



# PLEASANT AVE: E. 114<sup>TH</sup> ST TO E. 116<sup>TH</sup> ST

School Safety Improvements

Presentation to Community Board 11 May 1, 2018



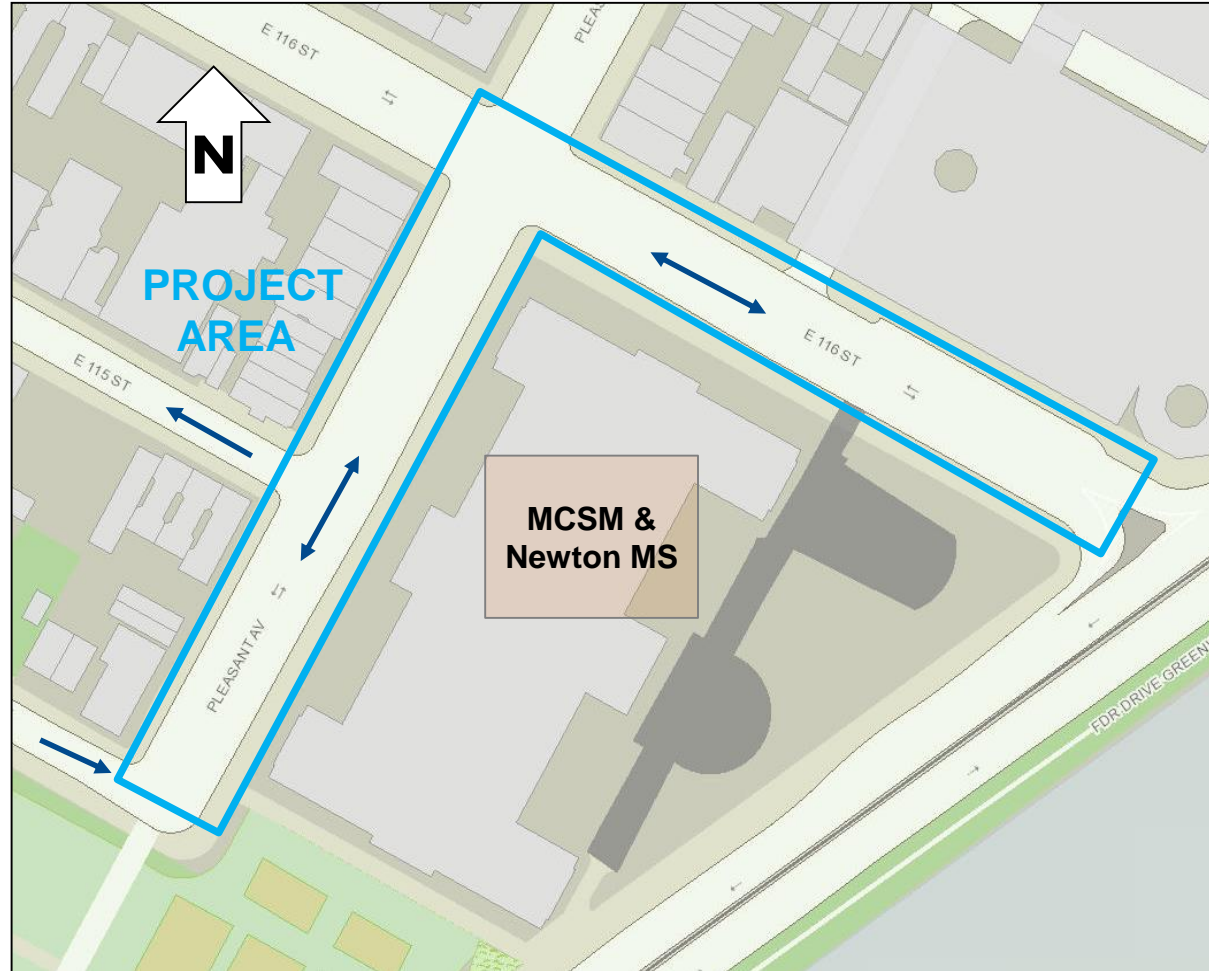
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# PROJECT BACKGROUND

