

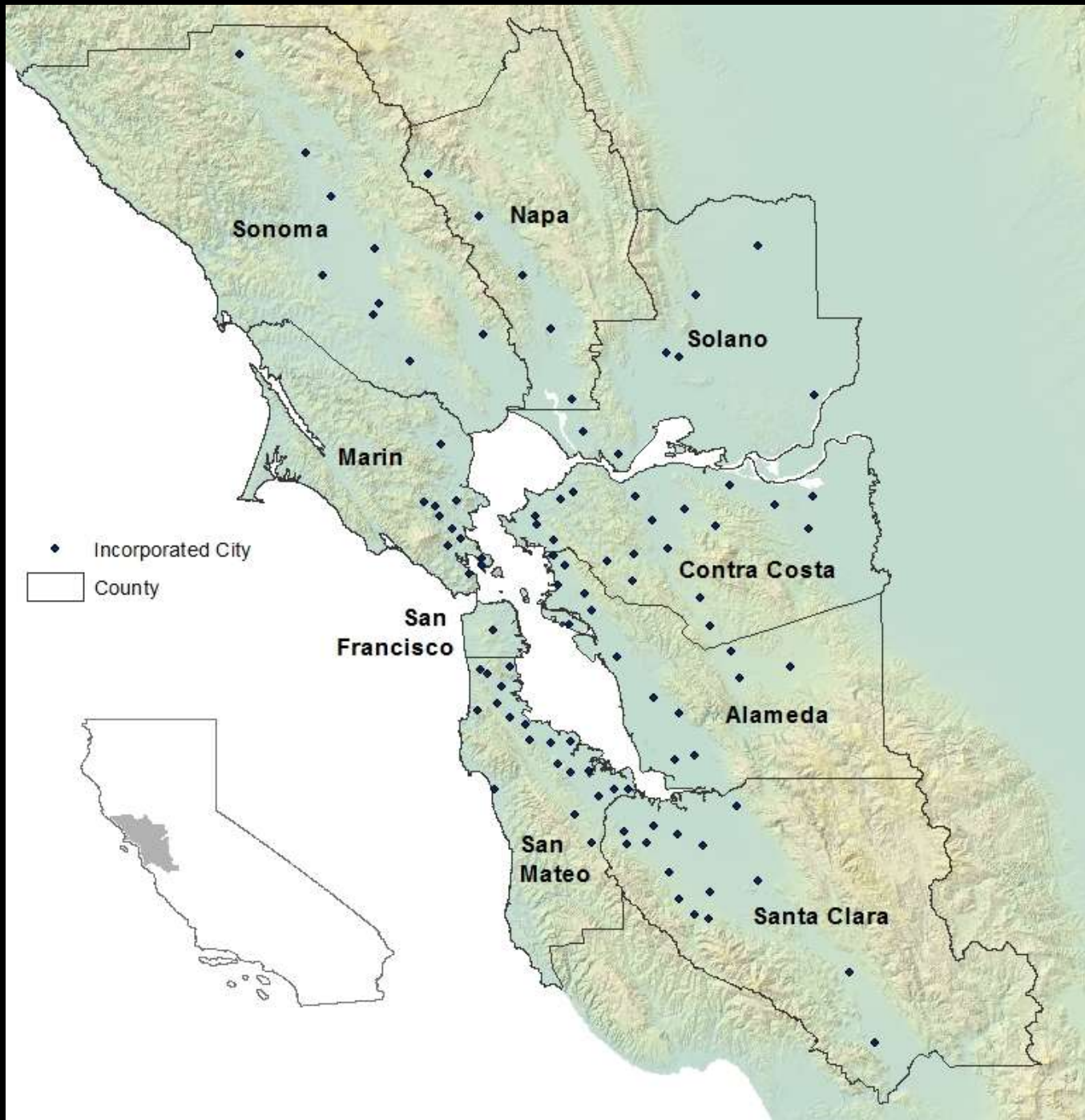
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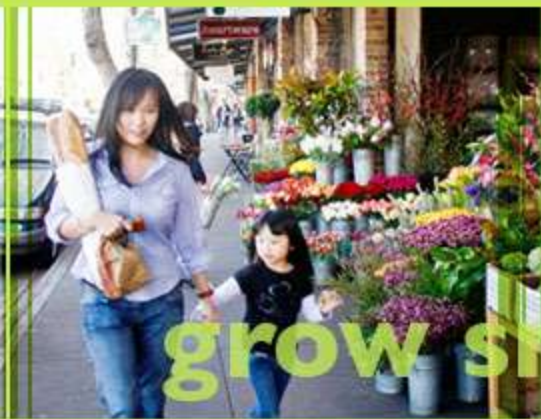
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Open Spaces & Vibrant Places



