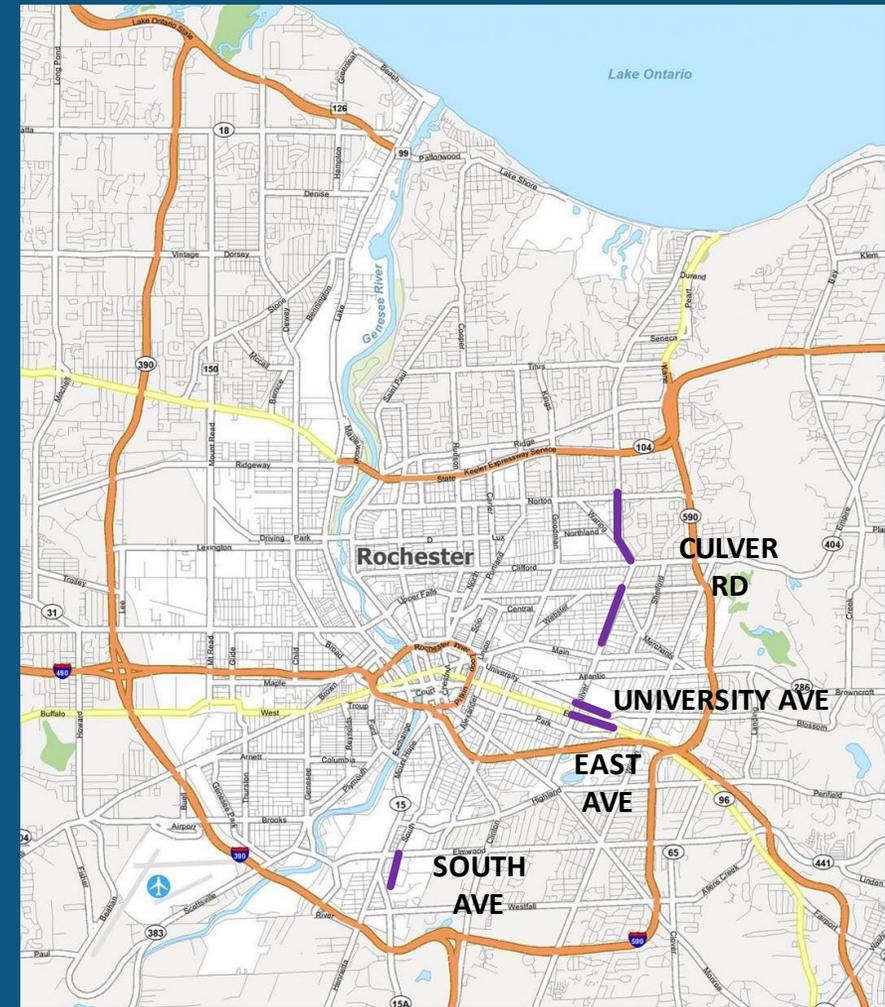


2023 Preventive Maintenance Group 1

- South Avenue (Elmwood Avenue to E. Henrietta Road)
- University Avenue (Culver Road to Blossom Road)
- East Avenue (Culver Road to Probert Street)
- Culver Road (Garson Avenue to Laurelton Road)
- Culver Road (Clifford Avenue to Norton Street)

**Public Meeting via Zoom Webinar
Thursday July 28, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.**



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Mayor Malik D. Evans



Department of Environmental Services

- ▶ **Commissioner**
Richard Perrin, AICP



- ▶ **City Engineer**
Holly E. Barrett, P.E.



- ▶ **Director, Water Bureau**
Geoff Gugel



- ▶ **Managing Engineer, Street Design**
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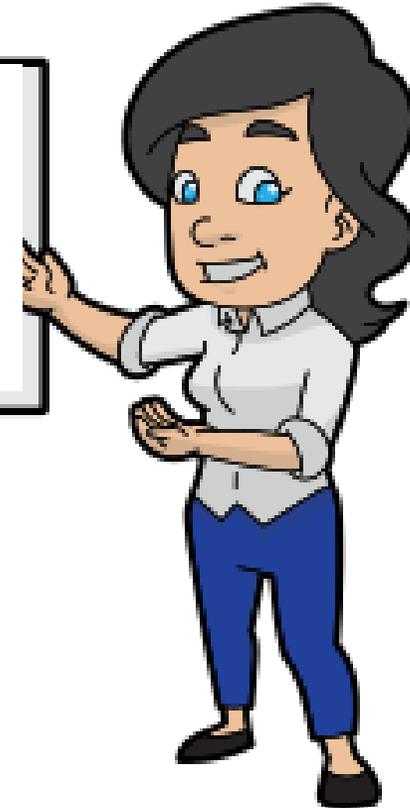
- ▶ **City Project Manager, Street Design**
Phoenix D. Howell – Host
- ▶ **Erdman, Anthony & Associates (Design Consultant)**
Robert J. Schiller, P.E., PTOE – Co-Host
- ▶ **Monroe County Dept. of Transportation**
Henry Herdzik, P.E.
- ▶ **NYS Dept. of Transportation**
Craig Ekstrom, P.E. - Regional Local Projects Liaison
Karlee Danek, P.E. - Regional Local Projects Liaison



