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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Information On New Sunol Quiet Zone At Niles Canyon Stroll And Roll Saturday, September 30th

Sunol, CA — In an effort to celebrate and educate the public on the groundbreaking of the new Sunol Quiet Zone, there will be an information booth from 8 am to 2 pm at the Niles Canyon Stroll and Roll event on Saturday, September 30th. The booth will be located at the intersection of Main Street and Niles Canyon Road in front of the Sunol Glen Elementary School. Project champion, Alameda County Supervisor Scott Haggerty will be at the booth from 11 am to 11:30 am to answer questions and celebrate with the community, media and key stakeholders.

The Niles Canyon Stroll and Roll is an initiative to develop the Niles Canyon Trail, during which vehicle traffic through Niles Canyon is closed and opened solely to bicyclist and pedestrian exploration through the Canyon. More information on the Niles Canyon Stroll and Roll can be found at www.84strollroll.com.

The Sunol Quiet Zone is an area where train horns will be restricted 24 hours per day. Safety improvements are being installed at three at-grade crossings (Castlewood Drive, Bond Street and Main Street) in order for the Quiet Zone to be enacted. Construction will begin in October with the improvements to be completed by the end of the year.

The Sunol Quiet Zone was made possible through financing from Alameda County Transportation Commission using Measure BB funding. The program is being implemented through the ACE forward Program on behalf of Alameda County.

ACE forward representatives will be on site to provide information on the Quiet Zone and the ACE forward Program.