8.1 - Berryessa Flea Market Status Report

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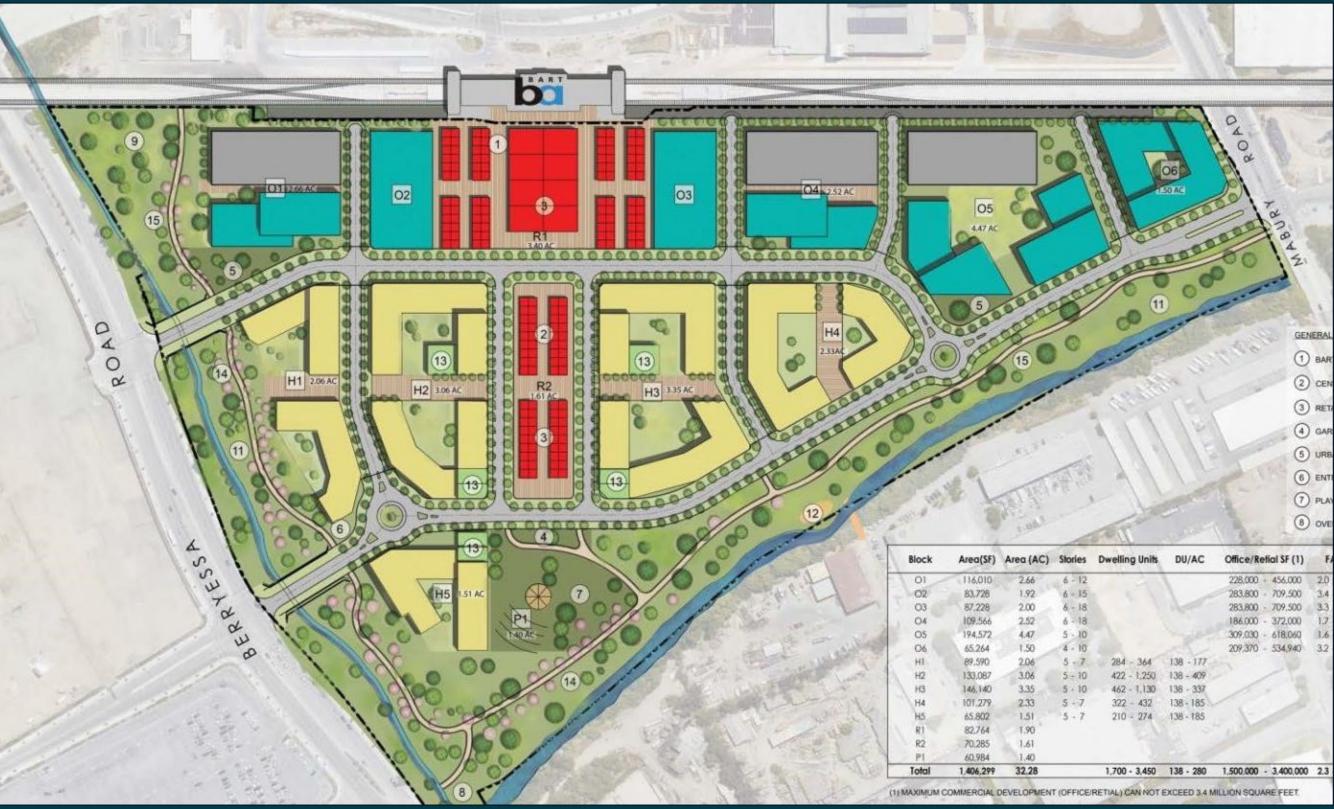




Background



June 29, 2021: Council approved the Flea Market Southside Rezoning Project, including various provisions intended to support the vendors





City Council Direction - June 2021

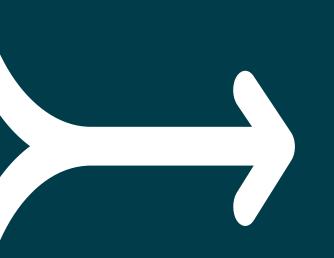
5-acre, on-site Urban Market

Vendor outreach and resources

Vendor Transition Fund

Economic/feasibility studies

Flea Market Advisory Group



Support Berryessa Flea Market vendors through the redevelopment of the site





Council Direction re. Advisory Group

- Role: advise on uses of the Vendor Transition Fund, new market design and operation, and allocation of space to existing vendors; help with vendor outreach
- **Composition:** include property owner representative and supermajority of vendors (including vendor association)
- Process: engage stakeholders to draft a charter that outlines the details of the Advisory Group



Charter Provisions

Purpose:

- 1. Advise the City Administration on: 1. Allocation of the Vendor Transition Fund
- with the broader vendor community
- 3. Ensure coordination with the property owner(s) and its development partners on planning for the urban market area

2. Design, operation, and parking of the new urban market 3. Process for allocating vendor space in the new urban market

2. Assist the City administration with outreach to and engagement



Charter Provisions (Continued)

- 11 voting members: \bullet through an application process) 1 property owner representative
- Standard term of 2 years
- Meetings open to public

10 vendor representatives (inc., 6 BFVA nominees and 4 selected)

Staff runs meetings, provides language access, acts on feedback



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Next Steps

Application deadline for general vendor seats: March 27

City Manager to appoint the members to the Advisory Group, following staff evaluation

First Advisory Group target start date: mid-May



Staff Recommendation

Accept the status report on the creation of the Flea Market Advisory Group Charter

