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FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICES

November 18, 2024

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**RE: MASTER PLAN OF ARTERIAL HIGHWAYS (MPAH) AMENDMENT REQUEST  
– MERRIMAC WAY, CITY OF COSTA MESA, FOCUSED TRAFFIC STUDY**

Dear Mr. Nord:

On February 1, 2024, the City submitted a traffic monitoring report for Merrimac Way pursuant to your letter dated December 6, 2023. Per the original letter agreement with OCTA dated February 2020, the City is responsible for monitoring and evaluating traffic conditions on Merrimac Way every three years until the MPAH is amended to reflect the configuration of a two lane, divided facility with Class II and Class IV bicycle lanes. This letter serves as the City's official request for an MPAH Amendment for Merrimac Way within the City of Costa Mesa to change its Primary Collector classification.

Per the MPAH guidelines, a traffic study was prepared for Merrimac Way. The traffic study is attached as **Appendix A** and was prepared using new traffic counts taken in February 2024 to account for school traffic. The study shows that Merrimac Way is anticipated to operate at an acceptable level of service for both current year 2024 and future year 2050. If OCTA concurs and the amendment is approved, the City will adjust the classification of Merrimac Way during the next update of the City's General Plan Circulation Element.

If you have any questions or require further clarification, please contact me at (714) 754-5343.

Respectfully,

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Appendix A: Focused Traffic Study, Merrimac Way Master Plan Arterial Highway Amendment

# Focused Traffic Study

## Merrimac Way

### Master Plan Arterial Highway Amendment

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**RE: Proposed Amendment to OCTA MPAH – Merrimac Way**

Dear Nikoui,

Pursuant to City of Costa Mesa's request, AGA Engineers has conducted a focused traffic study to evaluate potential traffic impacts along Merrimac Way resulting from the proposed amendment to the Orange County Master Plan of Arterial Highways (MPAH) to reduce the number of lanes. Between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road, Merrimac Way has been reduced from four lanes with a raised median to two lanes with a raised median and Class II and Class IV bike lanes.

This traffic analysis is to assess the reduction of lanes on Merrimac way and if it will have a significant impact on the traffic conditions.

Should you have any questions regarding this study, please do not hesitate to contact Greg Wong or Vannessa Pedroza at (714) 992-4592.

Respectfully submitted,

AGA ENGINEERS, INC.

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Greg Wong, P.E.  
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- A Year 2024 Average Daily Traffic
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- C Year 2024 Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU) Analysis
- D OCTAM Model Data
- E Year 2050 Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU) Analysis



### Project Objective and Purpose

The purpose of this study is to evaluate the proposed change in roadway classification of Merrimac Way between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road from a Four-Lane Primary Arterial to a Two-Lane Collector Arterial, and to determine any impacts due to the proposed modification. The City of Costa Mesa will be requesting the Master Plan of Arterial Highway (MPAH) Amendment with the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) for the proposed modification.

### Project Study Area

Typically, an MPAH Amendment is conducted prior to the change of a roadway to determine if there would be any impacts from the proposed change. For the purposes of this MPAH report, it was assumed that the proposed change has not taken place. Therefore, the “current configuration” was evaluated as the Four-Lane configuration, and the “proposed configuration” was evaluated as the Two-Lane configuration.

Merrimac Way is a Four-Lane Arterial between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road with a raised median, located south of Orange Coast College, and is classified as a Primary Arterial. With the proposed lane modifications, the arterial is proposed to be classified as a Two-Lane Divided Collector Arterial with Class II and Class IV bike lanes. The study segment on Merrimac Way between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road were analyzed. A total of two intersections were analyzed in this study area, Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way and Fairview Road/Merrimac Way, both of which are signalized intersections controlled by the City of Costa Mesa. A project vicinity map is shown on **Figure 1A** and the study area is identified on **Figure 1B** and listed below. While lane modifications are to be applied on Merrimac Way, the curb-to-curb street width will remain unchanged. At the intersection of Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way, the lane configuration changes for the westbound approach, from having the middle lane as a shared through/right turn lane to a through only lane. There are no proposed changes to the intersection of Fairview Road/Merrimac Way.

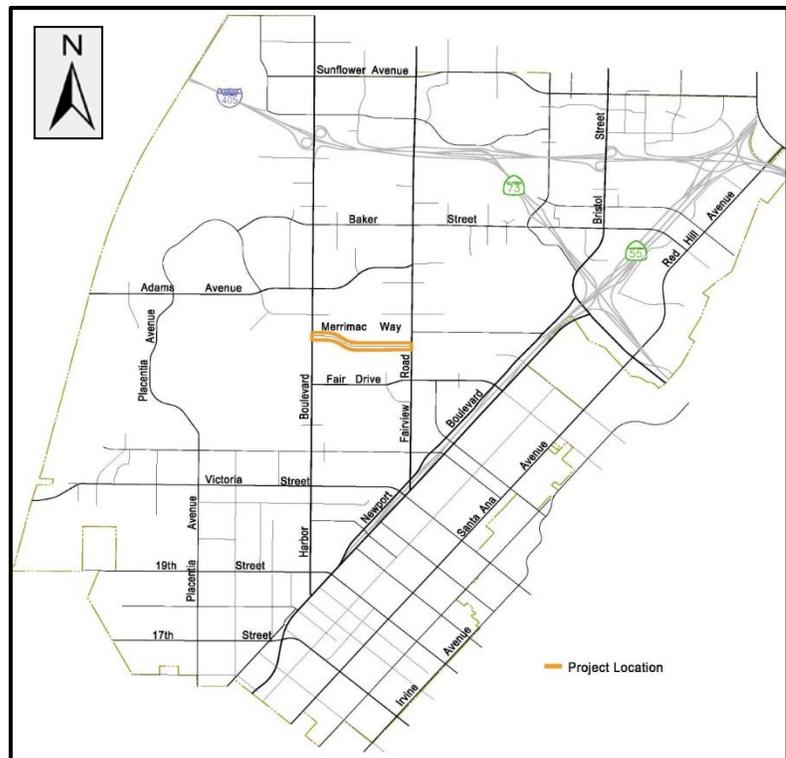


Figure 1A. Vicinity Map



Study Arterial

- Merrimac Way: Harbor Boulevard – Fairview Road

Study Intersections

- Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way
- Fairview Road/Merrimac Way

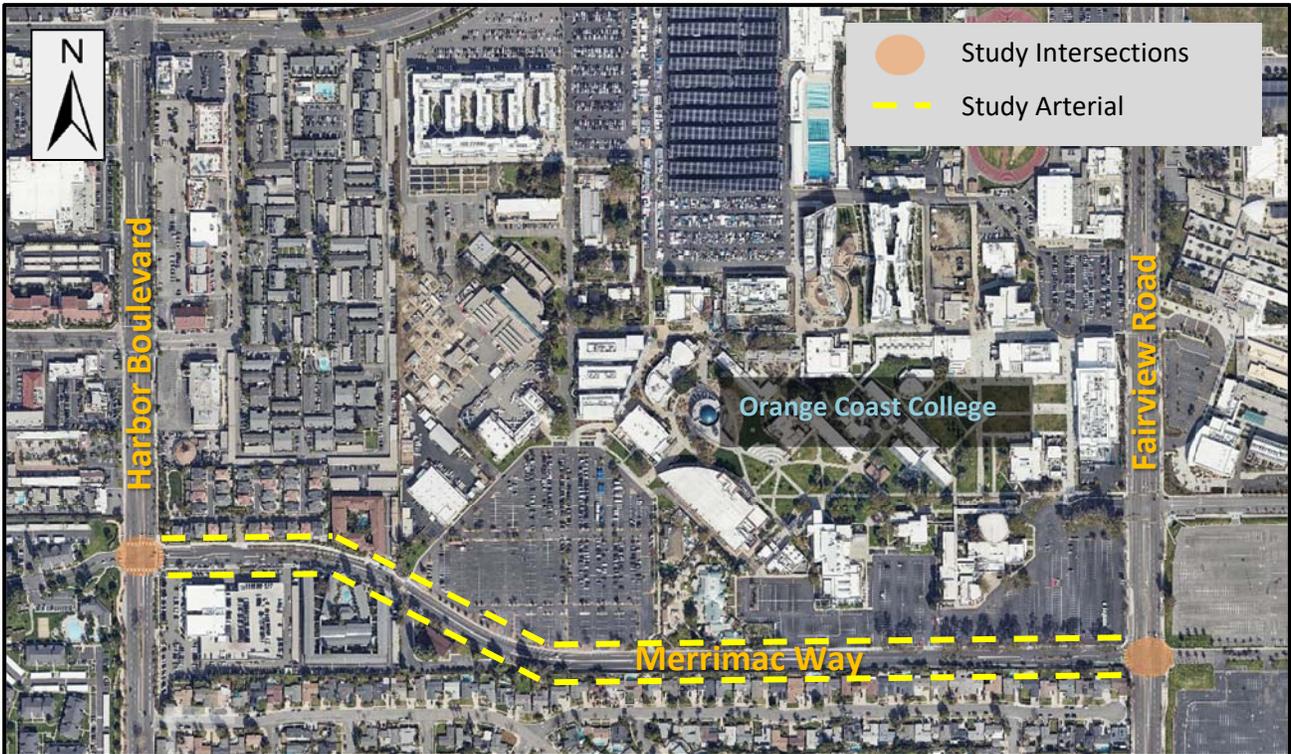


Figure 1B. Study Area

**Level of Service (LOS) Analysis and Methodology**

Arterial LOS Analysis

For arterial Level of Service (LOS) analysis, OCTA utilizes LOS C for acceptable LOS. For the current configuration of the Four-Lane divided Primary Arterial, the arterial capacity for LOS C is 30,000 (vpd). For the proposed configuration of the Two-Lane Divided Collector Arterial, the arterial capacity for LOS C is 15,000 (vpd). If the existing or future traffic volumes on Merrimac Way exceed LOS C capacity for the proposed configuration, then the current configuration of four lanes divided roadway should



remain on Merrimac Way. The Arterial Highway Master Plan of Arterial Highways (MPAH) capacity values are shown below on **Table 1**.