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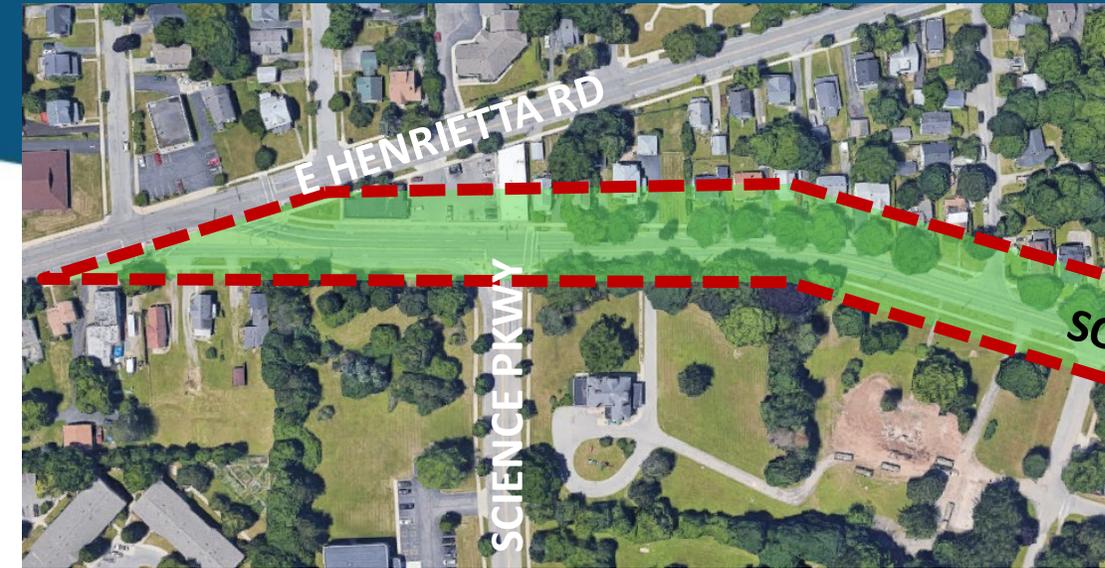
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Let's
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this
project



South Avenue

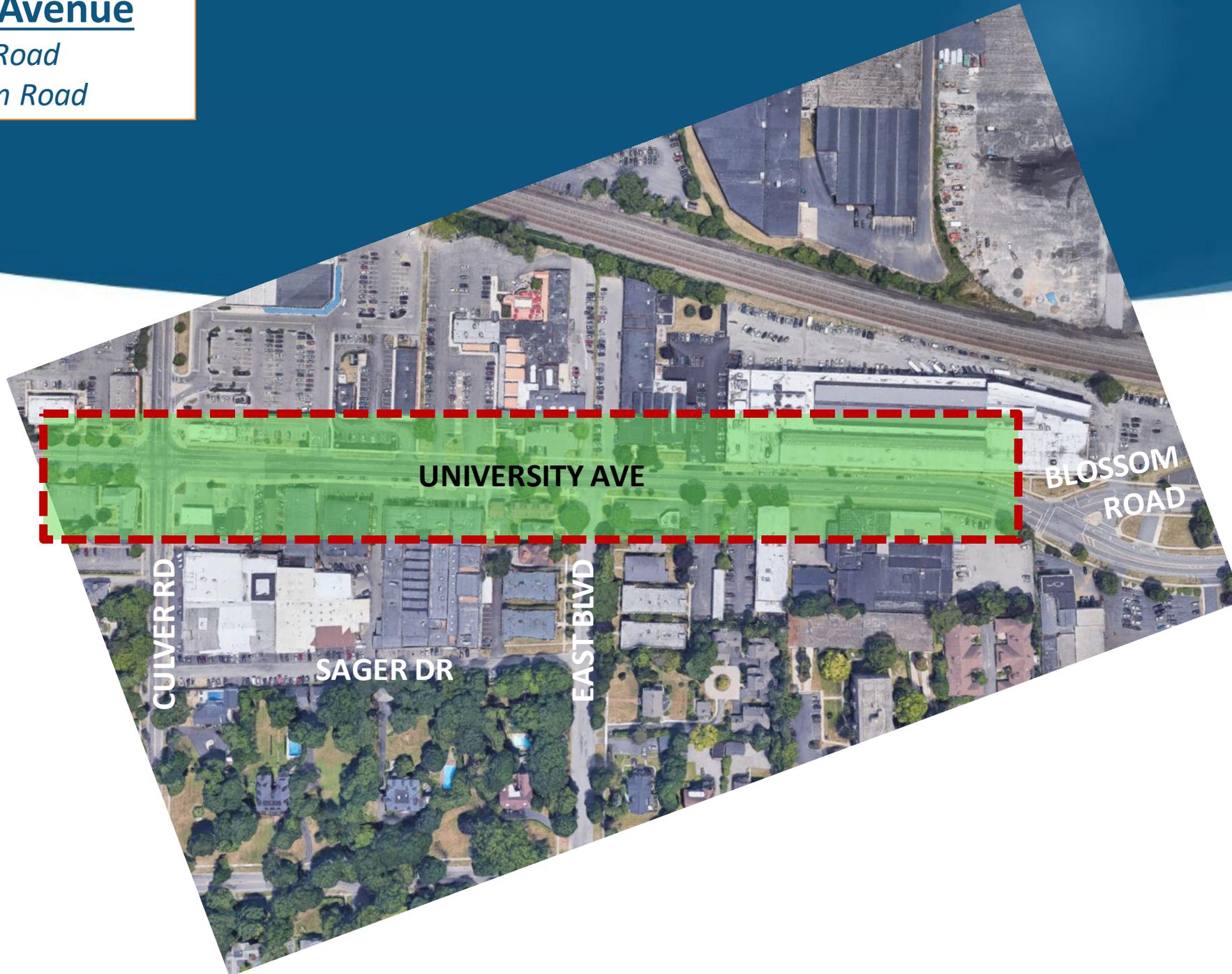
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TO: Elmwood Avenue



