# Orange Street & Saxton Street

Rehabilitation Project

- Orange Street (Saxton Street to West Broad Street)
- Saxton Street (Jay Street to West Broad Street)

## **Public Information Meeting**

Tuesday September 28, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Via Zoom Video Webinar

#### **City of Rochester**

Department of Environmental Services Bureau of Architecture & Engineering Street Design Division City Hall, 30 Church Street, Room 300B, Rochester, NY 14614







## **Zoom Webinar Format**



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## **Project Team**

## Mayor Lovely A. Warren



#### **Department of Environmental Services**

CommissionerNorman H. Jones)Panelist



City EngineerHolly E. Barrett, P.E.



Director, Water Bureau Geoff Gugel, P.E.



Managing Engineer, Street Design Dominic Fekete, P.E., Co-Host



#### **Project Team**

- City Project Manager, Street Design Javier Vargas – Host
- Fisher Associates (Design Consultant) FISH Peter Wlodarczyk, P.E.



Monroe County Dept. of Transportation David Kubiak, P.E.



- City Zoning, Christopher Snyder
- City Permits, John Hart



## **Public Meeting Agenda**

- Project Limits
- Street Improvements
  - Roadway, Curbs and Driveways
- Pedestrian & Traffic Safety Improvements
  - Sidewalks, Carriage Walks, Sidewalk Curb Ramps, Crosswalks & Signage
- Street Lighting Improvements
- Street Trees
- Construction Work Zone Traffic Control
- Utility Improvements
- Anticipated Project Timeline
- Additional Information
- Questions or Comments

#### Orange Street looking northeast from Saxton Street

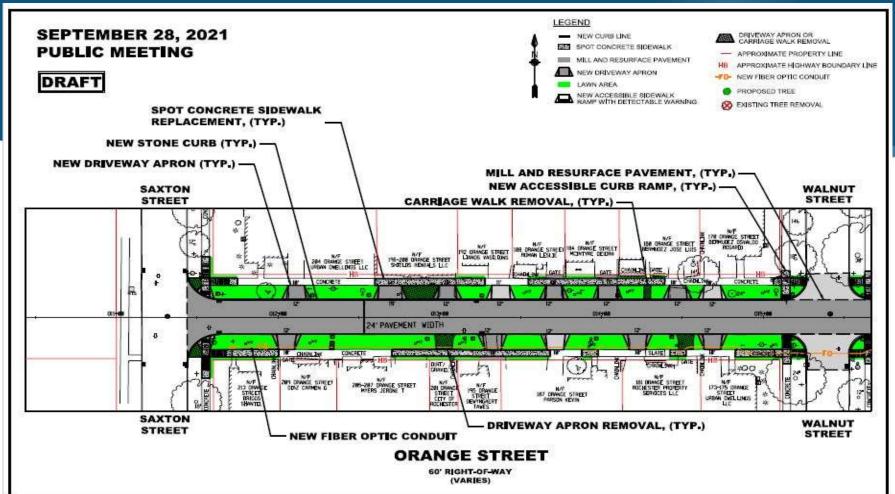


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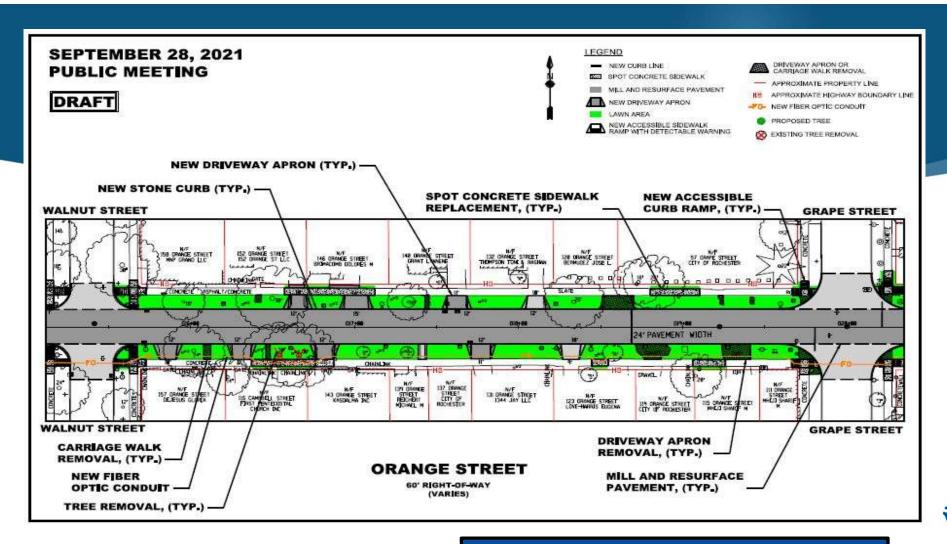






