

COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUP (CAG)

Meeting #53

ESCR FOCUS AREA TOPICS

**CONSTRUCTION
PROGRESS/
APPROACH**

ENVIRONMENT

**ACCESS/
SIGNAGE/
SAFETY**

**PARK
AMENITIES**

**HIRING
COMPLIANCE**

**PROJECT
INFORMATION
DELIVERY**

**COMMUNITY
PROGRAMMING &
COORDINATION**

QUESTIONS?



OVERVIEW

- **Hiring Events & Programming**
- **LESEC Walkthrough**
- **Overview of Contracts**
 - **PA1 Construction Progress**
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HIRING COMPLIANCE

Two Bridges Dreams YouthBuild Program

- Two Bridges Neighborhood Council program
- Offers GED attainment assistance
- Paid job training
 - OSHA 10 & 30 training
 - NCCER construction certification training
- College & career placement assistance
- Working with DDC on collaboration opportunities



GET CERTIFIED!

OSHA 40 TRAININGS

10 seats available for our OSHA 30 + 10 hour site safety paid trainings

OUR SERVICES:

- 18-24 y.o
- Has Diploma or willing to obtain GED
- Able to bring in majority of required documents
- Flexibility with scheduling

CONTACT US

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BETTERING YOUR FUTURE STARTS WITH YOU! WHAT WILL YOU DO?

TWO BRIDGES DREAMS YOUTHBUILD

WHAT DO WE OFFER?

GED ATTAINMENT

- We are here to help you unlock your potential! Getting your GED to increase your knowledge by sharing this life changing opportunity with your crew, who's ready to level up, and embark on this adventure together!

PAID JOB TRAINING

- Adding another tool to your belt by receiving an OSHA 10/30 and NCCER construction certification training.
- C SET; customer service training

COLLEGE AND CAREER PLACEMENT

- Help you find funding to better your future
- Receive help getting into your desired college.
- Get help finding the opportunity to secure your dream career.

REQUIREMENTS

- 18-24 Years old
- Valid proof of income
- Birth certificate
- social security card
- NYC/NYS issued photo ID
- Able to attend 35 hours a week

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Lower east side manhattan

DEDICATED. RESPONSIBLE. EDUCATED. ACCOUNTABLE. MOTIVATED. SELF-SUFFICIENT.

(COURT INVOLVED YOUTH ACCEPTED!)



**HIRING
COMPLIANCE**

Workforce1 ITC Recruitment Fair

- Workforce1 Industrial & Transportation Career Center in Queens
- Thursday, February 13, 2025
- Sessions at 12pm and 1pm
- 168-46 91st Avenue, 2nd Floor
Jamaica, NY 11432
- Positions include non-CDL driver, CDL driver, warehouse roles, passenger service agent, e-bike couriers, and opportunities at JFK
- Register here: <https://bit.ly/4jrtLGO>



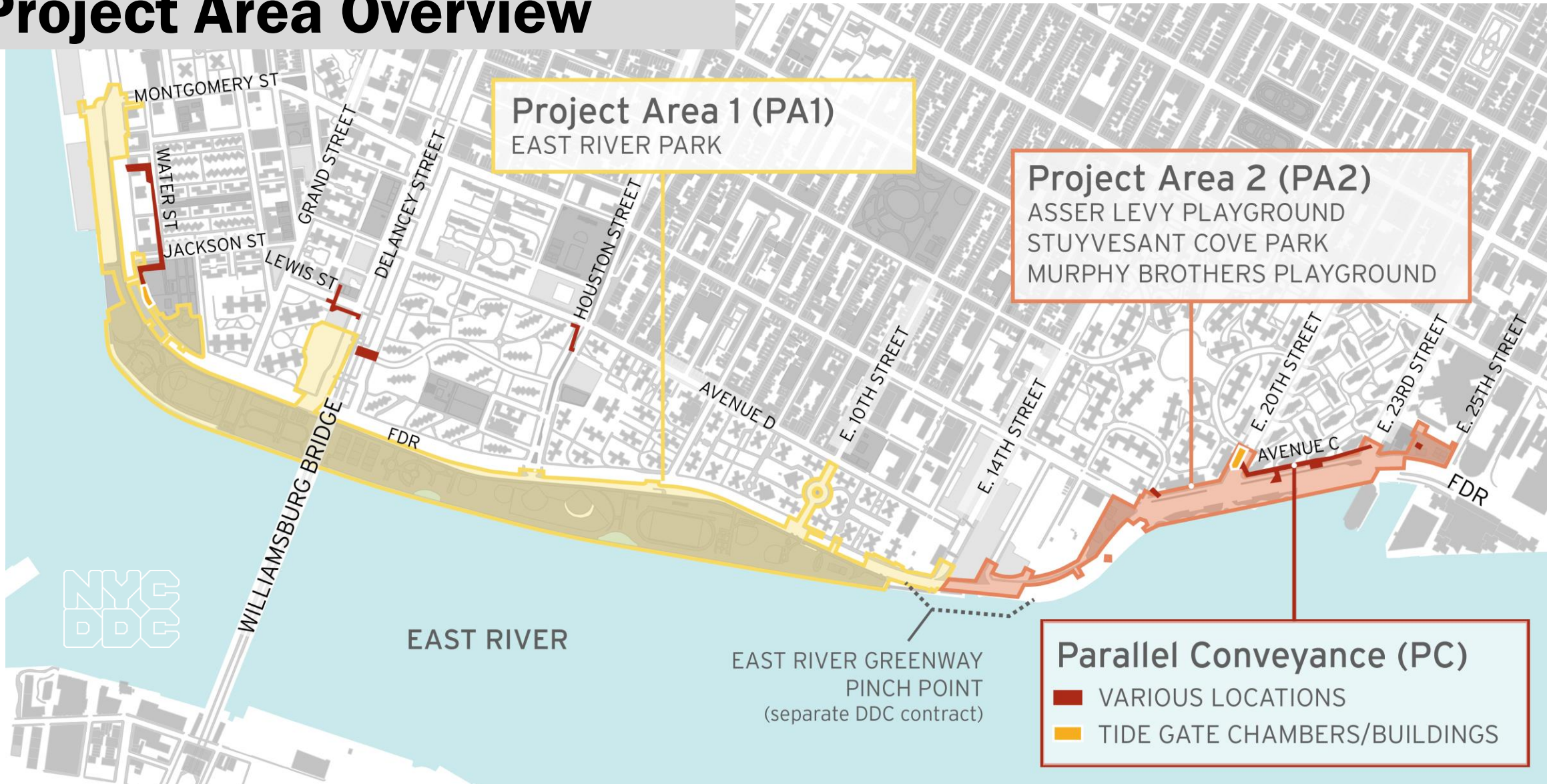
A PROUD PARTNER OF THE
AMERICAN JOB CENTER NETWORK

