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Potrero Gateway Contractors at Work

This newsletter is going to folks who signed up to support the Potrero Gateway (formerly Loop). The PGP Steering Committee is excited to share with you the progress and our expectations for 2023-2024 Feel free to share it.





Public Works contracts with Bauman to do the Construction

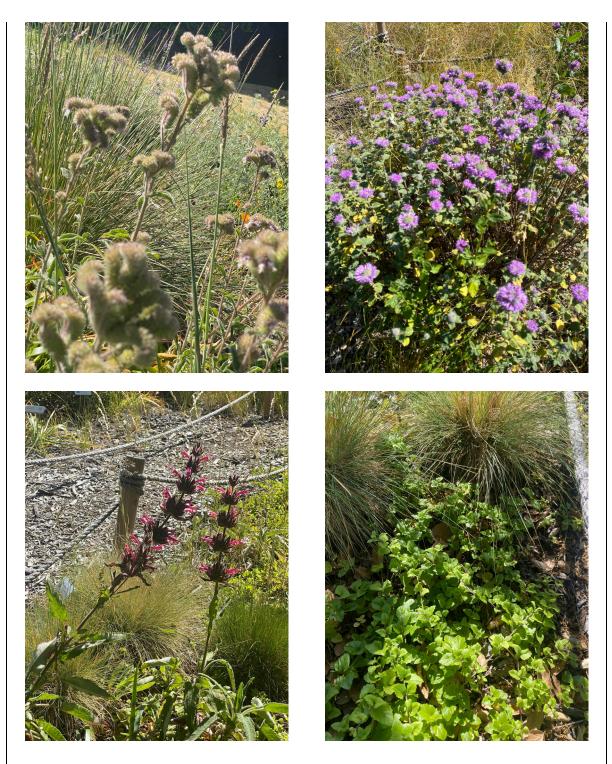
Orange barriers are up creating a new pathway that will be there until the new sidewalk and bike medians are added. Lots of hillside preparation needs to be done, following all the rules for handling potentaially toxic soil. Lots of work in preparation for retaining walls that will contain the CA Native plants and the Public Art Sculptures being created by FUTUREFORMS Metamorphosis.



Chosing Retaining Wall and Sidewalk Color

The PGP Art subcommittee I Sheldon Trimble and Michael Kerbow) as well as Futurefroms artist Jason Kelly Johnson met at Esprit with Public Works Manager Trent Tiger, Mohamed Taleb, DPW and Pedro Acosta, Bauman to pick one of three wall colors and one of two sidewalk colors. The wall color chosen was the lightest grey and the sidewalk, the darkest. The star and circle indicate the choices. It was a good to meet in person and talk about other parts of the project as well as a 20th Street GBD project that is in the works.

Eco-Patch Open Garden June 17



Eco-Parch Open Garden June 17 2pm-4

Drop in to see what is growing in the Eco-Patch on Vermont Street after a good dose of winter rain. Before you come uplode <u>iNaturalist</u> on your mobile phone. Take photos of plants that you think would work well in your grden and let iNaturalist tell you more about them. See which groundcover plant has replaced weeds. The patch has not been watered this year, except by mother nature. A visit in June will show which plants can handle the dry weather.

For more details, check the website: <u>Potrerogatewaypark.org</u> Questions? Email <u>pgploop@gmail.com</u>





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