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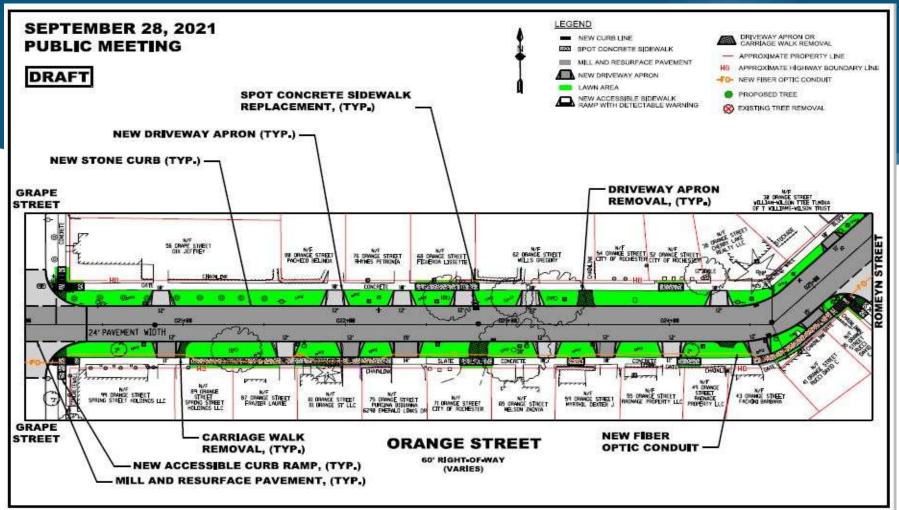




