facilities and playground equipment.	Dogs parks bring people of all walks of life together in a space where they can form bonds and friendships. For dogs, especially ones whose owners work long hours, regular dog park visits can provide an outlet to expend stored energy.
4. Project Category	Parks and Play Areas	Other	Library	Public Safety	Parks and Play Areas	Parks and Play Areas	Parks and Play Areas

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<p>Genesee Avenue Widening Between SR-163 Offramps</p> <p>This project would provide for three eastbound through lanes on Genesee, and two through lanes and two right-turn lanes on the westbound approach on Genesee.</p>	<p>Stop Sign Installation</p> <p>This project provides for an additional safety measure for pedestrian and vehicular traffic.</p>	<p>Musical Playground</p> <p>Provides for a park area comprised of outdoor music instruments such as piano keys, bells, drums, chimes, and xylophones.</p>	<p>Linda Vista Public Art</p> <p>The LV Community Plan (LVCP), page 105, states that "a landmark element, such as a fountain, plaza, tower, public art, or other architectural feature should be encouraged at the northwest corner of Linda Vista Road and Ulric Street."</p>	<p>Linda Vista Community Markers</p> <p>This project would provide for community markers or monuments similar to the iconic styles of the Hillcrest, North Park, and Little Italy neighborhood signs, not only for the heart of Linda Vista but other areas in the community such as the Morena District.</p>	<p>Kelly Street Neighborhood Park Upgrades Recommended by CD7 in Budget Priorities Fiscal Year 2025 memo to the IBA, September 27, 2023. This park is recommended for having its plan and design upgraded to fund the construction of much needed upgrades.</p>	<p>Radar Speed Signs</p> <p>This project is recommended by the Linda Vista Community Planning Group due to traffic accidents and fatalities that have occurred due to vehicles traveling at the high rate of speed and crashing into pedestrians.</p>	<p>Community Programmable LED Marquee</p> <p>This project would provide for informing pedestrians and vehicular traffic of important local information and events.</p>	<p>Joint-Use Parks and Playgrounds Linda Vista would like to expand park and playground facilities by entering into joint-use agreements with schools located within the community.</p>
Genesee Avenue Between SR-163 Offramps	Hyatt and Judson Streets	Existing Linda Vista park or a location to be determined.	Throughout the Linda Vista Community	At vital points in the Linda Vista Community such as Linda Vista Road between Comstock and Ulric and Morena Boulevard at Sherman Street.	Kelly Street Neighborhood Park	Genesee Avenue from 163 off ramps to Marlesta Avenue, and other designated locations to be determined.	Linda Vista Road in front of the Linda Vista Shopping Center	Joint use recreation facilities provide additional recreational space by designating school sites for community recreational use during non-school hours.
Stated in the 2004 LV PFFP as Project T17. This project would improve traffic flow in the Linda Vista and Serra Mesa Communities.	This project is recommended in an effort to improve safety for pedestrians and vehicular traffic at this intersection.	Outdoor music environments benefit the entire community. Playing music with others fosters deep listening, respect, a sense of belonging, and builds community. Playing music builds confidence, encourages creativity and self-expressions.	The LV Community Plan (LVCP), page 105, states that "a landmark element, such as a fountain, plaza, tower, public art, or other architectural feature should be encouraged at the northwest corner of Linda Vista Road and Ulric Street." This community request is for public art THROUGHOUT the community.	The LV Community Plan (LVCP) states on page 3, "The community suffers from ... poor name identification." This project would provide for community identification signs as stated in the LVCP, page 105.	Linda Vista community members have been working with the City and approved the redesign of the Kelly Park. Improvements include new entrances, walkways, lighting, playground equipment and a new comfort station.	Critical to increase safety to slow down the speed of traffic. This specific area has experienced vehicular and pedestrian fatalities due to high rate of speeding vehicles.	This project would provide a tool to inform the community of updated local news information and events. Marquees capture attention and convey information effectively and allow for custom messaging.	Existing joint use facilities in the City have resulted in shared use of multi-purpose courts, turfed playfields, lighted and unlighted multi-purpose sports fields, children's play areas and parking lots.
Regionally Serving Infrastructure	Public Safety	Other	Other	Other	Parks and Play Areas	Public Safety	Other	Parks and Play Areas