PA1 | LESEC Walkthrough



Lower East Side Ecology Center walkthrough with NYC DDC, ESCR PMCM, Parks Department – January 2025

Project Area Overview



Overview of Contracts

Project Area 1 (PA1)

NTP issued August 2021

- **Partial Closures:**
 - East River Park south of E. Houston St. & Ballfields 7 & 8
 - Greenway closure to E. 10th St.
 - Corlears Hook Park
- **Bridges:** Corlears Hook pedestrian bridge installed. Use Corlears Hook temporary ped. bridge. Delancey St. bridge **Open!**
- **Ongoing work:**
 - ongoing utility work
 - floodwall activities ongoing, as well as fill operation via barge
 - E. Houston St. retaining wall work
 - Ballfields 7 & 8 deep sewer work
- **Amenities in progress:**
 - Ballfields 1 & 2 **Open!**
 - phase 1 esplanade
 - Amphitheater, Tennis Court and Basketball Court construction & more

Parallel Conveyance (PC)

NTP issued September 2022

- **Corlears Hook Park and Water St.**
 - daytime road closures of Jackson St. to facilitate deep sewer work and utility relocation
- **Lewis and Delancey Streets**
 - utility relocations
 - test pits
- **E. Houston and Columbia Streets**
 - utility relocations
- **Avenue C (E. 18 - E. 23) locations**
 - Con Ed utility relocations
 - test piles
- **E. 20th St. (Ave C and E. 20th loop)**
 - utility relocations

Project Area 2 (PA2)

NTP issued November 2020

- **Asser Levy Playground** **Open**
- **Stuyvesant Cove Park** **Open**
 - park closed around Solar One for EDC project (not ESCR)
- **Murphy Brothers** **Open!**
- All **3,129** ft of floodwall installed
- All Gates 7-18 installed

VISIT PA1 GALLERY:

<https://www.nyc.gov/site/escr/project-updates/pa1-gallery.page>

VISIT PA2 GALLERY:

<https://www.nyc.gov/site/escr/project-updates/pa2-gallery.page>

VISIT PC GALLERY:

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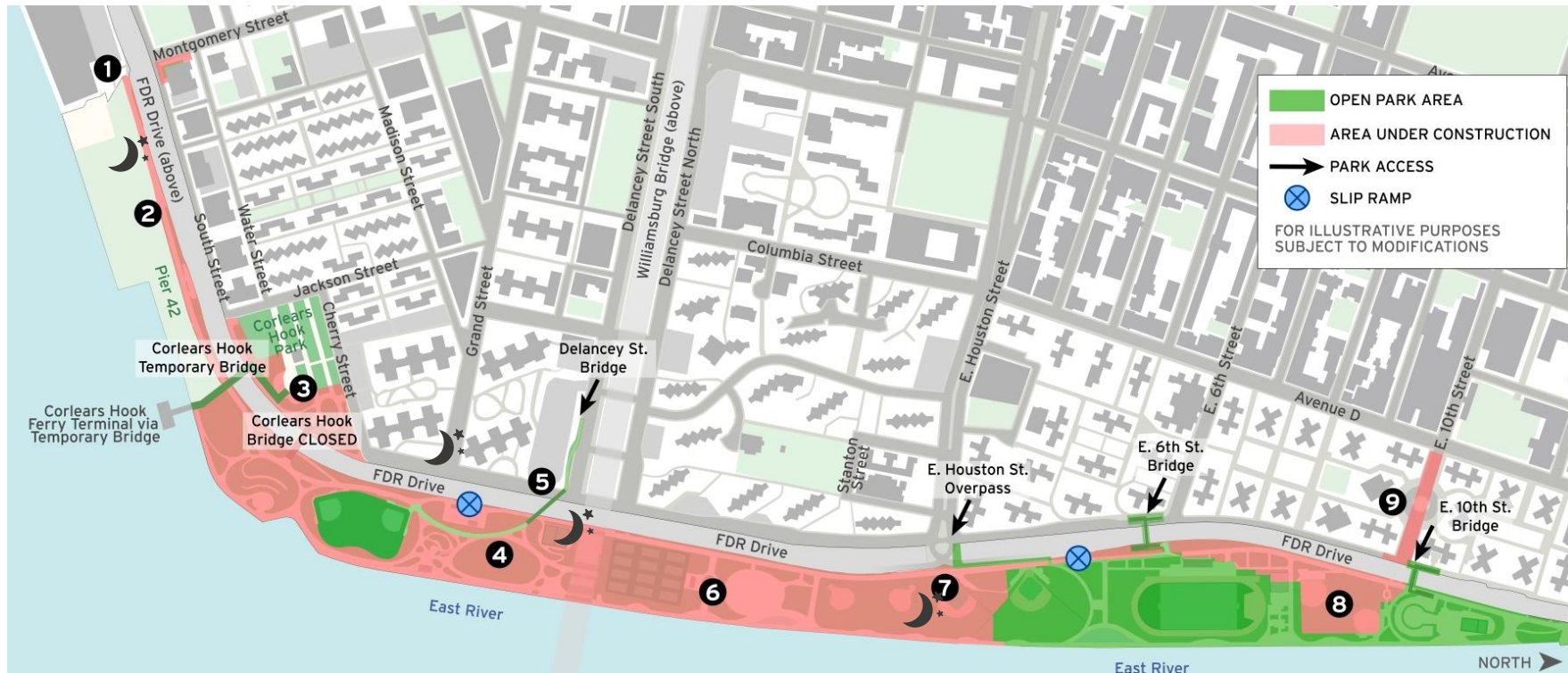
PA1 | Construction Progress