# LOCATION

Pleasant Ave: E. 114 St to E.116 St

- Short, two block stretch
- Project area used by students accessing Manhattan Center for Science and Mathematics & Newton Middle School

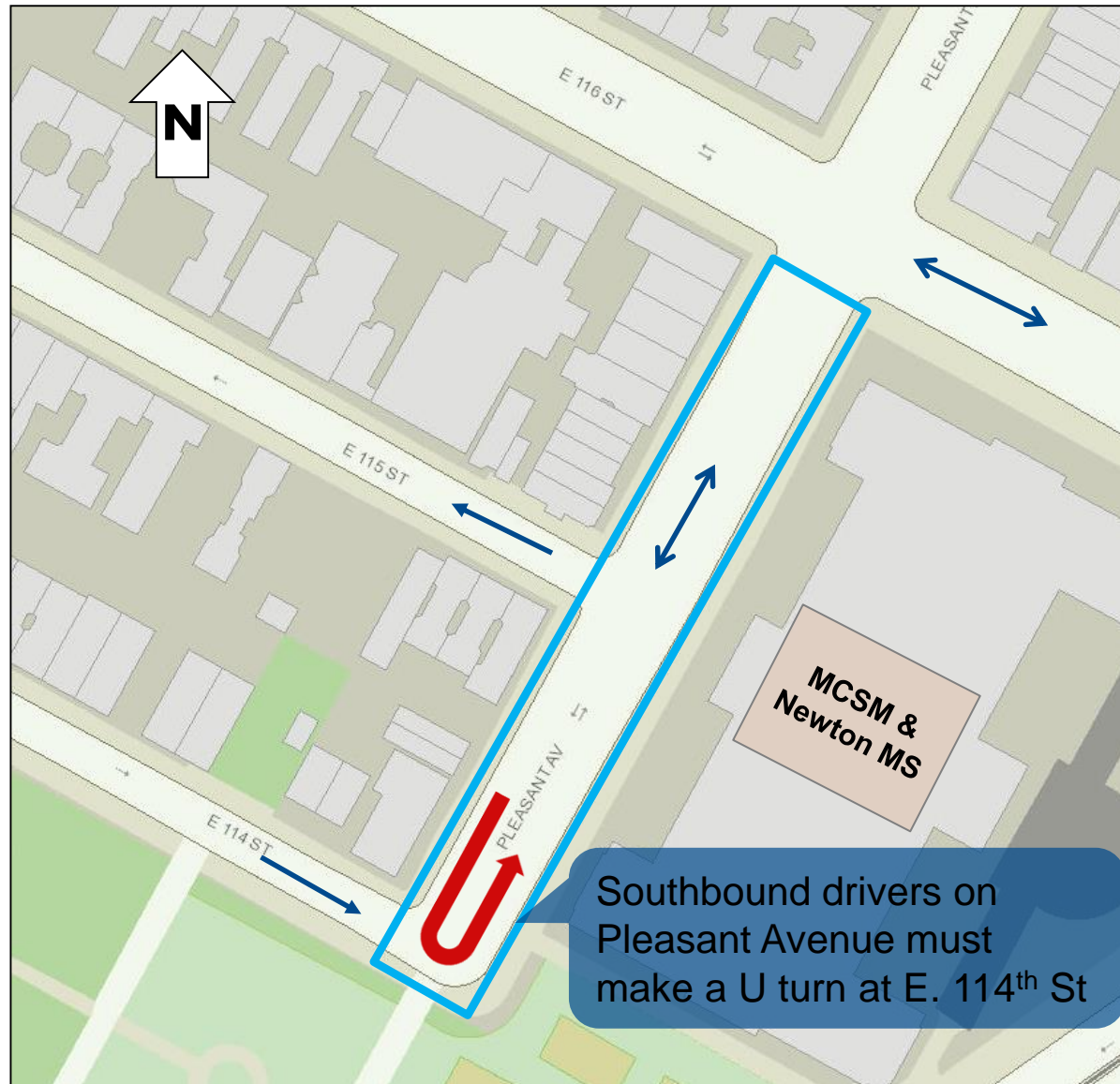




# EXISTING CONDITIONS

Pleasant Ave: E. 114 St to E.116 St

- Pleasant Ave runs 2 way to E. 114<sup>th</sup> St, requiring southbound drivers to make a U turn in front of school at E. 114<sup>th</sup> St