**Table 1. Arterial Highway MPAH Capacity Values**

Configuration	Type of Arterial	Level of Service				
		A	B	C	D	E
Current	Four-lane divided	22,500	26,300	30,000	33,800	37,500
Proposed	Two-lane divided	9,000	12,000	15,000	20,000	22,000

Intersection LOS Analysis

The intersection LOS analysis for the two study intersections was determined using the Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU) Methodology per the Orange County Transportation Authority Congestion Management Program (OCTA CMP) guidelines. The ICU methodology is a simple demand-over-capacity assessment of key intersection movements. This methodology assigns LOS rankings from LOS A to LOS F based on the ratio of vehicles utilizing the intersection to the overall intersection capacity, which is also known as the volume-to-capacity (V/C) ratio (see **Table 2**). The saturation flow rate, or lane capacity, is 1700 vehicles per hour per lane and used for the left, through and right turn lanes. This rate was derived from historical research performed on intersections in Orange County, during peak periods.

**Table 2. Level-of-Service by Capacity**

Volume/Capacity Ratio (V/C)	LOS
0.00 to 0.60	A
0.61 to 0.70	B
0.71 to 0.80	C
0.81 to 0.90	D
0.91 to 1.00	E
Greater than 1.00	F

Intersection Significant Impact Criteria

Per the OCTA guidelines, traffic impacts for a given intersection are identified as significant if the proposed project results in a downgrade of LOS from an acceptable LOS D (or better) to LOS E/F, or a downgrade from LOS E “without project” to LOS F “with project”. Additionally, for an intersection that already operates at LOS E/F “without project”, a change in ICU value of 0.01 or more will result in a significant impact for that intersection.



**Study Scenarios**

LOS analyses were conducted for the following Project Year 2024 and Project Year 2050 scenarios for both the arterial LOS and intersection LOS as shown below:

- Year 2024
  - Current Configuration – Four-Lane, Divided Primary Arterial
  - Proposed Configuration – Two-Lane, Divided Collector Arterial
- Year 2050
  - Current Configuration – Four-Lane, Divided Primary Arterial
  - Proposed Configuration – Two-Lane, Divided Collector Arterial

Lane configurations for Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road are shown on **Figures 2A** and **2B** for existing conditions and **Figures 3A** and **3B** for proposed conditions.

**Year 2024 LOS Analysis**

Arterial LOS Analysis

Weekday 24-hour traffic counts were taken in order to assess the LOS for Merrimac Way for both configurations. The traffic counts were taken on Merrimac Way on Thursday February 15, 2024 between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road and showed a total of 6,514 vehicles per day (see **Table 3**), which is well under the arterial LOS C capacity. The analysis show that Merrimac Way operates at a LOS A for both a Four-Lane Divided Primary Arterial and a Two-Lane Divided Collector Arterial. Detailed 24-hour traffic counts are included in **Attachments A**.

**Table 3. Average Daily Traffic on Merrimac Way for Year 2024**

Year	ADT for Merrimac Way (vpd)	MPAH Arterial LOS A Capacity (vpd)		LOS for Merrimac Way
		Current Configuration for Primary Divided Arterial (four-lanes)	Proposed Configuration for Divided Collector Arterial (two-lanes)	
2024	6,514	22,500	9,000	A

Intersection LOS Analysis

Lane configurations for Harbor Boulevard at Merrimac Way and Fairview Road at Merrimac Way are shown on **Figures 2A** and **2B** for existing conditions and **Figures 3A** and **3B** for proposed conditions.



The lane configuration change for Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way from existing to proposed is only for the westbound approach, where the shared through and right turn lane will be striped as a through lane only. The lane configuration change for Fairview Road/Merrimac Way from existing to proposed is only for the eastbound approach, where a bike lane is implemented.

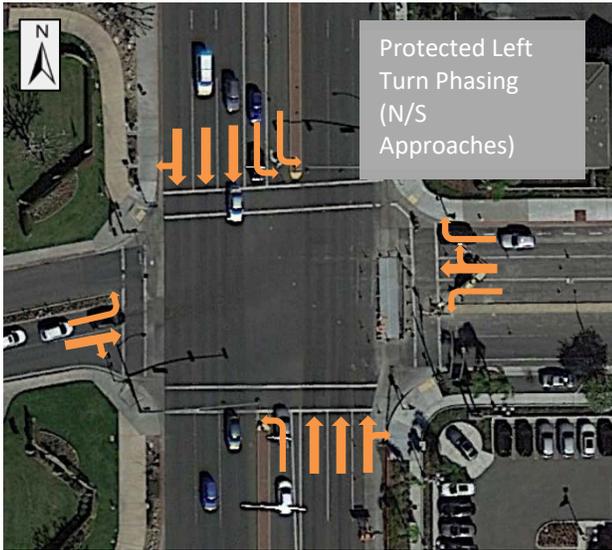


Figure 2A. Existing Lane Configuration on Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way

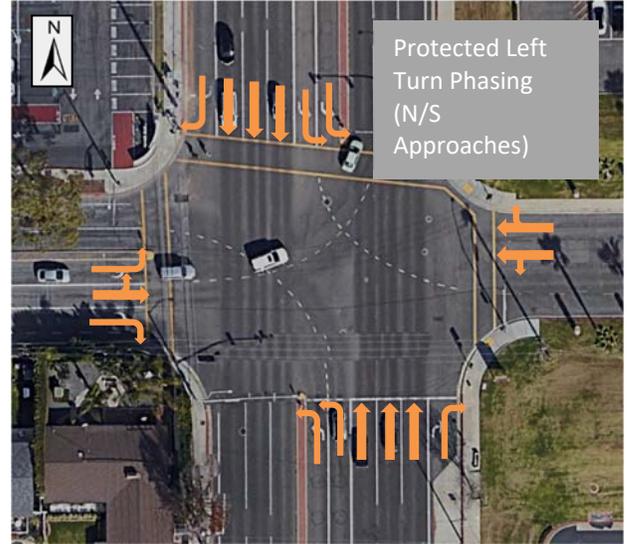


Figure 2B. Existing Lane Configuration on Fairview Road/Merrimac Way

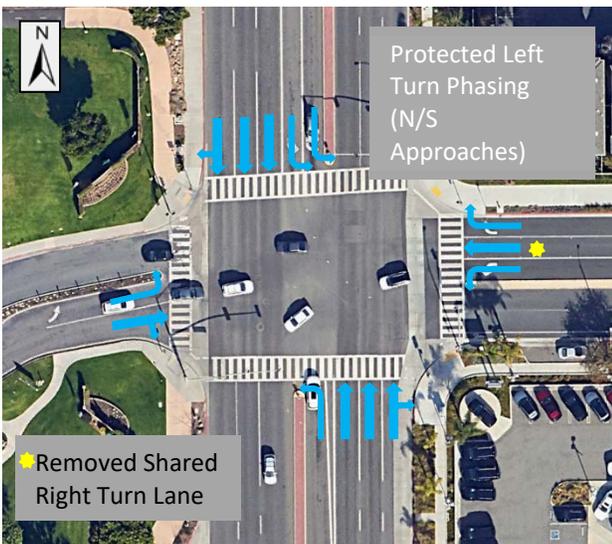


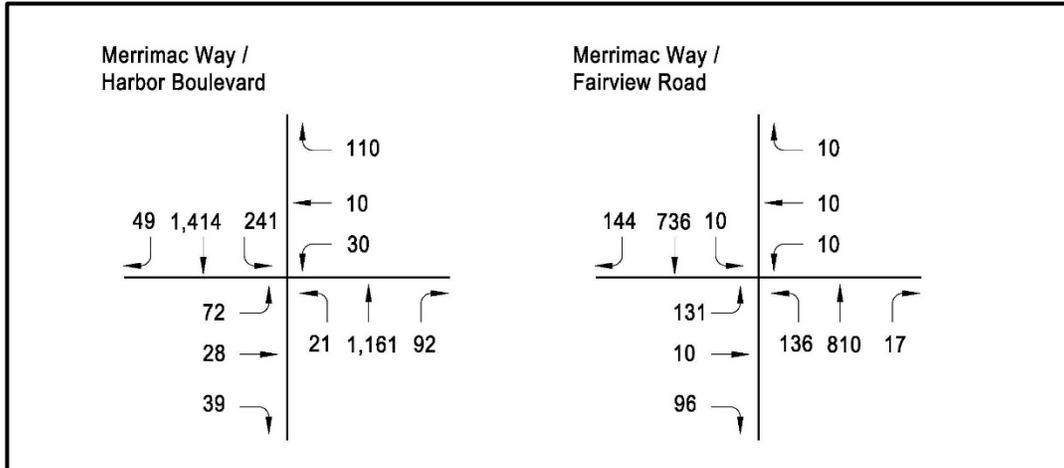
Figure 3A. Proposed Lane Configuration on Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way



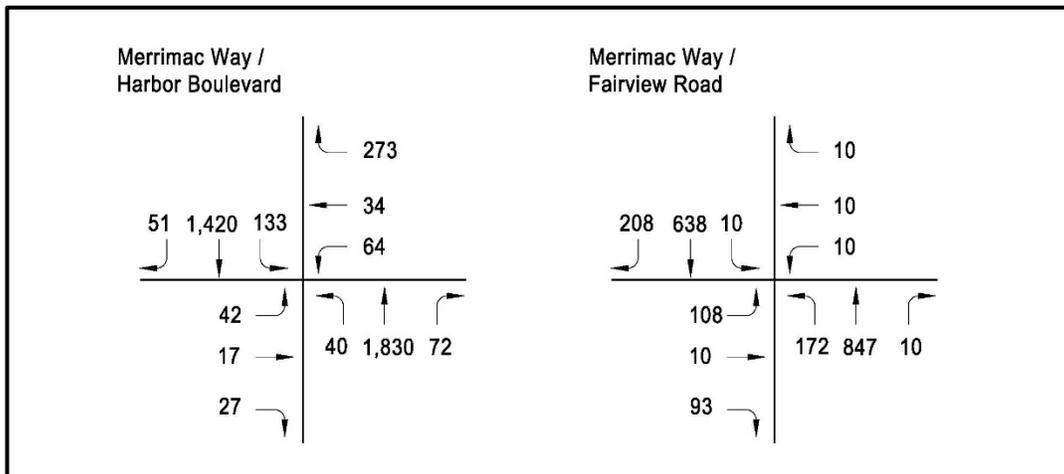
Figure 3B. Proposed Lane Configuration on Fairview Road/Merrimac Way



For the intersection LOS analysis, peak period turning movement counts were taken on Thursday February 15, 2024. The AM and PM peak hour traffic volumes are shown in **Figures 4A and 4B**, respectively. Detailed peak hour turning movement counts are included in **Attachment B**. For low vehicle volumes a minimum of 10 vehicles per hour was used.



