

COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUP (CAG)

Meeting #71

ESCR FOCUS AREA TOPICS

**CONSTRUCTION
PROGRESS/
APPROACH**

ENVIRONMENT

**ACCESS/
SIGNAGE/
SAFETY**

**PARK
AMENITIES**

**HIRING
COMPLIANCE**

**PROJECT
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COORDINATION**

QUESTIONS?



OVERVIEW

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City of Water Day with LESEC and ESCR

Saturday, July 25, 2026

9am – 11:30am

Pier 42 Park

Join the **Lower East Side Ecology Center** for a walking tour of Pier 42 and stewardship of the park's bioswale!

The ESCR Community Engagement team will be there to support and provide additional information on East River Park's resilience features.

Please register at: <https://bit.ly/4ywK5xB>

Coastal Connections at Pier 42

Saturday, July 25, 2026
9:00 AM – 11:30 AM
Pier 42 Park

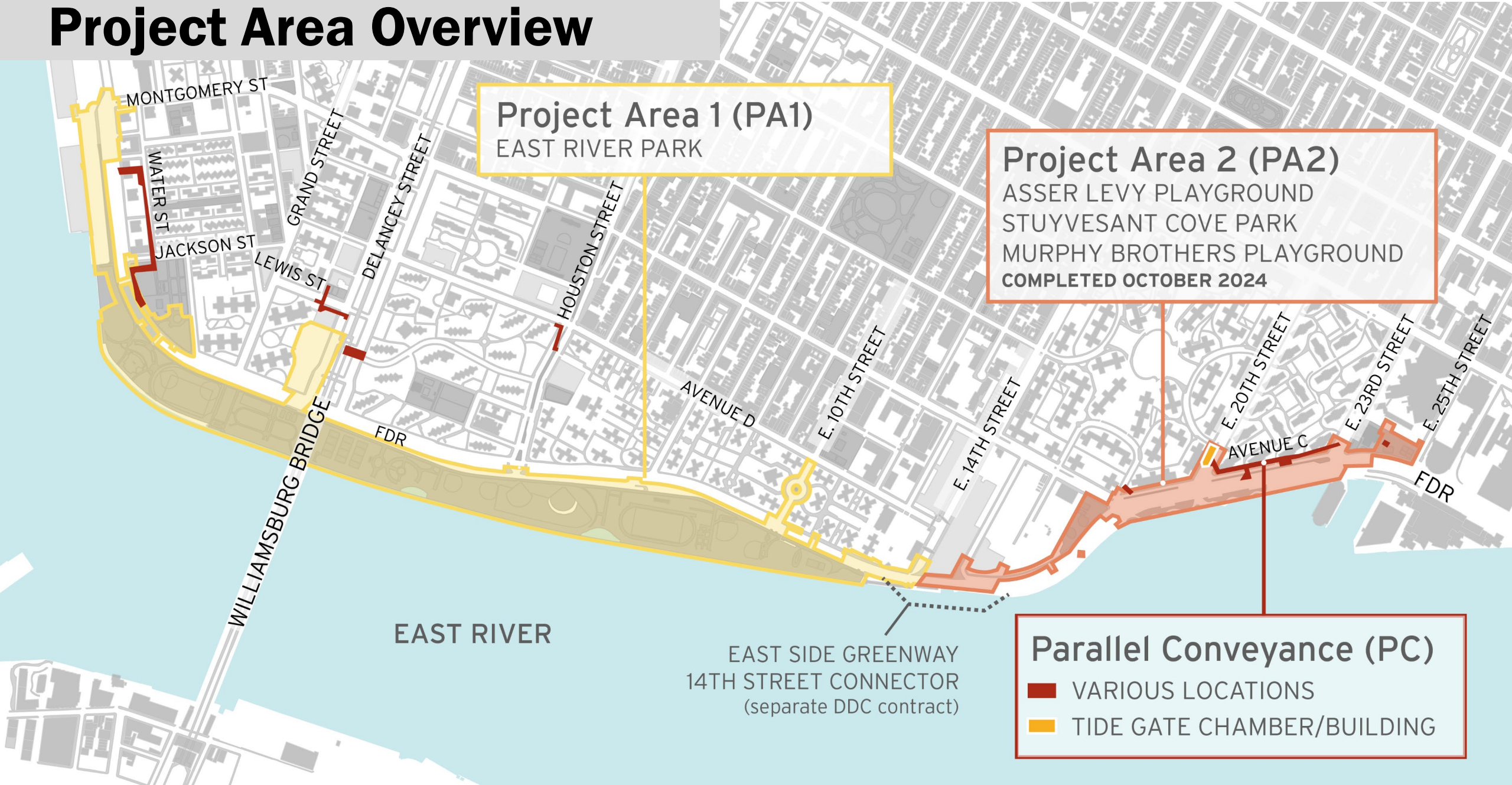
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with support from
EAST SIDE COASTAL RESILIENCY
Learn more at: www.nyc.gov/escr

NYC Department of Design and Construction

Project Area Overview



**CONSTRUCTION
PROGRESS/
APPROACH**

PA2 | Construction Progress

- Punch list items throughout
- Asser Levy Playground – **OPEN!**
- Stuyvesant Cove Park – **OPEN!**
- Murphy Brothers Playground - **OPEN!**