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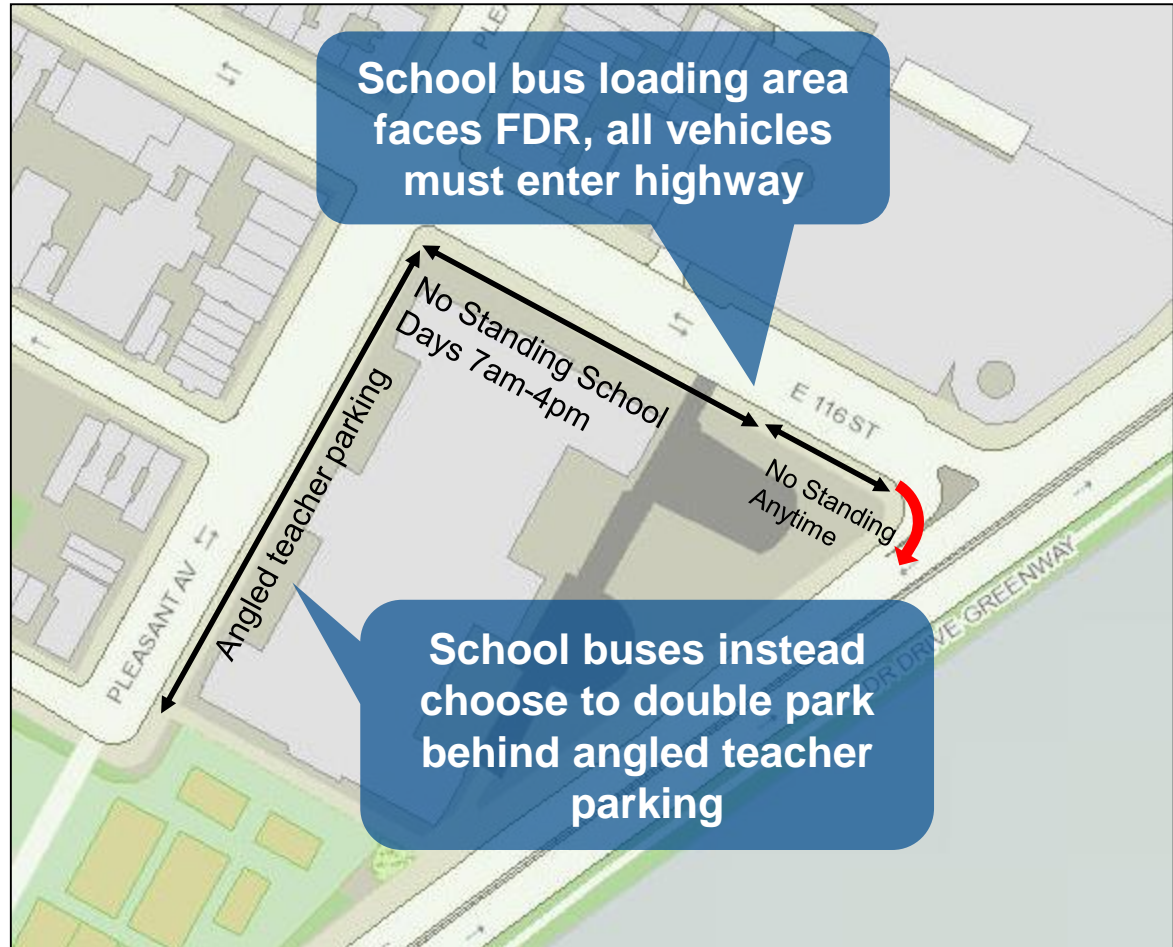
Southbound drivers on Pleasant Avenue must make a U turn at 114<sup>th</sup> St





