

Stanford Medicine Cancer Center: Redwood City Project

North Fair Oaks Community
Council Meeting

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Stanford Medicine's Cancer Breakthroughs



1956: First cancer patient successfully treated with x-rays from a medical nuclear accelerator.



1994: CyberKnife developed at Stanford.



2016: Liquid biopsy technique enhances detection of DNA from cancer cells circulating in blood.



2024: Trial of cell-based therapy for high-risk lymphoma leads to FDA breakthrough designation. World's first FDA-approved cell therapy for solid tumor.





There are about **four** new cancer diagnoses every minute.



Looking Forward

- ✓ **Diagnose sooner** with enhanced screening and support throughout diagnosis process.
- ✓ **Prevent cancer** using new technological advances.
- ✓ **Address stark inequities** in access to cancer screening, diagnostics and treatment across race, gender, region, and resources.
- ✓ **Enable new treatments** to a broader population of patients.
- ✓ **Progress in the fight against** the most deadly and rare cancers through innovative research.
- ✓ **Better support patients, caregivers, and survivors** from prevention through survivorship.

Redwood City Project Vision



Driving Discovery: Build on Stanford's history of delivering "firsts" and set a new global standard for cancer research, breakthroughs, and education.



Connecting Innovators: Expand our capacity for innovation and share our cancer expertise across our care network and with colleagues around the world.



Educating Future Leaders: Integrate research, care, and education for the next generation of cancer doctors and scientists.



Transforming Treatment: Deliver world-class research with exceptional patient care in a single, patient-oriented setting from prevention through survivorship.



Expanding Care: Grow our capacity to expand access to innovative care and clinical trials for patients and communities.



Aligning on Shared Community Values: Strengthen our long and collaborative relationship with our neighbors and the region to promote a healthy community and foster environmental stewardship.

Project Site : Existing Conditions



Conceptual Proposed Project Uses



Tentative Project Milestones

2025

2026

2027

2028

2029

2030+

Solicit Community Input Throughout the Process

We are Here

Spring 2026:

Application to Initiate
Amendments to the
General Plan and
Precise Plan

**Submission of Technical
Studies for CEQA**

Summer 2026:

City Council Consideration
for Initiating Studies for
Amendments to General
Plan and Precise Plan

**City Starts Project Environmental Review
(CEQA) (Timing controlled by City)**

**Completion of CEQA Review
(Timing controlled by City)**

**City Consideration of Project
Approvals
(Timing controlled by City)**

Early Summer 2026:
Project Application
Submittal

City Meetings

Oct. 2025:
Community
Open Houses

Early Spring 2026:
Community Open
Houses

Summer 2026:
Community Open
Houses

 Community Engagement
 Stanford Medicine Process
 City-Led Process & City Department Engagement

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