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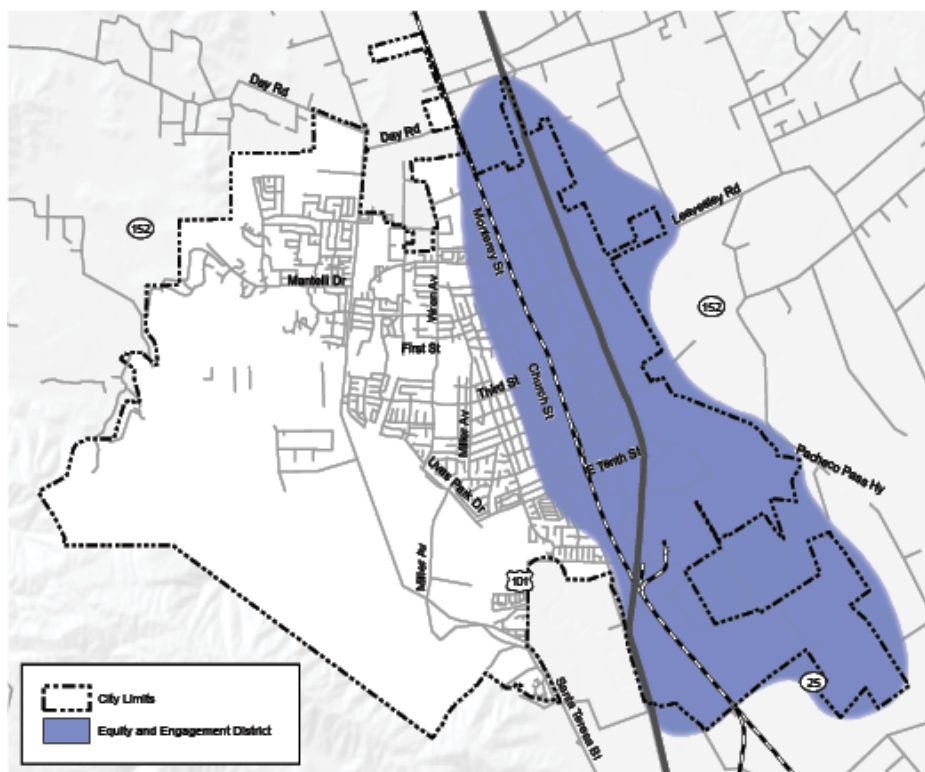
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Community Invited to Provide Feedback on Equity, Health, and Housing



October 17, 2019 (Gilroy, CA): The City of Gilroy and the Gilroy General Plan Advisory Committee (GPAC) invite interested community residents to participate in a community workshop being held on **Friday, November 8, 2019 from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM at Gilroy Prep School (Cesar Chavez Gym), 227 I.O.O.F. Avenue.** The purpose of this workshop is to facilitate community discussion on important social, economic, health, and environmental issues facing the City's Equity and Engagement District (see map).

This workshop is part of the City's update to its long-range plan for growth and change (General Plan). The results of the community input will be shared with the GPAC, which is responsible for recommending General Plan policies and programs to the Planning Commission and City Council for adoption into the 2040 Gilroy General Plan.

The City encourages all residents, not just those who live in the Equity and Engagement District, to join this community dialogue on how to improve this neighborhood. The workshop will be conducted in English, with Spanish translation services provided. Food and children's activities will also be provided. To see additional information about the workshop and to view a map of the Equity and Engagement District boundaries, please visit the project website at www.gilroy2040.com.

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