University Avenue

FROM: Culver Road

TO: Blossom Road



East Avenue

FROM: Culver Road

TO: Probert Street



Culver Road

FROM: Garson Avenue

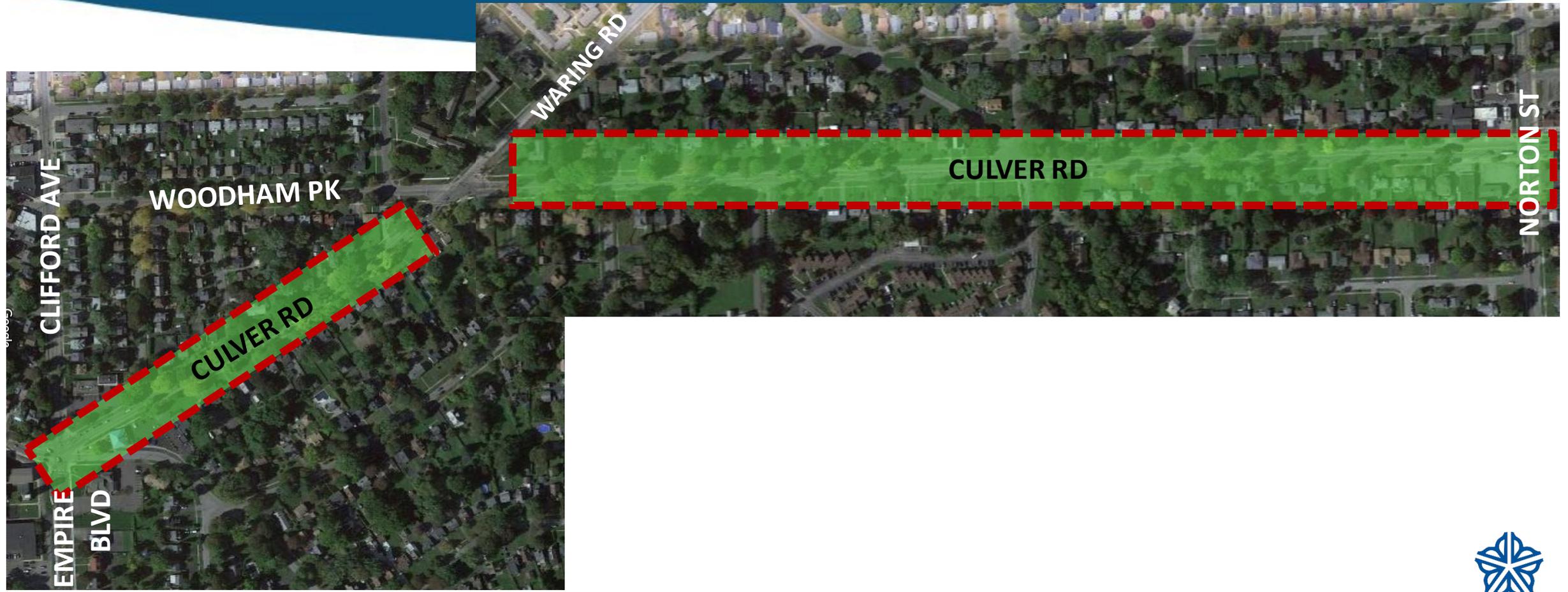
TO: Laurelton Road



Culver Road

FROM: Clifford Avenue

TO: Norton Street



Street Improvements

Roadway Pavement Structure

Why Preventive Maintenance?

- ▶ The right treatment at the right time
- ▶ Avoid pavement failures
- ▶ Extend the service life of the roadways
- ▶ Improve drainage
- ▶ Improve ride quality



Restore Pavement Riding Surface

- ▶ Milling and resurfacing of the existing roadway pavement
- ▶ Deep pavement repairs where necessary

Street Improvements

Granite Stone Curbs

- ▶ Repairs and/or replacement of broken, sunken or missing curbing as needed



Before



After

Street Improvements

Drainage Inlets

- ▶ Adjusted drainage inlets to grade-level with concrete collars

Note: Collars are only installed when an adjustment is necessary due to structural condition, frame & grate condition, elevation issues or for a new catch basin.



Street Improvements

Utilities

- ▶ Utility appurtenances will be adjusted to grade-level with concrete collars

Before

WATER VALVES



Note: Collars are only installed when an adjustment is necessary due to structural condition, frame & grate condition, elevation issues or for a new manhole or water valve.

After



Before

MANHOLES



After



Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Sidewalk Curb Ramps

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



Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Upgrade Crosswalks, Pavement Markings and Traffic Signage



- ▶ **Install high visibility crosswalks and replace pavement markings and traffic signage throughout the project limits to meet current MUTCD standards, as needed**



Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Upgrade Sidewalks

- ▶ Replace public sidewalk, where needed, to remove trip hazards and address drainage issues



Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

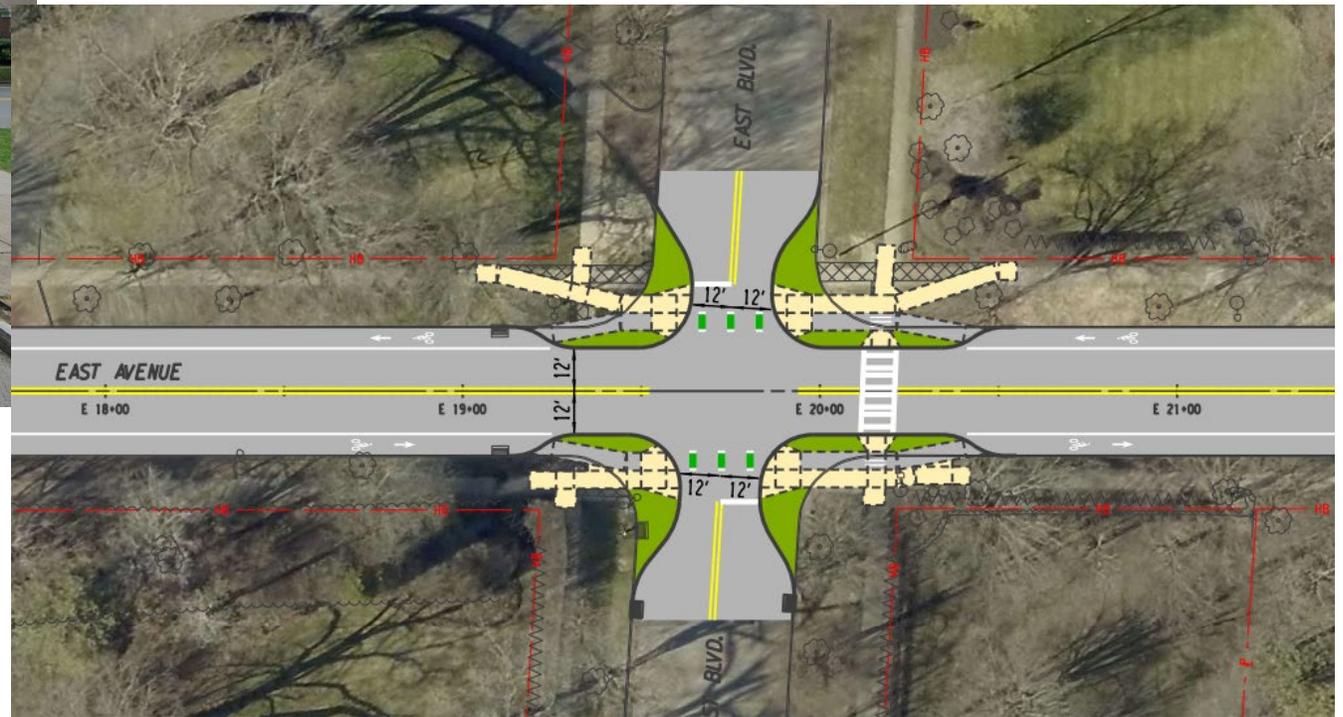
Installation of Curb bump-outs

- ▶ **A Safety Screening was conducted to support installation of the curb bump-outs**
- ▶ **Safety benefits of curb bump-outs:**
 - ▶ **Traffic calming, reduce vehicle speed by narrowing pavement width**
 - ▶ **Reduced vehicle turning speeds**
 - ▶ **Improved visibility of pedestrians for motorists**
 - ▶ **Shorter crossing distance for pedestrians**
 - ▶ **Restrict vehicles from parking close to intersections**
 - ▶ **Improves intersection sight distance**

Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Curb bump-outs & cycle track at East Avenue / East Boulevard

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Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Curb bump-outs at University Avenue / East Boulevard

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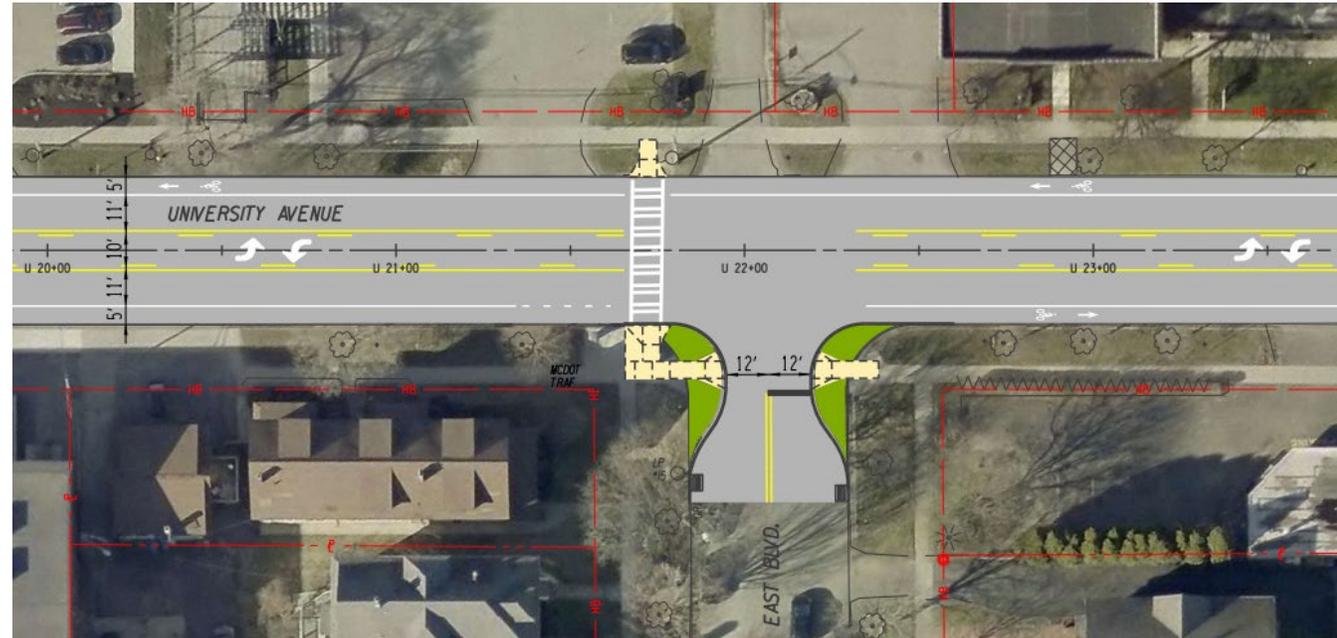
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Before –
University Ave



East Blvd



Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Curb bump-outs at Culver Road / Parsells Avenue

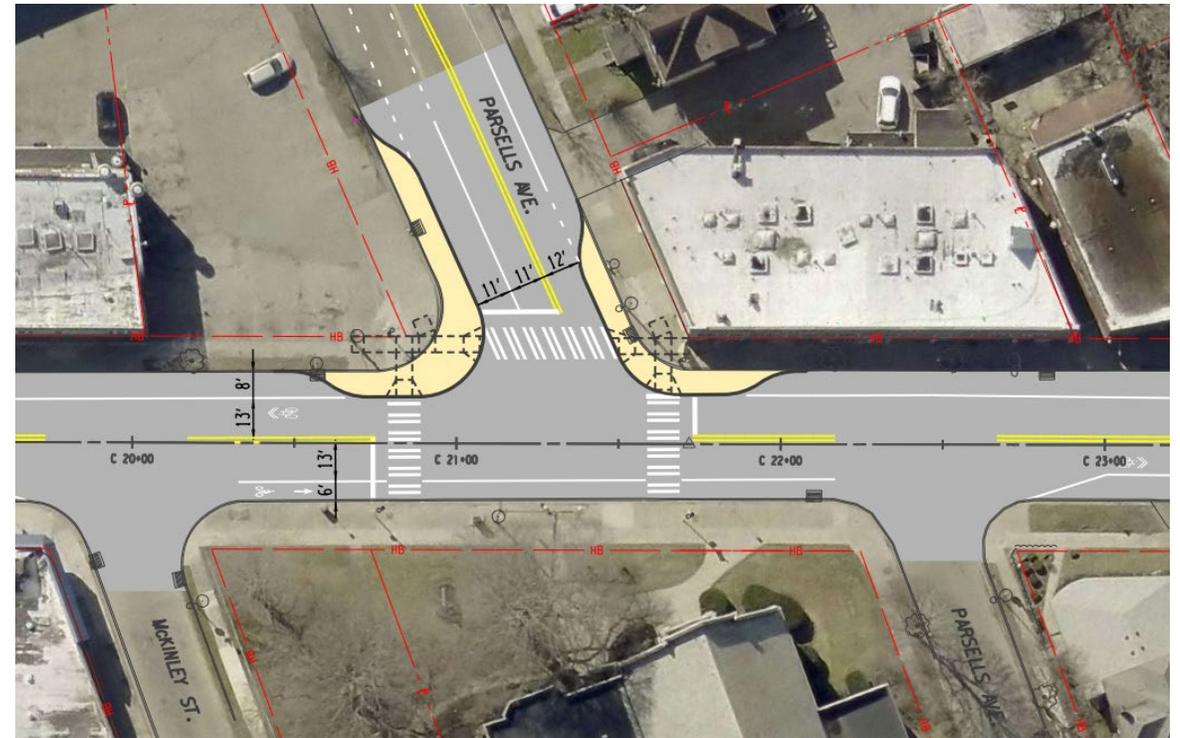
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Before –
Culver Rd