PA1 | Construction Activities

ALL WORK IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

1. Floodwall and floodgate operations.
2. Floodwall and utility work.
3. Corlears Hook Bridge approach construction.
Overhead sign structure foundation work.
4. Esplanade paver installation.
Amphitheater, Basketball Court construction.
Ballfields 1 & 2 **OPEN!**
5. Road restoration work.
6. Tennis Court construction, esplanade reconstruction.
7. E. Houston St. retaining wall activities.
Floodwall, rigid inclusion, and wick drain installation.
8. Test pits and deep sewer work.
9. Ongoing utility and deep sewer work.
10. Ongoing partial FDR lane closures continue at various locations for bridge work, **utility installations**, and construction of foundation for overhead sign structures.

Weekly Bulletins & Advisories are issued with construction activities.
Saturday work is anticipated for some work operations as indicated.



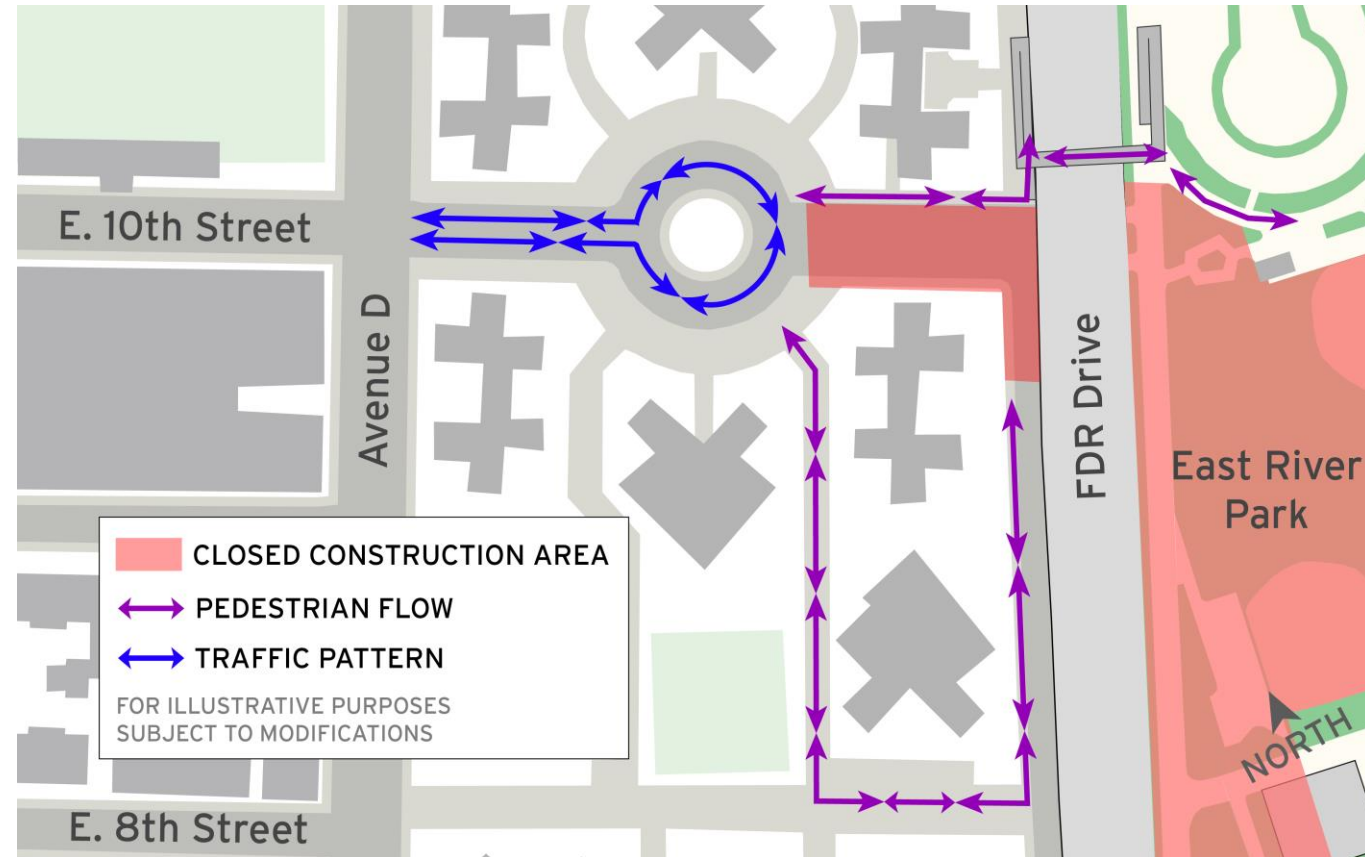
INDICATES
EVENING
WORK
SHIFTS

PA1 | Sewer Work Continues at E. 10th Street

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Ongoing for roughly four months

