

138th St and 31st Rd

Pedestrian Safety Improvements



Background

- Request from community for safety improvements following all-way-stop denial
- Speed hump installed on 31 Dr between Union St and 140 St in May 2015
- 138th St and 31st Rd is in a Vision Zero Priority Area with 1 KSI

Location

- Residential area with PS 214, PS 242 and playground nearby
- Access to Q43, QM20 and QM2 buses
- Unmarked crossings and long crossing distances



Existing Conditions: Unmarked Crossing at 138 St Looking North at 31 Rd



Improvements

- Mark new high-visibility crosswalks at 138th St and 31st Rd, 137th St and 29th Rd
- Add concrete triangle at intersection of 138th St and 31st Rd
- New enhanced crossing at 138th St and 31st Rd
- Paint parking lane stripes and channelized median on 138th St/29th Rd between 31st Rd and 137th St

Benefits

- Calms traffic and reduces speeding by narrowing travel lanes
- Safer, shorter pedestrian crossings with improved visibility