Parsells Ave



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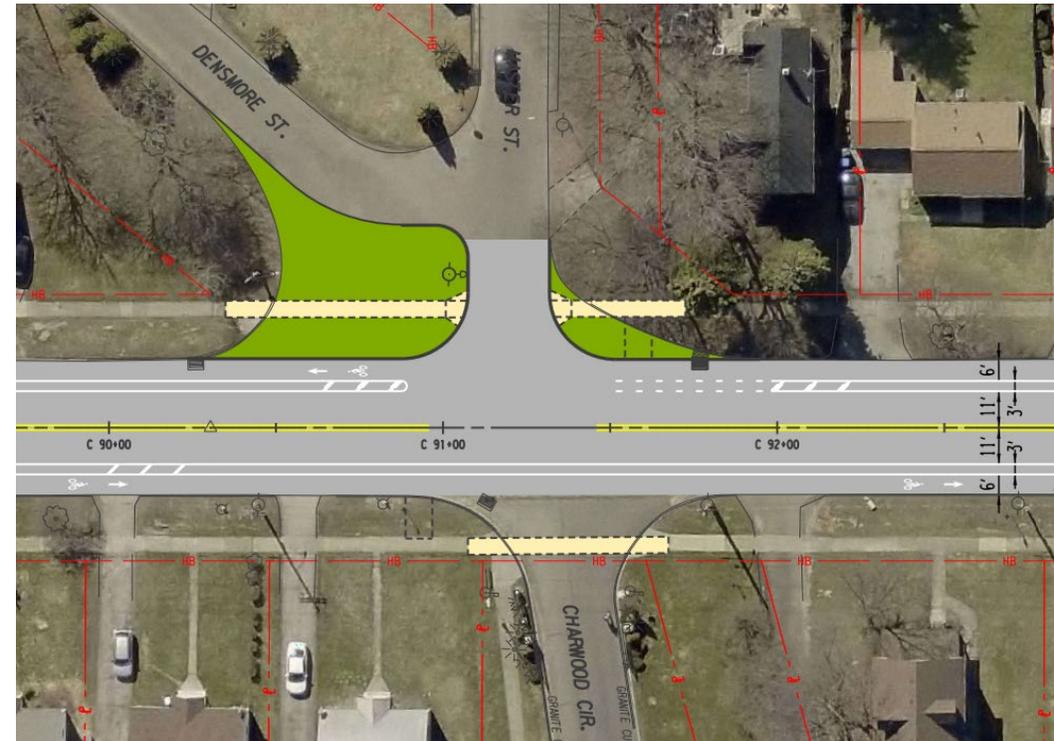
Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Improvements

Intersection Realignment of Culver Rd / Master St / Densmore St

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After



Bicycle Facilities Improvements

Installation of Bike Lanes and Sharrows Parking Study

- ▶ A Parking Study was conducted in February 2022 to investigate the impact of the proposed new bike lanes and elimination of under-utilized existing on-street parking
- ▶ The Parking Study supports the elimination of under-utilized existing on-street parking, therefore, bike lane pavement markings and signage will be installed where appropriate
- ▶ The Parking Study is posted on the City of Rochester project webpage for review by the public



Bicycle Facilities Improvements

Difference between Bike Lanes and Sharrows

Bike Lanes

- ▶ Painted white lane line with bike symbols designates a 5 to 6 foot wide **travel lane** for exclusive use by bicycles



Sharrows

- ▶ A Shared Use Lane Marking Symbol, also known as a Sharrow, indicates that **motor vehicles and bicycles** should share the travel lane

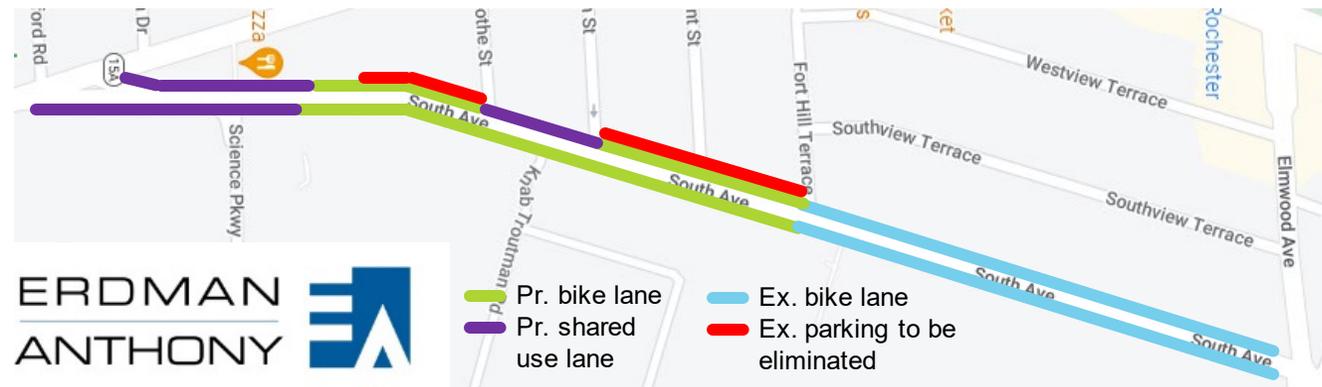
Bicycle Facilities Improvements

South Avenue

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New Bicycle Facilities

- ▶ Proposed bike lanes on both sides of South Avenue from Science Parkway to Elmwood Avenue
- ▶ 23 under-utilized parking spaces will be removed to accommodate the new bike lanes (1 parking space was utilized during the parking study)
- ▶ All properties have driveways or off-street parking



