

NORTH BERKELEY

PLANNING The City of Berkeley is working with neighborhood residents in efforts to increase safe access to BART. A major citywide initiative to create bicycle boulevards now provides direct access routes to the North Berkeley BART station.

ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS In 2004, the Berkeley City Council requested that BART charge for parking at the North Berkeley station. In March 2005, the BART Board approved the institution of parking fees at stations which had sold 15% of the parking spaces at the stations for reserved parking, or where the local jurisdiction had requested that a daily parking fee be established. The daily parking fees are or will be at ten East Bay Stations including the North Berkeley station.

The District is installing accessible fare gates to accommodate the access needs of customers in wheelchairs, bicyclists, and others with luggage.

REINVESTMENT This station had new energy efficient lighting fixtures and lamps installed throughout the station parking lot in 2003 and had energy efficient lighting fixtures and lamps installed within the station in 2004 as part of ongoing station renovation program activities. This station will have upgraded replacement ADA-compliant platform edge tiles installed, pending the receipt of grant funds.