

Chinatown Urban Greening Project

The Future of Urban Greening in Fresno

FAQ

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1. What is the Transformative Climate Communities Program?

This grant program was created to fund the development and implementation of neighborhood-level transformative climate community plans that include multiple coordinated greenhouse gas emissions reduction projects that provide local economic, environmental, and health benefits to disadvantaged communities. Through this grant program, Transform Fresno Project was implemented.

2. What is the Chinatown Urban Green Project?

Chinatown Urban Green Project is just one of the 24 projects funded under Transform Fresno. This project will install improvements to paved pedestrian facilities in Chinatown and improve active transportation and connections to the adjacent planned High-Speed Rail Station. New streetlights will be installed and improvements to existing streetlights will be added. Street trees will be planted and placed approximately every 30 feet and green alley improvements will be added to China Alley.

3. Where is the project location?

Streetlights on F Street from Fresno Street to Ventura Street. Tree planting on F Street from Fresno Street to Mariposa Street. Green alley improvements in China Alley between Kern Street and Inyo Street. Sidewalk and curb ramp reconstruction, street lighting improvements, and street trees will be located on F Street, Kern Street, and Mariposa Street.

4. How does this project benefit the community?

This project will achieve several goals including: reducing greenhouse gas emissions through carbon sequestration, installing facilities that encourage active transportation, and increasing the urban tree canopy.

5. Why does my opinion matter?

Your input and feedback will be used towards the design of the improvements.

6. What is the project timeline?

July 2020 is the start of the schematic design phase. September 2020 will be the start of the design development phase. Construction document phase starts January 2021 and construction will begin in June 2021. Project completion is schedule for October 2021.

7. Who are the project partners?

City of Fresno is the prime project partner with Dewalt Corporation as the design consultant.



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