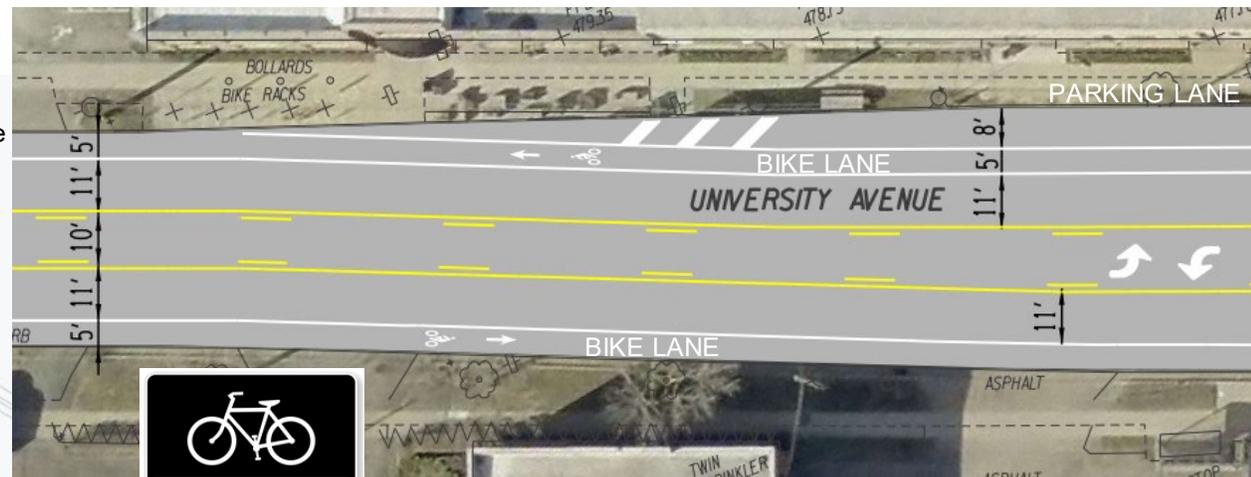
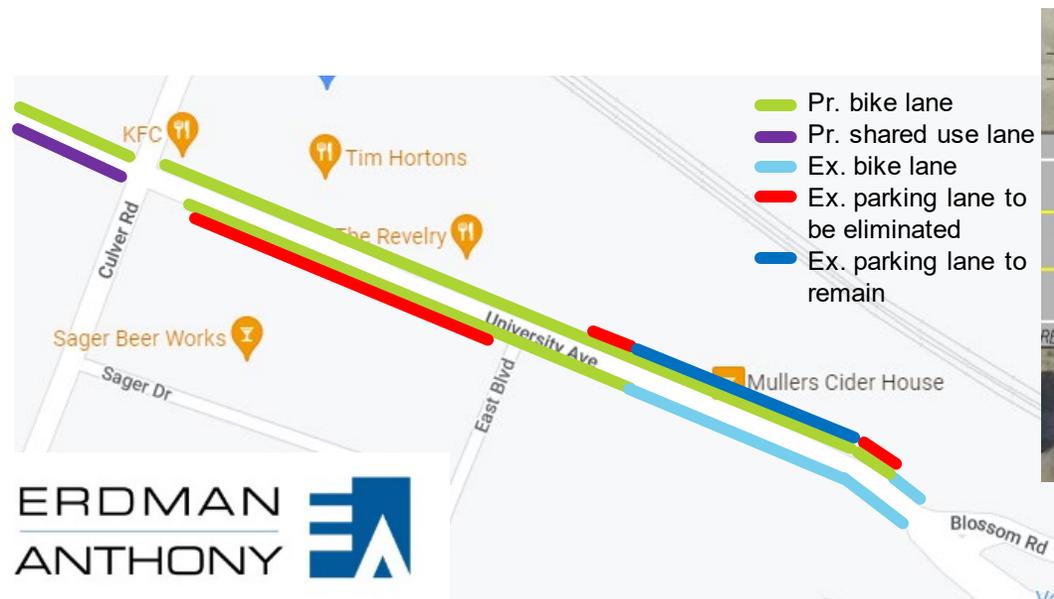
Bicycle Facilities Improvements

University Avenue

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New Bicycle Facilities

- ▶ Proposed bike lanes on both sides of University Avenue from Culver Road to Blossom Road
- ▶ 23 under-utilized parking spaces will be removed to accommodate the new bike lanes (16 parking spaces will remain on the north side from East Boulevard to Blossom Road)
- ▶ Commercial/retail properties have off-street parking