grow smart bay area

Protect vital lands

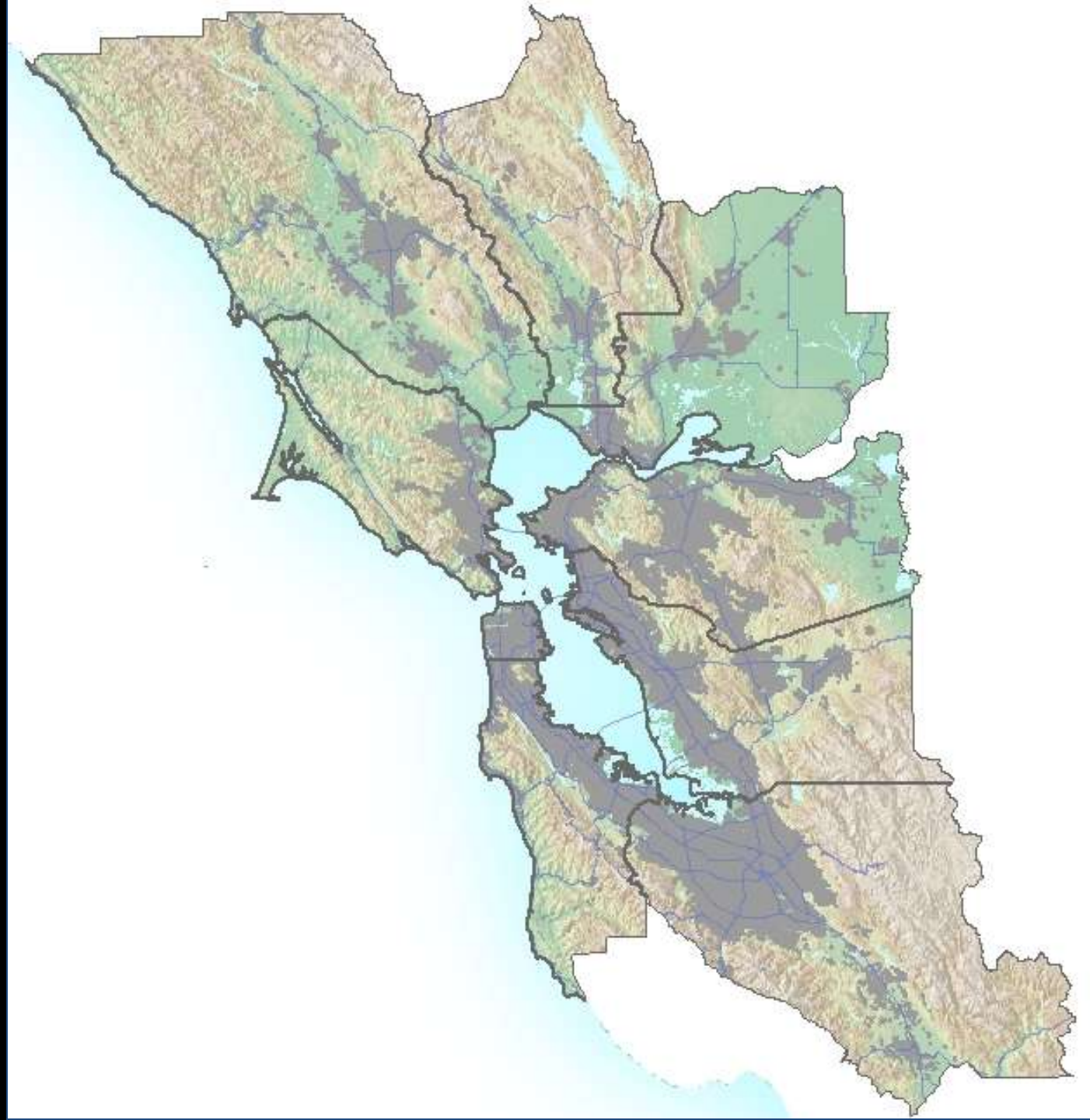


Invest where we already live and work



Livable and sustainable for all





Protected Open Space Lands

San Francisco Bay Area

Protected Land Ownership

Fee
A property that is owned by a government agency or conservation organization.

Easement
A property that is owned by a private landholder whose development rights are held by a conservation organization.

Mixed
A property that is protected through a blend of fee ownership and conservation easements.

Urban / Developed Interstate Arterial
Coastal Bay State / Local Arterial
Lake, Pond, Reservoir County Line



Golden Lands, Golden Opportunity
Preserving vital Bay Area lands for all Californians



Unique Regional Collaboration:

Bay Area Open Space
Council

Greenbelt Alliance

State Coastal
Conservancy

Association of Bay
Area Governments

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Clean Water:

Clean drinking water

Reduced infrastructure
costs

Wildlife and fishery
protection

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Healthy Local Food:

Economic health

Connecting farms to
cities

Regional self-
sufficiency

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Community Greenbelts:

Infill development

Local economies

Quality of life

Climate-friendly growth

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Unique Ecosystems:

Science-based
decision-making

Natural infrastructure

Climate protection

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Healthy
Communities :