Punch list work ongoing in Stuyvesant Cove Park – July 2026



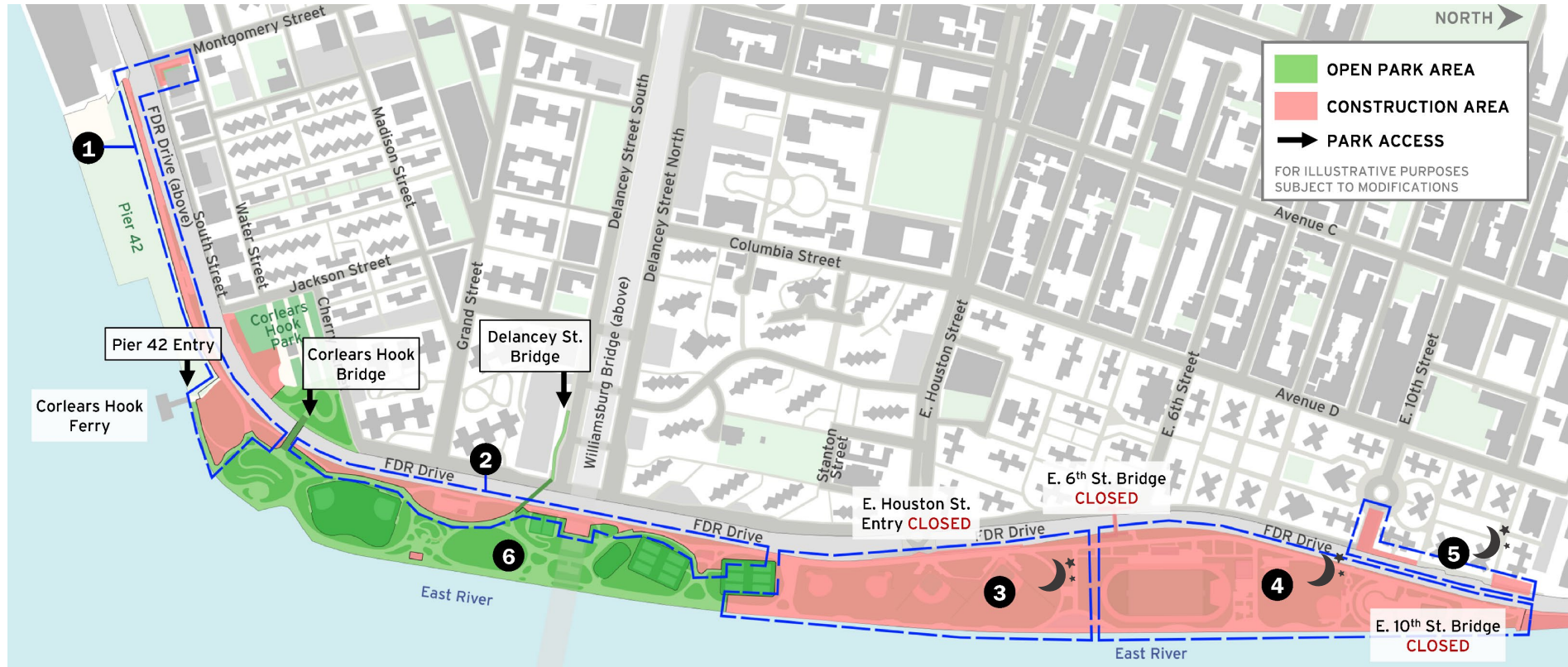
**CONSTRUCTION
PROGRESS/
APPROACH**

PA1 | Construction Progress

PA1 | Construction Activities

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1. Floodwall and floodgate operations.
Construction of Parks maintenance area.
2. Construction of Parks maintenance & tennis buildings.
Utility work.
3. Esplanade reconstruction, E. Houston Street retaining wall activities.
Clean fill installation.
4. Deep sewer work, floodwall construction, and excavation.
5. Utility work.
E. 10th Street bridge: pile installation.
Preparation for E. 13th Street floodwall construction.
6. Phase 1 amenities **OPEN**.
Delancey Street & Corlears Hook bridge work.
7. Ongoing partial FDR lane closures at various locations for bridge & floodwall work.



★ INDICATES NIGHT WORK SHIFTS

Weekly Bulletins & Advisories are issued with construction activities.

Saturday work is anticipated for some work operations as indicated.

PA1 | Pile Installation Overview

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PA1 | Pile Installation

UTILIZING MULTIPLE INSTALLATION STRATEGIES TO REDUCE IMPACT ON COMMUNITY

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VIDEOS ARE FOR ILLUSTRATIVE PURPOSES

HIGH (impact/hammer)



Example of impact hammer pipe pile installation, via <https://www.youtube.com/shorts/avgWzm1MXpA>

MEDIUM (vibratory)



Example of vibratory sheet pile installation, via <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A47OAosNnG4>

LOWER (drilling)



Example of drilled/micropile installation, via <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a8VNRzrwyIU>

PA1 | E. 10th St. Bridge Construction

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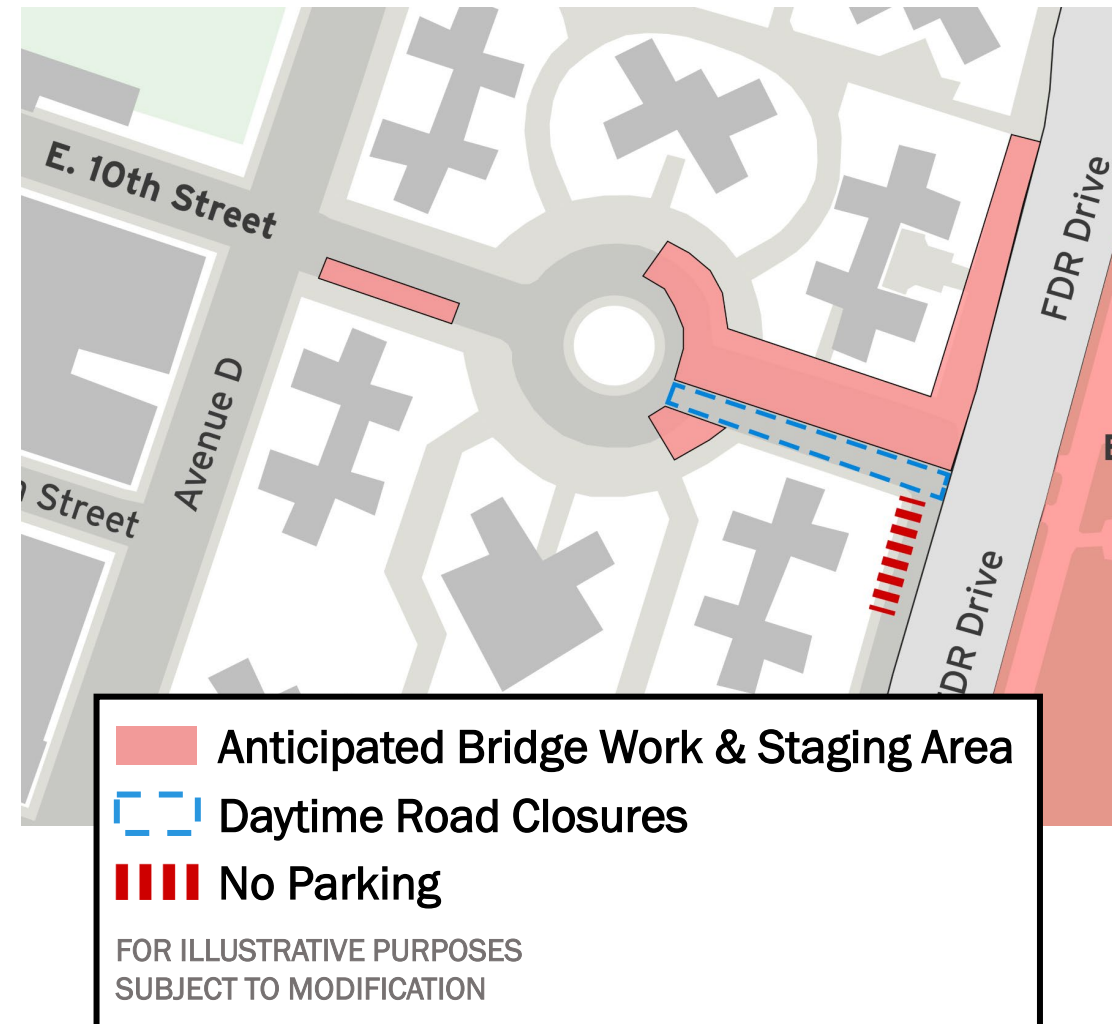


Similar structures already installed and open at Delancey Street South and Corlears Hook Park

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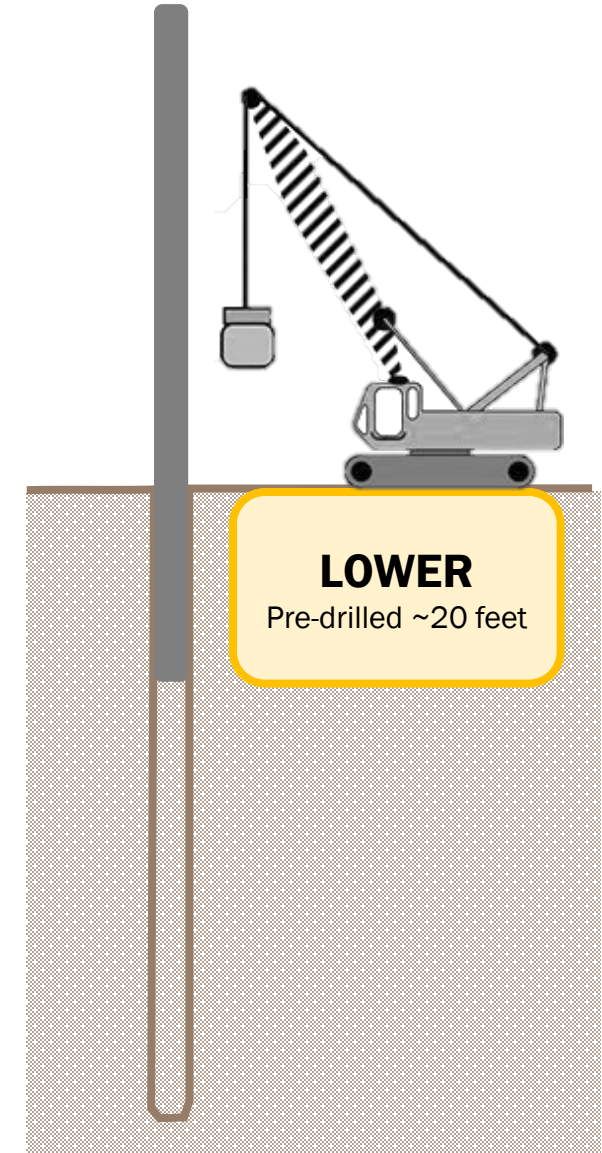
- Construction phasing (approx. 12-14 months total):
 1. Work and staging area mobilization (**ongoing**)
 - Current activities: removing underground obstructions and excavating
 2. Daytime installation of ramp and abutment piles
 - **Pile installation hours: 7am to 6pm**
 - **Anticipated to begin around July 27, ongoing for approximately 1-2 months.**
 - This will be a noisy & disruptive operation, but mitigation strategies are being employed (see next slide).
 3. Assembly of bridge on E. 10th Street (**~2 months**)
 4. Bridge placement (**1 night**)
 5. Construction of ramps (**~6-7 months**)



