



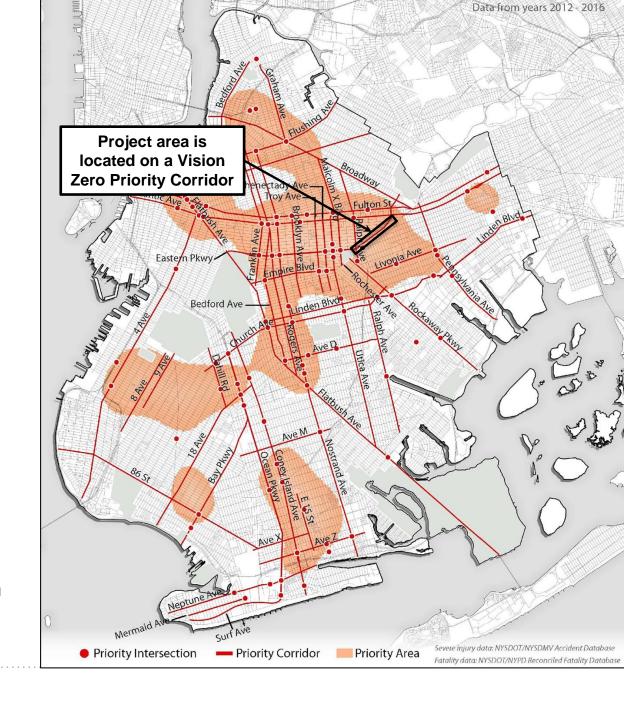


#### Vision Zero

- Vision Zero
- Multi-agency effort to reduce traffic fatalities in NYC
- Borough Action Plans released in 2019
- Priority Intersections,
   Corridors, and Areas
   identified for each borough

### Project Area

- Eastern Parkway is a Vision Zero Priority Corridor and is located in a Vision Zero Priority Area
- Project located within Brownsville Senior Pedestrian Area



### **Project Area**

- Corridor accessed by students from several nearby schools, including PS 12, PS 178, IS 55, Achievement First Brownsville Elementary School, Brooklyn Collegiate, Uncommon Schools Leadership Preparatory Ocean Hill Charter School, Christopher Avenue Community School, P.S. 298, Brownsville Collaborative Middle School, and Brooklyn Ascend High School
- Long crossing distances and skewed intersections along the corridor



## **Safety Data**

- 377 total crash-related injuries from 2013 to 2017
- 4 total fatalities, 2 of which were pedestrians

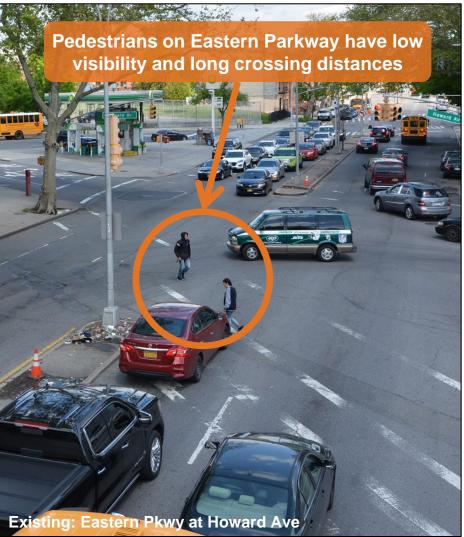


Eastern Pkwy - Lincoln Pl to Pacific St, BK



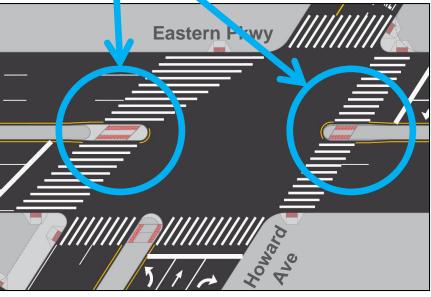
### **Existing: Narrow Medians Provide Limited Refuge**