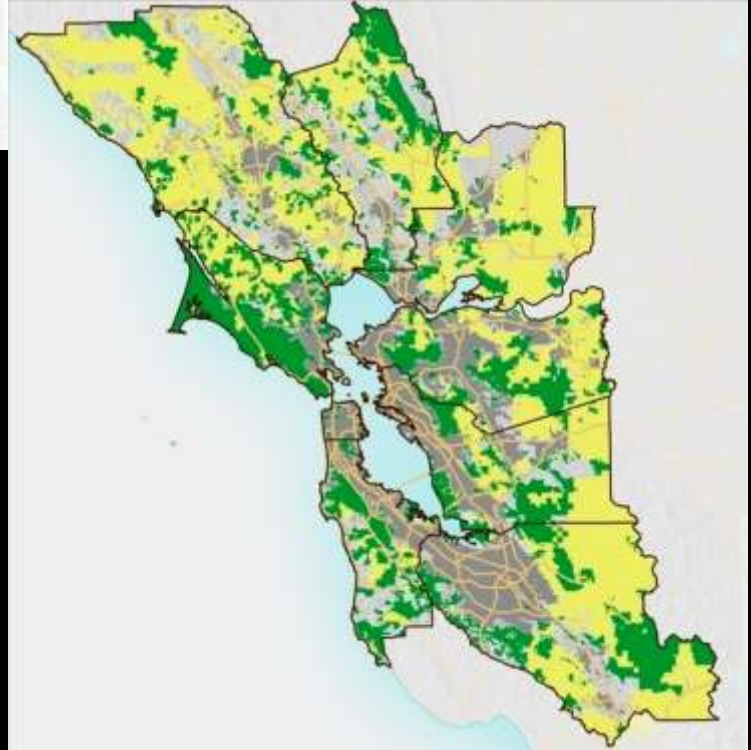
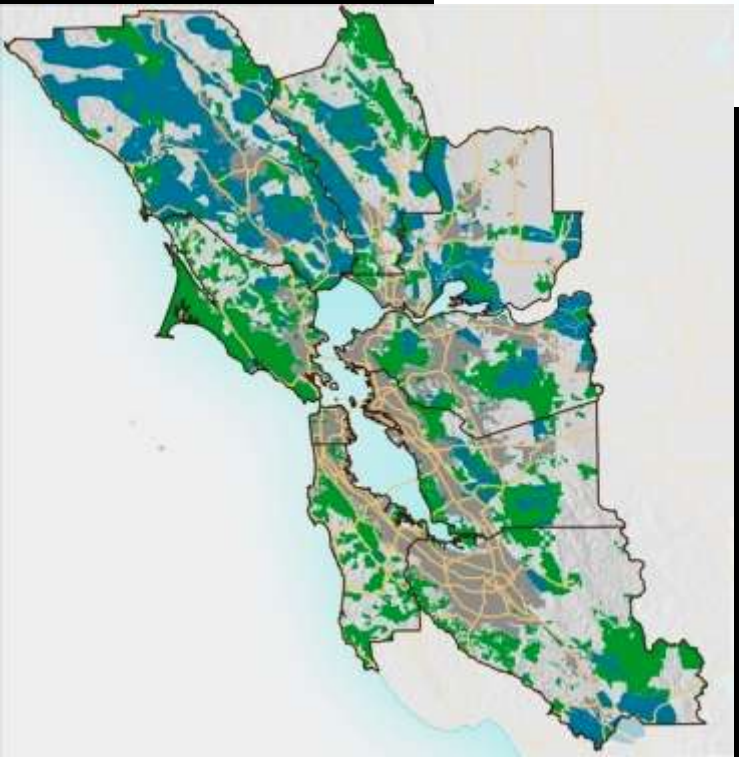
