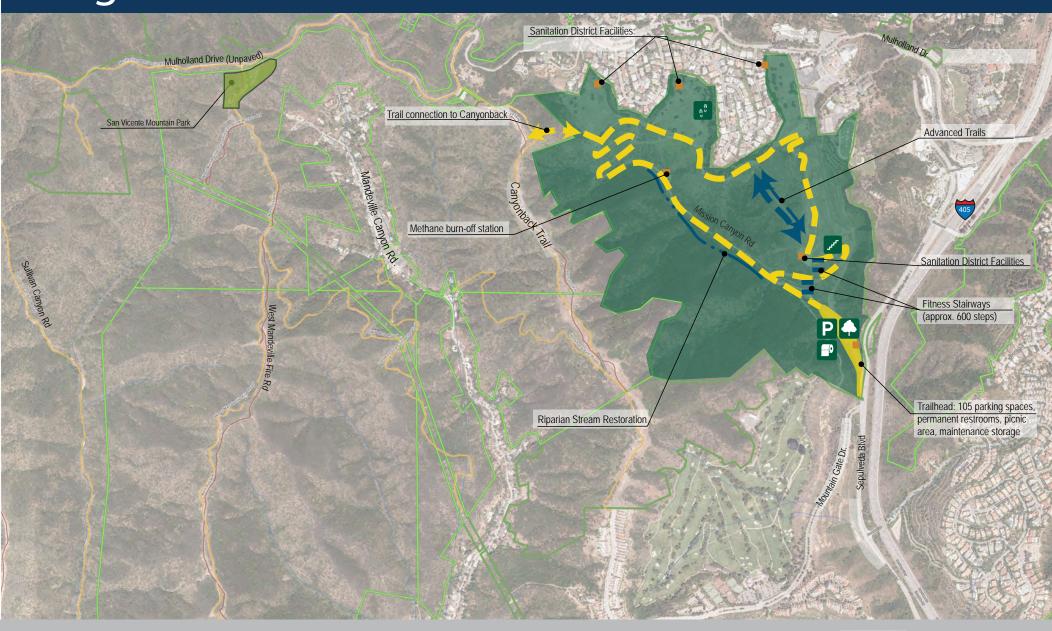
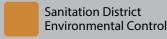
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MISSION CANYON PARK

Description & Timeline

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project Partners: Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority, Los Angeles County Supervisor Sheila Kuehl's Office, and Los Angeles County Sanitation District

The Mission Canyon landfill is an approximately 500-acre property west of the San Diego Freeway in the Santa Monica Mountains. The landfill was operated from approximately 1959 to 1980 by the Los Angeles County Sanitation District. At the landfill's inception, the property was designated for park and recreation purposes after landfill operations ceased. All disturbed areas have been covered with clean earth and can now accommodate park and recreational uses. The only ongoing operations at the property are the landfill's environmental monitoring systems. The property also supports wildlife movement and habitat connectivity.

The Mission Canyon Trailhead project will convert the old landfill into a new regional open space park for Los Angeles County. The improvements under construction include a 2.5-mile loop trail, a new connector to the Santa Monica Mountains' regional trail system, two new parking areas accessed from Sepulveda Boulevard and emergency/maintenance access only off of Mulholland, full restrooms, and picnic tables. Additional improvements proposed include a stepped fitness trail, Ranger residence, emergency helipads, fire hydrant, additional water tanks, riparian restoration and advanced trails, contingent on funding.





TIMELINE

January & February 2018: Public Outreach

Spring 2018: CEQA Public Comment Period

2019: MRCA and consultant team re-evaluated traffic and entry feasibility study for entry at Sepulveda Blvd.

2020: Feasibility Study findings completed.

October 2020: Feasibility study and project updates presented to the public.

2021: Update to the CEQA documents based on feasibility study and public input.

January 20th - March 7th 2022: New CEQA document released to public for comment.

QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS?

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