



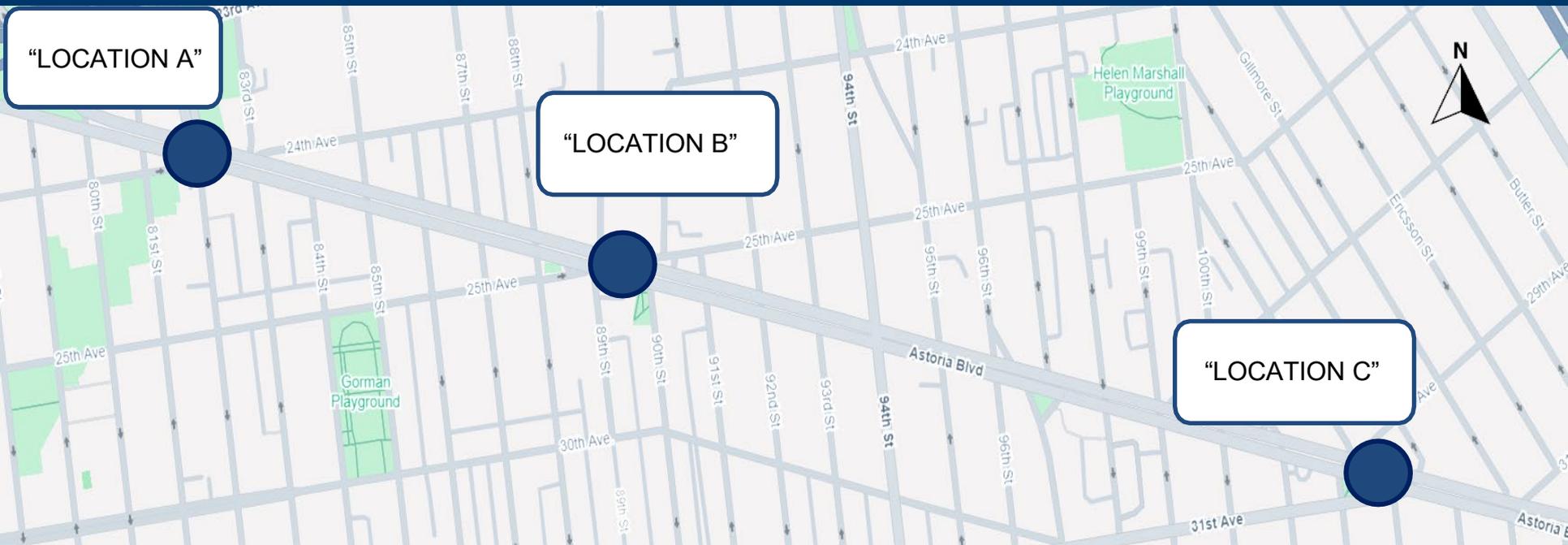
Project ID: HWQ1201

Astoria Boulevard Safety Improvements

Borough of Queens

QUEENS COMMUNITY BOARD NO. 3 – TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
February, 2026

Project Overview



ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION

COST: \$15.6M Project

- \$1.00M from Reso Fund
- \$2.00M HUD Funding – Non City Fund
- REMAINING FUNDS PROVIDED BY CITY

Crash Summary, 2019-2021 (3 years)

	Total Crashes
Pedestrian	3
Bicyclists	3
Motor Vehicle Occupant	59
Total	65

PROJECT IS BROKEN DOWN INTO 3 DIFFERENT LOCATIONS ALONG ASTORIA BOULEVARD

LOCATION A:

- ASTORIA BOULEVARD BETWEEN 80TH STREET & 84TH STREET
- 24TH AVENUE BETWEEN 81ST STREET & 84TH STREET

LOCATION B

- ASTORIA BOULEVARD BETWEEN 88TH STREET & 90TH STREET
- 25TH AVENUE BETWEEN 88TH STREET & 90TH STREET

LOCATION C

- ASTORIA BOULEVARD BETWEEN 102ND STREET & HUMPHREYS STREET

PROJECT GOALS

1. ENHANCE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY AND SHORTEN PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS
2. IMPROVE PEDESTRIAN CIRCULATION
3. CREATE ADA COMPLIANT CROSSINGS/RAMPS
4. REDUCE CONFLICTS BETWEEN PEDESTRIANS, CARS & BIKES
5. IMPROVE BUS STOP & BOARDING CONDITION FOR PEDESTRIANS