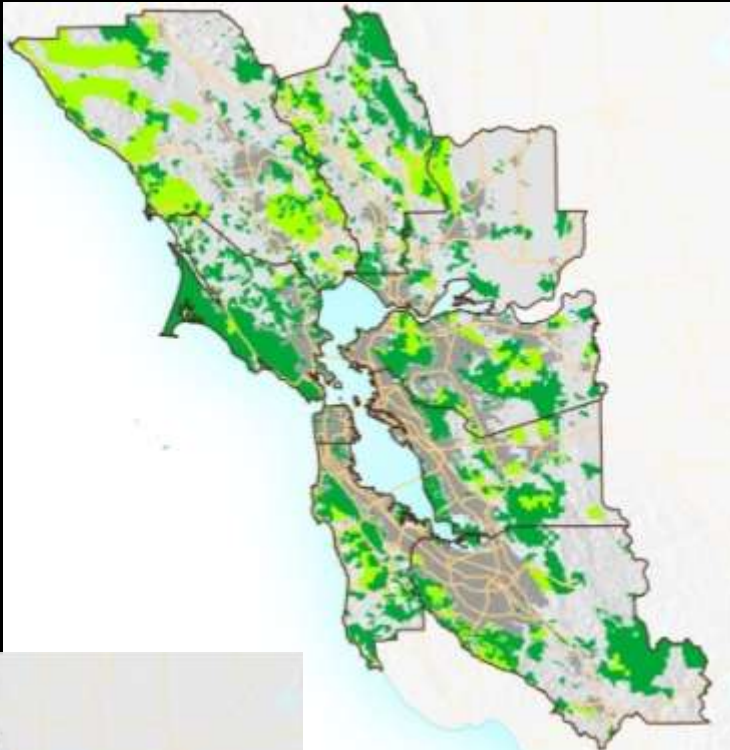
Active lifestyles