- Following a successful microtunneling operation, sewer construction continues at E. 10th Street
- Requires daytime road and south sidewalk closures with access restored at the end of each workday
- Flaggers stationed to assist



PA1 | Overnight FDR Drive Intermittent Closures

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Saturday, January 25, from 1:00am to 7:00am

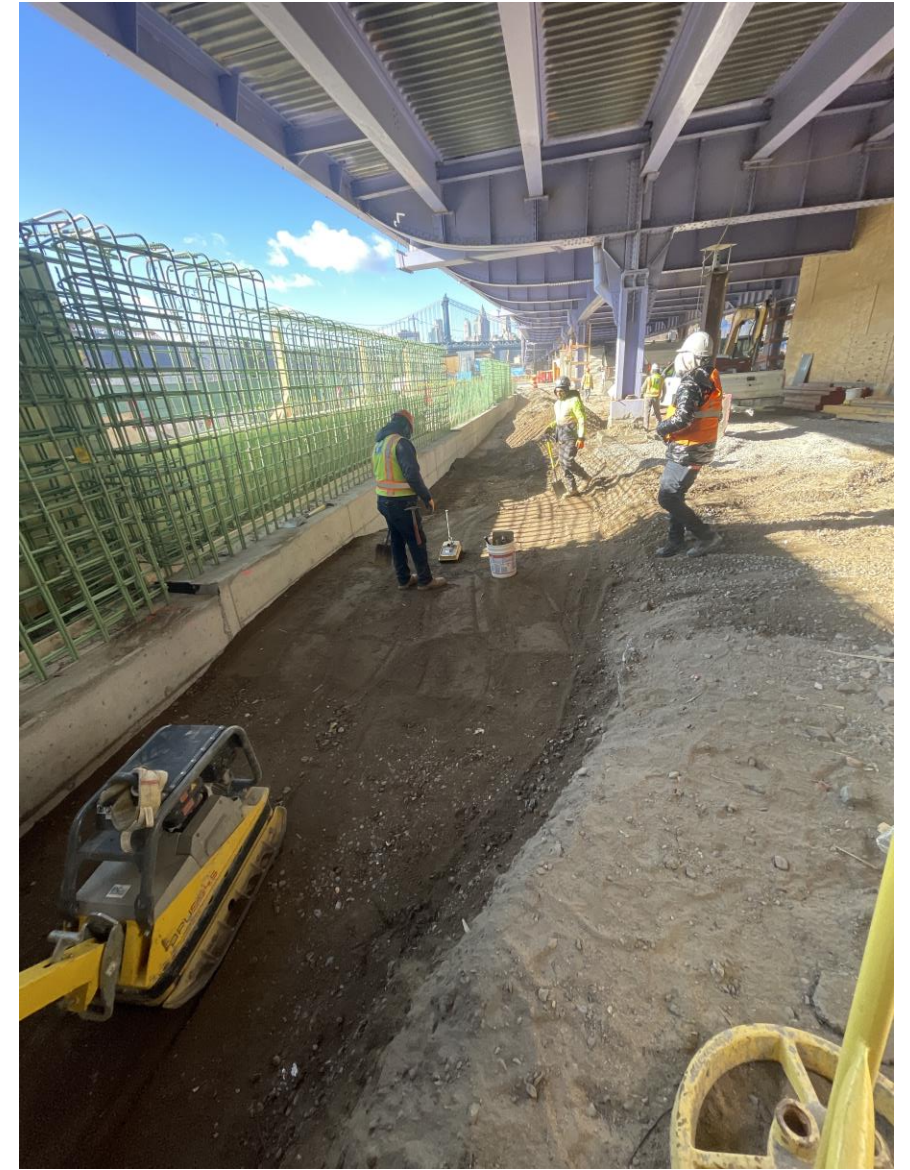
- Facilitates the transport of heavy construction equipment between East River Park and Corlears Hook Park
- Overnight northbound and southbound FDR Drive intermittent traffic stoppages
- Single lane closures and complete stoppages for roughly 5 minutes each



PA1 | Construction Photos



Construction of overhead sign structure shaft near Corlears Hook Park – January 2025



Backfilling and rebar reinforcement at floodwall under FDR Drive near Montgomery Street – January 2025

PA1 | Construction Photos



Backfilling floodwall at Montgomery Street and South Street (near Gouverneur Gardens) – January 2025

