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## PRESS RELEASE

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## **Cabrillo School Pedestrian Crossing Improvement Project**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (Pacifica, CA) – Starting Monday, April 13, 2020, City of Pacifica's contractor, Mercoza, will begin the Cabrillo School Pedestrian Crossing Improvement Project. Barring any weather-related delays, work is expected to be completed by June 2020.

The Cabrillo School Pedestrian Crossing Improvement Project will install vegetated curb extension at the midblock crossing directly in front of the school. During wet weather events, the vegetated curb extensions will collect stormwater temporarily and filter it before entering the City's storm drain system or creeks. The vegetated curb extensions will help reduce or eliminate polluted stormwater runoff, reduce stormwater management costs, and increase pedestrian safety and aesthetic value of the street and neighborhood.

Project activities will be confined to the existing City right of way. The project does not involve grading or utility work. It will remove existing asphalt pavement within the right of way and replace it with new vegetated curb extension/bulb-outs.

The City has deemed this as an essential construction project as defined by the San Mateo County Shelter In Place Order, as it is a public works infrastructure transportation safety project.

The City appreciates everyone's patience and cooperation for any inconveniences caused by construction activities as we strive to improve the City's pedestrian and storm drain facilities. Please contact the Public Works Department at (650) 738-3767 or e-mail <a href="mailto:engineering@ci.pacifica.ca.us">engineering@ci.pacifica.ca.us</a> if you have any questions or comments. Updated project information will also be posted on the City's website at <a href="https://www.cityofpacifica.org">www.cityofpacifica.org</a>.

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