Connections to
nature

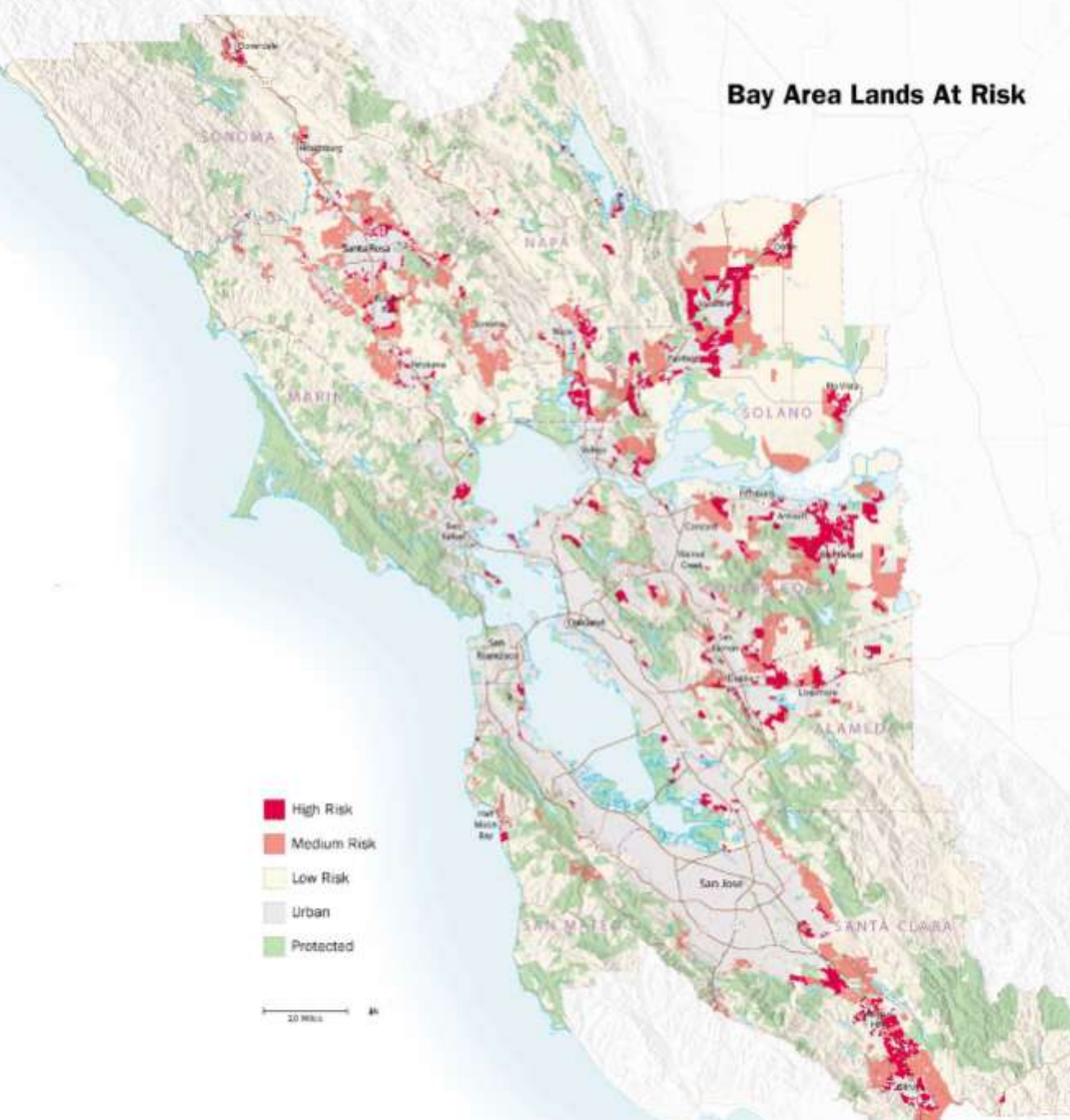
Social equity



Contra Costa Green Vision meeting



Bay Area Lands At Risk



- High Risk
- Medium Risk
- Low Risk
- Urban
- Protected

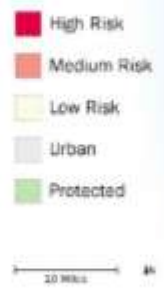
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Bay Area Lands At Risk