PA1 | Construction Photos



Trees, shrubs, and mulch installed near Ballfields 1 & 2 – January 2025



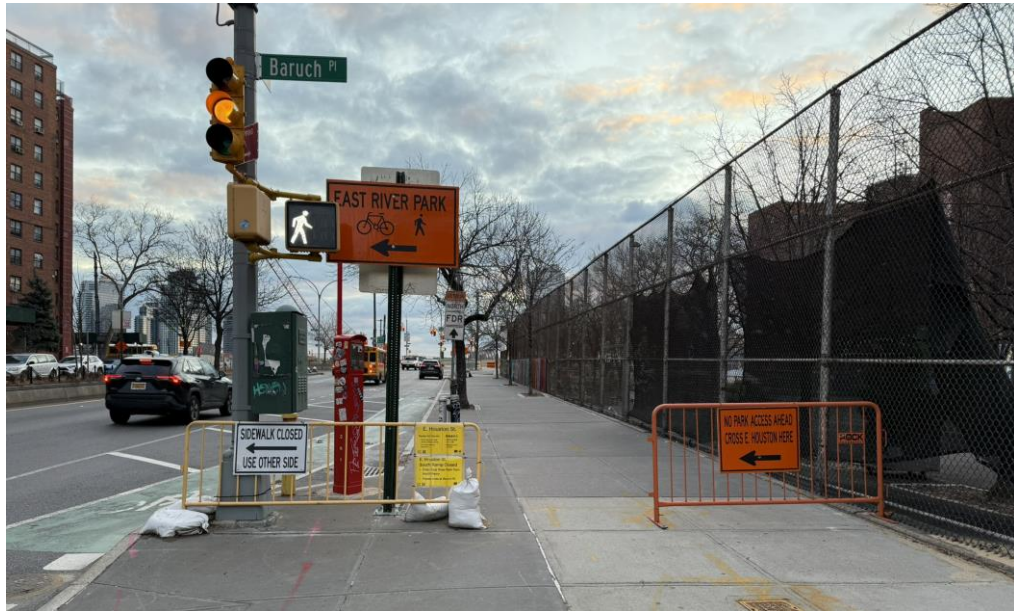
Planting area under Williamsburg Bridge – January 2025

Nearly **500** trees planted!
18,000 shrubs, perennials & grasses planted!

Next planting season
begins in **March**

ACCESS/
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PA1 | E. Houston Street Detour Signage

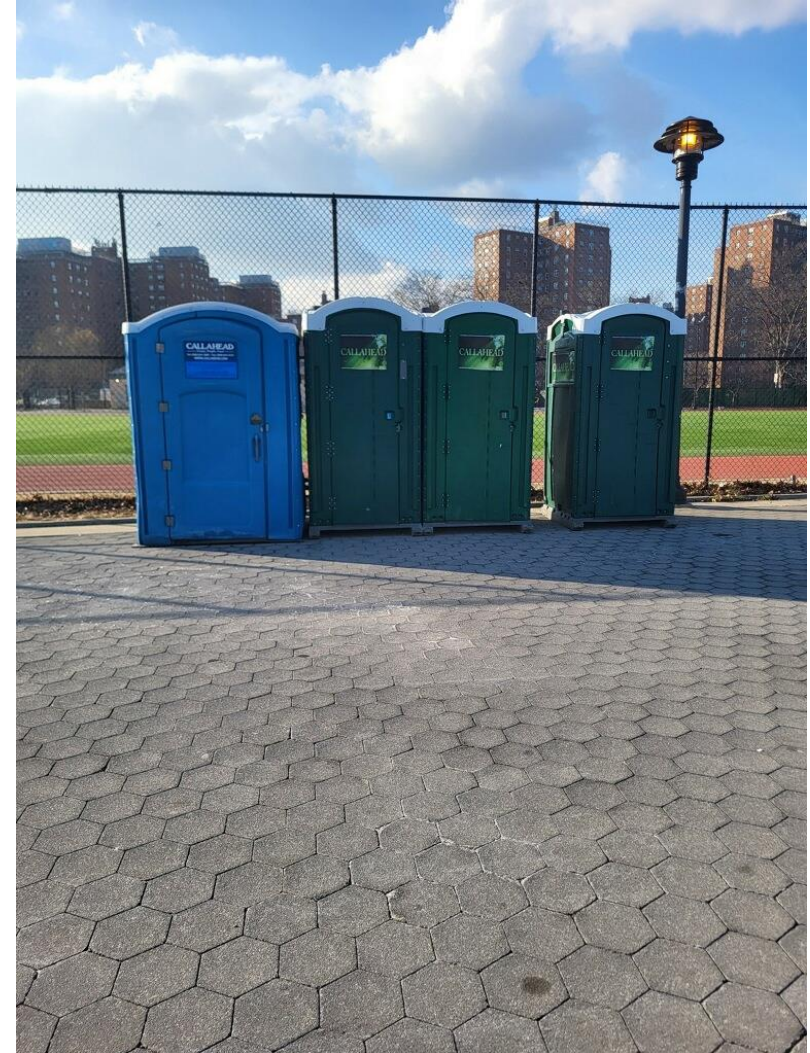


Sampling of additional signage installed on E. Houston Street – January 2025



PA1 | What We've Heard

- **Fireboat House / Section 106 Process:** City is consulting with New York State and hopes to have a comprehensive response to Alternatives Analysis comments in a few weeks
- **Future amenity openings:** in progress
- **Parks:** Restrooms near Track & Field



