CITY OF SACRAMENTO AL FRESCO DINING PROGRAM

Program Presentation

June 21, 2022





Program Goal

Make it easy for restaurant owners to build safe, durable, and beautiful outdoor dining spaces that contribute to our city's thriving dining scene and foster pedestrian-friendly streets.



For Restaurants

Increased dining areas means greater capacity, with the dining experience on display for passersby.



For Customers

Thoughtfully designed and well-built Al Fresco Patios enhance the dining experience.



For Communities

Permitted Al Fresco Patios make for safer and more pedestrian-friendly streets.



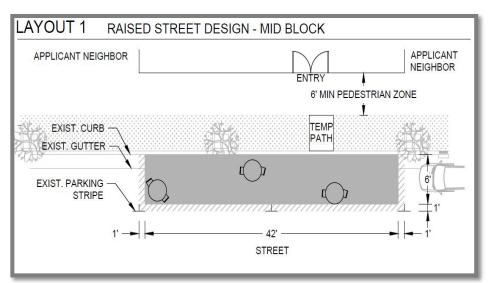
Program History

- March 2014: City established Pilot Parklet Program
- April 2020: Temporary Allowance of Outdoor Dining
- June 2021: City extended Outdoor Dining Programs through June 2022 aka Al Fresco Farm-to-Fork Dining Program
- **July October 2021:** City engaged hundreds of internal and external stakeholders to solicit feedback on the program.
- October 2021: City partnered with HDR for design and stakeholder outreach
 - 6 standard civil design layouts
 - 2 structural designs (base, walls, canopy)
 - Electrical concept
 - Construction cost estimate
 - Branding materials, marketing materials & customer-facing interactive webpage
- December 2021 June 2022: Ongoing stakeholder engagement



Layout I – Raised Street Design

- Parklet using a raised base design
- Wall & canopy design optional wood or steel
- Elevates parklet to adjacent sidewalk level

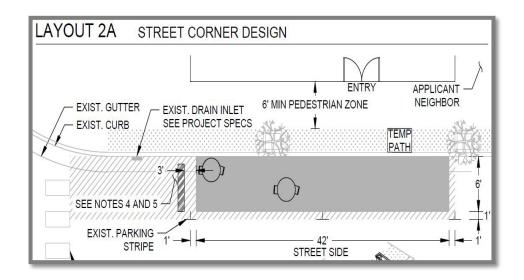






Layout 2A – Street Corner Design

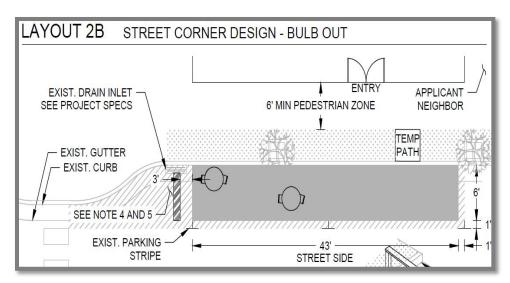
- Parklet using a raised base design at a standard corner
- Wall & canopy design optional wood or steel
- Elevates parklet to adjacent sidewalk level





Layout 2B – Street Corner Design Bulb-out

- Parklet using a raised base design at a bulbed-out corner
- Wall & canopy design optional wood or steel
- Elevates parklet to adjacent sidewalk level

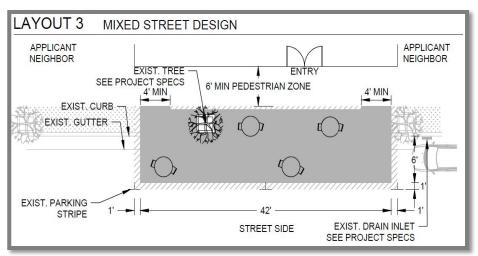






Layout 3 – Mixed Street Design

- Parklet using a raised base design
- Spans parking spaces and public amenity zones
- Wall & canopy design optional wood or steel
- Elevates parklet to adjacent sidewalk level