PA1 | E. 10th St. Bridge Construction

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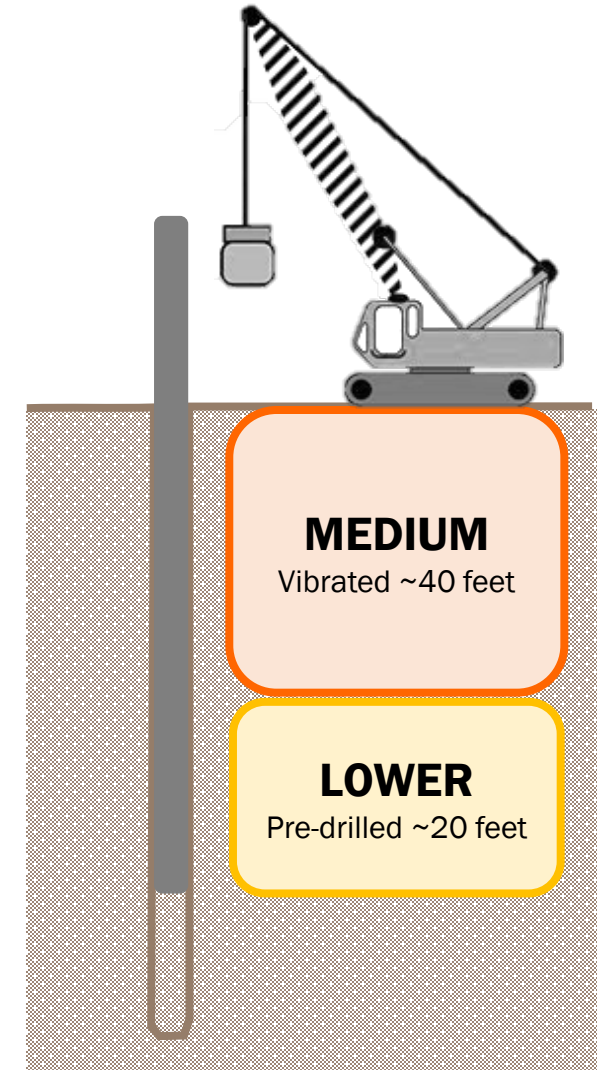
To reduce impact on residents, bridge piles will be pre-drilled and vibrated, leaving the final feet to impact installation.



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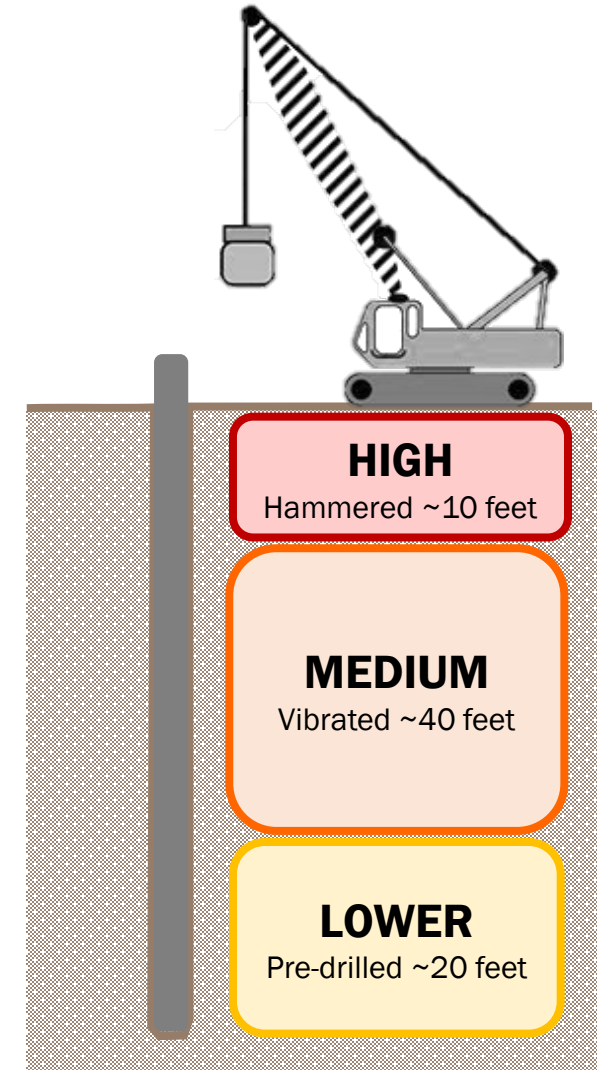
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PA1 | E. 10th St. Bridge Construction

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E. 10th St. Bridge Construction

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- Building access will be maintained at all times
- Access to FDR Drive Service Road will be limited during the day to ensure safety of public and workers during certain operations
- Parking at E. 10th Street and FDR Drive Service Road will be limited to ensure safe passage of emergency vehicles



