Gualala Downtown Enhancement Project

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Purpose and Need

· Purpose:

The purpose of the project is to improve traffic flow and create safe, comfortable facilities for pedestrian and bicycle travel through downtown Gualala. The project is also intended to improve Gualala's visual character by incorporating landscape and hardscape features into the project.

· Need:

The project is needed to reduce conflicts between motorized and non-motorized users of the facilities, which are worsened by on-street parking and minimal access control. The shoulder areas, while unmarked, are routinely used for parallel parking throughout the downtown area. Bicyclist and pedestrian pathways are not well defined.

Proposed Engineering Features

No.	New Asset	Unit	Quantity
1	Sidewalk	LF	2,770
2	Reconstructed Sidewalk	LF	330
3	Class 2 Bike Lanes	LF	3,750
4	Pedestrian Crosswalks	LF	410
5	Curb Ramps	EA	9
6	Reconstructed Curb Ramps	EA	0
7	Upgraded Crosswalk	LF	44
9	Pedestrian Refuges	EA	3
10	Radar Feedback Sign	EA	2
11	Pedestrian Activated Flashing Beacons	EA	6