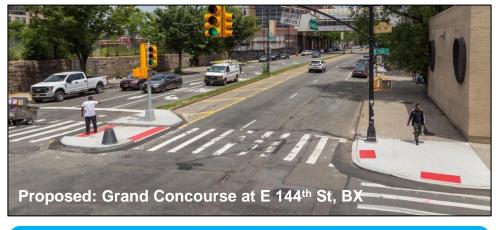




### **Proposal: Median Tip Extensions to Improve Pedestrian Safety**





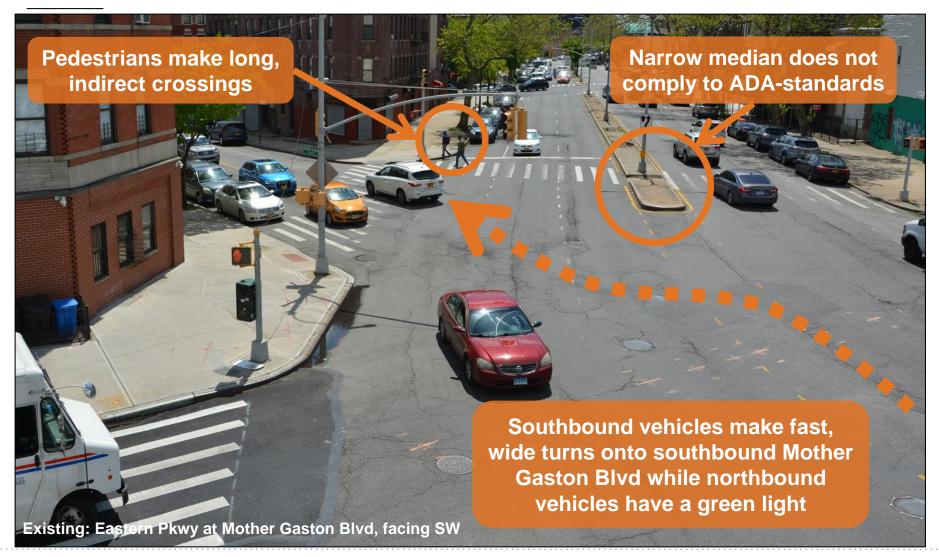


New ADA accessible median tip extensions improve pedestrian visibility and shorten crossings

#### **Eastern Parkway**

Intersection of Eastern Pkwy, Pacific St and Mother Gaston Blvd

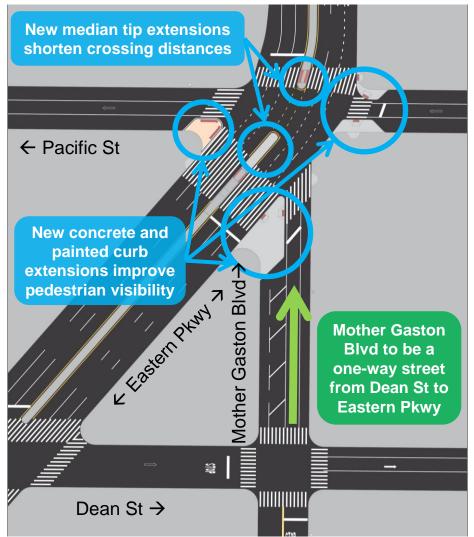
### **Existing: Complex Intersection with Limited Pedestrian Refuge**



## **Proposal: One-Way Conversion on Mother Gaston Blvd**

Converting Mother
Gaston Blvd to be oneway northbound
simplifies a complex
intersection





## **Proposal: Banning Low-Volume Vehicle Turns to Reduce Conflicts**

Banning low-volume turns will allow for greater pedestrian refuge at the following intersections:

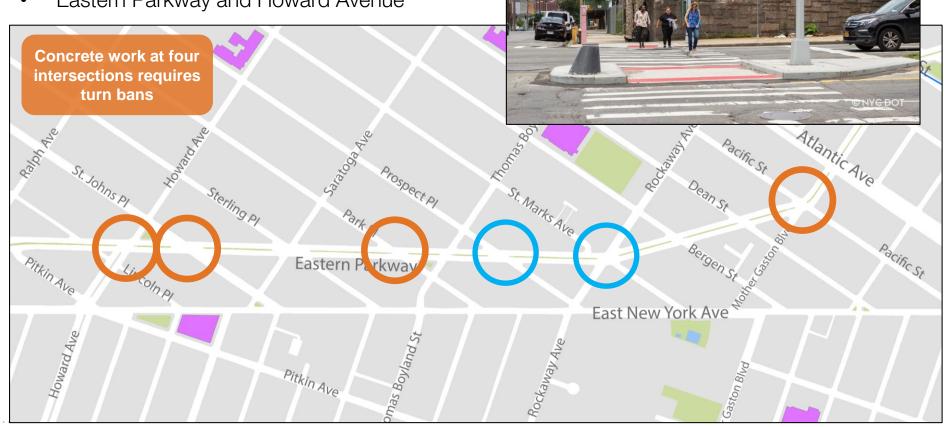
Proposed: Grand Concourse at E 144th St, BX