**Figure 4A. Year 2024 AM Peak Hour Turning Movement Counts**



**Figure 4B. Year 2024 PM Peak Hour Turning Movement Counts**

For this Current Configuration scenario, Fairview Road/Merrimac Way operates at a LOS A for both peak hours, while Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way operates at LOS A for both peak hours as well. For Proposed Configuration scenario, the LOS remained the same as the current configuration for



both intersections. Intersection LOS analysis for the current configuration and proposed configuration scenarios are summarized in **Table 4**. The intersection LOS analysis ICU worksheets are provided in **Attachment C**.

**Table 4. Intersection Level of Service Analysis for Year 2024**

	No.	Location	Year 2024			
			AM Peak Hour		PM Peak Hour	
			ICU	LOS	ICU	LOS
<b>Current Configuration</b>	1	Merrimac Way/Harbor Boulevard	0.42	A	0.56	A
	2	Merrimac Way/Fairview Road	0.29	A	0.28	A
<b>Proposed Configuration</b>	1	Merrimac Way/Harbor Boulevard	0.42	A	0.61	B
	2	Merrimac Way/Fairview Road	0.29	A	0.28	A

**Year 2050 LOS Analysis**

Data from the Orange County Transportation Analysis Model (OCTAM) was utilized to determine the projected future growth rate from Base Year 2019 to Future Year 2050. Based on the data (see **Attachment D**), there was no significant increase except for northbound approach in the AM peak hour and the southbound approach in the PM peak hour for Harbor Boulevard, with a growth of 32% and 14%, respectively. All other movements had a 5% growth or less. Therefore, the projected growth provided by OCTAM was used only for the AM northbound approach and PM southbound approach, at Harbor Boulevard. In order to account for other ambient growth in the study area and for a conservative analysis, a 10% increase was used for all other approaches. For the northbound approach at Harbor Boulevard, during the AM peak hour, extrapolating the growth of 32% from Year 2019 to Year 2050 equates to approximately 1% growth, per year. Therefore, from Year 2024 to Year 2050, the northbound approach is expected to have a growth rate total of 26%. For the southbound approach at Harbor Boulevard, during the PM peak hour, extrapolating the growth of 14% from Year 2019 to Year 2050 equates to approximately 0.5% growth per year. Therefore, from Year 2024 to Year 2050, the southbound approach is expected to have a growth rate total of 13%. The growth rates are summarized below.

- OCTAM Year 2019 – Year 2050, Weekday AM Peak Period Growth
  - o Harbor Boulevard, Northbound – 32% growth, Equates to approximately 1% per year
    - Year 2024 to Year 2050 = 26% total growth
- OCTAM Year 2019 – Year 2050, Weekday PM Peak Period Growth



- Harbor Boulevard, Southbound – 14% growth, Equates to approximately 0.5% per year
  - Year 2024 to Year 2050 = 13% total growth
- All other movements, 10% total growth

Arterial LOS Analysis

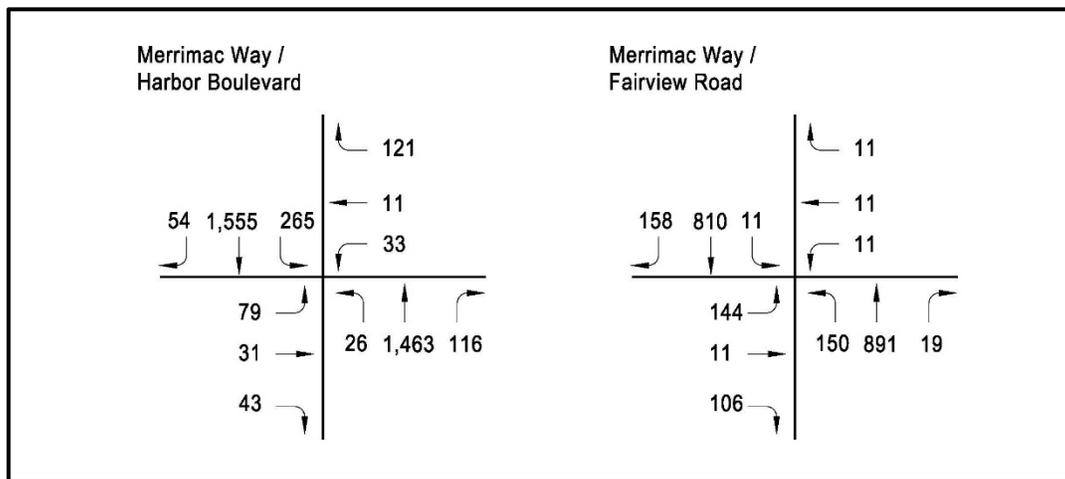
Year 2050 traffic reflects the 2024 traffic volumes plus a projected growth rate for the daily traffic. The projected 10% growth was applied to the 2024 daily traffic volumes on Merrimac Way to develop Year 2050 traffic volumes. The traffic volumes increased to 7,166 vehicles per day for the Year 2050 using the 10% growth as shown in **Table 5**. Based on the projected 2050 traffic volumes on Merrimac Way, the arterial is expected to continue to operate at LOS A under both the Four-Lane Divided Primary Arterial and the Two-Lane Divided Collector Arterial scenarios.

**Table 5. Average Daily Traffic on Merrimac Way for Year 2050**

Count Year	10% Growth ADT for Merrimac Way (vpd)	MPAH Arterial LOS A Capacity (vpd)		LOS for Merrimac Way
		Current Configuration for Primary Divided Arterial (four-lanes)	Proposed Configuration for Divided Collector Arterial (two-lanes)	
2024	7,166	22,500	9,000	A

Intersection LOS Analysis

The growth rates were applied to the 2024 turning movement counts to develop the 2050 intersection traffic volumes. The 10% growth rate was applied to all movements except for the AM northbound and PM southbound at Harbor Boulevard. These movements were increased by 26% for the AM peak hour and 13% for the PM peak hour. Year 2050 for AM and PM peak hour turning movement traffic volumes are shown in **Figures 5A and 5B**, respectively.



**Figure 5A: Year 2050 AM Peak Hour Turning Movement Counts**

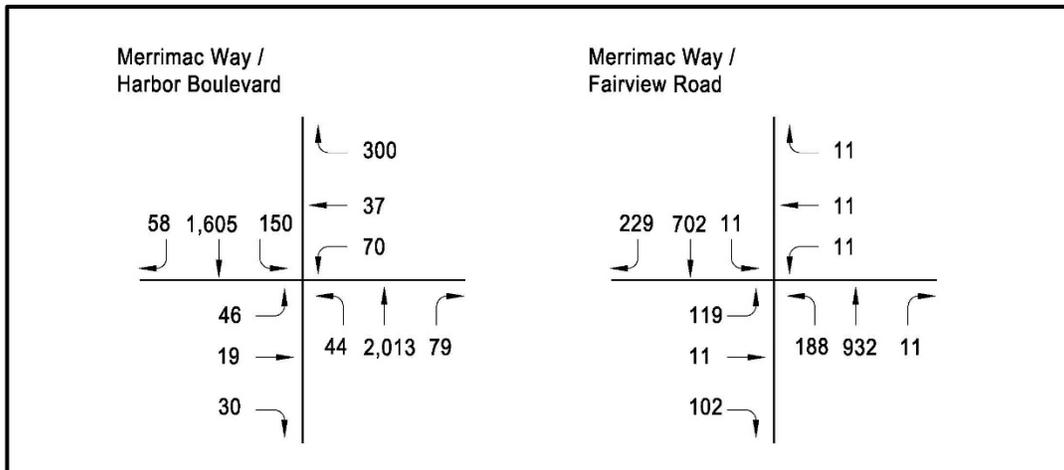


Figure 5B: Year 2050 PM Peak Hour Turning Movement Counts

For the Current Configuration scenario, Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way intersection is expected to operate at a LOS A for the AM peak hour and LOS B for the PM peak hour. The Fairview Road/Merrimac Way intersection is expected to operate at a LOS A for both the AM peak hour and the PM peak hour. For Proposed Configuration scenario, the LOS for both intersections remain the same as the current configuration. Intersection LOS analysis for the current configuration and proposed configuration Year 2050 scenarios are summarized in **Table 6**, and intersection LOS analysis worksheets are provided in **Attachment E**.

Table 6. Intersection Level of Service Analysis for Year 2050

	No.	Location	Year 2050			
			AM Peak Hour		PM Peak Hour	
			ICU	LOS	ICU	LOS
<b>Current Configuration</b>	1	Merrimac Way/Harbor Boulevard	0.50	A	0.61	B
	2	Merrimac Way/Fairview Road	0.32	A	0.30	A
<b>Proposed Configuration</b>	1	Merrimac Way/Harbor Boulevard	0.50	A	0.66	B
	2	Merrimac Way/Fairview Road	0.32	A	0.30	A



## Conclusion

This traffic study evaluated Merrimac Way between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road from a Four-Lane Primary Arterial to a Two-Lane Collector Arterial and to determine any impacts due to the proposed modification.

