

## **TRANSPORTATION DIVISION NOTICE** Potential Laurel Street Parking Modifications

In response to concerns raised by residents, the City is reviewing the existing onstreet parking within the bike lane on the eastern side of Laurel Street between Oak Grove Avenue and Glenwood Avenue with the intention of ensuring that the street is safe for all users. Laurel Street provides a key north-south bicycle connection and is a designated Safe Route to Encinal School. Vehicles parking along this section block the northbound bicycle lane on Laurel Street, forcing bicyclists into the vehicle travel lane.

Currently, parking is prohibited on the eastern side of Laurel Street along the Nativity School frontage between 7:00 - 9:00 a.m. The potential prohibition under consideration would extend the no parking restriction to all day. The existing bus stop would be maintained.

Should you have any questions, concerns or objections to this installation, the City will hold a neighborhood meeting in the Gymnasium at Nativity School on Thursday, October 3, 2013 from 6:00 -8:00 pm. If you cannot attend, please feel free to contact Jesse T. Quirion at (650) 330-6744 or <u>itquirion@menlopark.org</u> with comments or questions.

\*This meeting may constitute a Special Meeting of the Menlo Park City Council and/or a City Commission if a majority of Council Members and/or Commissioners attend the meeting. The purpose of the Council Members' and Commissioners' attendance is to hear information regarding Potential Laurel Street Parking Modifications. The Council Members and Commissioners will not take any action, make any decisions or engage in any deliberations as the Council or Commission at this meeting. This notice is provided in accordance with the Brown Act in the event that a majority of Council Members or Commissions are in attendance.