Eastern Parkway and Pacific Street

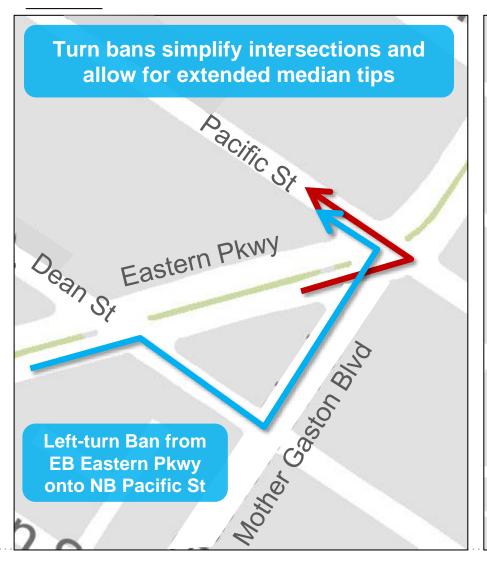
Eastern Parkway and Park Place

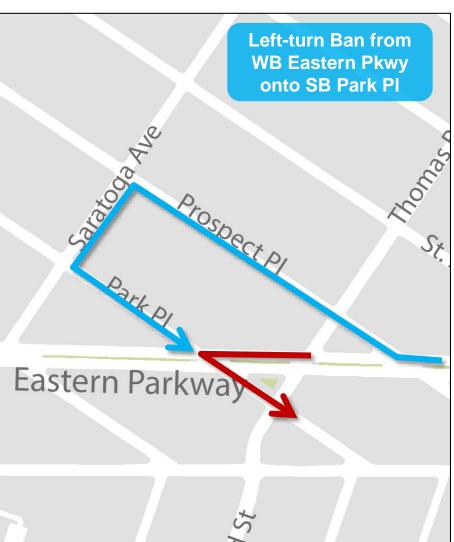
Eastern Parkway and St. Johns Place

Eastern Parkway and Howard Avenue

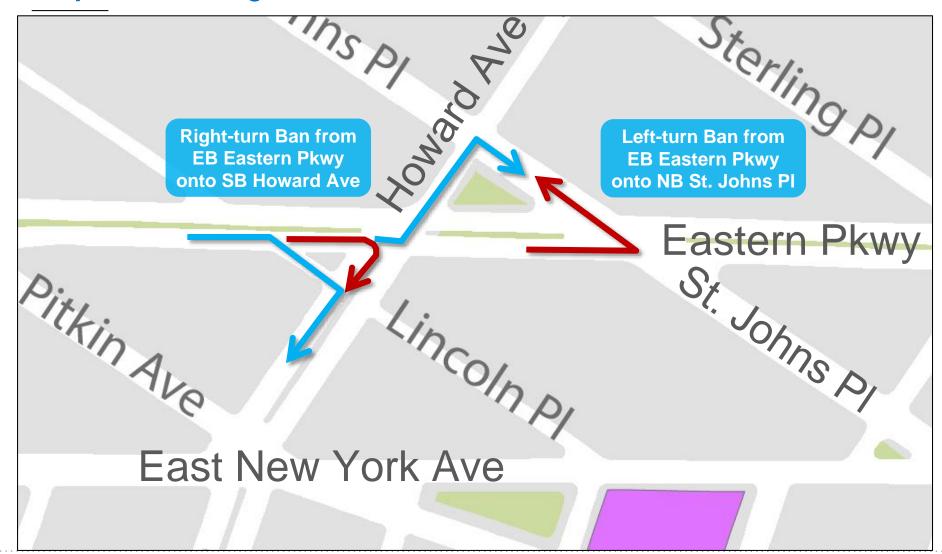


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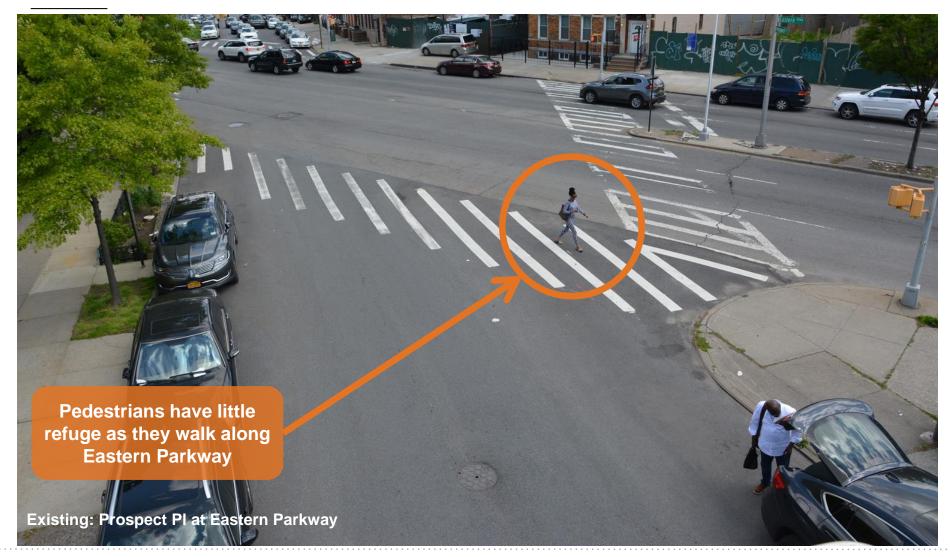




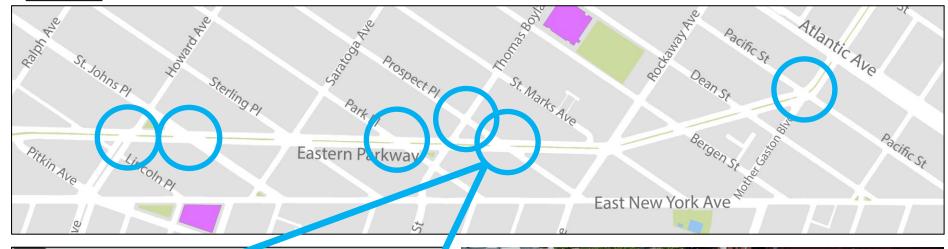
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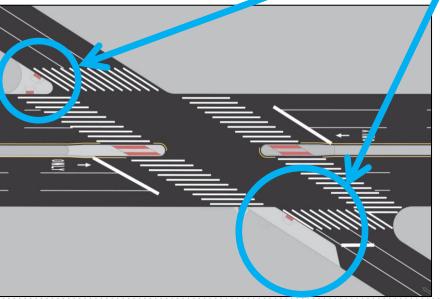