After analyzing the current conditions for Merrimac Way between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road for Year 2024, the proposed configuration of two-lanes and with Class II and Class IV bike lanes will have no significant impact on traffic conditions. The arterial LOS analysis for Merrimac Way, showed a LOS A for the current and proposed configurations. Intersection LOS was conducted for two intersections on Merrimac Way at Harbor Boulevard and at Fairview Road. The intersection LOS analysis determined that both intersections will operate at an acceptable LOS B or better with the proposed configuration. Using the OCTAM model for the Year 2050 analysis, growth rates were determined and applied to the 2024 traffic volumes to develop 2050 traffic conditions. The roadway segment LOS analysis conducted for Year 2050, determined that Merrimac Way is expected to operate at LOS A for the current and proposed configurations. The intersection LOS analysis for Year 2050, determined that neither of the two intersections on Merrimac Way – at Harbor Boulevard and at Fairview Road will be significantly impacted by the proposed configuration. Both study intersections are expected to operate at an acceptable LOS B or better with the proposed configuration.

Merrimac Way, between Harbor Boulevard and Fairview Road, and the intersections of Harbor Boulevard/Merrimac Way and Fairview Road/Merrimac Way, are expected to operate at an acceptable LOS for the proposed configuration for both Current Year 2024 and Future Year 2050. Therefore, it is recommended to reclassify Merrimac Way from a Four-Lane Divided Primary Arterial to a Two-Lane Divided Collector Arterial.

*Merrimac Way MPAH Amendment*  
Year 2024 Average Daily Traffic



Attachment A



*Merrimac Way MPAH Amendment*  
Year 2024 Turning Movement Counts

Attachment B



# INTERSECTION TURNING MOVEMENT COUNTS

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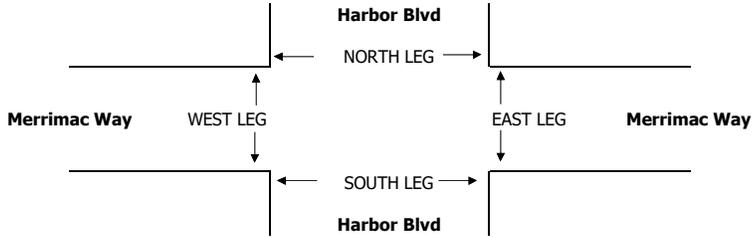
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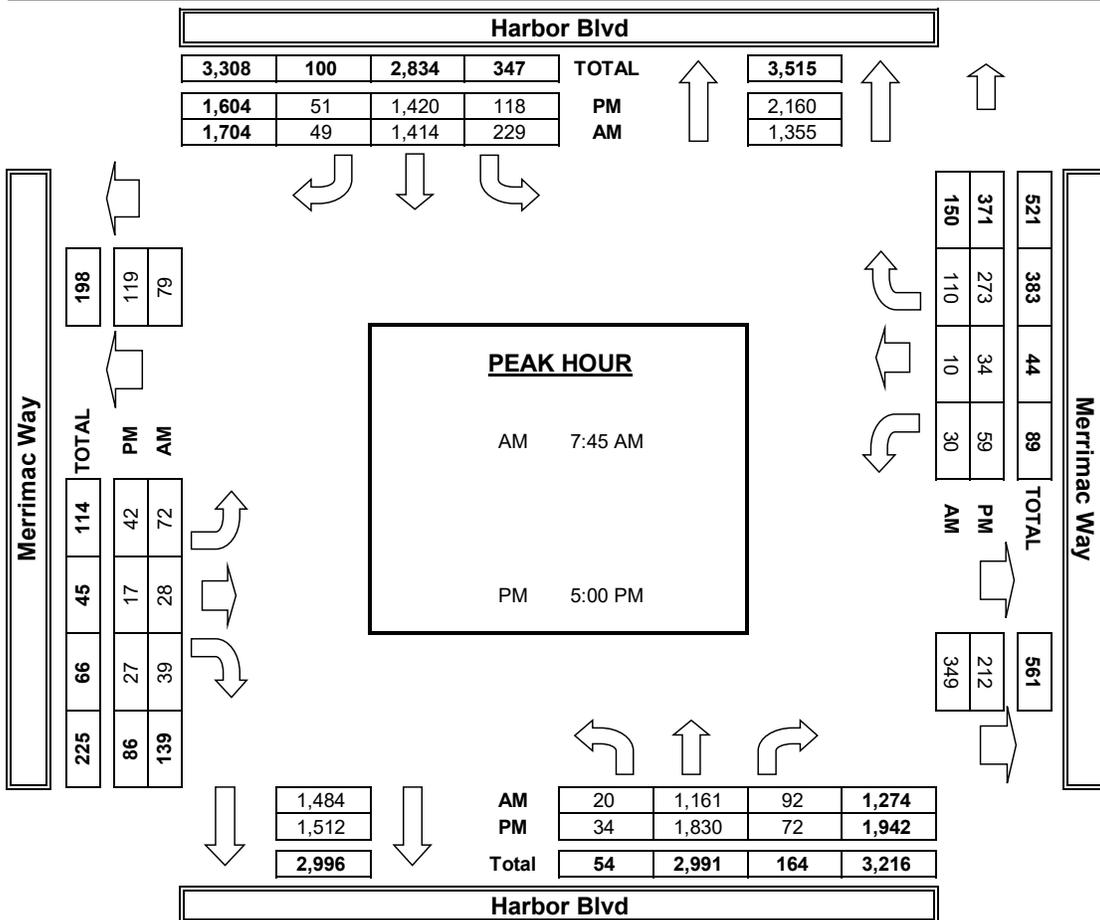
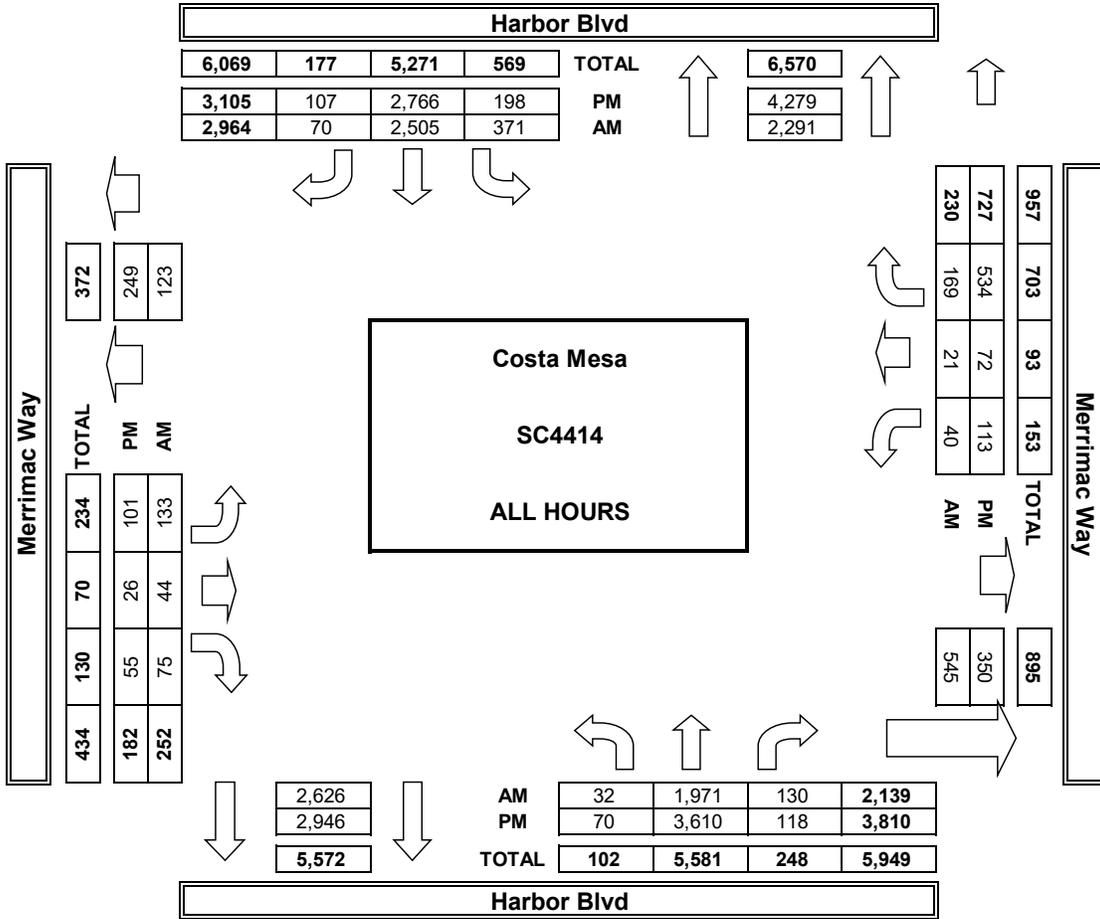
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	5:15 PM	2	0	4	5	11
	5:30 PM	4	2	1	8	15
	5:45 PM	3	2	1	3	9
	TOTAL	25	9	20	59	113
BEGIN PEAK HR	5:00 PM					

ALL PED + BIKE & SCOOTER				
N LEG	S LEG	E LEG	W LEG	TOTAL

PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS				
N LEG	S LEG	E LEG	W LEG	TOTAL

BICYCLE & SCOOTER CROSSINGS				
NL	SL	EL	WL	TOTAL

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TURNING MOVEMENT COUNTS



# INTERSECTION TURNING MOVEMENT COUNTS

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<b>DATE:</b> Thu, Feb 15, 24	<b>LOCATION:</b> NORTH & SOUTH: EAST & WEST:	<b>Costa Mesa</b> Fairview Rd Merrimac Way	<b>PROJECT #:</b> SC4414 <b>LOCATION #:</b> 2 <b>CONTROL:</b> SIGNAL
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NOTES:	AM	▲	N	▶
	PM	◀	W	E
	MD	◀	W	E
	OTHER	◀	W	E
	OTHER	◀	W	E

LANES:	NORTHBOUND			SOUTHBOUND			EASTBOUND			WESTBOUND			TOTAL
	NL	NT	NR	SL	ST	SR	EL	ET	ER	WL	WT	WR	
	2	3	1	2	3	1	1,5	0,5	1	0	1	0	