PA1 | E. 13th St. Flood Protection Construction

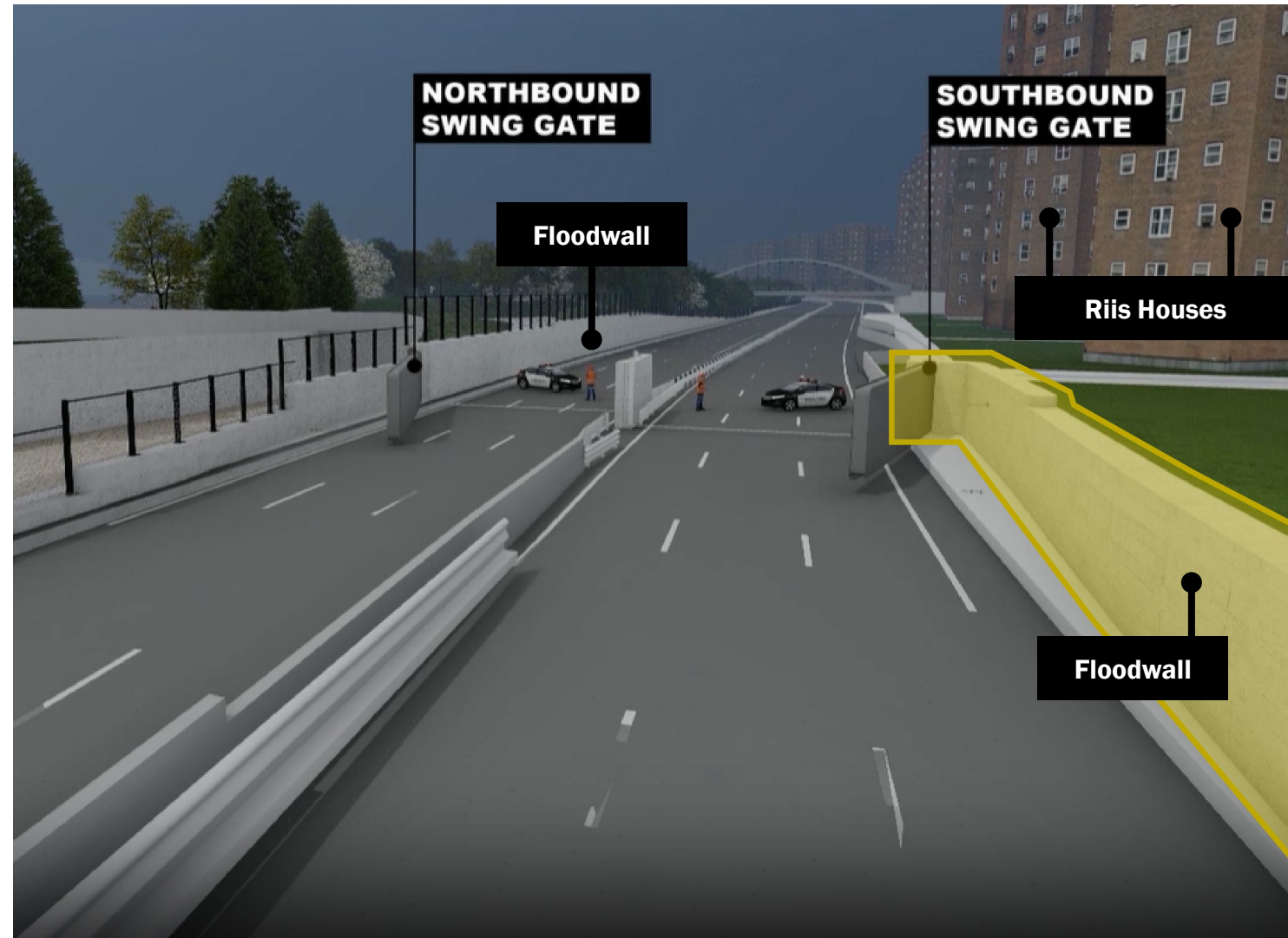
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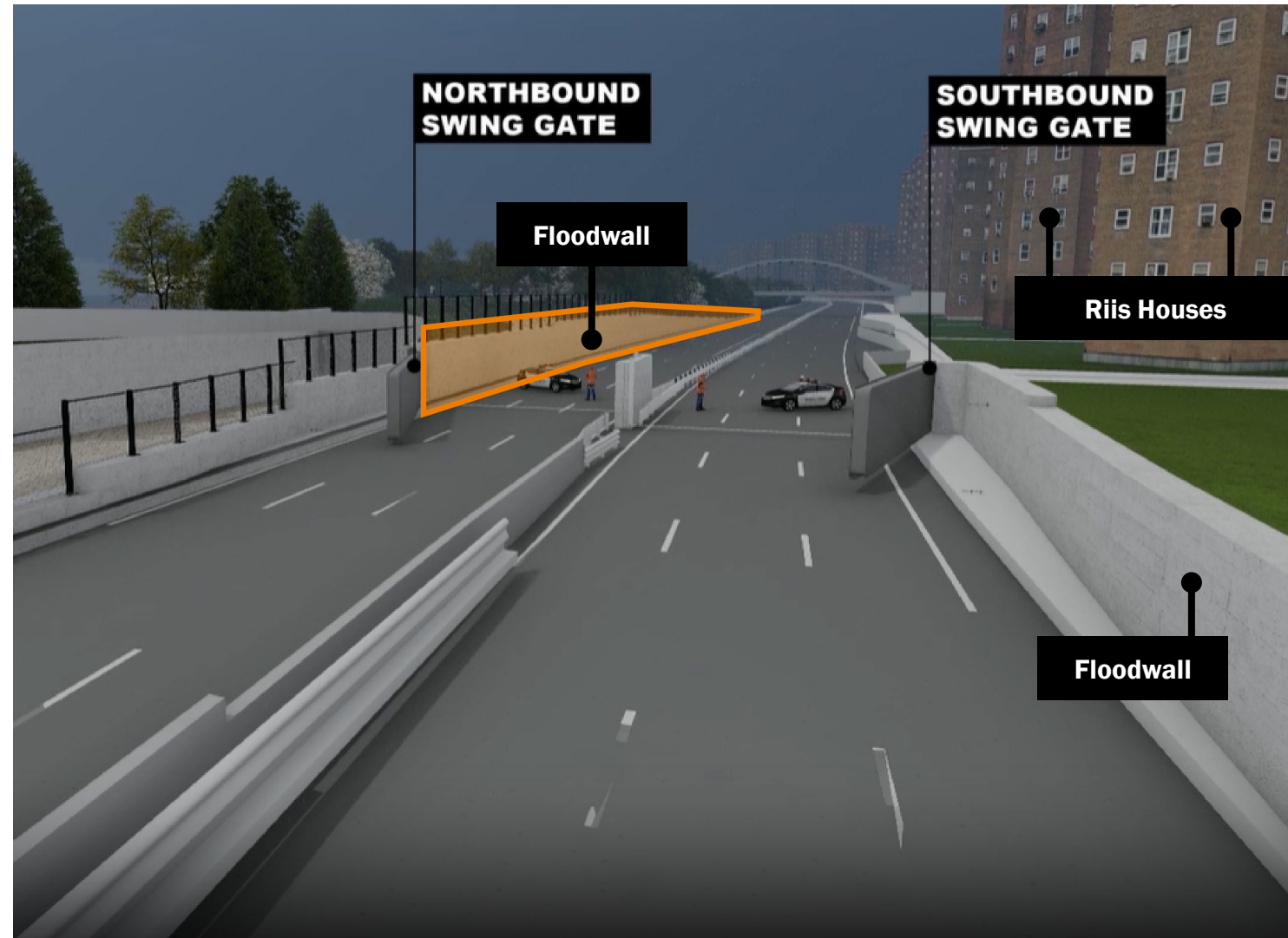
- Underground floodwall infrastructure west of FDR, near Riis, will be **drilled** into the ground.
- Noise level: **LOWER** (lower vibration)



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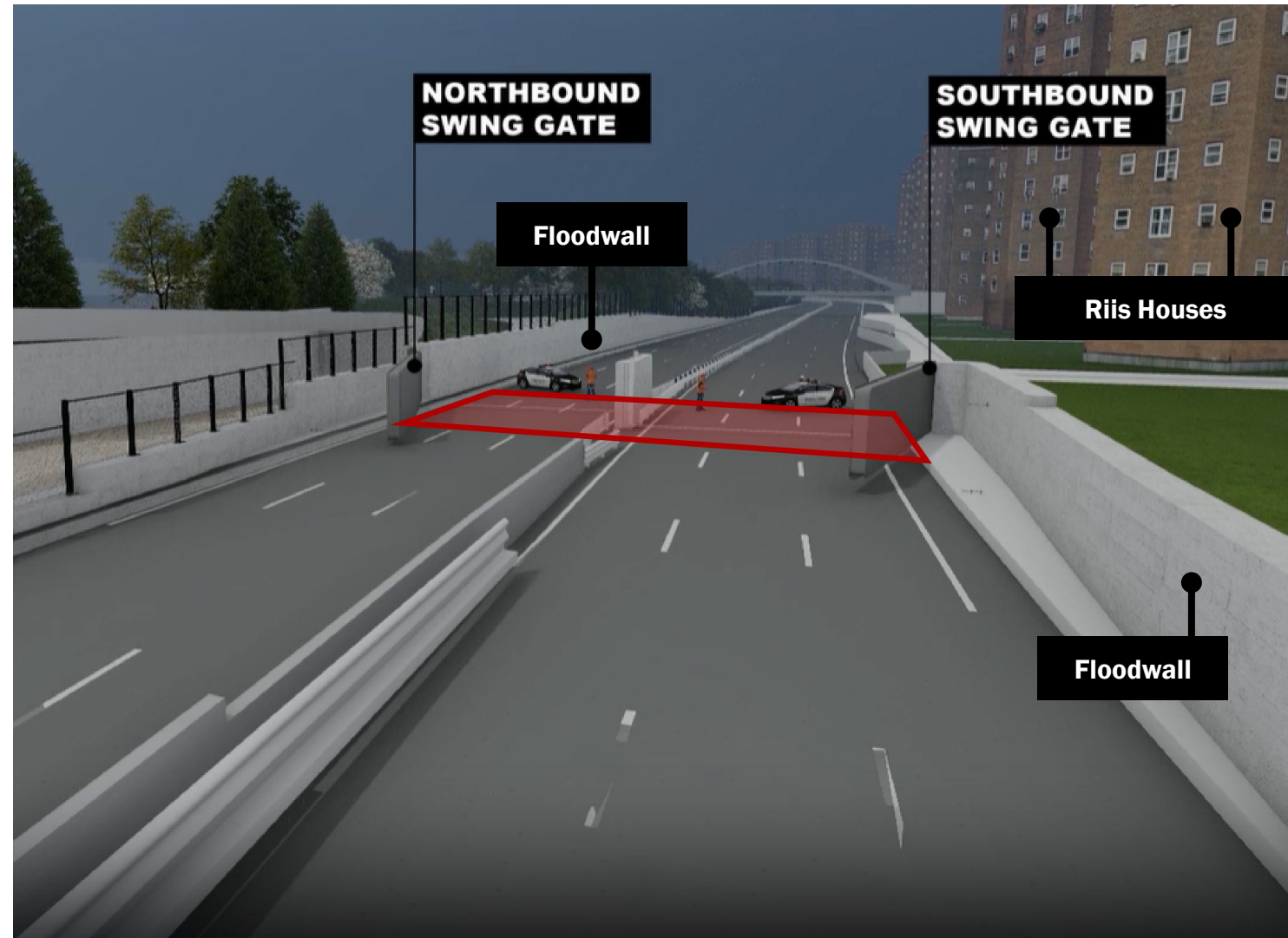
- Underground floodwall infrastructure east of FDR in East River Park will be **vibrated** into the ground.
- Noise level: **MEDIUM** (consistent vibration)