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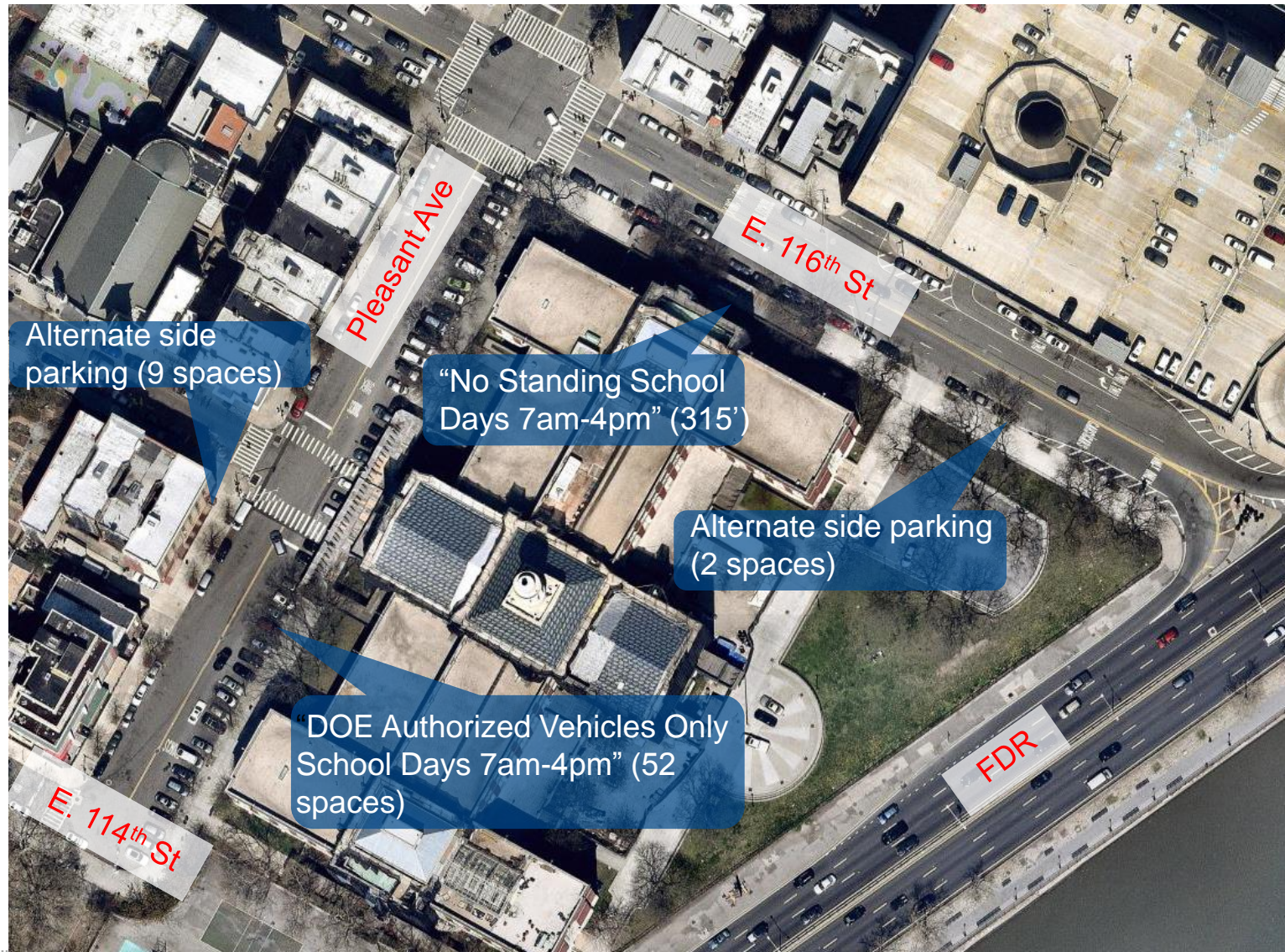
School loading and teacher parking regulations poorly sited