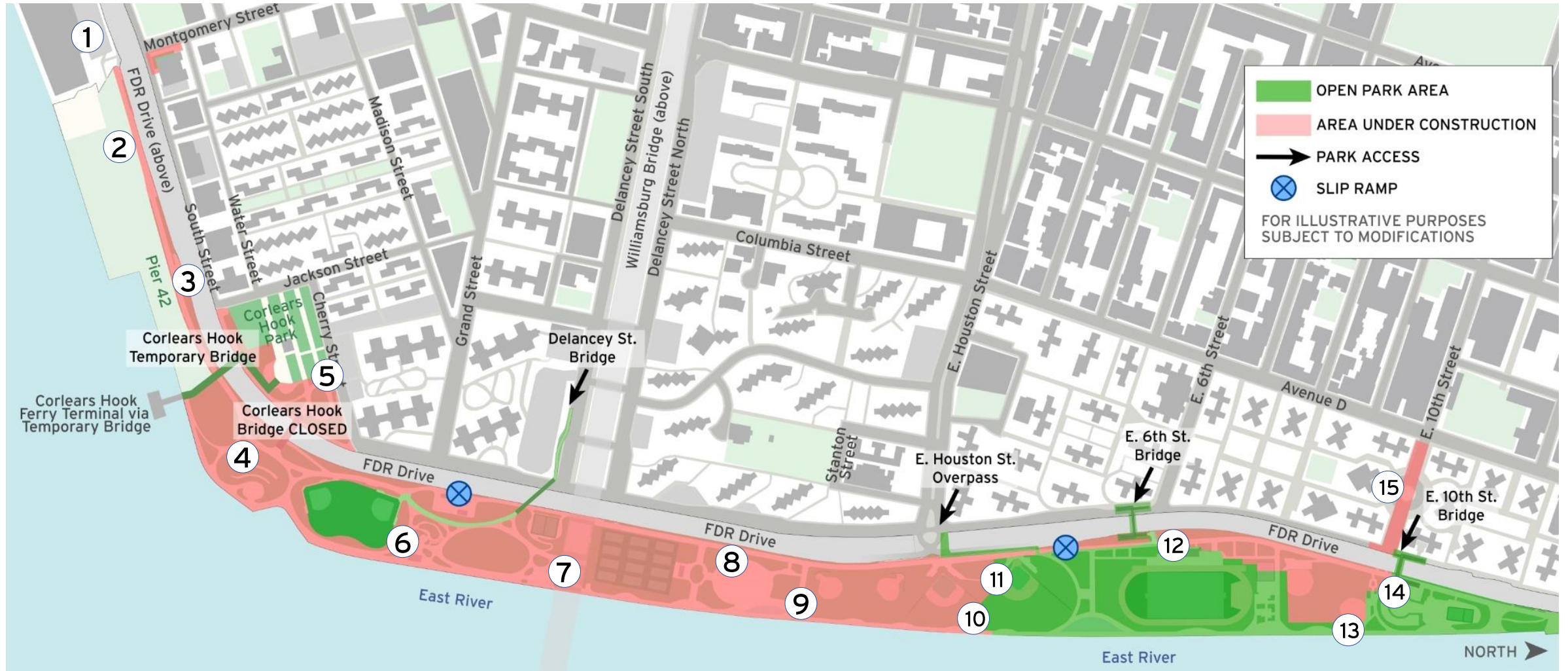
Temporary restrooms near Track & Field – January 2025



ENVIRONMENT

Environmental Reporting Update Air Quality Monitoring (AQM)

PA1 AQM | Monitoring Locations



PA1 AQM | December 2024 Update

The PM daily value (24-hour TWA) **did not surpass the PEL for this month.** El valor diario de PM (promedio ponderado de tiempo de 24 horas) no superó el límite de exposición permisible (PEL) para este mes. 这个月的颗粒物日值（24小时加权平均值）没有超过允许的暴露标准。 PM = Particulate Matter / Materia Particular / 颗粒物

Location <i>Lubicacion</i> <i>位置</i>	PM Size <i>PM Tamano</i> <i>颗粒物尺寸</i>	Date / <i>Fecha</i> / <i>日期</i> <i>BOLD = net exceedances 加粗 = 净超标</i> <i>标 ATREVIDO = superaciones netas</i>	Alert Duration (<i>minutes</i>) <i>Duracion de Aviso (minutos)</i> <i>预警持续时间 (分钟)</i>	Cause <i>Causa</i> <i>原因</i>	Mitigation <i>Mitigacion</i> <i>减缓措施</i>
Montgomery Street to Jackson Street (AQM-1, AQM-6, AQM-CHR)	PM 2.5	None	None	• None	• None
	PM 10	None	None	• None	• None
Jackson Street to Williamsburg Bridge (AQM-2, AQM-3, AQM-AT, AQM-FB, AQM-WB)	PM 2.5	12/18, 12/23, 12/31	8 to 32	• Construction activities	• Dust mitigation measures applied
	PM 10	None	None	• None	• None
Williamsburg Bridge to East 6 th Street (AQM-4, AQM-5, AQM-WBN)	PM 2.5	12/11, 12/12	14 to 31	• Construction activities	• Dust mitigation measures applied
	PM 10	None	None	• None	• None
East 6 th Street to East 10 th Street (AQM-TH, AQM-THR, AQM-HS)	PM 2.5	None	None	• None	• None
	PM 10	None	None	• None	• None
E 10 th Street (AQM-10S, AQM-10SR)	PM 2.5	None	None	• None	• None
	PM 10	None	None	• None	• None

