



HELP SHAPE THE FUTURE OF THE GOLD RUSH PATH!

A regional multi-use path is being planned and designed — and we need your voice! This is your opportunity to learn about all phases of the Gold Rush Path AND to help design a vibrant, accessible, and connected trail system that reflects the values, needs, and visions of our community. Get involved by participating in some of the many engagement activities planned for the Gold Rush Path Visioning Days, including community meetings, walks, workshops, storytelling night, pop-up events, and more. A full schedule is available on the opposite side of this flyer and will be updated regularly with additional details on the project website.

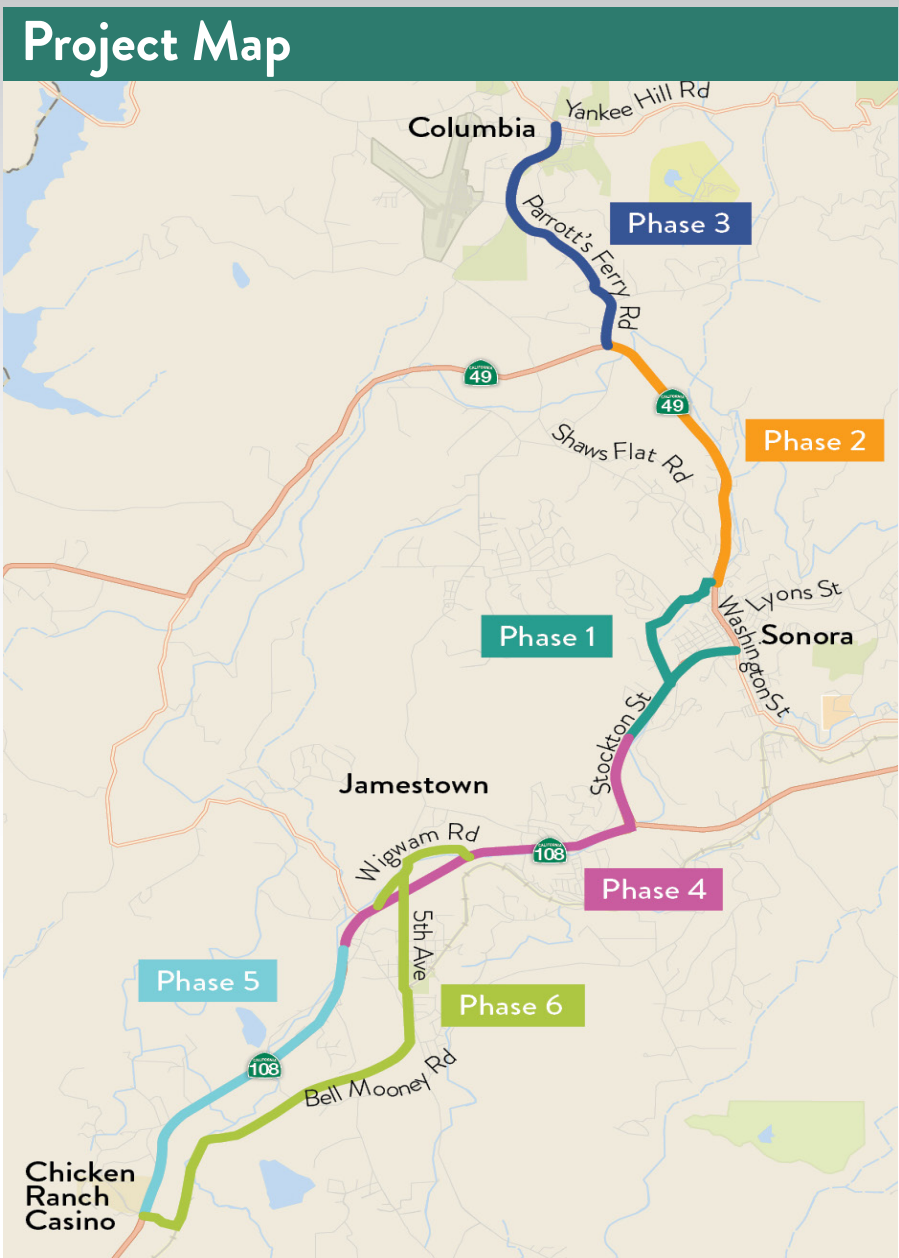
Whether you're a resident, walker, hiker, cyclist, commuter, nature lover, business owner, history buff, artist, or simply a committed community member, your input matters!

GOLD RUSH PATH VISIONING DAYS

Thursday, November 13th - Saturday, November 15th

See back of flyer for more information! 

Build a healthier, more connected community! Let's design something meaningful — together.



To get involved in future events, scan our QR code.



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JOIN US FOR ONE OR MORE EXCITING EVENTS!