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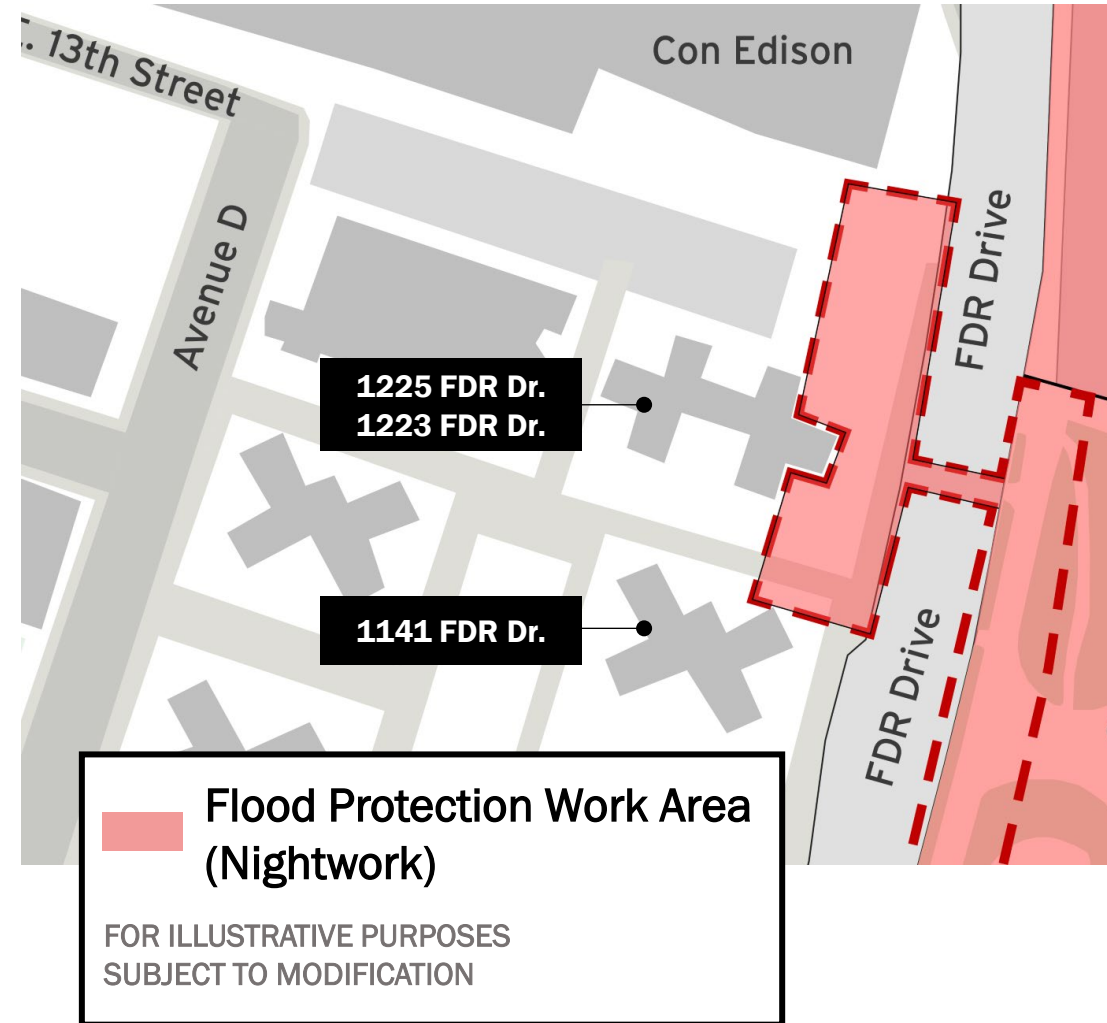
- Underground infrastructure for floodgates crossing the FDR Drive will be **driven**, which is a noisy and disruptive operation.
 - Noise monitors in place and additional mitigation opportunities being explored.
- Noise level: **HIGH (hammering)**



PA1 | E. 13th St. Flood Protection Construction

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- Unfortunately, this work is required by DOT to be performed at night (roughly 10pm to 6am)
- Anticipated to begin mid August, ongoing for approx. two months
- When dates are confirmed, we will provide as much advance notice as possible via formal advisories and at nyc.gov/escr/nightwork



PA1 | Construction Photos

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Vehicle parking area at Parks M&O facility near Pier 42 (M&O1) – July 2026



Removal of overhang protection materials from Corlears Hook Bridge – July 2026

PA1 | Construction Photos



Privacy fencing installation at Parks M&O facility at Grand Street (M&O2) – July 2026



PA1 | Construction Photos



Curb formwork north of Fields 3 & 4 – July 2026



E. Houston Street retaining wall construction – July 2026

PA1 | What We've Heard

Replacement Drainage Grates:

- Final fabrication steps underway, installation anticipated in August.

Ponding Conditions:

- We have received reports of ponding in and around some completed Phase 1 areas and are reviewing each report. Each location may have different causes, responsibilities, and solutions, so site-specific investigations are underway.
- Recent extreme rainfall has put significant pressure on drainage systems across the city.
 - Following last weekend's storm, we were made aware of ponding on the FDR Drive at Delancey Street. We have also received reports related to the Delancey Street lawn and Corlears Hook Park.
 - We did not receive any ponding reports from those locations during Tuesday's storms.
- Regardless of the cause, project and operations teams have been reminded of the precautions that should be taken in advance of flash flood conditions.

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**PROJECT
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Targeted Outreach for Upcoming Work

PA1 | Targeted Outreach for Upcoming Work

- Engagement team will be at August 11 Riis TA meeting and August 29 Family Day.
- Recording and slide translations of recent virtual meeting are available on our website: nyc.gov/site/escr/project-updates/presentations.page.
- Ongoing coordination with NYCHA re: email blasts to residents.
- We appreciate any support community leaders and elected officials are able to provide in communicating project updates to residents.
- Updates related to nightwork to be provided dedicated web page: nyc.gov/escr/nightwork.



