

Item 8.4 - Potential Supportive Outdoor Sleeping / Temporary Alternative Sleeping Sites and Related Implementation Actions

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Potential Alternative Sites

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Site Selection – Preliminary Considerations

Initial Hurdles:

- Preliminary site analysis, basic feasibility checks
- Cost and time to deliver

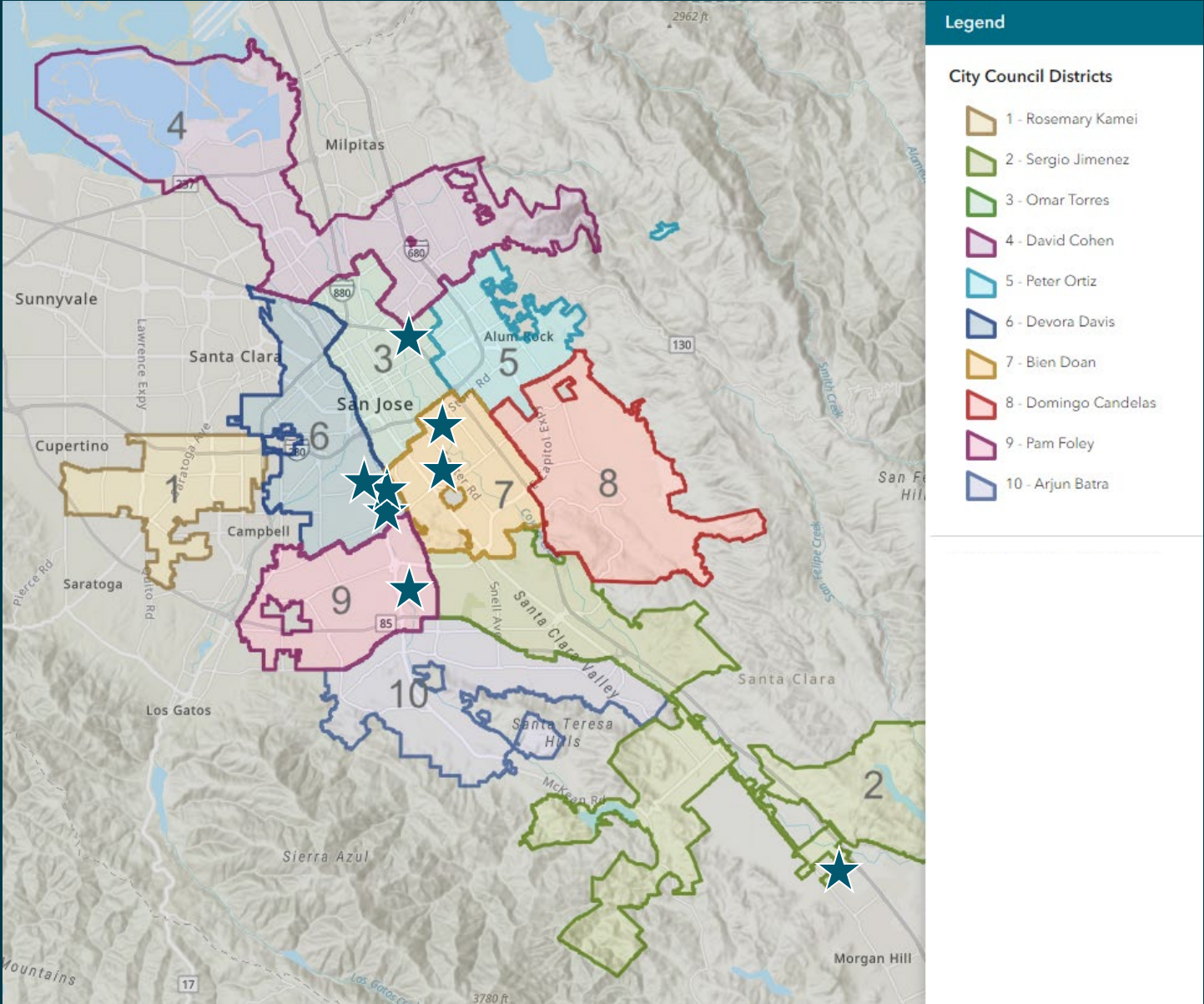
Environmental Factors:

- Air Quality, Flood Zones, Impact on natural habitat

Real Estate Considerations:

- Zoning restrictions, Land use limitations

Potential Supportive Outdoor Sleeping and Basic Needs Sites



Proposed Uses for Identified Sites

Supportive Outdoor Sleeping Sites:

- Secured and managed individual tent areas for adults 18+
- Provision of food, potable water, toilets, showers, laundry, and waste disposal
- Explore options and viability for a form of service delivery

Basic Needs Sites:

- Basic trash services
- Portable toilets and hand washing stations
- Showers and laundry facilities
- Trash disposal services
- Limited site security or monitoring

Next Steps

Approval and Analysis:

- Determine additional analysis needed for feasibility & conduct in-depth evaluations of site suitability (e.g., environmental studies, greenbelt analysis, noise studies, etc.)
- Develop operational models for sites and lowest feasible cost operations
- Explore what service models can be woven into site management

Expedite Construction:

- Authorize Director of Public Works to award and execute contracts
- Accelerate construction start dates and reduce project schedules by 6-8 weeks

Future Reporting and Engagement:

- Semi-annual reports to City Council on Delegation of Authority
- Provide updates on estimated costs and operating models
- Identify community outreach and engagement, as needed

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