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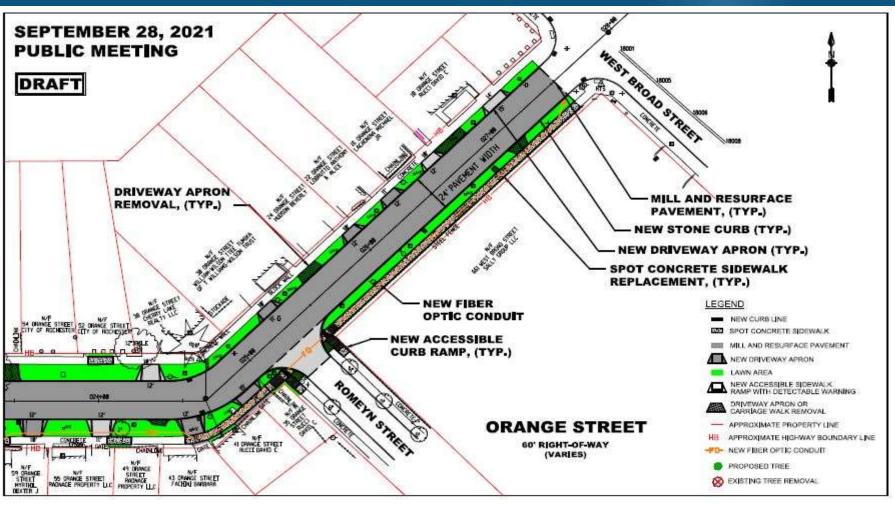
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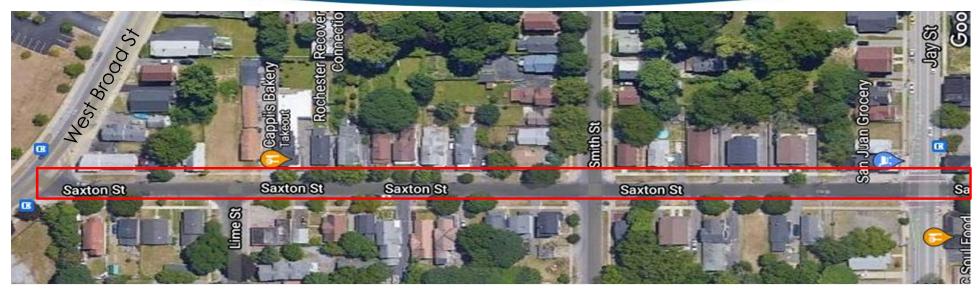
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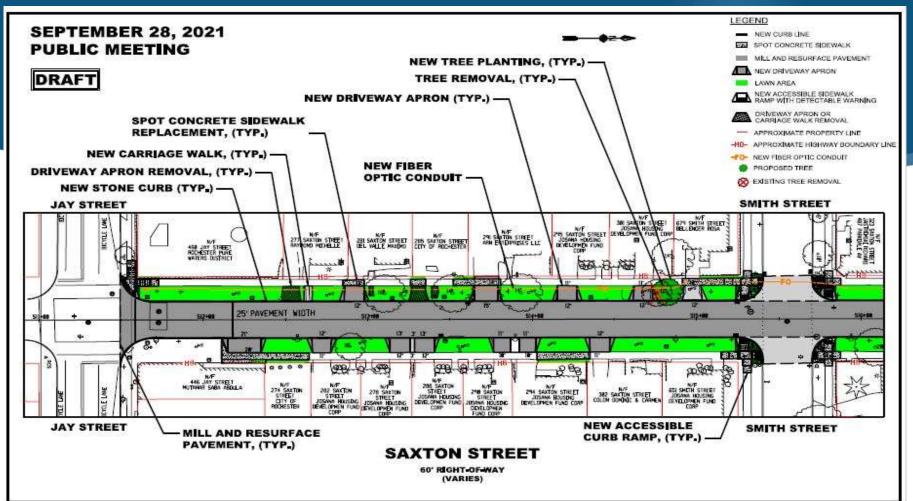
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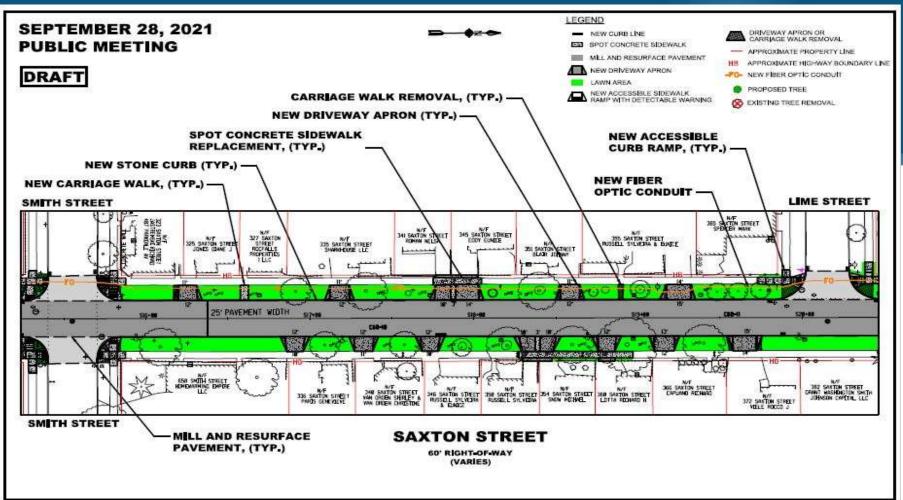