Flyering at Riis, July 2026



Riis TA Meeting, June 2026

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Call for Art 2026



on.nyc.gov/4egUBPI

EAST SIDE COASTAL RESILIENCY

CALL FOR ART

What: Submit your art to be printed on construction fencing near E. 10th Street and the FDR Drive!

Who: Residents and artists of all ages near E. 10th Street and East River Park. Jacob Riis residents encouraged to participate!

How: Submit your artwork with the attached form to drop boxes at the NYCHA Riis Houses Management Office (454 E. 10th St.) or Tompkins Square Library (331 E. 10th St.). You can also email ESCRCCCL1@ddccr.com to arrange pick-up or if you'd like to submit digitally (see page 2). Art will be returned.

When: Submissions due by **Friday, October 16, 2026**. Selected artwork will be displayed along construction fencing in late-2026 / early-2027.

活动目的: 招募艺术将用于装饰位于东10街, 介于D大道和FDR 高速之间周围的施工围挡上!

参与群体: 居住在东10街及东河公园附近、各年龄的居民与艺术家。鼓励Jacob Riis居民一起参与!

提交方式: 请将您的艺术作品附上表格, 放置位于以下地点的收集箱内: NYCHA Riis Houses 管理办公室 (454 E. 10th St.) 或 Tompkins Square 图书馆 (331 E. 10th St.)。或者, 您可以以电子邮件至 ESCRCCCL1@ddccr.com 安排收取作品, 或提交电子版作品 (详见第2页)。所有艺术作品均会归还。

提交截止日期: 2026年10月16日 (星期五)。选定的艺术作品将于 2026 年底至 2027 年初沿着施工围挡展示。

Qué: Convocatoria artística para decorar las cercas de construcción cercanas a E. 10th St entre Avenue D y FDR Drive.

Quién: Residentes y artistas de todas las edades cerca de E. 10th Street and East River Park. ¡Animamos a los residentes de Jacob Riis a participar!

Cómo: Entregue su propuestas con el formulario adjunto en el buzón ubicado en la oficina de NYCHA Riis Houses (454 E. 10th Street) o en Tompkins Square Library (331 E. 10th St.) (vea el mapa). Alternativamente, puede enviar un correo electrónico a ESCRCCCL1@ddccr.com para organizar la recogida o si desea hacer una entrega digital. El arte se va a devolver a los participantes.

Cuando: Las entregas deben presentarse antes del viernes 16 de Octubre de 2026. Las obras de arte seleccionadas se exhibirán a lo largo de las cercas de construcción a fines de 2026/inicios 2027.

Suggested Themes

What stories, cultures, and identities make NYC's waterfront unique?
What does climate resiliency mean to you?
哪些故事、文化和身份使纽约市的海滨独特?
气候复原力对你来说意味着什么呢?
¿Qué historias, culturas e identidades hacen único el frente de río de la ciudad de Nueva York?
¿Qué significa para ti la resiliencia climática?

Drop-off Location

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Tompkins Square Library
331 E. 10th Street
NYCHA Riis Houses Management Office
454 E. 10th Street

Questions? Preguntas? 问题?
Please contact our Community Construction Liaisons (CCL) for project-related inquiries or concerns:
Vanessa Gomez (para mas información llámame): 347-628-8724
Pauline Chan (欢迎中文咨询): 929-717-9015
Email: ESCRCCCL1@ddccr.com
Submit an inquiry: on.nyc.gov/4egUBPI

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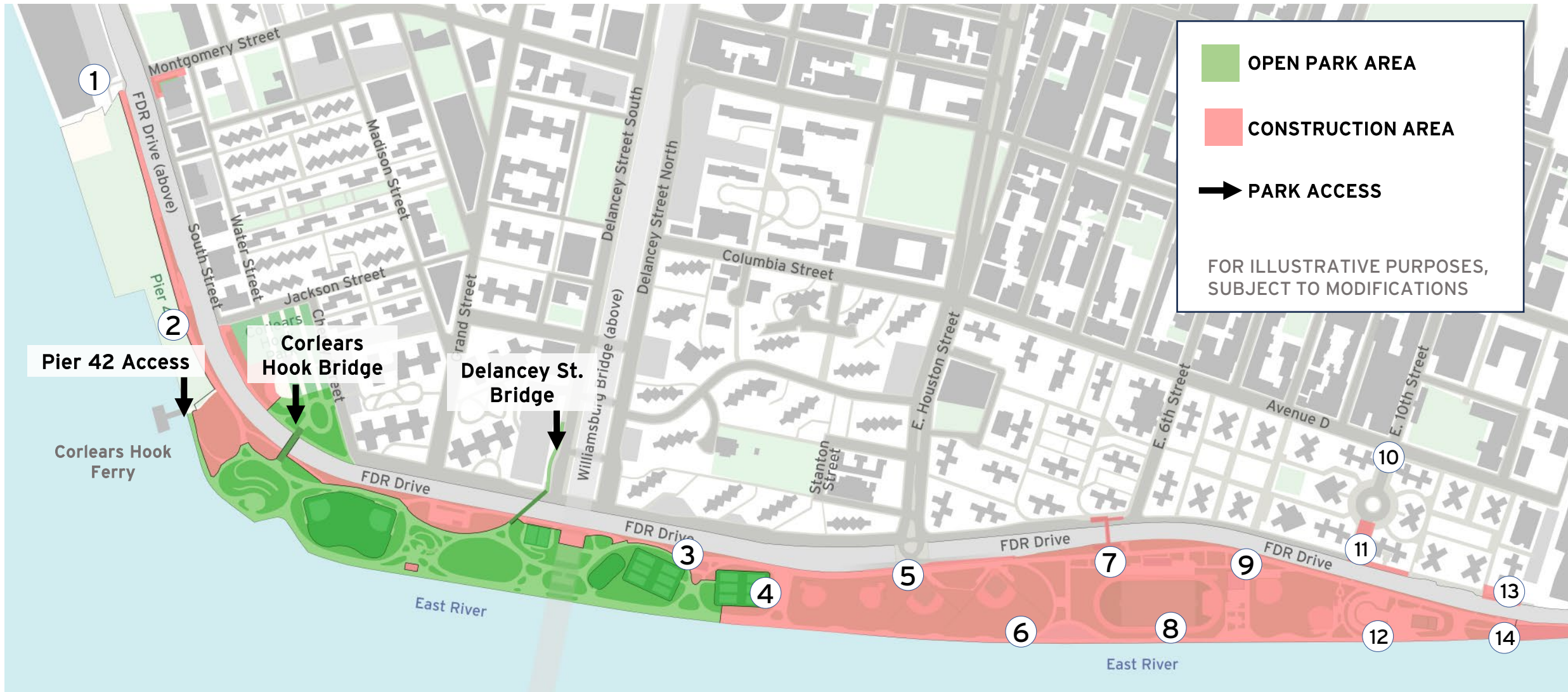
- Invitation for community members to submit visual artwork to be printed on construction fencing, with an emphasis towards residents of NYCHA Riis.
- Suggested Themes:
 - What stories, cultures, and identities make NYC's waterfront unique?
 - What does climate resiliency mean to you?
- Email ESCRCCCL1@ddccr.com to make digital submission or arrange a pick-up; or submit at a drop-off location
- Flyers available in English, Spanish, and Chinese
- Deadline for submissions: October 16, 2026



ENVIRONMENT

Environmental Reporting Update Air Quality Monitoring (AQM)