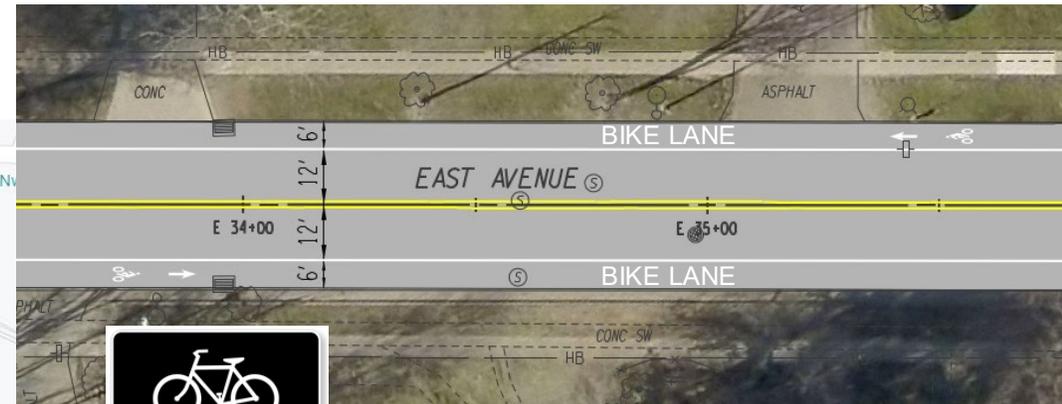
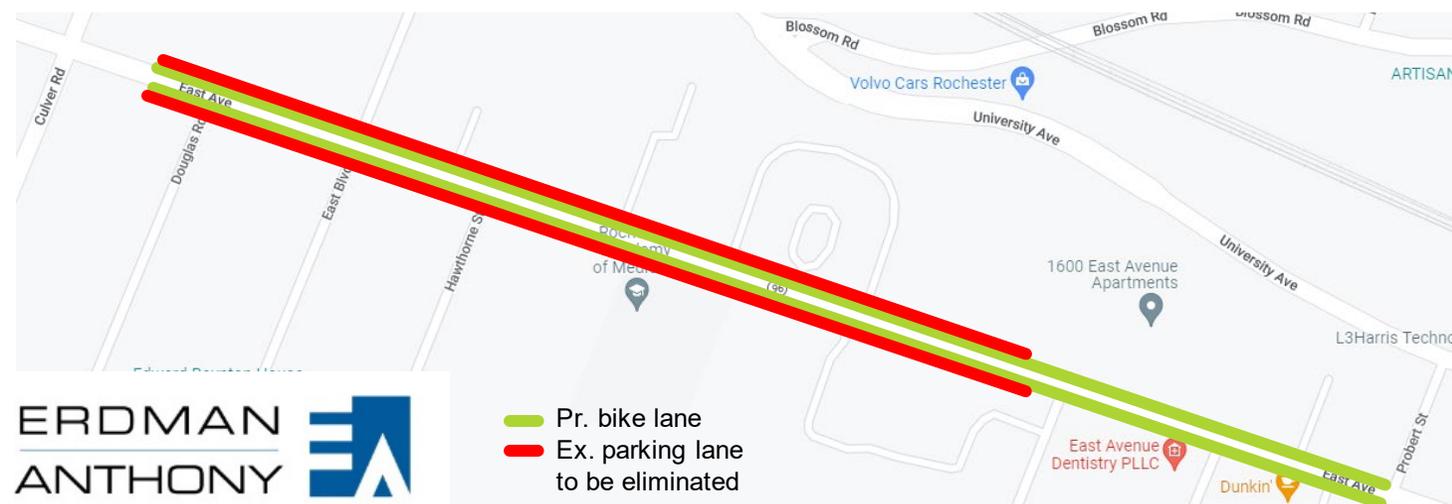
Bicycle Facilities Improvements

East Avenue

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New Bicycle Facilities

- ▶ Proposed bike lanes on both sides of street from Culver Road to Probert Street
- ▶ 155 under-utilized parking spaces will be removed to accommodate the new bike lanes (0 parking spaces were utilized during the parking study)
- ▶ All properties have driveways or off-street parking



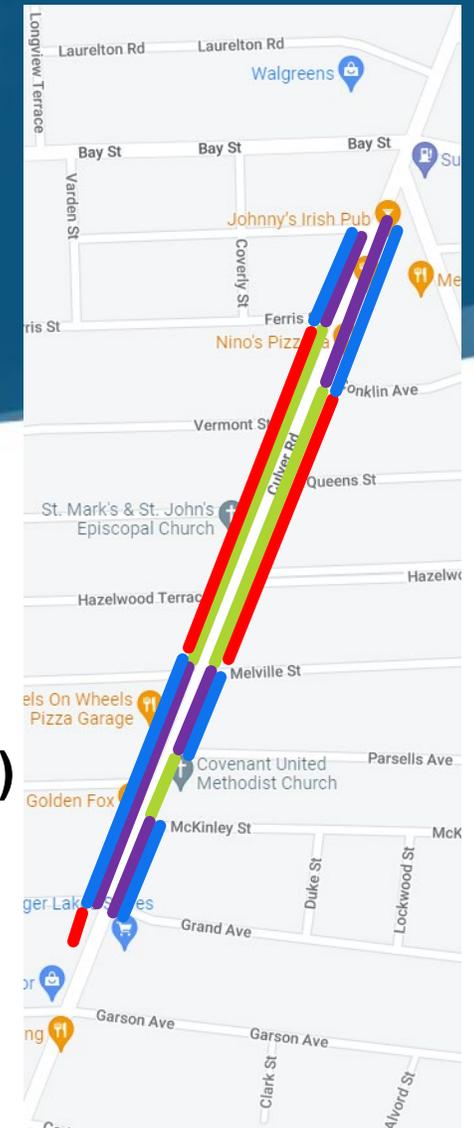
Bicycle Facilities Improvements

Culver Road

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New Bicycle Facilities

- ▶ Bike lanes or shared use lanes on both sides of street from Garson Avenue to Bay Street
- ▶ 26 under-utilized parking spaces will be removed to accommodate the new bike lanes (54 parking spaces will remain in commercial/retail areas)



-  Pr. bike lane
-  Pr. shared use lane
-  Ex. parking to be eliminated
-  Ex. parking to remain

