Islais Creek Bridge Replacement Project



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PROJECT INFORMATION
District 10

Start Winter, 2026 Completion Spring, 2029

Budget- \$60,000,000

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The City and County of San Francisco, led by Public Works, is proposing to replace the existing Islais Creek Bridge along Third Street in San Francisco's Bayview district. The existing Islais Creek Bridge is structurally deteriorated and seismically deficient. The proposed replacement bridge will meet current structural and seismic standards and will be more resilient to projected future sea-level-rise impacts.

LOCATION- Islais Creek Bridge - Third Street between Cargo Way and Marin Street



WHAT TO EXPECT

This project would result in the replacement of the existing drawbridge with a fixed-span bridge at a higher elevation. The new bridge would accommodate a center 26-foot-wide dedicated light-rail transit trackway, two 11-foot travel lanes in each direction, a 12-foot-wide shared pedestrian/bicycle path on the eastern side of the bridge, and a 17-foot-wide shared pedestrian/bicycle path on the western side of the bridge.

SCHEDULE

Environmental Clearance/Preliminary Engineering: 41 months December 2021 – June 2025

Detailed Design and PS&E Preparation, ROW Certification: 12 months June 2025 – June 2026

Advertisement, Bid & Award: 6 months July 2026 – December 2026

Construction Contract: 30 months December 2026 – June 2029

Active Field Construction: 24 months March 2027 – March 2029

DESIGN STATUS

- *Fixed-Span Bridge to 35% Design (Preliminary Engineering and Environmental Phase)
- *Anticipated NEPA Public Review: 3/1/2025 4/17/2025, NEPA Public Hearing: 3/18/2025
- *A Structures Type Selection Report is currently under review with Caltrans. Concurrence by the Caltrans Highway Bridge Program is an essential step to moving forward with the detailed design phase.
- *Transportation analysis, transit, and traffic detours are in development in coordination with SFMTA.