PA1 AQM | Monitoring Locations



PA1 AQM | June 2026 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> BOLD = net exceedances <i>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 Delancey Street (AQM-6, AQM-CHR)	PM 2.5	6/6	16	• Offsite Activities	None
	PM 10	6/6	16	• Offsite Activities	None
Delancey Street to East Houston Street (AQM-4, AQM-WBN)	PM 2.5	6/6	15	• Offsite Activities	None
	PM 10	6/6	15	• Offsite Activities	None
East Houston Street to East 6 th Street (AQM-3, AQM-5)	PM 2.5	6/2, 6/3, 6/4, 6/5, 6/8, 6/9, 6/10, 6/16, 6/17, 6/18, 6/22, and 6/24	3 to 41	• Construction Activities (Short Duration)	• Dust Mitigation
		6/3	71	• Construction Activities (Long Duration)	• Dust Mitigation
		6/1, 6/6, 6/12, 6/13, 6/15, 6/20, and 6/25	4 to 36	• Offsite Activities	• None
	PM 10	6/2, 6/3, 6/4, 6/5, 6/9, 6/10, 6/16, 6/17, 6/18, 6/22, and 6/24	1 to 58	• Construction Activities (Short Duration)	• Dust Mitigation
		6/1, 6/6, 6/12, 6/13, and 6/15	6 to 32	• Offsite Activities	• None
East 6 th Street to East 10 th Street (AQM-TH, AQM-THR, AQM-7)	PM 2.5	6/3, 6/5, 6/25, and 6/29 6/6	10 to 31 14 to 17	• Construction Activities • Offsite Activities	• Dust Mitigation • None
	PM 10	6/4, 6/16, 6/17 6/6	12 to 32 14 to 36	• Construction Activities • Offsite Activities	• Dust Mitigation • None
East 10 th Street to East 14 th Street (AQM-10S, AQM-10SR, AQM-8, AQM-1, AQM-2)	PM 2.5	6/25 and 6/30 6/14	16 and 43 13	• Construction Activities • Offsite Activities	• Dust Mitigation • None
	PM 10	6/25 and 6/30	16 and 32	• Construction Activities	• Dust Mitigation



PC | Construction Progress

PC | Construction Activities

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Location 1 – Jackson St. & Corlears Hook Park (Water St. and South St. *complete*)

- Utility relocation adjacent to Corlears Hook Park and FDR Drive

Location 2 – Lewis St. & Delancey St. S

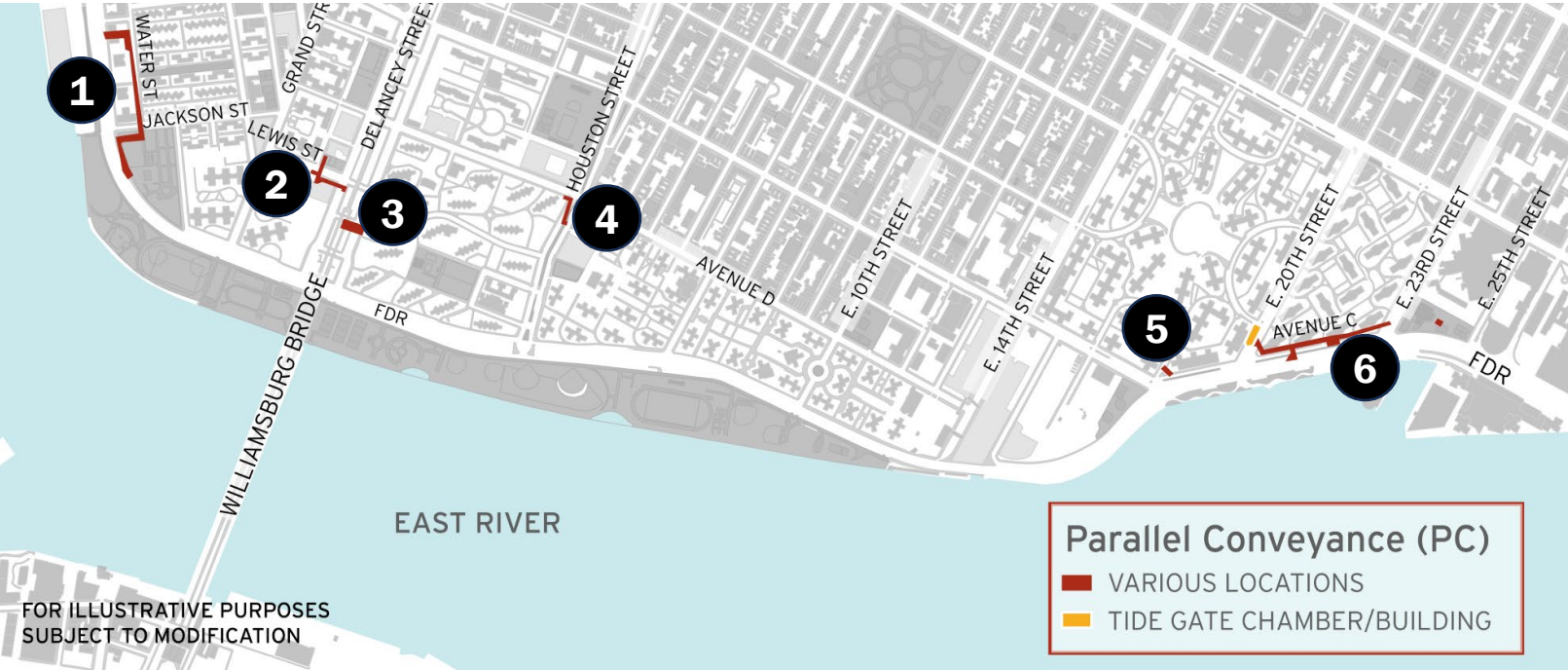
- Sewer installation *complete*
- Final restoration

Location 3 – Baruch Dr. & Delancey St. N

- Sewer installation

Location 4 – E Houston St. & Columbia St.

