Clinton Street

Williamsburg Bridge Access Presentation to Manhattan CB 3 March 2008



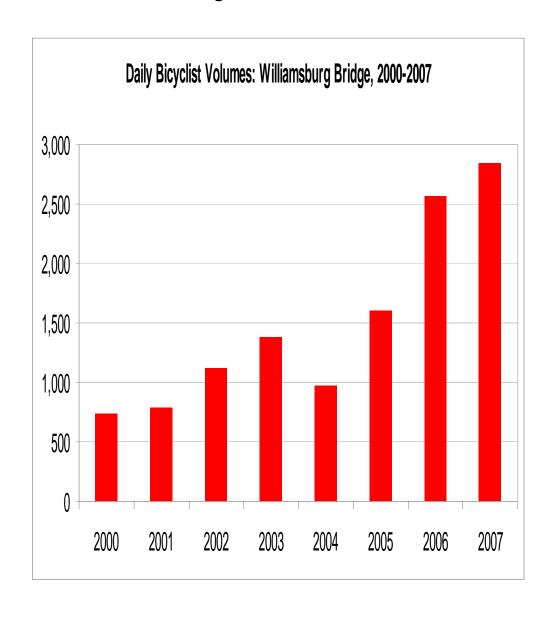
• • Why are we here?

- Bicycle Fatality & Serious Injury Study – Improve Safety
- Mayor's PlaNYC A
 Greener Transportation
 Network
- 1997 Bicycle Master Plan



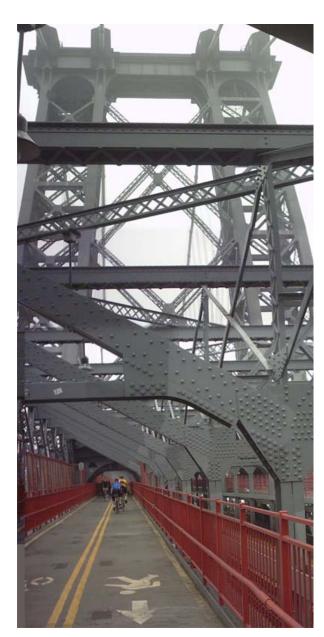
Cycling Growth in Project Area

- The Williamsburg Bridge is the most heavily traveled bridge for cyclists in NYC
- Bicycle traffic on the Williamsburg Bridge more than **tripled** from 2000 to 2007



Williamsburg Bridge: Current Access

- Bridge path starts/ends at Clinton and Delancey Street intersection
- Williamsburg Br. reconstruction -Clinton St. no longer a motor vehicle connection
- There is no legal southbound route from bridge
- Delancey Street: less bicyclefriendly than alternative convenient routes



Clinton Street: **Project Overview**

Existing Off-Street Path

- Bicycle Network Connections to and from Williamsburg Bridge
- New Two-Way Access to **Grand Street Bicycle** Lanes



To The South: Delancey to East Broadway

Existing Conditions

 Clinton is currently one-way northbound between Grand Street and Delancey Street

Planned Conditions

- Convert Clinton from Delancey Street to Grand Street to two-way
- Install bicycle facility markings and signs to roadway.



To The South: Existing



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To The South: Proposed



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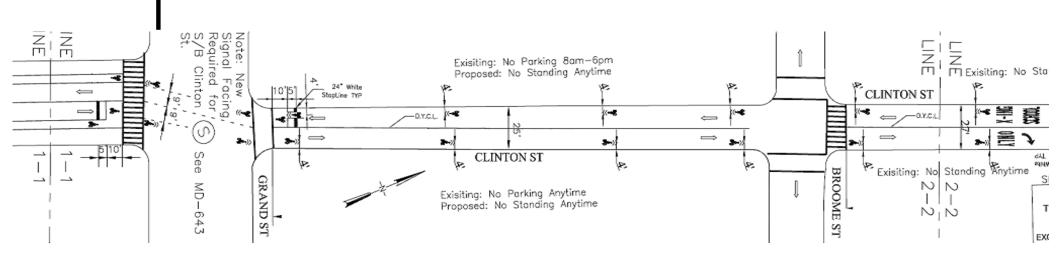
Clinton St looking south to Grand St

To The South: Proposed



Clinton St looking south to Grand St





- Convert Clinton from one-way northbound to two-way between Grand Street and Delancey Street
- Change curbside regulations between Grand St and Broome St:
 - -No Parking Anytime & No Parking 8am-6pm to No Standing Anytime
- Install shared lane signs & markings from Grand St to Delancey and bicycle lane signs &markings from Grand St to East Broadway to guide cyclists to and from the bridge

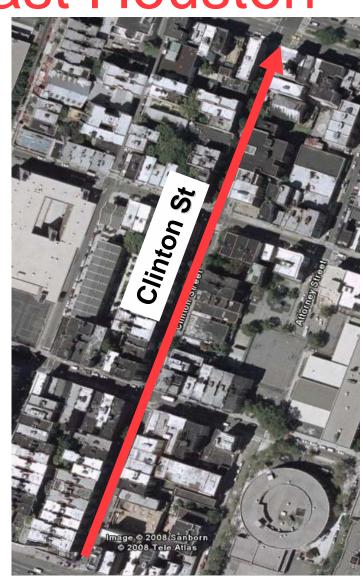
To The North: Delancey to East Houston

Existing Conditions

- Clinton is a narrow street in the Lower East Side, with one active curbside
- No dedicated Cycling Space

Planned Conditions

- Install a curbside bicycle lane from Delancey to East Houston
- Provides connection from the bridge to East Village and East Houston bicycle route



To The North: Existing



Clinton St north of Delancey

To The North: Proposed



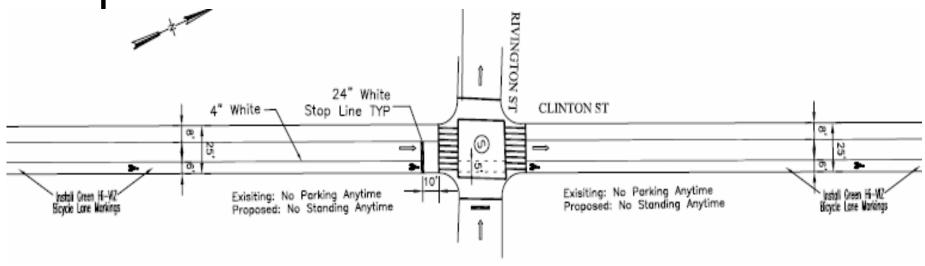
Clinton St north of Delancey

Green Bicycle Lane Markings



Adams Street: Brooklyn

To The North: The Design



- Curb utilization study: few vehicles loading and unloading on east side can be accommodated by available space on west side
- Alter east side parking regulations from Delancey to East Houston:
 -No Parking Anytime becomes No Standing Anytime
- Install high-visibility curbside bicycle lane
 - Green coating of asphalt
 - Retroreflective white thermoplastic edge line and bicycle symbols
- Edgelines define existing single motor vehicle lane

• • Next Steps

- Resurfacing: Mid March-Mid April
- Signs & Markings Installation
 - Begin Mid-April
 - Completion Mid-May

• • Thank You

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