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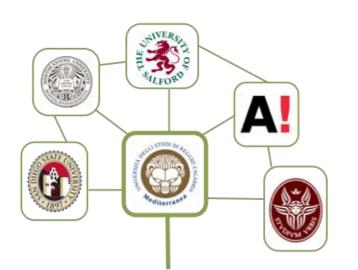
Community-led approach.

"How people shape their city, neighborhood".

# JACOBS MARKET STREET VILLAGE.

The role of communities in a case study TOD

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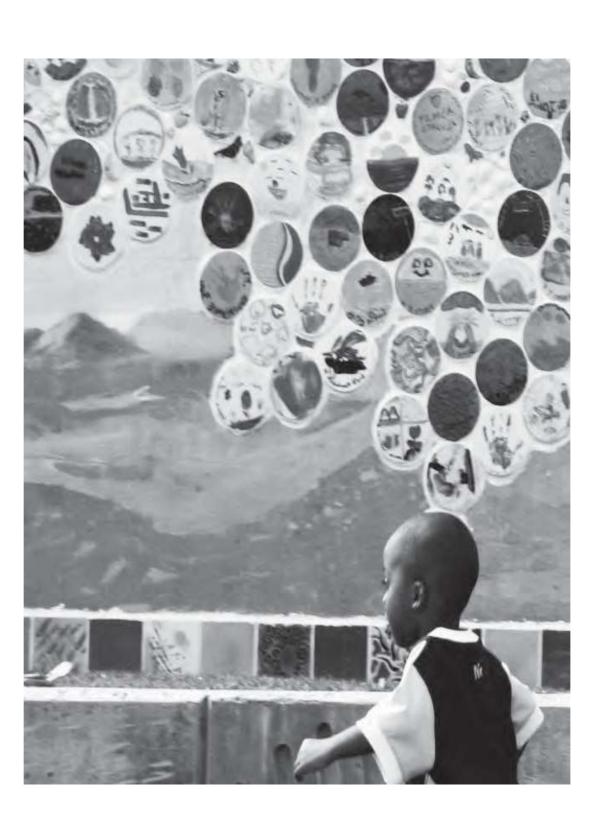
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#### Why this case study?



- -Smart Growth Pilot Village and Transit Oriented Development
- Mixed Use Public Space
- -Community Involvment
- Territorial Identity



Usually community participation and partnership means getting their ideas on how things should be, but you've taken it to a level where there are actually investors in this process.

- James Shelby Annie Casey Foundation.

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#### **General Information about the case study**



City of San Diego

Market Street And Euclid Ave, San Diego, CA

	Location	Residents	Area (sq. Km)	Classification (Typology of Urban Regeneration Initiative)
General	SAN DIEGO-DIAMOND	80.000	60 acres=0.25	COMMUNITY LED
Information	NEIGHBORHOOD	residents	sq.km	

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The **focus area includes** the neighborhoods of Chollas View, Emerald Hills, Lincoln Park, and Valencia Park, portions of the Encanto and South Encanto neighborhoods, and a part of National City.

Jacobs Neighborhood Innovation Partners with resident teams in an underinvested community called the Diamond Neighborhood.



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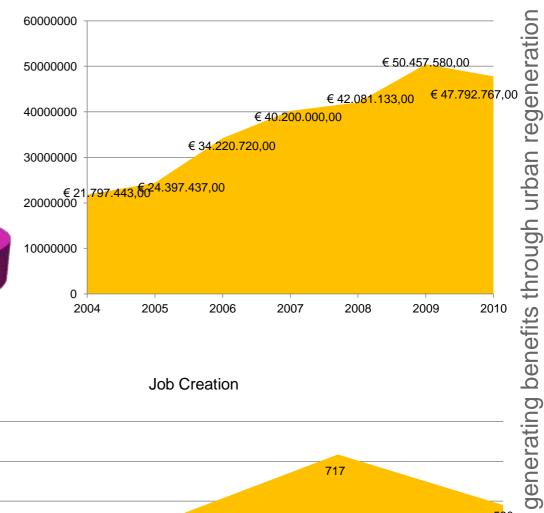
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Total population	107,185	1.321,000	PACIFIC ISLANDER  TWO OR MORE	=WHITE
Households	27,136	486.433	21	3 0
Av. Household Size (persons)	3.9	2.6	43	
Average Age (years)	30.4	36.2		

