

Flood Bypass/Oxbow Commons

Oxbow bypass is a key part of the Napa River Flood Control Project. The process began in the mid 1990's to address local flooding issues. Designed as a wet/dry bypass channel that would be inundated with high flows of the Napa River during winter months to reduce the high river flows that normally back-up while making their way through the oxbow bend causing flooding in downtown Napa. It was designated as Oxbow Commons in 2000, Design started in 2010. Plans approved in 2013, contract awarded in late 2013 for a cost of \$17.3 million. Funded by the Measure A bond passed in 1998. The Oxbow Commons was opened in 2015.

Draft Design



Final Design