# EXISTING CONDITIONS

- 52 teacher parking spaces
- 315' of school loading regs in poorly situated location
- 11 alternate side spots

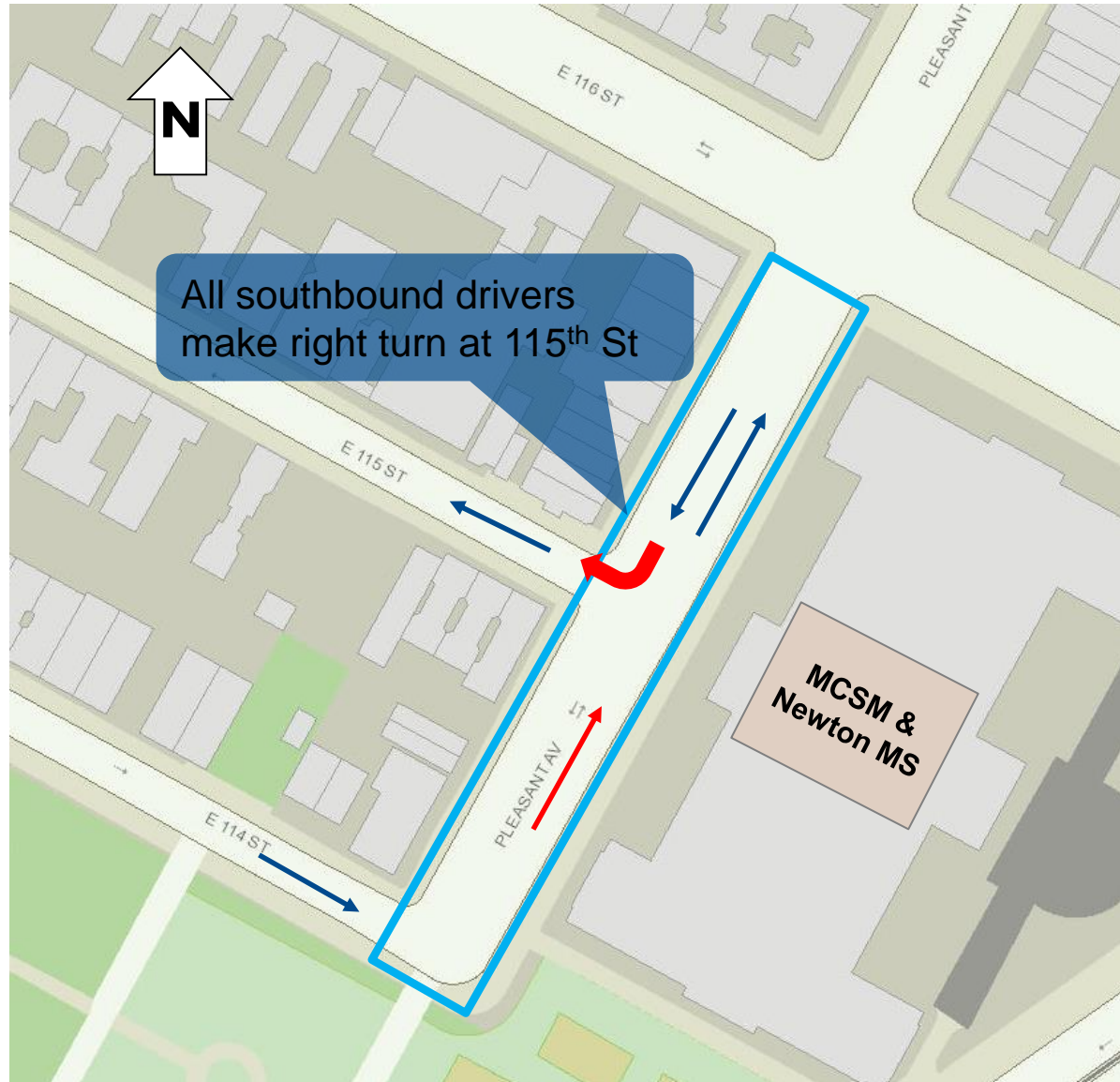




# PROPOSAL

Convert Pleasant Ave from E. 114<sup>th</sup> St to E. 115<sup>th</sup> St to one way northbound operation