SCOPE OF WORK

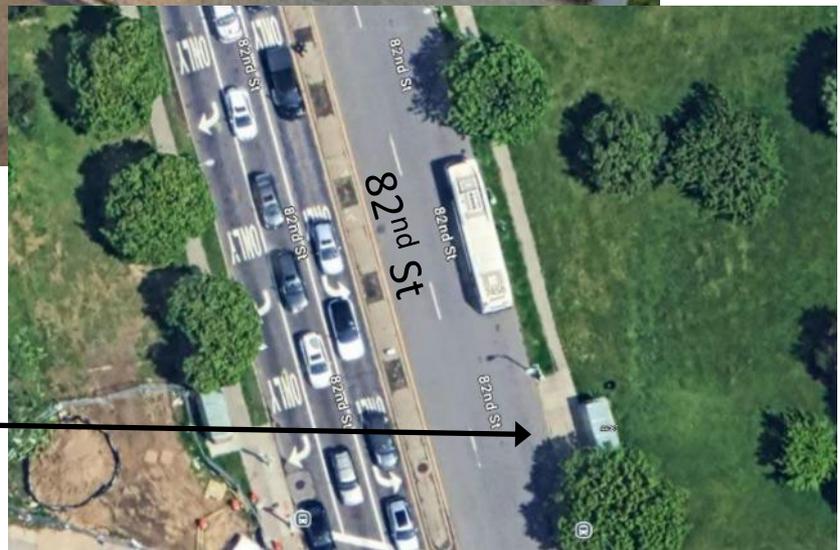
1. CONSTRUCT NEW CURB, CURB RAMPS & MEDIAN TIP EXTENSIONS
2. CONSTRUCT NEW BUS BULBS
3. CONSTRUCT NEW RETAINING WALLS
4. CREATE NEW LEFT TURN BAYS & CROSSWALKS
5. IMPROVE BICYCLE LANE CONNECTIVITY
6. ADD LANDSCAPING, BENCHES AND LEANING BARS AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS
7. RELOCATE EXISTING FIRE HYDRANTS TO NEW CURB LINE AS NEEDED
8. RESET UTILITY MANHOLES AND GRATES TO RECONSTRUCTED ROADWAY SURFACE
9. INSTALL ROADWAY DRAINAGE CATCH BASINS AS NEEDED TO REDUCE PONDING. NEW CATCH BASINS TO CONNECT TO EXISTING STORM SEWER SYSTEM. NO MAJOR STORM SEWER PIPE RECONSTRUCTION ANTICIPATED.



Existing Conditions – Location A



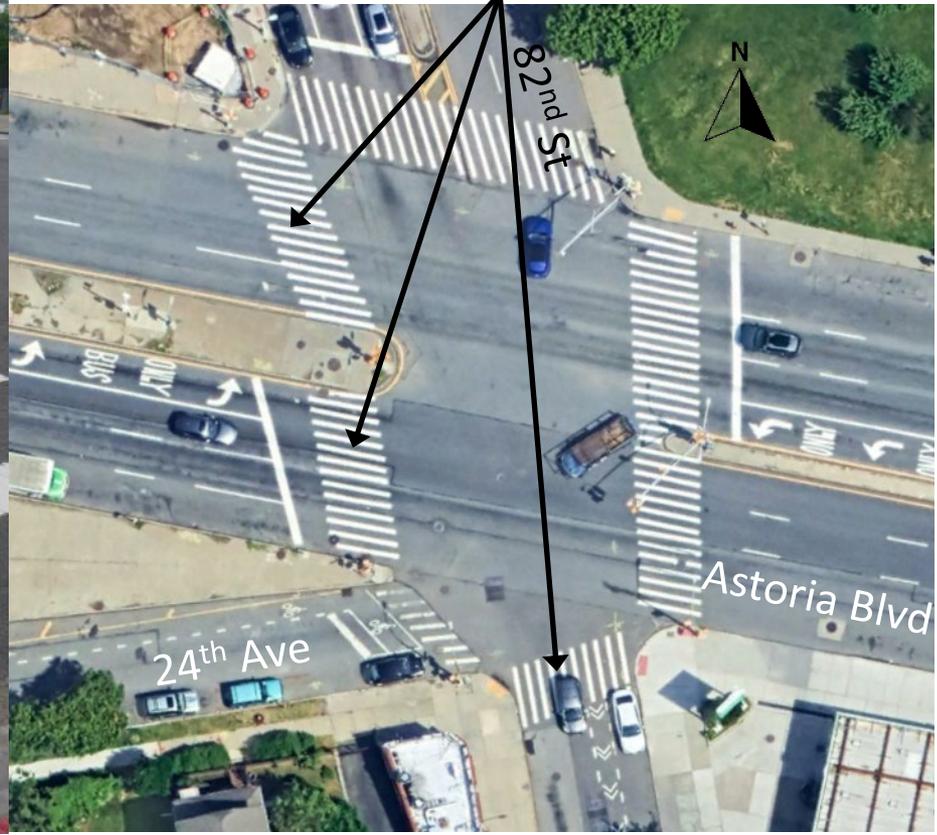
Astoria Blvd & 82nd Street:
No Bus Bulb or Bus Pad