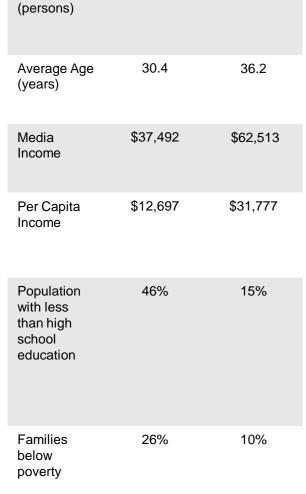
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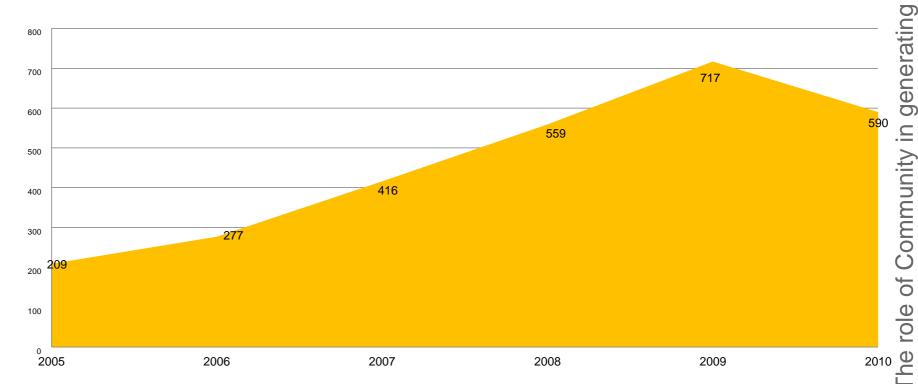


**Economic Activity** 



Job Creation





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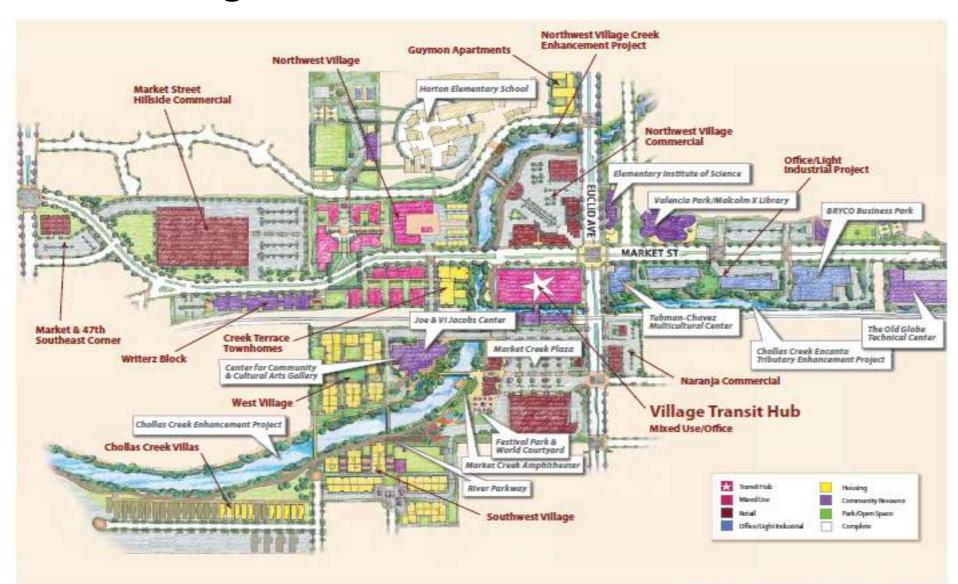
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The Village at Market Creek Master Plan updated 2012

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#### The challenges



THE VILLAGE CENTER IS AN ACTIVE SOCIAL HUB WHERE THE PEOPLE. USES THE SERVICES, WORK AND PLAY. EMAT COMPOSITE PLAN (2001-2002)

#### NUMBER OF THE FUTURE

The Village Development -1998-2010 (When Complete)

**6**0 acres 1.000 homes 2,000 jobs 250 new businesses 285,000 square feet retail space 255,000 square feet office space 65,000 square feet light industrial 25,000 square feet conference center 15,000 square feet child care space 400,000 square feet open space, parks amphitheater, river parkway 5,500 linear feet Chollas Creek restoration 7 interconnected cultural venues

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#### Main Strategies and Initiatives

#### STRATEGIC PRIORITY

**ECONOMIC REVILATIZZATION** 

Natural Beauty, Green Space JOB CREATION/SOCIAL WORKS **PARKING** 

LOCAL SERVICES/PROVISIONS

LOCAL PRODUCE VALORISATION **CULTURAL ENRICHMENT** 

#### **AFFORDABLE HOUSING**



Housing street Safety and roads. pedastrian and crime Jacobs safety Market Street Village Public facilities

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Planning Circles Process

Planning process has been driven by input from residents and community leaders, as well as local and regional arts professionals. The Plan is based on concepts outlined and affirmed by JCNI, the Guide Team, and community participants along each step of the process.



Six interconnected planning areas: civic engagement, arts & culture, physical development, social infrastructure, economic opportunity, and shared learning.



The City of Village Strategy and TODs are an application of Smart Growth, the planning approach that tries to encourage development in already urbanized communities for environmental, equity and economic reasons. This use of public transportation will play an important role in the long-term reduction of greenhouse gases and the creation of a healthier environment.

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#### planning initiative

1997

•The area surrounding the Market Street and Euclid Avenue hub was dominated by brown fields. Vacant or deteriorating industrial sites had become the central feature of a largely residential area.