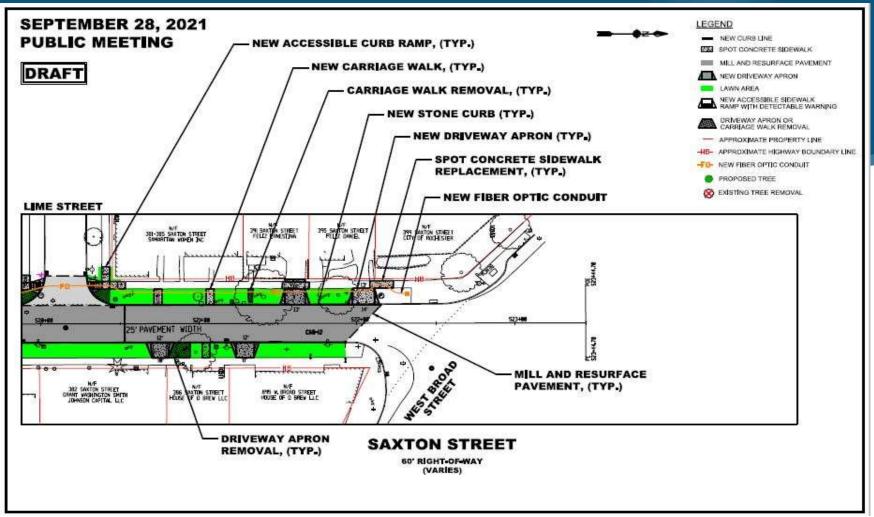


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# Street Improvements Roadway Pavement Structure

### **Why Pavement Rehabilitation?**

- ► It is cost effective treatment compared to full reconstruction
- ▶ It combines curb replacement with milling and resurfacing (M&R) of pavement
- Extends the life of the road
- Improves drainage
- Improves pavement ride quality

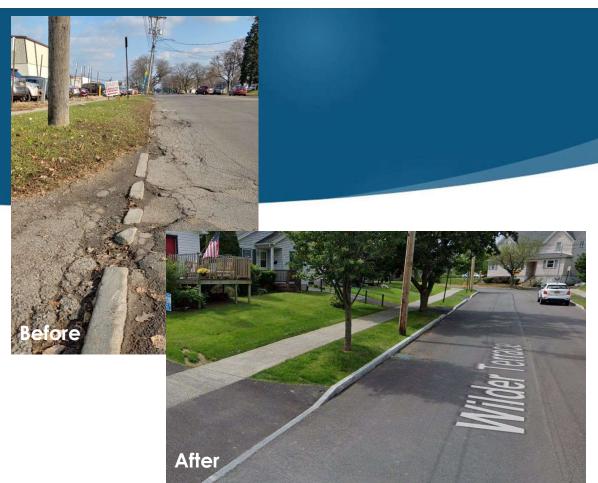




# **Street Improvements**

**Granite Stone Curbs** 

► All existing curbing will be replaced throughout the project limits, including through the driveway aprons and at some accessible curb ramps





# Street Improvements Driveway Curb Cuts (Aprons)

- Driveway curb cuts to all vacant parcels will be closed off with full height granite stone curb and lawn restoration.
- Driveway curb cuts are reviewed by the City Permits and Zoning for the project
  - ▶ Property owners who received driveway notifications by mail must contact City Zoning to legalize their driveway curb cut. The request will be granted if feasible within the zoning code requirements
- Driveway openings are designed and constructed per City standards



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# **Street Improvements Driveway Material Policy**





DRIVEWAY MATERIALS	
Existing Surface	New Surface
Asphalt	Asphalt
Gravel	Asphalt
Concrete	Concrete
Brick (good condition)	Brick over concrete base
Brick (deteriorated condition)	Concrete

If prior to construction the property owner desires to pay the difference in cost to <u>"upgrade"</u> from an asphalt apron to a concrete apron, the owner must inform the City Project Manager to determine the next steps and cost to upgrade.



**Public Sidewalks** 

Sidewalks will be replaced where heaved, cracked, or as needed to provide proper drainage

Sidewalks attached to the curb will also require replacement



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**Carriage Walk** 

Original purpose: easing the process of entering and exiting a horse-drawn carriage



► A Carriage Walk is a concrete sidewalk from the curb to the public sidewalk

CARRIAGE WALK INSTALLATION	
No existing Driveway	Carriage walk <b>Installed</b>
Existing Driveway	Carriage walk <b>Removed</b>
Request a new carriage walk	Owner pays for installation

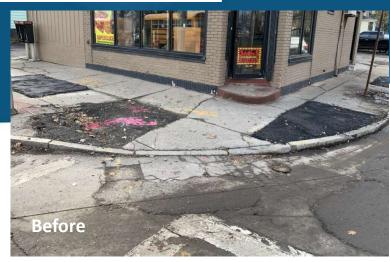




## **Sidewalk Curb Ramps**

Sidewalk curb ramps will be retrofitted, modified, or replaced where needed. Detectable warning surfaces will be installed as needed to address accessibility requirements