Existing Conditions – Location A



Astoria Blvd, 82nd Street & 24th Ave:
Long Walking Distance for
Pedestrians to Cross Major
Roadway



Existing Conditions – Location A



Astoria Blvd & 24th Avenue:
No Pedestrian Access Route

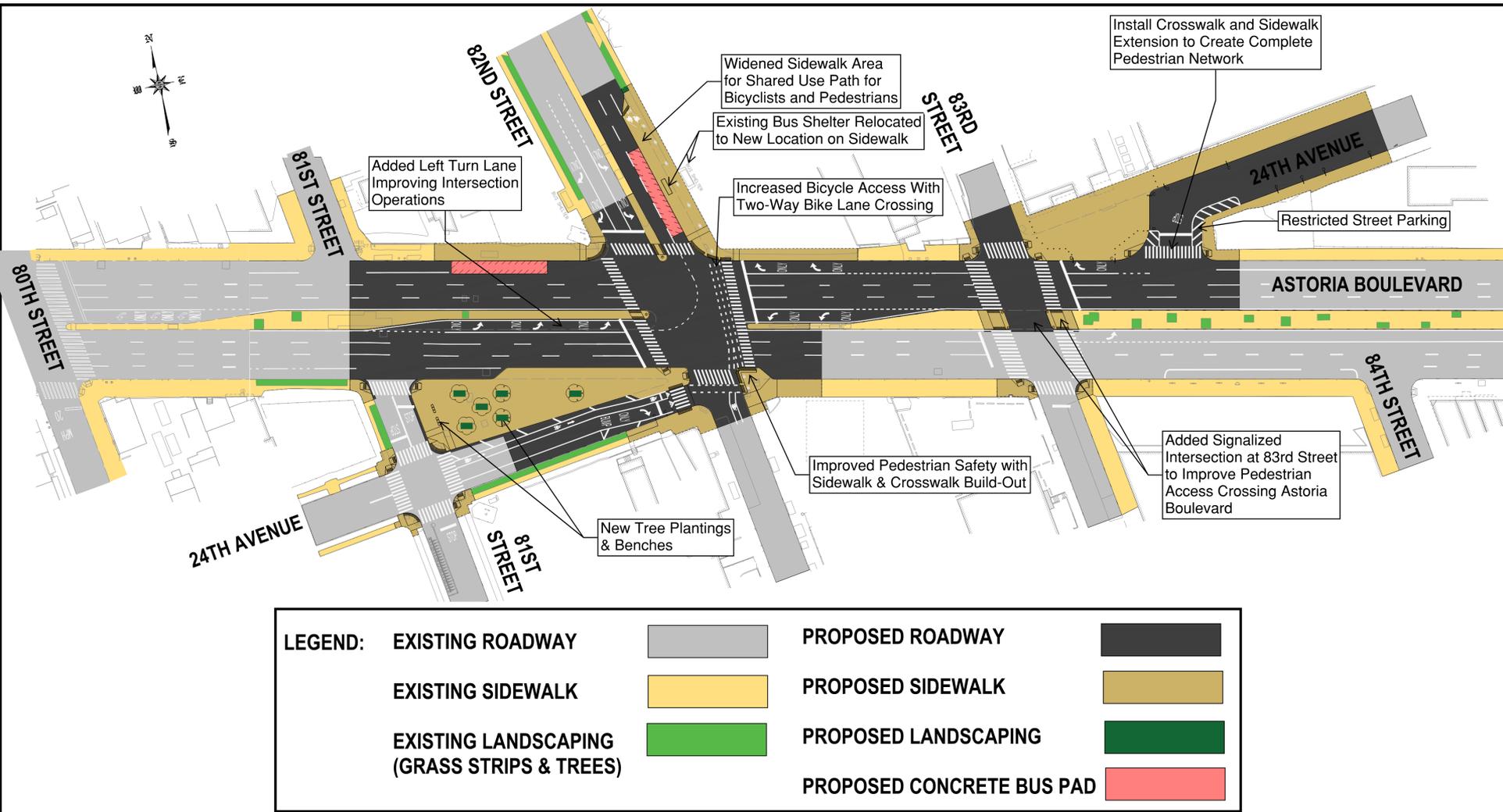