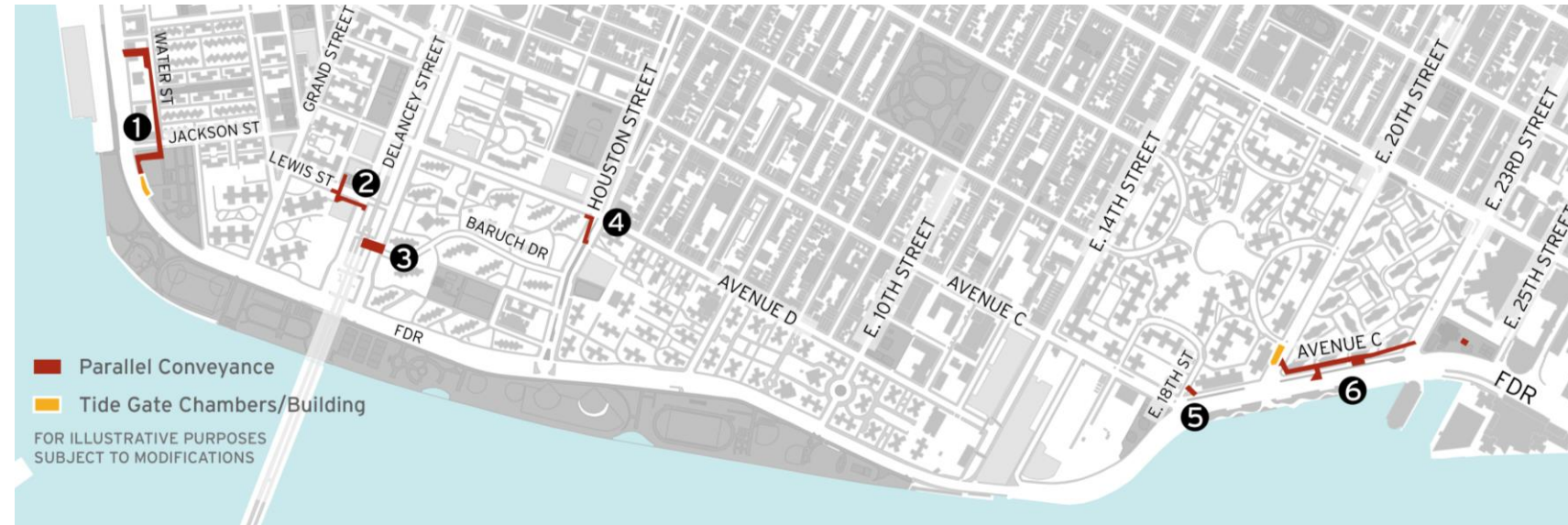


PC | Construction Progress

PC | Construction Activities

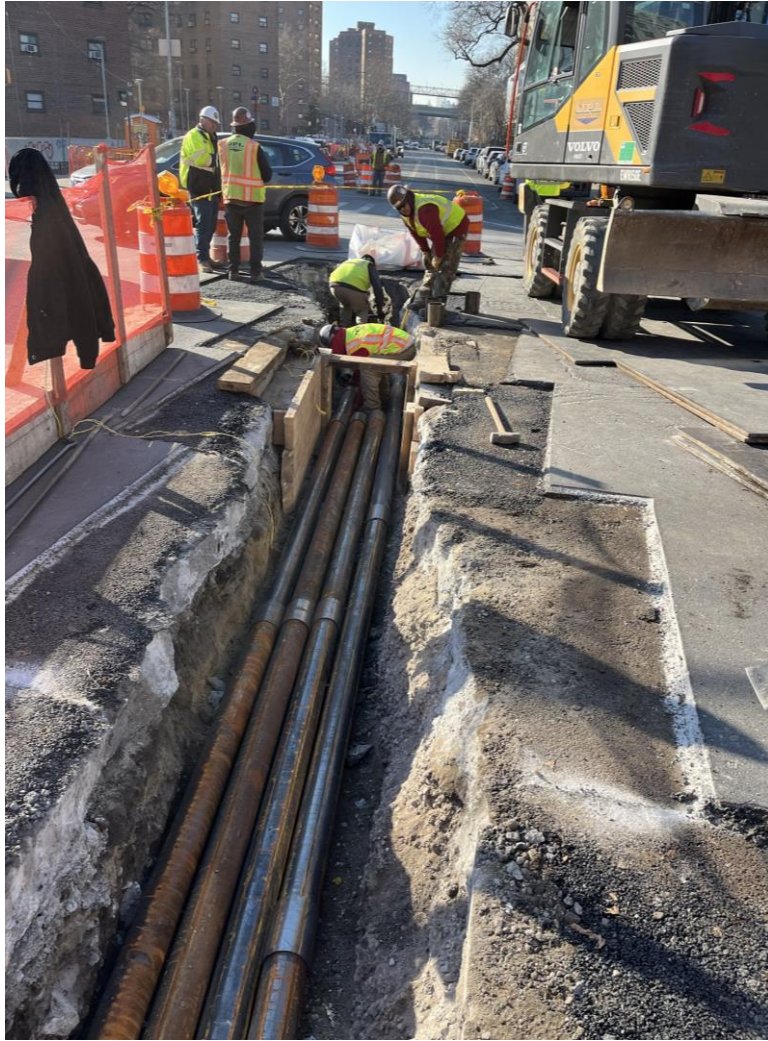
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- **Location 1 – Jackson St. & Water St. & Corlears Hook Park**
 - Daytime road closures at Jackson St. for utility relocation in preparation deep sewer installation
 - Utility relocation
- **Location 2 – Delancey St. S & Lewis St.**
 - Utility relocation
 - Test pits
- **Location 3 – Delancey St. N & Baruch Dr.**
 - Utility relocation
 - Test pits



- **Location 4 – E. Houston St. & Columbia St.**
 - Electric relocation
- **Location 5 – Avenue C & E. 18th**
 - Con Ed utility relocation
 - Test piles
- **Location 6 – Avenue C, E. 20th to E. 23rd**
 - Electric relocation
 - Test pits