## **Existing: Skewed Intersections Create Long Crossing Distances**



### **Proposal: Concrete Curb Extensions to Shorten Crossing Distances**

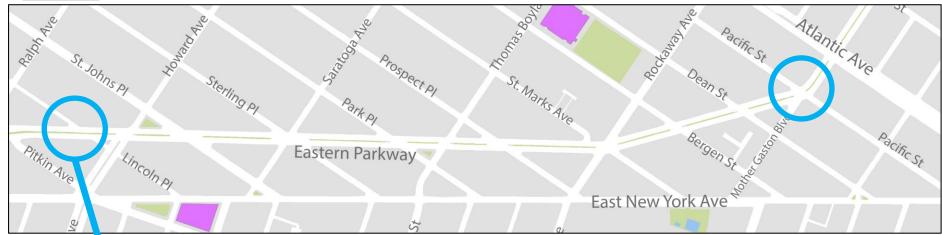


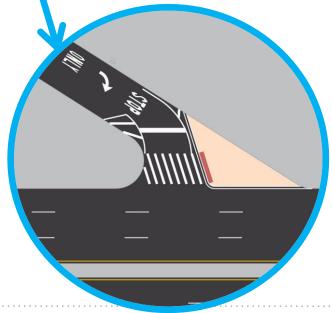




New concrete curb extensions improve pedestrian visibility and reduce pedestrian crossing distances

### **Proposal: Painted Curb Extensions to Shorten Crossing Distances**







New painted curb extensions improve pedestrian visibility and reduce pedestrian crossing distances

## **Thank You!**



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