Existing Conditions – Location A



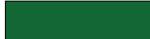
Astoria Blvd & 83rd Street:
No Pedestrian Crossing

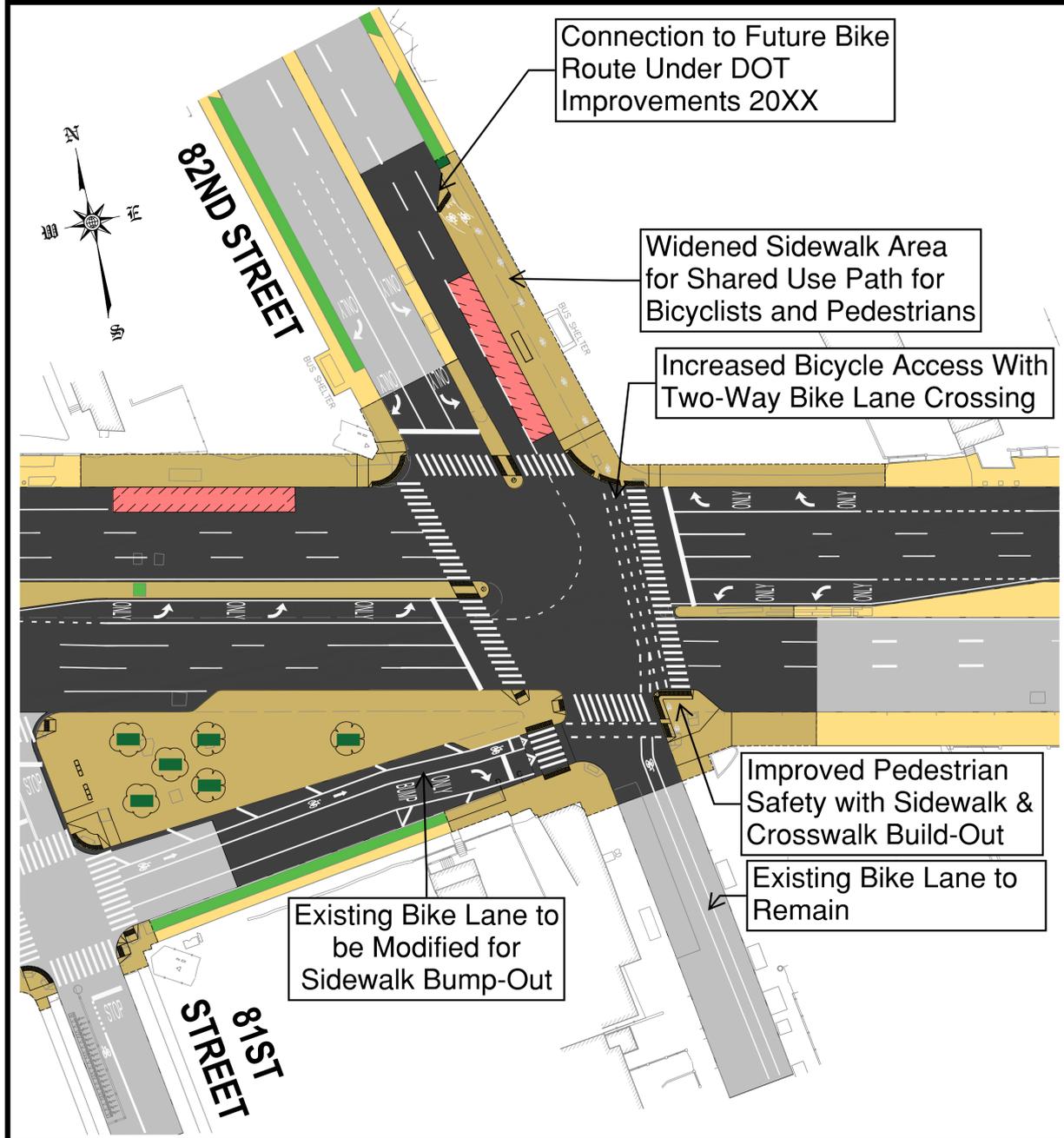
PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS – LOCATION A



