HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Ohlone-Portolá Heritage Trail

- History of the Ohlone
  - Inhabited San Mateo County and California thousands of years prior to the Portolá expedition

- Portolá sees the San Francisco Bay
  - November 4, 1769
PARTNERSHIPS

60 Trail Partners
- Elected officials
- Federal, state, and local agencies
- Local tribe
- Non-profit organizations
- Historical associations
PROCESS • COMMITTEES AND MEETINGS

- Oversight Committees
  - Vision, Full Trail, Joint Core Planning, Interpretive, Communication, Documentary Film
- Public Engagement
  - Partners
  - On-line and in-person survey
  - Community Workshops
    - Pescadero
    - City of Pacifica
    - Town of Woodside
    - PMAC
HERITAGE TRAIL ROUTE

- Multi-use
- 90 miles, 45 miles existing
- San Mateo County Parks
  - Tunitas Creek Beach
  - Mirada Surf, Pillar Point Bluffs, Fitzgerald Marine Reserve Coastal Trail (3.4 Miles)
  - Sanchez Adobe
  - Crystal Springs Regional Trail (15.3 Miles)
ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Created a Vision for the Heritage Trail
- Developed a Statement of Historic Significance
- Identified an accessible, multi-use recreation trail alignment
- Created consistent branding, wayfinding, and trail design
- Interpretation of the Ohlone of San Mateo County and the Portolá expedition
- Identified partnerships
- Created opportunities to commemorate the 250th anniversary!
FEASIBILITY STUDY

- Documents existing trail segments
  - Projects in progress

- Future projects
  - Design criteria
  - Gap closures
  - Partnerships
  - Opportunities
  - Constraints
SAN MATEO COUNTY PARKS INITIATIVES

- Sanchez Adobe Interpretive Center
  - Opening and Ohlone Heritage Day – 10/26/19
  - Speakers and exhibits
  - New documentary films about the Heritage Trail and Sanchez Adobe

- Interpretive Signage
  - Pillar Point Bluffs and Sanchez Adobe

- Interpretive Signage
  - Future improvements and interpretive signage
250th COMMEMORATION
Summer – Fall 2019

- Community and trail events
- Trail being nominated for designated as a State Historic Trail
- Films
- Lectures
- Exhibits
- Publications