**Upgrade Crosswalks and Traffic Signage** 





► High visibility crosswalks and stop bars will be added at Orange Street and Grape **Street intersection** 

Regulatory traffic signs throughout the project limits will be replaced as needed



# **Street Lighting Improvements**

## Improved safety for pedestrians and vehicles

- Davit arms and LED fixtures will be added to new and existing wood poles
  - Orange Street between Saxton Street and West Broad Street
  - Saxton Street between Jay Street and West Broad Street



Along Orange Street



## **Street Trees**

Planting in the public Right-of-Way

Contact the Project Manager if you do not want a tree planted in front of your home or to request a tree planting in the public right-of-way

### **City Tree Planting**

- After most of the improvements have been made a new street tree may be planted in front of your home within the City's public Right-of-Way
- ► City Forestry Division will be responsible for the care and maintenance of the new street trees





# **Street Trees**

Removals in the public Right-of-Way



## **City Tree Removal**

will only occur under the following circumstances:

- ► Public Safety: When a hazard constitutes removal of more than 50 percent of the live crown or when the structural integrity of the tree is undermined to the point that it is susceptible to wind fall
- ▶ Urban Forest Health: When tree disease significantly threatens the health of other city trees



## **Construction Work Zone Traffic Control**



### Timeframe and Access

- Construction anticipated to last approximately 5 6 months
- Two-way traffic will be maintained with flaggers and daily lane closures when needed
- Some temporary disruptions during curb and sidewalk replacement at driveways (estimate 3 - 5 days)
- Emergency access will be maintained during construction



\*\*If there are known medical emergency access needs at any of the properties within the project limits, please inform the City's Construction Project Manager so that the appropriate measures are taken to maintain access during construction at all times.\*\*



## **Utility and Agency Improvements**

# Work to be completed ahead of Street Construction

#### **City Water Bureau**

- Replacement of lead water services: completed in 2019.
- Water valve replacements and adjustments: to be completed during the street construction

#### **Rochester Gas & Electric**

 Gas/Electric: possible gas service and electric conduit lowering at curb crossings

#### **Frontier**

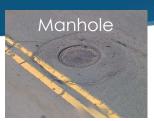
Some wood poles will be replaced and relocated

#### **Other Utilities**

Relocate overhead wires

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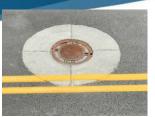






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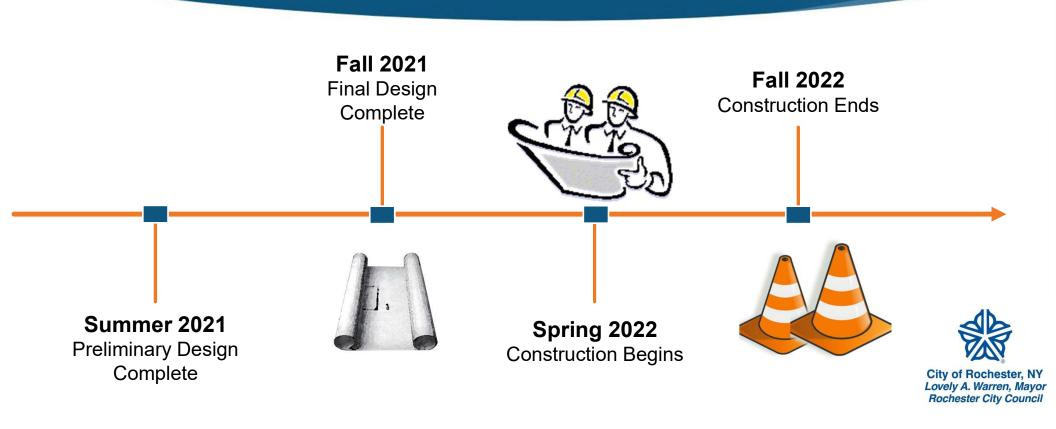


#### **Utility Appurtenances**

Adjust to grade with a concrete collar



## **Anticipated Project Timeline**



## **Additional Information**



Check the City of Rochester Project Webpage for updates on project schedule, meeting minutes, and public meeting displays



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## **Questions or Comments**

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