U-TURNS				
NB	SB	EB	WB	TTL
0	0	0	0	0

AM	7:00 AM	15	68	2	0	60	12	0	0	13	0	0	0	170
	7:15 AM	16	122	0	0	100	15	13	1	11	0	0	0	278
	7:30 AM	20	146	4	0	131	20	19	0	13	1	0	0	354
	7:45 AM	23	197	1	0	156	29	26	0	26	0	0	0	458
	8:00 AM	25	257	4	0	182	34	39	0	17	0	0	0	558
	8:15 AM	42	246	9	1	213	43	47	0	18	0	1	3	623
	8:30 AM	45	110	3	1	185	38	19	1	35	0	1	0	438
	8:45 AM	54	130	7	3	121	70	16	2	21	0	0	2	426
	VOLUMES	240	1,276	30	5	1,148	261	179	4	154	1	2	5	3,307
	APPROACH %	16%	82%	2%	0%	81%	18%	53%	1%	46%	13%	25%	63%	

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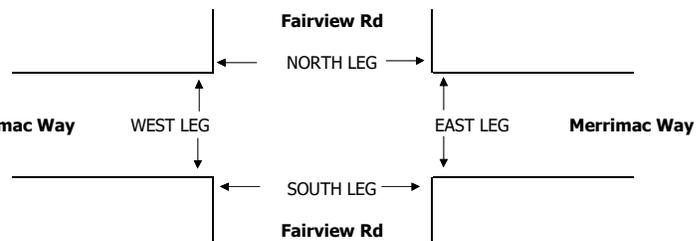
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	VOLUMES	135	810	17	2	736	144	131	1	96	0	2	3	2,079
	APPROACH %	14%	84%	2%	0%	83%	16%	57%	0%	42%	0%	40%	60%	
	PEAK HR FACTOR	0.811			0.856			0.877			0.313			0.833
	APP/DEPART	963	/	945	883	/	833	228	/	20	5	/	281	0

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PM	4:00 PM	35	162	0	0	155	46	36	0	24	0	0	0	458
	4:15 PM	34	178	0	0	137	31	31	0	18	0	0	0	429
	4:30 PM	33	184	1	0	151	30	24	0	22	0	1	0	446
	4:45 PM	35	220	0	0	154	39	20	0	13	0	0	0	481
	5:00 PM	45	199	0	0	156	40	30	0	17	0	0	0	487
	5:15 PM	36	211	0	0	156	57	28	0	20	0	0	0	508
	5:30 PM	49	189	0	0	168	45	26	0	30	0	0	0	507
	5:45 PM	41	248	1	0	158	66	23	0	26	0	0	1	564
	VOLUMES	308	1,591	2	0	1,235	354	218	0	170	0	1	1	3,884
	APPROACH %	16%	84%	0%	0%	78%	22%	56%	0%	44%	0%	50%	50%	

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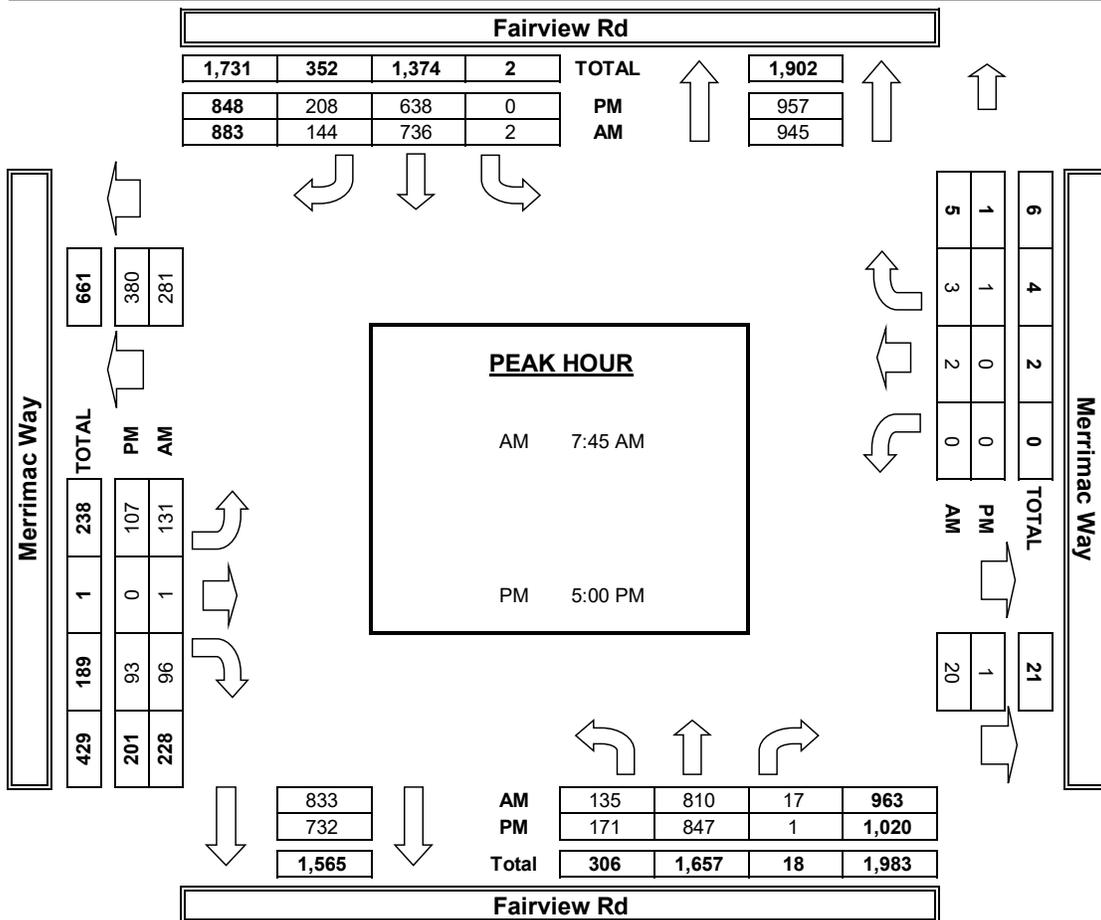
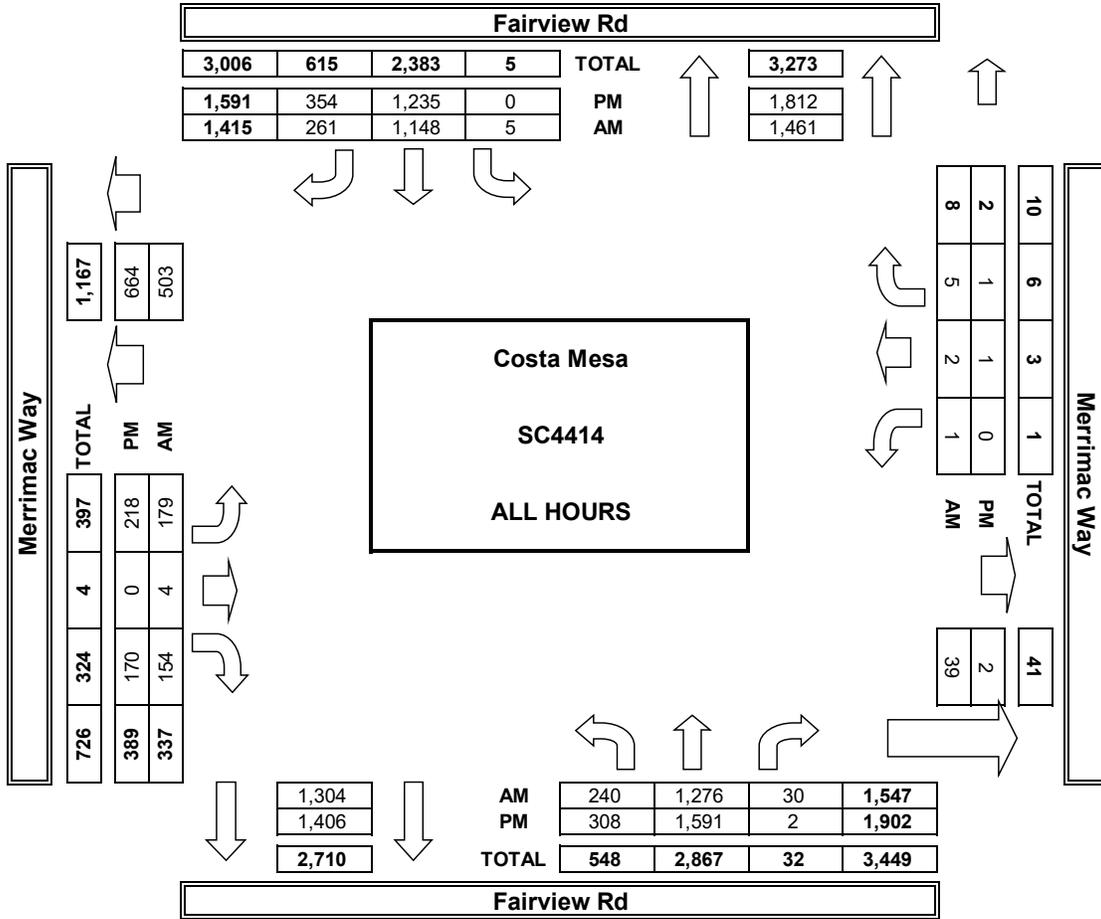
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	7:15 AM	1	0	1	1	3
	7:30 AM	2	0	2	1	5
	7:45 AM	2	0	5	3	10
	8:00 AM	2	1	7	5	15
	8:15 AM	0	1	11	7	19
	8:30 AM	0	0	3	2	5
	8:45 AM	5	0	3	3	11
	TOTAL	12	3	34	23	72
	BEGIN PEAK HR	7:45 AM				

ALL PED + BIKE & SCOOTER				
N LEG	S LEG	E LEG	W LEG	TOTAL
0	1	2	1	4
1	0	1	1	3
2	0	2	1	5
2	0	5	3	10
2	1	7	5	15
0	1	11	7	19
0	0	3	2	5
5	0	3	3	11
12	3	34	23	72
7:45 AM				
0	0	0	3	3
0	0	4	3	7
3	0	3	6	12
1	0	3	3	7
0	0	4	2	6
1	0	3	2	6
0	0	2	2	4
1	2	8	4	15
6	2	27	25	60
5:00 PM				

PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS				
N LEG	S LEG	E LEG	W LEG	TOTAL
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	3	2	6
2	0	3	2	7
0	0	6	5	11
0	0	1	0	1
1	0	2	2	5
5	0	16	12	33
3	0	13	9	25
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	2	0	2
3	0	1	4	8
0	0	2	0	2
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1	0	1	1	3
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	3	3
4	0	8	8	20
1	0	3	4	8

BICYCLE & SCOOTER CROSSINGS				
NL	SL	EL	WL	TOTAL
0	1	1	1	3
1	0	1	0	2
1	0	2	1	4
1	0	2	1	4
0	1	4	3	8
0	1	5	2	8
0	0	2	2	4
4	0	1	1	6
7	3	18	11	39
0	0	0	3	3
0	0	2	3	5
0	0	2	2	4
1	0	1	3	5
0	0	2	2	4
0	0	2	1	3
0	0	2	2	4
1	2	8	1	12
2	2	19	17	40

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*Merrimac Way MPAH Amendment*  
Year 2024 Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)  
Analysis



**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac Way

Scenario: Year 2024 Current

Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.