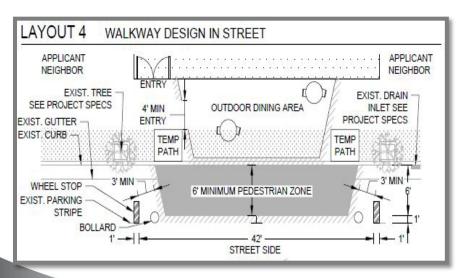






Layout 4 – Walkway Design in Street

- Pedestrian walkway placed in parking area using a raised base design
- Elevates parklet to be an ADA compliant surface
- Outdoor dining area spans public amenity zone & sidewalk
- Wall optional wood

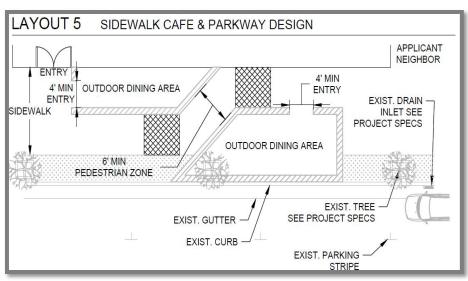






Layout 5 – Sidewalk Café and Parkway

- Pedestrian walkway placed in parking area using a raised base design
- Outdoor dining area spans public amenity zone and sidewalk
- Walls or fencing optional

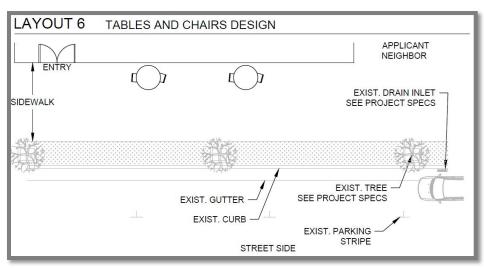






Layout 6 – Tables & Chairs

- Tables and chairs used within sidewalk
- No structural elements
- ADA access maintained







Interactive Webpage



BENEFITS OF NEW WEBPAGE & PERMITTING PROGRAM FOR RESTAURANTS

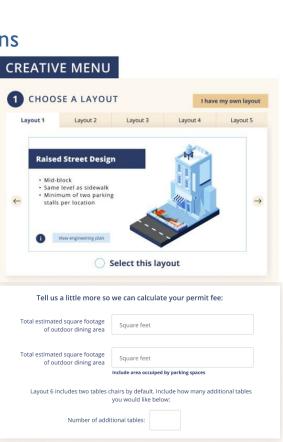
Clear information and permitting checklist to help businesses navigate the application process with ease

- Layouts with estimated cost and square footage to help businesses create the right structure for their budget and available space
- Answers to frequently asked questions about permitting process and outdoor dining structures



Sample Layouts

- Sample layouts based on recommended engineering plans
- Ability to select different features (materials, canopies, electrical, etc.) based on your needs and desires
- Cost estimate for selected layout and features







Community Outreach

City Staff will work with participating businesses and collaborate with the following groups to ensure inclusivity to all:

- City Economic Development and Inclusive Economic Development Collaborative (IEDC)
- Citywide Business Improvement Districts
- Local Chambers of Commerce



Transition Schedule

Temporary Al Fresco Street Closures:

30 days to open street and pedestrian access

Temporary Outdoor Dining Locations:

3 months to submit application

Pre-existing sidewalk cafés:

12 months to submit application

Temporary Outdoor Dining in private parking lots:

30 days to submit letter of interest to Community Development Department (CDD)



Next Steps

July 1, 2022:

- Official launch of the Al Fresco Dining Program
- Launch webpage on City Website
- Work with Economic Development on the development of an Al Fresco Grant Program

Fall of 2022:

Return to City Council for approval of the Al Fresco Fee
 Schedule and Grant Program



Thank you for your time!