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LOCATION A – BICYCLE LANE CONNECTIVITY

LEGEND:	
EXISTING ROADWAY	
EXISTING SIDEWALK	
EXISTING LANDSCAPING (GRASS STRIPS & TREES)	
PROPOSED ROADWAY	
PROPOSED SIDEWALK	
PROPOSED LANDSCAPING	
PROPOSED CONCRETE BUS PAD	

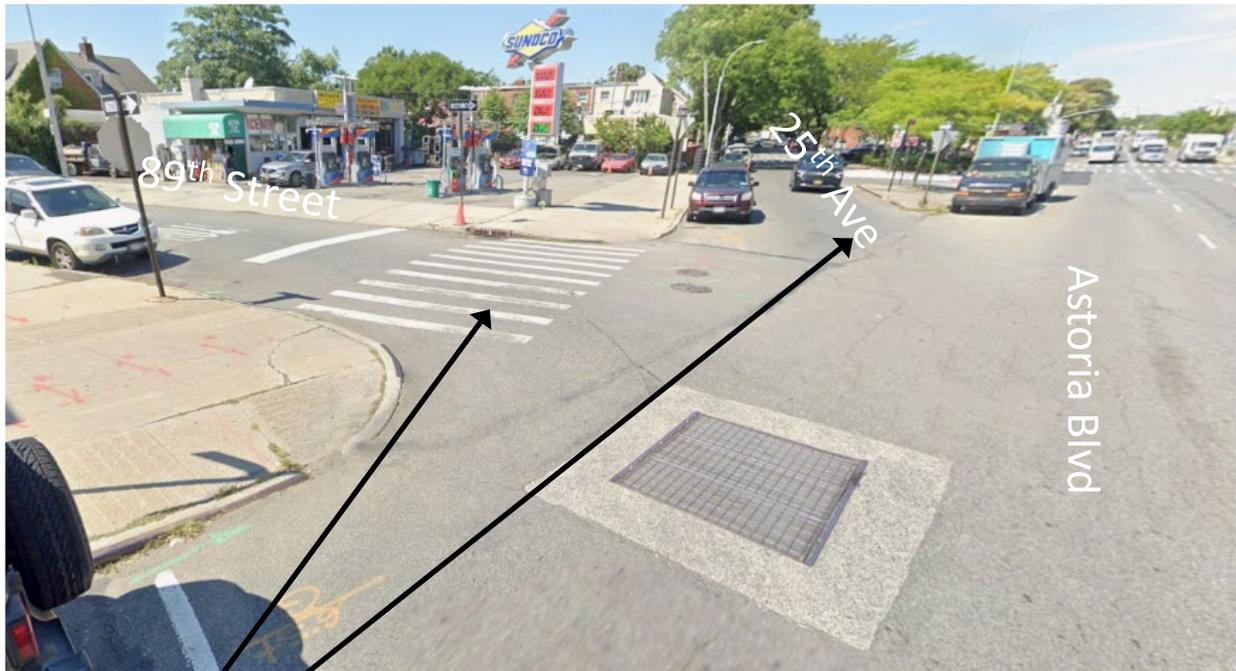


Existing Conditions – Location B



Astoria Blvd & 88th Street:
Non-ADA Compliant Median
Island and Corner Ramps for
Pedestrian Crossing

Existing Conditions – Location B



Astoria Blvd & 89th Street & 25th Avenue:
No Pedestrian Access Route
and Long Walking Distance for
Pedestrian Crossing