Peak Hr: AM Peak

Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	21	1	1,700	21/1,700= 0.012		
NB Thru	1,161	3	5,100	1,253/5,100= 0.246	< ==	
NB Right	92	0	0	----		
SB Left	241	2	3,400	241/3,400= 0.071	< ==	
SB Thru	1,414	3	5,100	1,463/5,100= 0.287		
SB Right	49	0	0	----		
						0.317
EB Left	72	1	1,700	72/1,700= 0.042		
EB Thru	28	1	1,700	67/1,700= 0.039	< ==	
EB Right	39	0	0	----		
WB Left	30	1	1,700	30/1,700= 0.018	< ==	
WB Thru	10	0.5	850	10/850= 0.012		
WB Right **	110	1.5	2550	110/2,550= 0.043		
						0.057
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.374
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.424</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

- Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour
- Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph
- Shared lane capacity = 1,700 vph/2 = 850 vph
- \*\* WBR can clear with SBL movement; therefore, WBL is used as critical movement

Maximum	
LOS	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac Way  
 Scenario: Year 2024 Current Peak Hr: PM Peak  
 Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc. Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	40	1	1,700	40/1,700= 0.024		
NB Thru	1,830	3	5,100	1,902/5,100= 0.373	< ==	
NB Right	72	0	0	----		
SB Left	133	2	3,400	133/3,400= 0.039	< ==	
SB Thru	1,420	3	5,100	1,471/5,100= 0.288		
SB Right	51	0	0	----		
						0.412
EB Left	42	1	1,700	42/1,700= 0.025	< ==	
EB Thru	17	1	1,700	44/1,700= 0.026		
EB Right	27	0	0	----		
WB Left	64	1	1,700	64/1,700= 0.038		
WB Thru	34	0.5	850	34/850= 0.040		
WB Right **	273	1.5	2550	273/2,550= 0.107	< ==	
						0.093
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.505
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.555</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour  
 Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph  
 Shared lane capacity = 1,700 vph/2 = 850 vph  
 \*\* WBR partially clears w/SBL movement (.107-.039=.068); WBR still remains as critical movement over WBT movement. Use 0.068 as Critical V/C for WB movement.

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac Way  
 Scenario: Year 2024 Proposed Peak Hr: AM Peak  
 Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc. Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	21	1	1,700	21/1,700= 0.012		
NB Thru	1,161	3	5,100	1,253/5,100= 0.246	< ==	
NB Right	92	0	0	----		
SB Left	241	2	3,400	241/3,400= 0.071	< ==	
SB Thru	1,414	3	5,100	1,463/5,100= 0.287		
SB Right	49	0	0	----		
						0.317
EB Left	72	1	1,700	72/1,700= 0.042		
EB Thru	28	1	1,700	67/1,700= 0.039	< ==	
EB Right	39	0	0	----		
WB Left	30	1	1,700	30/1,700= 0.018	< ==	
WB Thru	10	1	1,700	10/1,700= 0.006		
WB Right **	110	1	1,700	110/1,700= 0.065		
						0.057
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.374
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.424</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour  
 Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph  
 \*\* WBR can clear with SBL movement; therefore, WBL is used as critical movement

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

<b>INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION</b>
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Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac WayScenario: Year 2024 ProposedPeak Hr: PM PeakAnalyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	40	1	1,700	40/1,700= 0.024		
NB Thru	1,830	3	5,100	1,902/5,100= 0.373	< ==	
NB Right	72	0	0	----		
SB Left	133	2	3,400	133/3,400= 0.039	< ==	
SB Thru	1,420	3	5,100	1,471/5,100= 0.288		
SB Right	51	0	0	----		
						0.412
EB Left	42	1	1,700	42/1,700= 0.025	< ==	
EB Thru	17	1	1,700	44/1,700= 0.026		
EB Right	27	0	0	----		
WB Left	64	1	1,700	64/1,700= 0.038		
WB Thru	34	1	1,700	34/1,700= 0.020		
WB Right **	273	1	1,700	273/1,700= 0.161	< ==	
						0.147
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.559
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.609</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>B</b>

## \* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour

Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph

\*\* WBR partially clears w/SBL movement (.161-.039=.122); WBR still remains as critical movement over WBT movement. Use 0.122 as Critical V/C for WB movement.

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Fairview Rd & Merrimac Way  
 Scenario: Year 2024 Current/Proposed Peak Hr: AM Peak  
 Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc. Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	136	2	3,400	136/3,400= 0.040	< ==	
NB Thru	810	3	5,100	810/5,100= 0.159		
NB Right	17	1	1,700	17/1,700= 0.010		
SB Left	10	2	3,400	10/3,400= 0.003		
SB Thru	736	3	5,100	736/5,100= 0.144	< ==	
SB Right	144	1	1,700	144/1,700= 0.085		
						0.184
EB Left	131	1.5	2550	131/2,550= 0.051	< ==	
EB Thru	10	0.5	850	10/850= 0.012		
EB Right **	96	1	1,700	96/1,700= 0.056		
WB Left	10	0	0	----		
WB Thru	10	2	3,400	30/3,400= 0.009	< ==	
WB Right	10	0	0	----		
						0.060
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.244
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.294</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour  
 Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph  
 For low volumes a minimum of 10 vph is used  
 \*\* EBR partially clears w/NBL movement (.056-.04=.016); therefore, EBL is the higher critical movement

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Fairview Rd & Merrimac Way  
 Scenario: Year 2024 Current/Proposed Peak Hr: PM Peak  
 Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc. Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	172	2	3,400	172/3,400= 0.051	< ==	
NB Thru	847	3	5,100	847/5,100= 0.166		
NB Right	10	1	1,700	10/1,700= 0.006		
SB Left	10	2	3,400	10/3,400= 0.003		
SB Thru	638	3	5,100	638/5,100= 0.125	< ==	
SB Right	208	1	1,700	208/1,700= 0.122		
						0.176
EB Left	108	1.5	2,550	108/2,550= 0.042	< ==	
EB Thru	10	0.5	850	10/850= 0.012		
EB Right **	93	1	1,700	93/1,700= 0.055		
WB Left	10	0	0	----		
WB Thru	10	2	3,400	30/3,400= 0.009	< ==	
WB Right	10	0	0	----		
						0.051
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.227
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.277</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES  
 Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour  
 Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph  
 For low volumes a minimum of 10 vph is used  
 \*\* EBR partially clears w/NBL movement (.055-.051=.004);  
 therefore, EBL is the higher critical movement