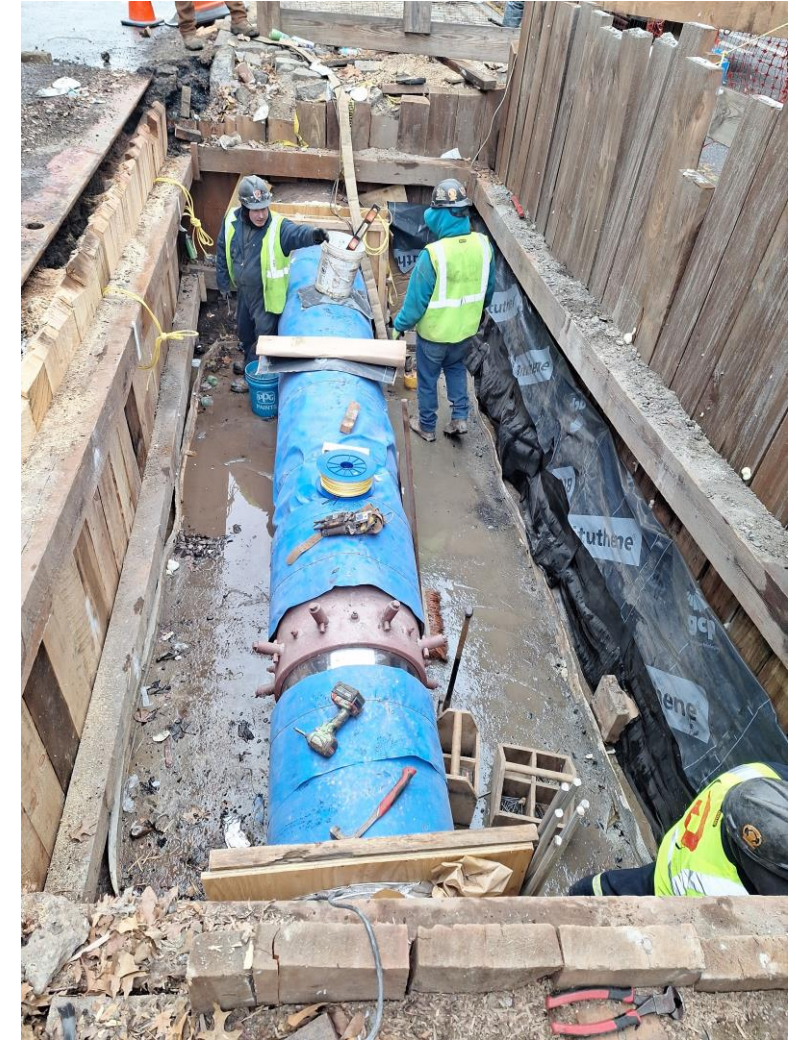
PC | Construction Photos



Con Ed electric layout in Avenue D – January 2025



Con Ed manhole installation in E. Houston St. – January 2025

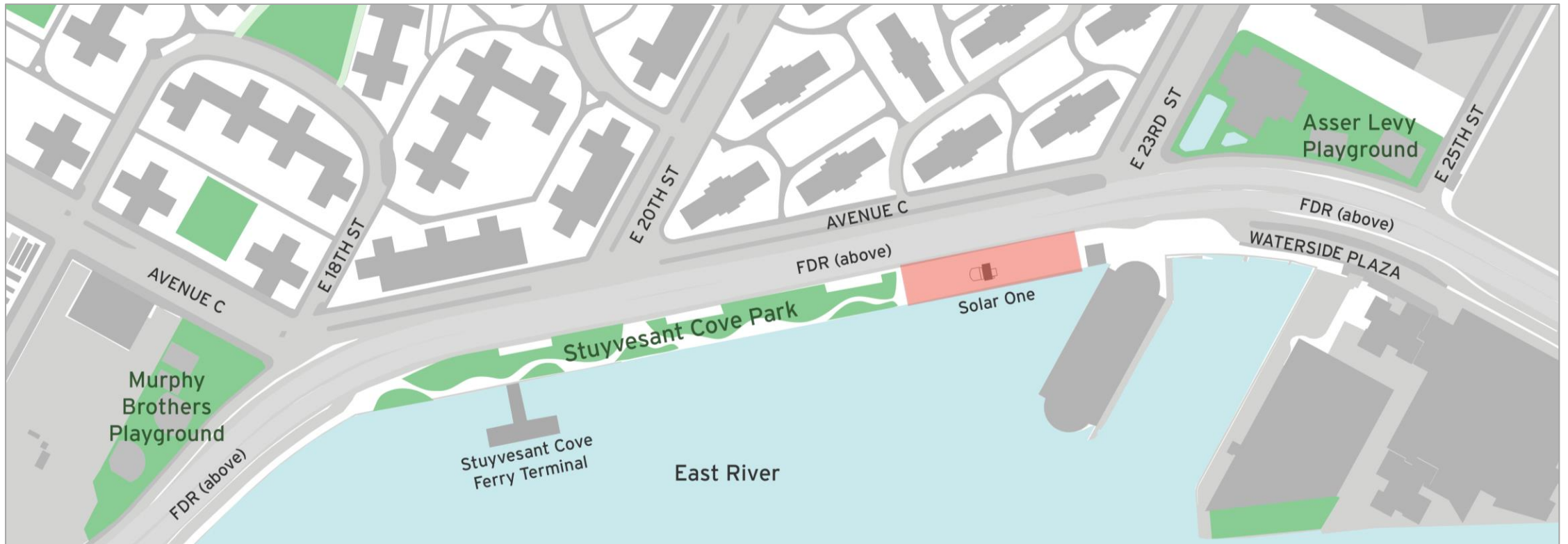


Steam main slip joint relocation in Ave C and E. 18th Street – January 2025

**CONSTRUCTION
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PA2 | Construction Progress

- Asser Levy Playground – **OPEN!**
- Stuyvesant Cove Park – **OPEN!** North entrance at E 23 St. **closed** for EDC Solar One construction work.
- Murphy Brothers Playground - **OPEN!**



PA2 | FDR Drive Nightwork between E. 15th & E. 17th

ALL WORK IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Ongoing, expected to conclude in next couple of days

Work hours: 11:00pm to 5:00am

- Facilitates testing for overhead sign footing
- **Overnight** closure of one northbound lane and one southbound lane between E. 15th Street and E. 17th Street
- Traffic will be maintained on the FDR Drive at all times





QUESTIONS?