San Ramon:
Tassajara
Valley





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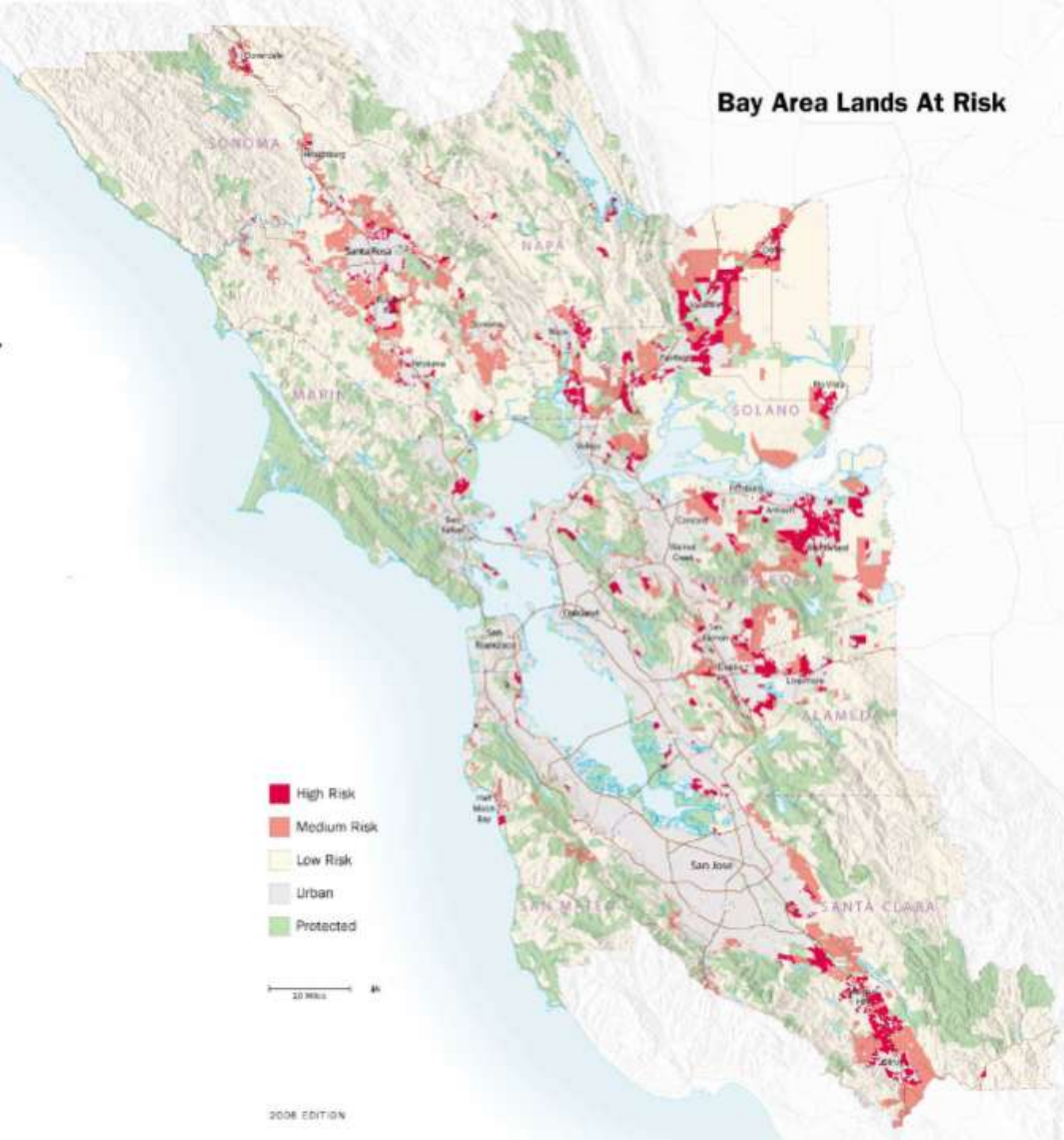
San Jose: Coyote Valley





Bay Area Lands At Risk

Sonoma
County:
Urban
Growth
Boundaries





What we need to protect the greenbelt

1. Broad-based political will
2. Messages focused on benefits to people
3. Strategic campaigns in priority places



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