Maximum	
LOS	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

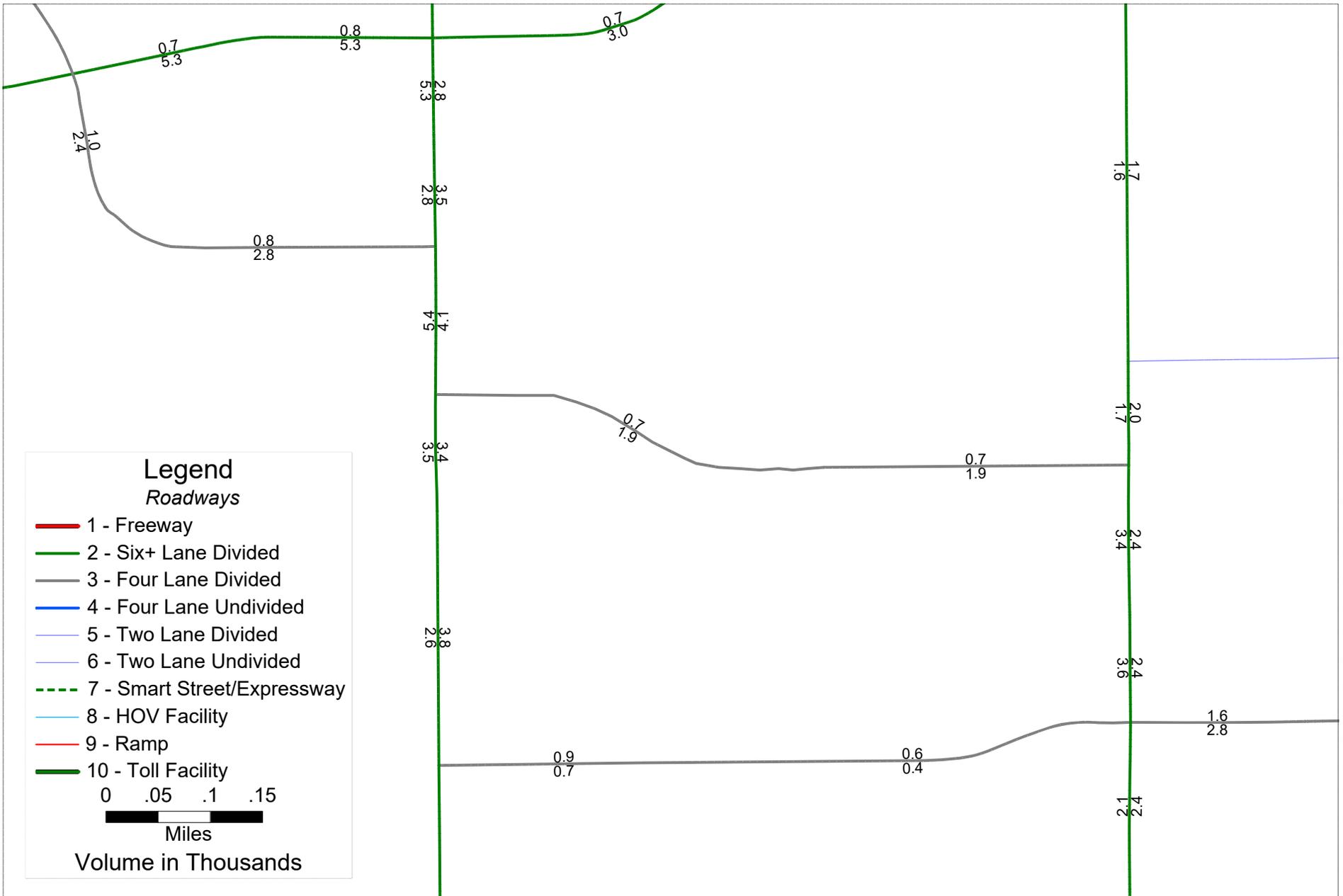
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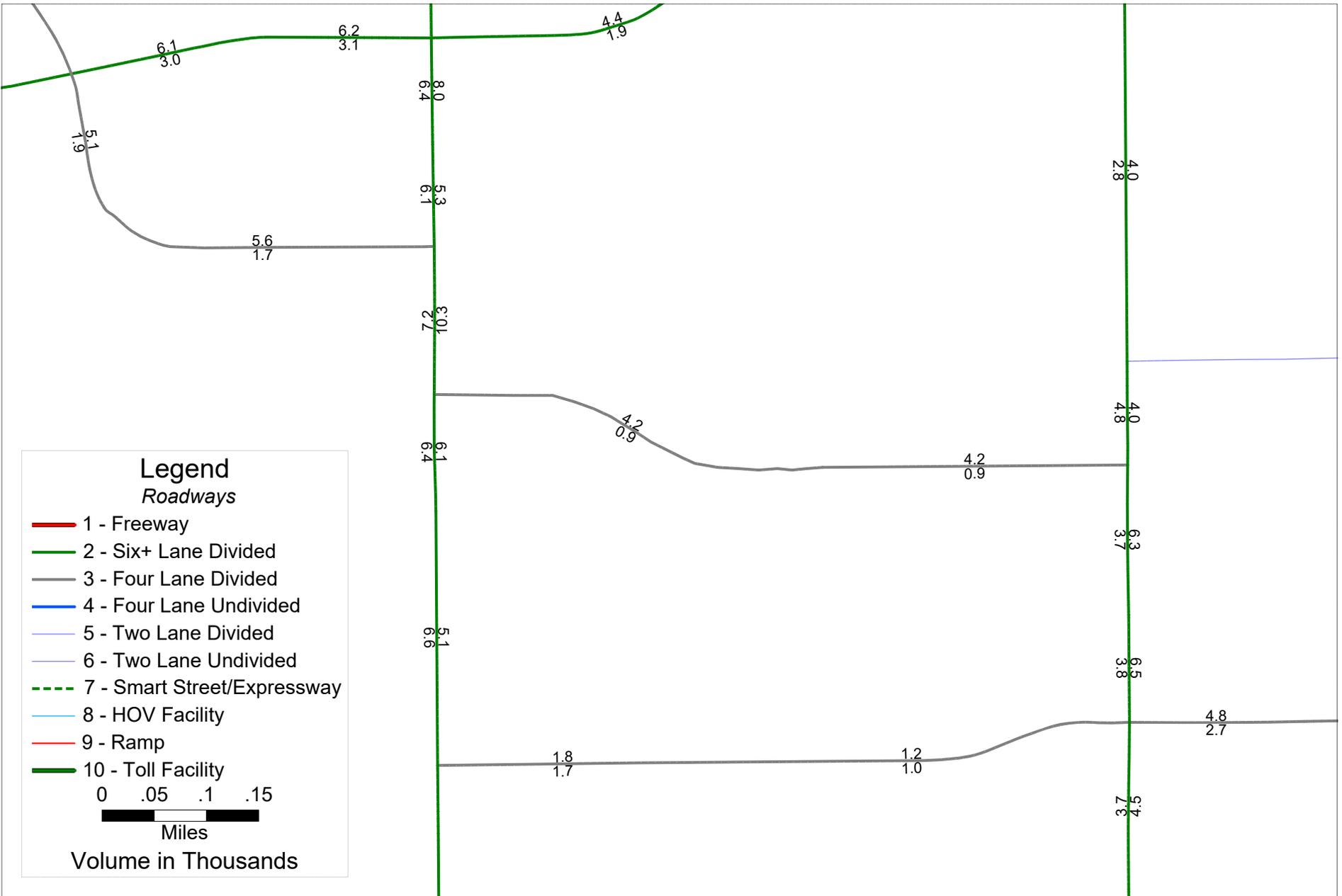
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## Volumes in Thousands

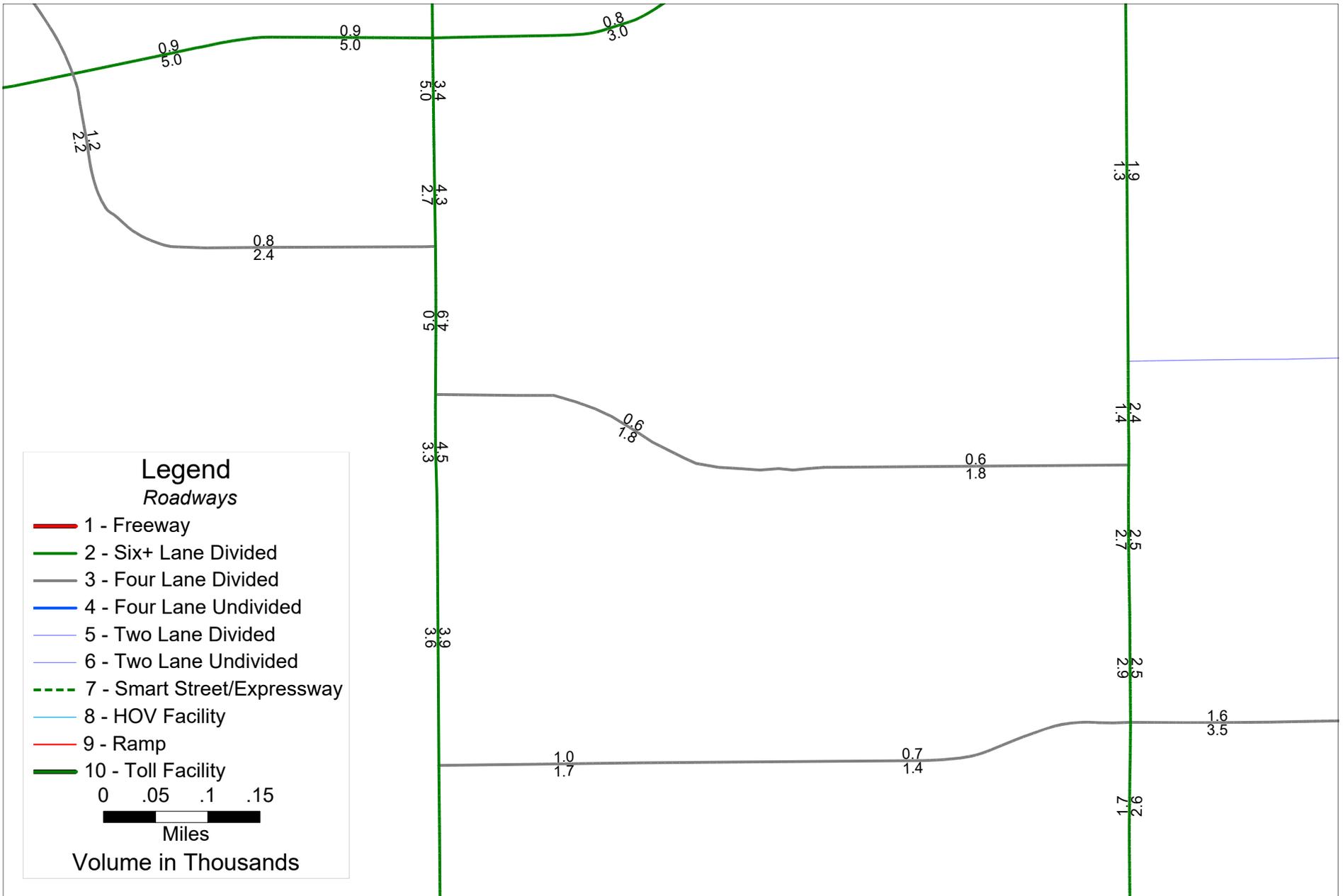
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## Volumes in Thousands