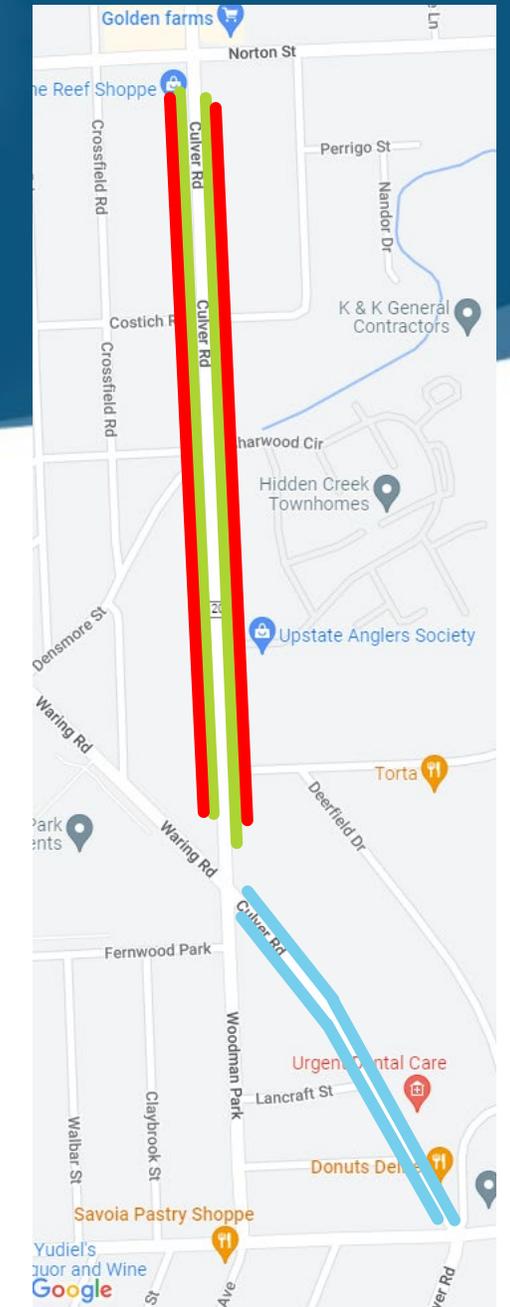
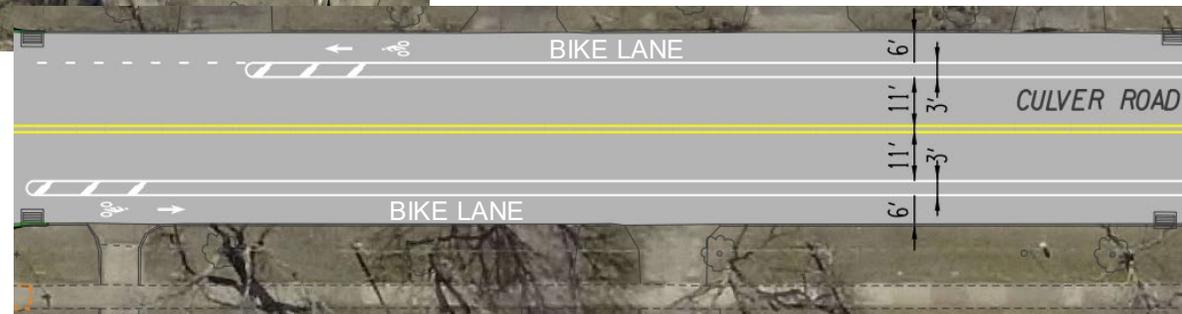
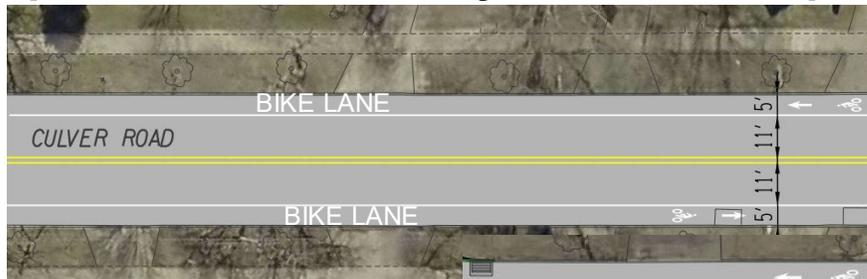
Bicycle Facilities Improvements

Culver Road

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New Bicycle Facilities

- ▶ Proposed bike lanes on both sides of Culver Road from Clifford Avenue to Norton Street
- ▶ 101 under-utilized parking spaces will be removed to accommodate the new bike lanes (5 parking spaces were utilized during the parking study)
- ▶ All properties have driveways or off-street parking



 Pr. bike lane  Ex. parking to be eliminated
 Ex. bike lane



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Work Zone Traffic Control During Construction

Communication

- ▶ **Public information will be provided:**
 - ▶ **Direct mailings to adjacent properties**
 - ▶ **Media alerts via radio broadcasts to general public**
 - ▶ **Variable message signs**
 - ▶ **Temporary motorist information signs**
- ▶ **Coordination with RTS will be maintained to provide uninterrupted access to transit services**



Construction Work Zone Traffic Control

Timeframe and Access



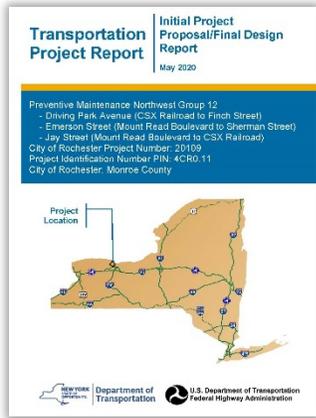
- ▶ Construction is anticipated to last approximately **6 – 8 months**
- ▶ Two-way traffic will be maintained with flaggers and daily lane closures when needed
- ▶ Some temporary disruptions will occur during curb and sidewalk replacement at driveways
- ▶ Emergency access will be maintained during construction



*****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.*****



Anticipated Project Timeline

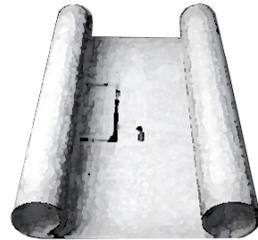


Fall 2022
Final Design Complete



Fall 2023
Construction Ends

Spring 2022
Preliminary Design
Complete



Spring 2023
Construction Begins



For More Information...

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

- ▶ <https://www.cityofrochester.gov/2023PMGroup1>

Transportation Project Report

Draft Initial Project Proposal/Final Design Report

March 2022

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Project Identification Number (PIN): 4CR0.13

City of Rochester

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Project Location



Department of Transportation



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