Existing Conditions – Location B



Astoria Blvd & 90th Place & 25th Avenue:
No Pedestrian Access Route

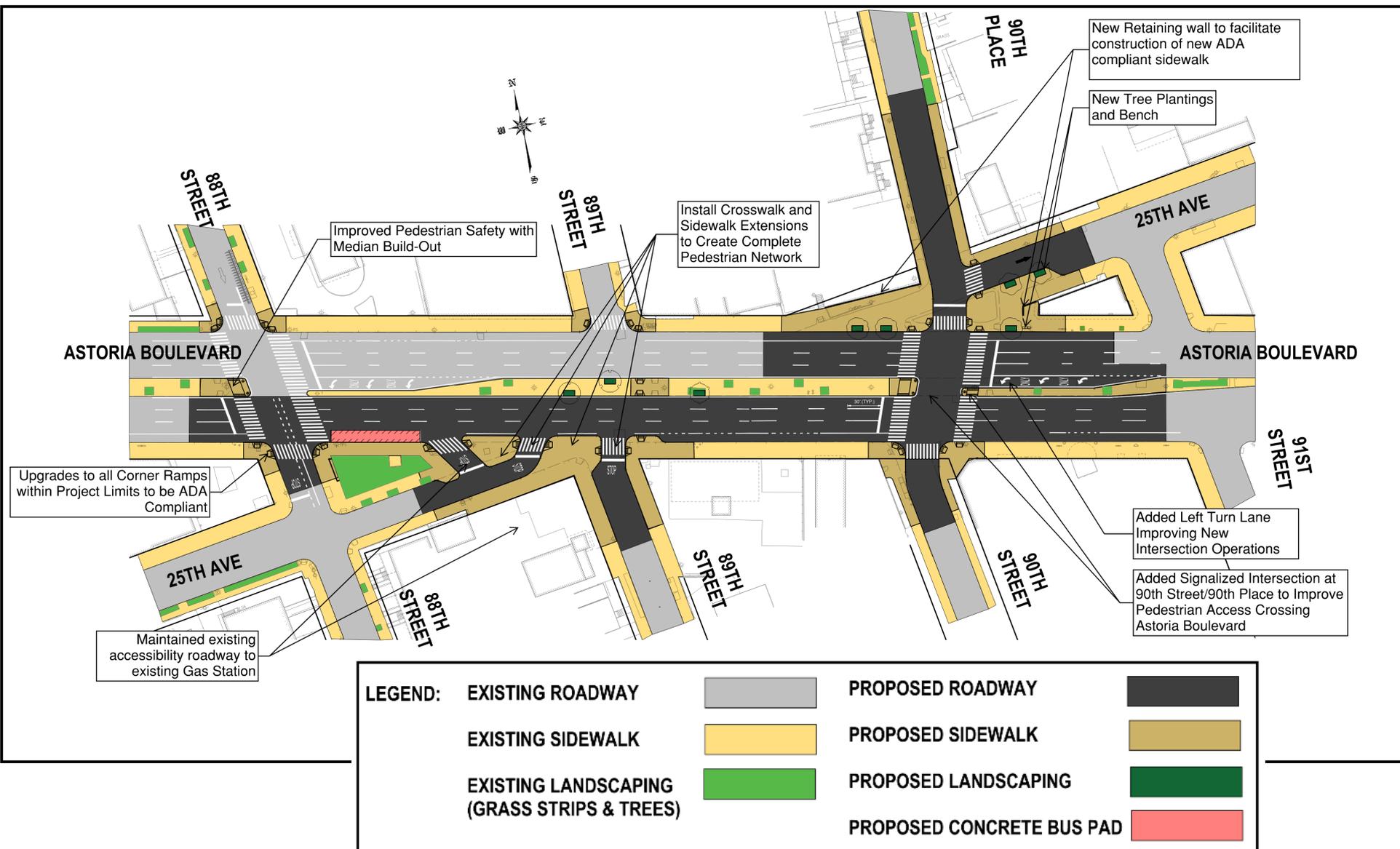


Existing Conditions – Location B

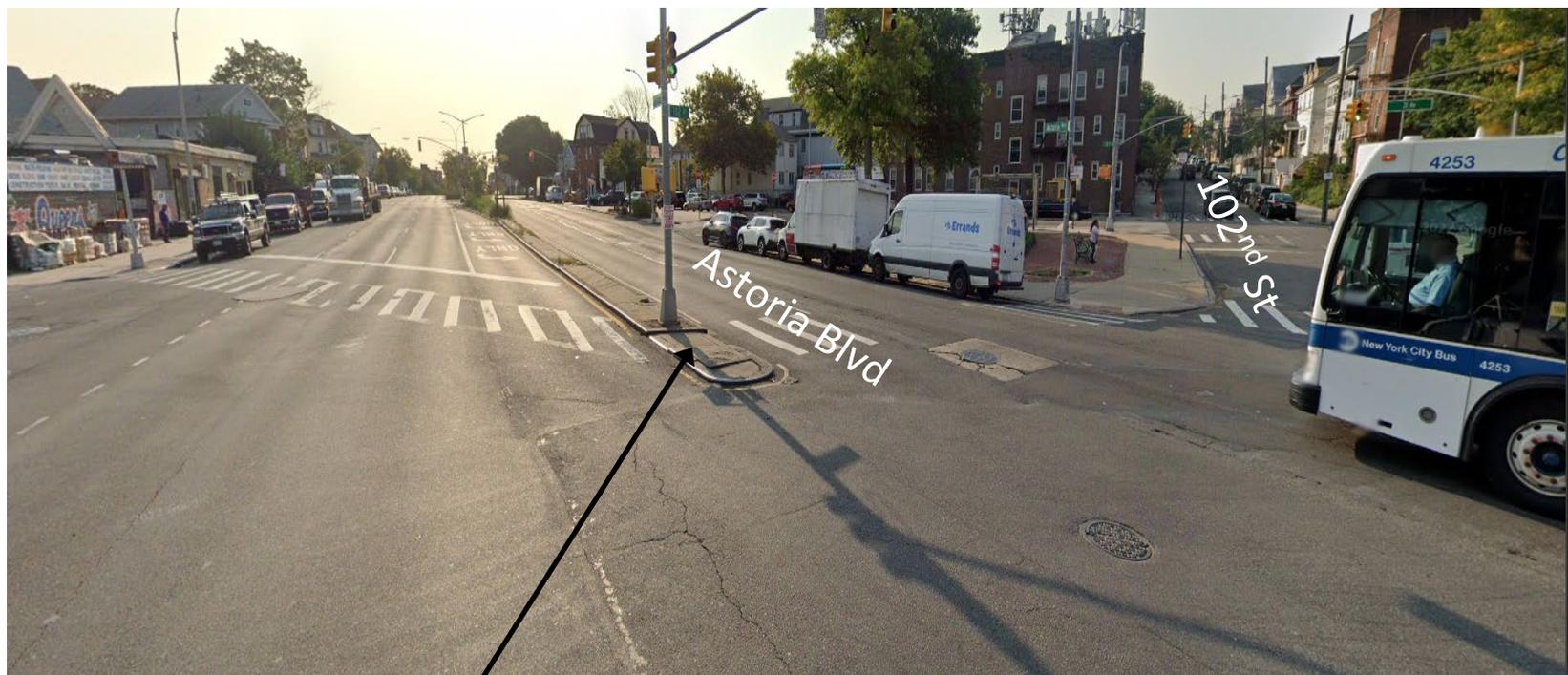


Astoria Blvd & 90th Place & 91st Street:
No Pedestrian Crossing

PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS – LOCATION B



Existing Conditions – Location C



Astoria Blvd & 102nd Street:
Non-ADA Compliant Median
Island for Pedestrian Crossing



Existing Conditions – Location C

Astoria Blvd & McIntosh St / 29th Ave:
Skewed Crosswalk for Pedestrians to Cross
Major Roadway



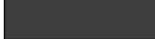
Existing Conditions – Location C

Astoria Blvd & Humphreys Street:
Skewed Crosswalk for Pedestrians to Cross
Major Roadway



PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS – LOCATION C



LEGEND:	EXISTING ROADWAY		PROPOSED ROADWAY	
	EXISTING SIDEWALK		PROPOSED SIDEWALK	
	EXISTING LANDSCAPING (GRASS STRIPS & TREES)		PROPOSED LANDSCAPING	
			PROPOSED CONCRETE BUS PAD	