Thursday, November 13	Friday, November 14	Saturday, November 15
Stakeholder Meetings Stakeholder meetings will be held throughout the two days. If your organization would like to schedule a time to meet with the project team, please reach out to Andy Carter at a.carter@co.tuolumne.ca.us or 209-533-5603!	8-9:00am Gold Rush Path Community Walking Workshop Location: Meet in downtown Sonora at Washington & Stockton Street For those who want a preview of the Gold Rush Path in person, this is a second opportunity to walk a short portion of where the route will be and learn more about what’s ahead. Explore how the built environment can impact your comfort level while walking. Members of the project team will lead a brief, guided walk, sharing background information and discussing how the Path will continue from Phase I. The walk will be under one mile, with a relaxed pace and low activity level. Snacks & water will be provided. <i>Sponsored by: Blue Zones Project</i>	9am-12pm Community Open House Festival Location: Columbia State Park Miners Hall You’re invited to the big capstone celebration of the Gold Rush Path Visioning Days — a community festival that brings together the full vision of the Path, from Phase 1 to Phase 6! This exciting event will feature booths and displays from representatives of all agencies involved in each phase of the project, illustrating the full route from Chicken Ranch Rancheria all the way to Columbia State Historic Park where the event will be held. Explore the Path through interactive experiences, including: • Virtual reality tools to visualize design ideas • Mapping stations and other engagement activities to share your input • One-on-one conversations with the project team and community members Help shape the future of the Gold Rush Path by sharing your thoughts on alignment options, design features, and the overall vision. Enjoy food, music, and fun for all ages where everyone is welcome! <i>Sponsored by: Columbia State Park</i> <i>Sponsored by: Columbia Chamber of Commerce and the Columbia Mercantile 1855</i>
12-1:30pm Gold Rush Path Community Walking Workshop Location: Meet at Woods Creek Park Join us for a short walk and talk along a portion of the Gold Rush Path - Phase 1. Members of the project team will lead a brief tour, providing background information and sharing updates on the current development of this first phase of the path development. This is a great opportunity to see the project site in person and ask questions. The walk will be under one mile, with a relaxed pace and low activity level. Snacks & water will be provided. <i>Sponsored by: City of Sonora and Wood Rogers</i>	12-1:00pm Gold Rush Path – Walk with a Doc Location: Sonora Oxygen and Medical Supply (220 W Stockton Street B, Sonora) Join us for this special community walk, presented in partnership with Sonora Adventist Health. Discover how the Gold Rush Path will improve access to local health centers and wellness resources. A short, guided walk will be led by a resident physician and medical staff, who will share insights on how the Path is designed to support a healthier, more connected community. <i>Sponsored by: Adventist Health Sonora</i>	
2-4pm Open Doors! Location: TCTC Offices (975 Morning Star Drive, Suite A, Sonora) Stop by anytime to meet the project team, provide your input, ask questions, or check in on the design ideas currently being explored. This informal, drop-in event will be the ultimate opportunity to hear the full background directly from the organization leading the effort. Gain insight into the full vision of the Gold Rush Path all at your own pace.	12:30-1:15pm High School Student Design Location: Sonora High School Sonora High School students are invited to join members of the project team for a hands-on, interactive session focused on placemaking and design ideas for the segment of the Gold Rush Path that will run through the school grounds. Join members of the project team for an interactive experience to learn about the project, explore design options, and share your ideas to help shape the Path for all students. Food will be provided plus virtual reality headsets for an immersive experience! <i>Sponsored by: Kimley Horn</i>	
5-6pm HOA/Neighborhood Focus Meeting Location: Columbia State Park Eagle Cotage (11195 Washington St, Columbia) Residents living near the proposed Gold Rush Path are invited to learn more about the project, discuss ideas and ask questions. As neighbors to the future Path, your input is especially important. If you live along Parrott’s Ferry Road or Highway 49 between Columbia and Sonora, you are highly encouraged to attend this event to learn about the plans and providing your feedback so you are directly involved in shaping the design. <i>Sponsored by: Columbia State Park and Columbia Mercantile 1855</i>	2-4pm Open Doors! Location: TCTC Offices (975 Morning Star Drive, Sonora) Stop by anytime to meet the project team, provide your input, ask questions, or check in on the design ideas currently being explored. This informal, drop-in event will be the ultimate opportunity to hear the full background directly from the organization leading the effort. Gain insight into the full vision of the Gold Rush Path all at your own pace.	
6:30-8:30pm Gold Rush Path Introductory Workshop Location: Armory (208 S Green St, Sonora) Attend this introductory workshop to gain a comprehensive overview of the Gold Rush Path project, including its history, potential benefits, preliminary design concepts, and various opportunities to get involved throughout the week and beyond. Participate in some tabletop activities to share your ideas for the future of the Gold Rush Path! <i>Food Sponsored by Blue Zones Project</i>	3-4:30pm Pop-up Event –Gold Rush Path Phase 6: Rails and Trails Location: Linoberg Alley in Downtown Sonora Come chat with the project team and explore plans for the southern terminus of the Gold Rush Path, which will connect to the Chicken Ranch Rancheria along the historic railroad alignment. This is a great chance to have a casual conversation about the project’s progress, view concept boards featuring potential design elements, and speak directly with members of the design and planning team helping bring the vision to life. <i>Sponsored by: Chicken Ranch Rancheria and ESA</i>	
	5:30/6-8pm Stories of the Gold Rush Path Location: Opera Hall (250 S Washington St, Sonora) Join us for a community-centered storytelling event where local voices come together to share stories about the culture, history, and people connected to the areas along the future Gold Rush Path. This will be a communal space for conversation, reflection, and connection. Come out to this event to hear from one another and explore how these stories can be honored through the Path’s design. We’ll discuss how themes can be expressed through art, interpretive elements, and other trail features that reflect the identity of our community. Come add your voice to the story! Food and drinks will be provided – including a no-host bar! Check the project website for an upcoming list of speakers. <i>Space Sponsored by Sonora Chamber of Commerce</i>	