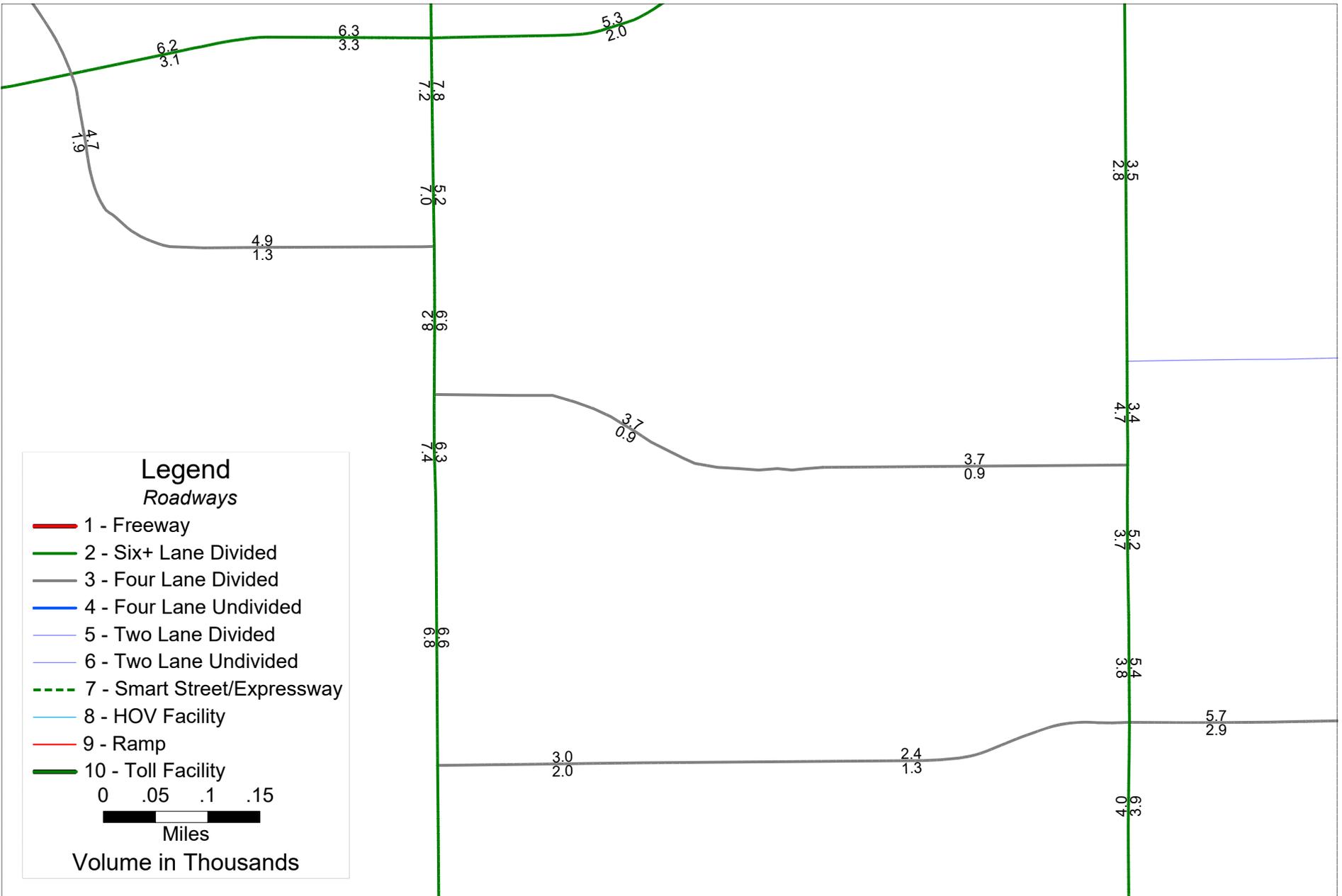
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# OCTAM 5.1 Year 2050 PM Peak Forecasts

## Volumes in Thousands

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*Merrimac Way MPAH Amendment*  
Year 2050 Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)  
Analysis



**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac Way

Scenario: Year 2050 Current

Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.

Peak Hr: AM Peak

Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	26	1	1,700	26/1,700= 0.015		
NB Thru	1,463	3	5,100	1,579/5,100= 0.310	< ==	
NB Right	116	0	0	----		
SB Left	265	2	3,400	265/3,400= 0.078	< ==	
SB Thru	1,555	3	5,100	1,609/5,100= 0.315		
SB Right	54	0	0	----		
						0.388
EB Left	79	1	1,700	79/1,700= 0.046		
EB Thru	31	1	1,700	74/1,700= 0.044	< ==	
EB Right	43	0	0	----		
WB Left	33	1	1,700	33/1,700= 0.019	< ==	
WB Thru	11	0.5	850	11/850= 0.013		
WB Right **	121	1.5	2550	121/2,550= 0.047		
						0.063
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.451
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.501</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

- Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour
- Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph
- Shared lane capacity = 1,700 vph/2 = 850 vph
- \*\* WBR can clear with SBL movement; therefore, WBL is used as critical movement

Maximum	
LOS	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

<b>INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION</b>
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Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac WayScenario: Year 2050 CurrentPeak Hr: PM PeakAnalyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	44	1	1,700	44/1,700= 0.026		
NB Thru	2,013	3	5,100	2,092/5,100= 0.410	< ==	
NB Right	79	0	0	----		
SB Left	150	2	3,400	150/3,400= 0.044	< ==	
SB Thru	1,605	3	5,100	1663/5,100= 0.326		
SB Right	58	0	0	----		
						0.454
EB Left	46	1	1,700	46/1,700= 0.027	< ==	
EB Thru	19	1	1,700	49/1,700= 0.029		
EB Right	30	0	0	----		
WB Left	70	1	1,700	70/1,700= 0.041		
WB Thru	37	0.5	850	37/850= 0.044		
WB Right **	300	1.5	2550	300/2,550= 0.118	< ==	
						0.101
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.555
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.605</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>B</b>

## \* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour

Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph

Shared lane capacity = 1,700 vph/2 = 850 vph

\*\* WBR partially clears w/SBL movement (.118-.044=.074); WBR still remains as critical movement over WBT movement. Use 0.074 as Critical V/C for WB movement

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac Way

Scenario: Year 2050 Proposed

Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.

Peak Hr: AM Peak

Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	26	1	1,700	26/1,700= 0.015		
NB Thru	1,463	3	5,100	1,579/5,100= 0.310	< ==	
NB Right	116	0	0	----		
SB Left	265	2	3,400	265/3,400= 0.078	< ==	
SB Thru	1,555	3	5,100	1,609/5,100= 0.315		
SB Right	54	0	0	----		
						0.388
EB Left	79	1	1,700	79/1,700= 0.046		
EB Thru	31	1	1,700	74/1,700= 0.044	< ==	
EB Right	43	0	0	----		
WB Left	33	1	1,700	33/1,700= 0.019	< ==	
WB Thru	11	1	1,700	11/1,700= 0.006		
WB Right **	121	1	1,700	121/1,700= 0.071		
						0.063
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.451
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.501</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour

Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph

\*\* WBR can clear with SBL movement; therefore, WBL is used as critical movement

Maximum	
LOS	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Harbor Blvd & Merrimac Way

Scenario: Year 2050 Proposed

Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.

Peak Hr: PM Peak

Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	44	1	1,700	44/1,700= 0.026		
NB Thru	2,013	3	5,100	2,092/5,100= 0.410	< ==	
NB Right	79	0	0	----		
SB Left	150	2	3,400	150/3,400= 0.044	< ==	
SB Thru	1,605	3	5,100	1,663/5,100= 0.326		
SB Right	58	0	0	----		
						0.454
EB Left	46	1	1,700	46/1,700= 0.027	< ==	
EB Thru	19	1	1,700	49/1,700= 0.029		
EB Right	30	0	0	----		
WB Left	70	1	1,700	70/1,700= 0.041		
WB Thru	37	1	1,700	37/1,700= 0.022		
WB Right **	300	1	1,700	300/1,700= 0.176	< ==	
						0.159
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.613
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.663</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>B</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour

Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph

\*\* WBR partially clears w/SBL movement (.176-.044=.132); WBR still remains as critical movement over WBT movement. Use 0.132 as critical V/C for WB movement

Maximum	
LOS	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Fairview Rd & Merrimac Way

Scenario: Year 2050 Current/Proposed

Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.

Peak Hr: AM Peak

Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	150	2	3,400	150/3,400= 0.044	< ==	
NB Thru	891	3	5,100	891/5,100= 0.175		
NB Right	19	1	1,700	19/1,700= 0.011		
SB Left	11	2	3,400	11/3,400= 0.003		
SB Thru	810	3	5,100	810/5,100= 0.159	< ==	
SB Right	158	1	1,700	158/1,700= 0.093		
						0.203
EB Left	144	1.5	2550	144/2,550= 0.056	< ==	
EB Thru	11	0.5	850	11/850= 0.013		
EB Right **	106	1	1,700	106/1,700= 0.062		
WB Left	11	0	0	----		
WB Thru	11	2	3,400	33/3,400= 0.010	< ==	
WB Right	11	0	0	----		
						0.066
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.269
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.319</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour

Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph

For low volumes a minimum of 10 vph is used

\*\* EBR partially clears w/NBL movement (.062-.044=.018); therefore, EBL is the higher critical movement

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A

**INTERSECTION CAPACITY UTILIZATION**

Intersection: Fairview Rd & Merrimac Way

Scenario: Year 2050 Current/Proposed

Analyst: AGA Engineers, Inc.

Peak Hr: PM Peak

Agency: City of Costa Mesa

Movement	Volume	No. of Lanes	Capacity*	V/C Ratio	Critical V/C	Total
NB Left	189	2	3,400	189/3,400= 0.056	< ==	
NB Thru	932	3	5,100	932/5,100= 0.183		
NB Right	11	1	1,700	11/1,700= 0.006		
SB Left	11	2	3,400	11/3,400= 0.003		
SB Thru	702	3	5,100	702/5,100= 0.138	< ==	
SB Right	229	1	1,700	229/1,700= 0.135		
						0.194
EB Left	119	1.5	2,550	119/2,550= 0.047	< ==	
EB Thru	11	0.5	850	11/850= 0.013		
EB Right **	102	1	1,700	102/1,700= 0.060		
WB Left	11	0	0	----		
WB Thru	11	2	3,400	33/3,400= 0.010	< ==	
WB Right	11	0	0	----		
						0.057
Sum of Critical V/C Ratios						0.251
Adjustment for Lost Time						0.050
Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU)						<b>0.301</b>
Level of Service (LOS) - Refer to table below						<b>A</b>

\* NOTES

Per-lane Capacity = 1,700 vehicles/hour

Dual left turn lane capacity = 3,400 vph

For low volumes a minimum of 10 vph is used

\*\* EBR partially clears w/NBL movement (.060-.056=.004); therefore, EBL is the higher critical movement

LOS	Maximum
	V/C
A	0.600
B	0.700
C	0.800
D	0.900
E	1.000
F	N/A