PROJECT SCHEDULE

2026	January	Community Presentation and Outreach
2026	February	Queens Community Board 3 Transportation Committee Presentation
2027	January	Design Completion
2027	Fall	Construction Begins (Estimated duration of construction procurement is 9 months)
2029	Fall	Construction Ends (Estimated duration for full project construction is 24 months)

CONSTRUCTION PHASE

1. CONSTRUCTION STAGING TO MINIMIZE IMPACTS TO DRIVERS AND PEDESTRIANS ALONG THIS ROUTE DURING PEAK HOURS
2. CONTINUOUS COORDINATION WITH COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES TO REDUCE DISRUPTIONS TO BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
3. TREE IMPACTS WILL BE COORDINATED WITH NYC PARKS DEPARTMENT
4. POTENTIAL FOR SHORT TERM LANE CLOSURE AND REDUCED STREET PARKING
5. MEASURES TAKEN TO REDUCE SEDIMENT RUNOFF FROM CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES



COMMUNITY OUTREACH

- **DDC's Office of Community Outreach + Notification (OCON)** works with CB's, BID's, local businesses, and other community stakeholders impacted by construction.
- DDC will assigned a dedicated on-site Community Construction Liaison (CCL). The CCL information will be provided at the pre-Construction phase:

Email: TBD

Phone: TBD

Field Office Location: TBD

Field Office Hours: 7AM to 3:30PM

**DDC Project Lead: Cynthia Muniz-Rivera, munizricy@ddc.nyc.gov
718-391-2125.**

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COMMUNITY OUTREACH (continued)

Community Construction Liaison (CCL) responsibilities are as follows:

- First point of contact, maintain on-site presence and communications.
- Identify, resolve, and/or proactively address issues and inquiries.
- Distribute advisories and weekly construction activities newsletter.
- Provide 72-hour and 24-hour (confirmation or cancellation) advisories for work impacts by email and door to door.
- Attend community board monthly DSC meetings and other community meetings as necessary, to keep the community informed of the project schedule and impacts.

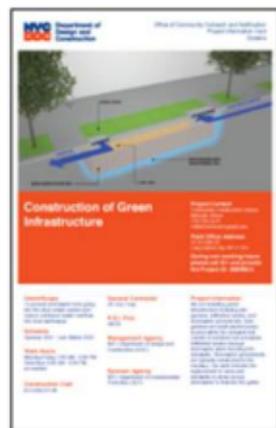


COMMUNITY CONSTRUCTION LIASON INVOLVEMENT

Keeping You Informed.

The on-site CCL works directly with the project team. CCL will address community concerns, respond to inquiries, attend meetings, as needed, as well as distribute project related materials to keep the community informed and notified.

PROJECT INFORMATION CARD (PIC)



ADVISORIES

COMMUNITY ADVISORY
No Parking
Modify Catch Basin and Install Chute Connections
 Mon, Dec 15 thru Fri, Dec 19, 2025
 Work Hours: 7:00 AM - 3:30 PM
 Locations include northwest corners of - Avenue A and East 3rd Street - 1st Avenue and East 3rd Street

Curbside parking restrictions in effect near work zones; vehicles will be towed. Please observe posted signage. These temporary restrictions support ramp improvements. Anticipate machinery, noise, and dust during work hours.

WEEKLY LOOK AHEAD BULLETIN

WEEKLY CONSTRUCTION BULLETIN
 08/06/25 - 08/10/25
 Distribution Water Main Extension and Replacement - PROJECT 1 - Various locations in Manhattan. Includes a table of work zones with dates, times, and activities.

DATE	TIME RANGE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY
08/06/25	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	East Side of Beakley	Construction for the extension of water main replacement.
08/07/25	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Between Beakley Street and Beakley Street	Water main replacement.
08/08/25	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	East Side of West 10th Street	Water main replacement.
08/09/25	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Between 10th Street and Beakley Street	Water main replacement.
08/10/25	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	East Side of Beakley	Water main replacement.
08/10/25	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Between Beakley Street and Beakley Street	Water main replacement.

PROJECT UPDATES

Project Update
 Manhattan
 October 2025
 Project ID: MED645
Installation of Distribution Water Main Various Locations

Construction completed on the Chelsea Location (E 20th St. to E 21st Street) and E 19th Street.

Construction completed on the Hudson Location (E 17th Street between E 16th Street and E 18th Street).

Thank You

Questions?



NYC Department of
DDC Design and
Construction

