AGENDA

• Project Introduction (Brief !)
• Neighborhood Map Activity (15 - 20 min)
• Jamaica Bay Map Activity (15 - 20 min)
• Groups Report Back (10 – 15 min)
Jamaica Bay Greenway
What is a Greenway?

- Used for transportation *and* recreation
- Suitable for all ages and skill levels
- Connects *and* provides green space
Jamaica Bay Greenway
The Greenway Today

Potential for
28+ mile continuous path

10,000+ acres of parkland and beaches

100,000+ people arrive by foot or bike
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Project goals

- Improve safety for all road users
- “Green” the streets
- Enhance recreation options
- Increase connectivity

Park Circle, Brooklyn

Belt Parkway, Brooklyn

155th Ave, Howard Beach
Jamaica Bay Greenway
What is an Implementation Plan?

- **Multiple outreach meetings**
  - Spring, 2014: Existing conditions
  - Fall, 2014: Route alternatives
  - Spring, 2015: Draft plan
- **Long-term**: Larger projects
- **Short-term**: Develop route on DOT right-of-way

Shore Front Parkway, Rockaway Beach
Kent Ave, Brooklyn
Delancey St, Manhattan
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: Brooklyn Bridge Park Access
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: Pelham Parkway Ramp Crossings
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: 48th St, Sunnyside
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: DeKalb Ave, Brooklyn
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: Kent Ave Greenway
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: Herald Square
Jamaica Bay Greenway
Example: Queens Plaza


• **GREEN DOTS: Opportunities**
  
  • Recreation
  
  • Places people want to go
  
  • Places you would like to see included on the Greenway

• **RED DOTS: Issues**

  • Missing connections

  • Greenway access difficulties

• Please feel free to write on the map!
Break Out Session 2
Jamaica Bay Maps

- Discuss route around Jamaica Bay
- Prioritize needs for improvements
  - Most important destinations
  - Places with the most difficult access
- Please feel free to write on the map!
Jamaica Bay Greenway Implementation Plan

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Thank You!