- Sewer installation
- Drill well points



Location 5 – Avenue C & E 18th

Only weekend work

- Water main
- Sewer installation

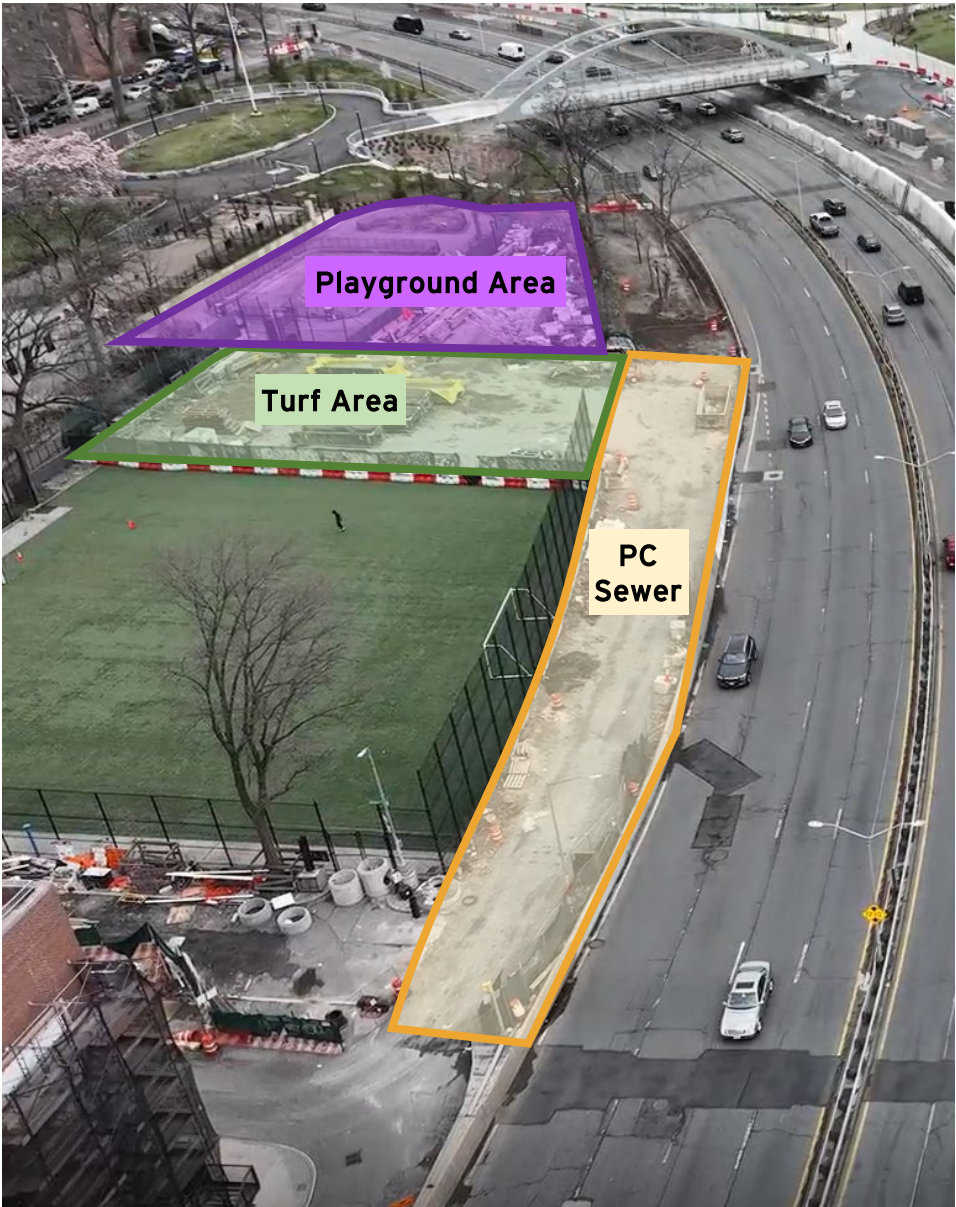
Location 6 – Avenue C, E 20th to E 23rd

- Utility relocation
- Test pits
- Work in Location 6 expected to increase in August, formal advisories to come

PC | Work in Corlears Hook Park

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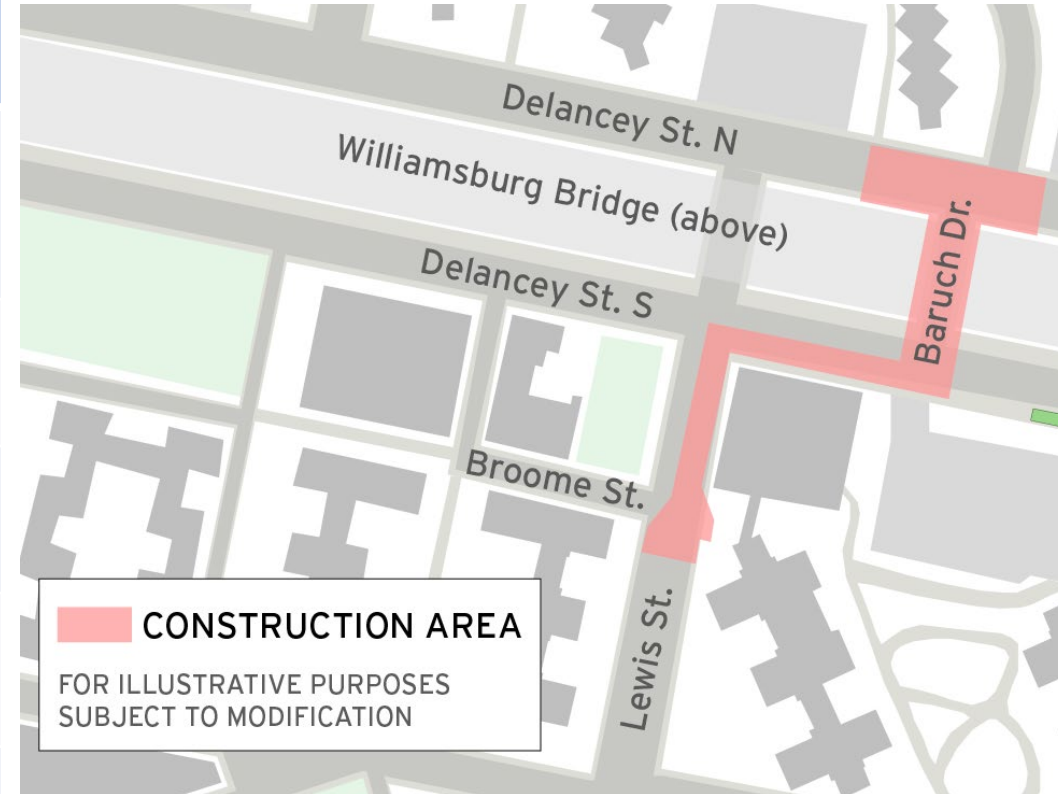
Test pits and subsurface investigations	✓
Utility work	Nightwork to be scheduled, formal advisory to come
PC sewer installation	To be scheduled
Water main installation	
Final restoration*	Anticipated to begin by end of year
*Installation of Playground and Turf Area	To be scheduled



PC | Work in Vicinity of Williamsburg Bridge

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	Delancey Street South & Lewis Street	Delancey Street North & Baruch Drive
Test pits and subsurface investigations	✓	✓
Utility work	✓	✓
Water main installation	✓	Beginning this month Completion anticipated August
PC sewer installation	✓	In progress Completion anticipated early August
Final restoration	In progress Completion anticipated August	To be scheduled



PC | Work at E. Houston St. and Columbia St.

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Test pits and subsurface investigations	✓
Utility work	In progress
PC sewer installation	In progress Completion anticipated mid-August
Final restoration	To be scheduled at a future date



PC | Construction Photos



Final restoration in Delancey Street South – July 2026



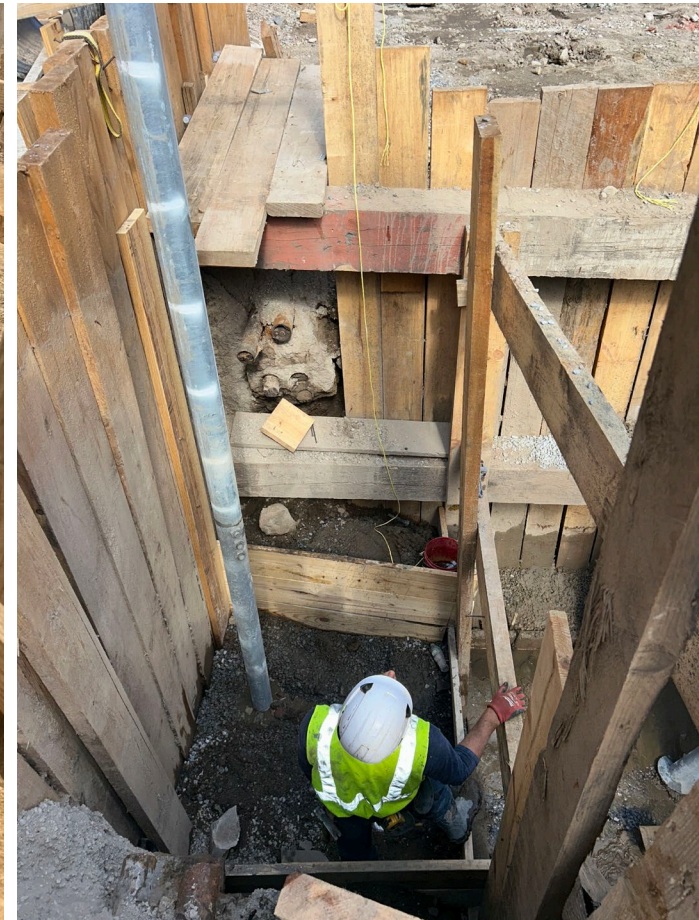
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PC sewer installation in Columbia St. – July 2026



*Steam main encasement in Columbia St.
– July 2026*



*Helical pile installation in Columbia St.
– July 2026*

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Upcoming Meetings

NYCHA Wald & PSA4 Family Day

- Tuesday, August 4

NYCHA Riis Tenant Association Meeting

- Tuesday, August 11

CAG #72 (Written*)

- Around Thursday, August 27

NYCHA Riis Family Day

- Saturday, August 29

CB3 Parks Committee

- September





QUESTIONS?