

VTA's Transit-Oriented Communities Grant Program

The Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) is offering funding for local agencies and community organizations to build Transit-Oriented Communities together.

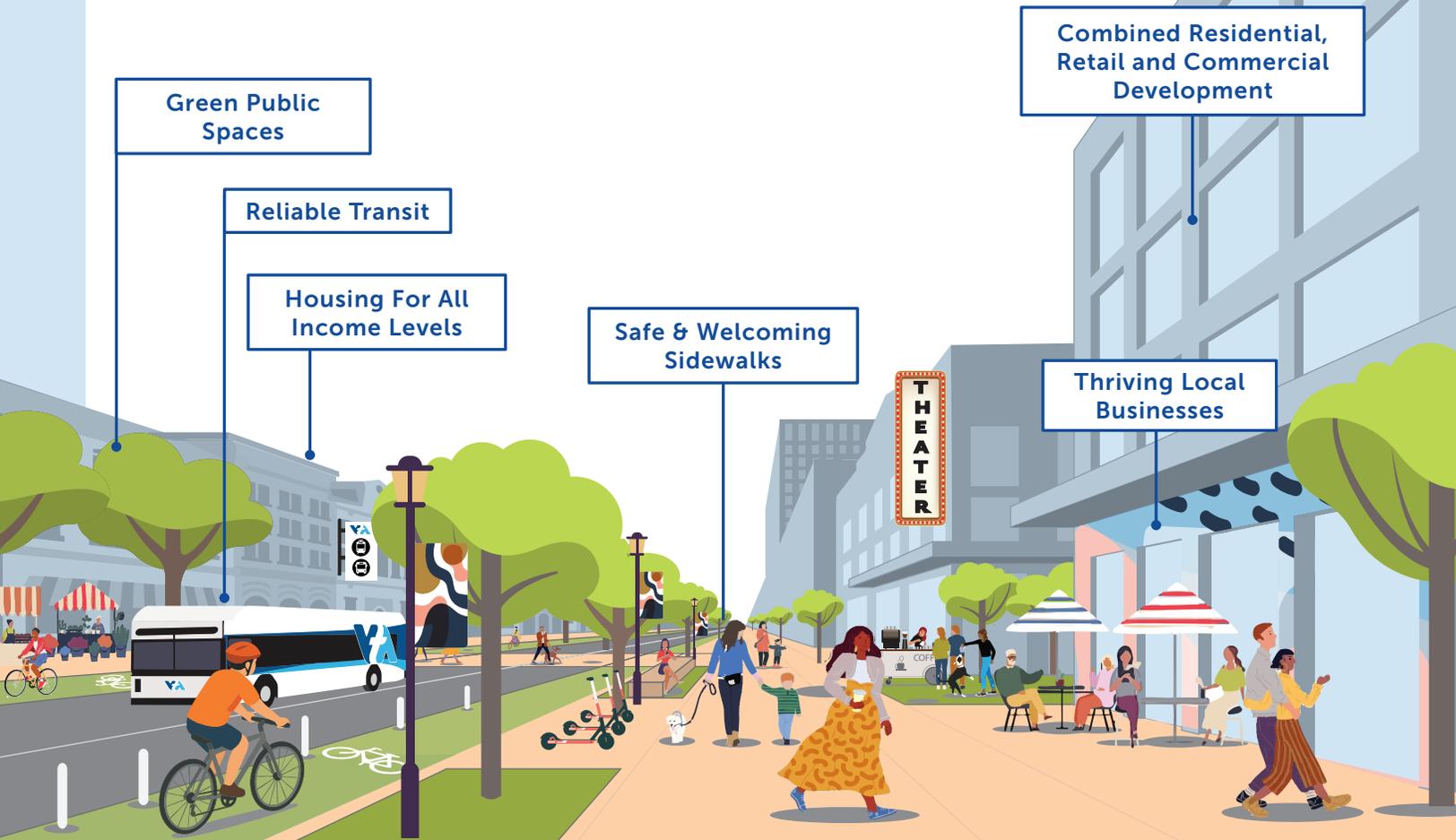
What are Transit-Oriented Communities?

Transit-Oriented Communities (TOCs) are walkable neighborhoods around transit stations that offer safe and convenient places for people of all incomes and backgrounds to live, work, and visit.

These neighborhoods offer diverse housing options and easy access to local businesses, job opportunities, and institutions such as schools and libraries.

New and old buildings stitched together by roads and parks, are designed for people, creating a vibrant cultural landscape that preserves and celebrates local heritage.

The goal is to boost transit use, reduce car trips, and preserve existing neighborhoods through dense, mixed-use, and mixed-income development near transit stations and corridors.



How to become a partner and apply for the TOC Grant Program

The TOC Grant is a **civic engagement tool**. VTA wants to enable community organizations and local agencies that want to invest in art, public spaces, and development, to create vibrant transit-friendly neighborhoods in Santa Clara County. And **you have the power** to tell us how you want to do this. **We are inviting you to be a partner with VTA.**

VTA is funding diverse projects in **four program areas**:

- 1 Planning & Policy Implementation** for sustainable growth around transit.
- 2 Community Resilience** projects that focus on affordability for existing residents and small businesses.
- 3 Education & Engagement** for inclusive community involvement.
- 4 Placekeeping, Arts, & Activation** that celebrates and preserves culture and enhances community experience.

Apply here: vta.org/tocgrant