1997-2002

•The Village at Market Creek has been the platform for resident involvement in and learning about land planning. Through these planning efforts — Euclid Place3s Plan in 1997, the EMAT Plan in 2002, and the City of Villages Plan

2001

•In 2001, residents formed the Euclid-Market Action Team (EMAT) and expanded the vision to include over 45 acres. To date, 42.6 acres of largely vacant and/or contaminated land have been acquired by JCNI for redevelopment as part of The Village.

2009

•In 2009, more than 100 residents made their voices heard by participating in meetings at City Hall, including those of the Land-Use Committee, Planning Commission, and City Council.

2010

•According to the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG), the Encanto Neighborhoods, centered around the intersection of Euclid and Market. The process started in March 2010 when a resident group called VOCAL (Voices of Community at All Levels) was organized to learn about planning and prepare the framework for the planning process. VOCAL is comprised of nine ethnic groups and nine network organizations for a total of approximately 40 residents.

2012

• 28november 2012, in according with the community, Civic San Diego and Southeastern Economic Development Corporation, during a workshop, working for a new update of the process planning.



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#### Context Yesterday and Today























YESTERDAY



TODAY



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#### Financial Analysis

#### Projects Developed New Construction Market Creek Plaza 23,500,000 Elementary Institute of Science 5,400,000 Joe & Vi Jacobs Center 25,000,000 Renovation BRYCO Business Park 346,000 - The Old Globe Technical Center \$ 673,000 Creek Restoration - Chollas Creek River Parkway 2,400,000 - Chollas Creek Encanto Tributary 2,800,000 Sub-Total Development Costs \$ 60,119,000 Building & Tenant Improvements 421,000 (post construction)

**Total Development Costs** 

#### Projects in Planning

Governmental Approvals Complete - Trolley Residential (52 units of housing)	\$ 23,000,000
Conceptual Plans Underway	
-MarketStreetOffice/LightIndustrial	\$ 28,000,000
- Northwest Village Housing	\$ 58,000,000
<ul> <li>Northwest Village Commercial</li> </ul>	\$ 17,000,000
Total in Planning	\$ 126,000,000

#### Market Creek Plaza Property Tax Impact

Taxes Paid on Land, Improvements, and Personal Property

- 2009

\$ 282,925

- Since Inception (estimated)

\$1,500,000

Items	Expenditures 2009	Revenues 2008	Revenues 2009
Market Creek Plaza	\$1.26 million.	\$ 1,703,821	\$ 1,723,406

60,540,000

	Public sector	Private sector
	\$ 4,000,000	
STATE OF CALIFORNI A*		\$1,350,000
EPA*	\$175,000	

Gold-Level Catalyst

**Community" under the Catalyst Projects for** California Sustainable Strategies Pilot Program.

\* EPA awarded \$175,000 for innovative brownfield reuse planning as part of the federal government's Partnership for Sustainable Communities.

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# **Public-Private Partnerships** (Financing)

A \$15-million New Markets Tax Credit brought Clearinghouse CDFI development (community financial institution) to the table. Wells Fargo's investment in Clearinghouse, the source of the NMTC loan, continues their ongoing support of the Plaza. From the start, Wells Fargo provided up to \$35 million in working lines of credit to fund construction of the project. The lines were low-interest, using Jacobs Family Foundation's (JFF) stock portfolio as collateral. The Wells Fargo Foundation has also supported programs associated with the Plaza's development.

#### New Markets Tax Credit How It Works



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# Conclusion

# **Findings**

#### POSITIVE

- Higher rental/lease rates and sales prices
- •Revitalized neighborhoods and commercial zones
- More affordable housing opportunities
- Increased job creation
- •Involvment Of Communities
- •Strong Public Private Partnership
- Farmer Market (???)





#### NEGATIVE 2013

- Nothing Affordable housing
- •Absence public facilities and utilities around the transit village.
- •Higher land values
- •Transit service levels do not match needs of development lessees, patrons, or residents
- Mismatch between transit patrons and retail or residential customers of related
- Farmer Market Inexistent

The approach of the community has played a key role in the processes of urban regeneration. The case study could to be considered as "pilot case study". JsMSV shows the character of the community, and the ability of individuals to cooperate with the forces of planning for a strategic Joint Action.

In this case study the real force of change and innovation are the community local, they has developed strong networks and dynamics for the construction of bridges virtual connection with other communities. To Support "community leaders" with workshop and charette means to work together on common goals, for to create new opportunities for consensus decision-making, and the involvement a critical mass of residents to plan, implement, and evaluate work, and to preserve the community identity. It's not only a technical but also sociological approach, and this approach is important for to create economic opportunities and improved health, education and community safety.

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## Visual Analysis



Our commitment is to partner with residents - doing with, not for - as they build a strong foundation for future generations.



to our kids is our investment in the community that we would like to pass onto them. -Sheila Min



Our work is at the nexus of social, economic, physical, and civic life.