- Eliminates U turn at southern end of Pleasant Ave

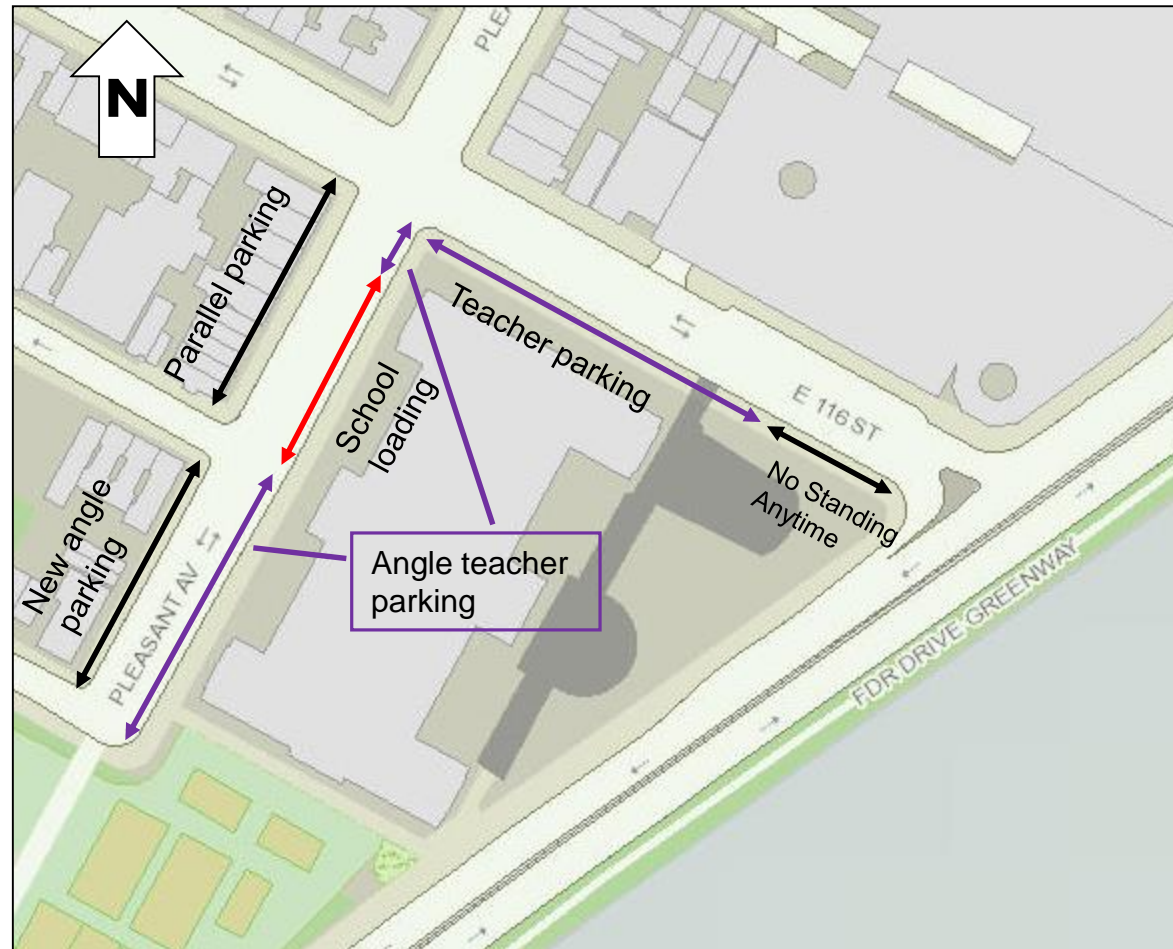




# PROPOSAL

Relocate school loading and teacher parking regulations to provide students clear access to the curb

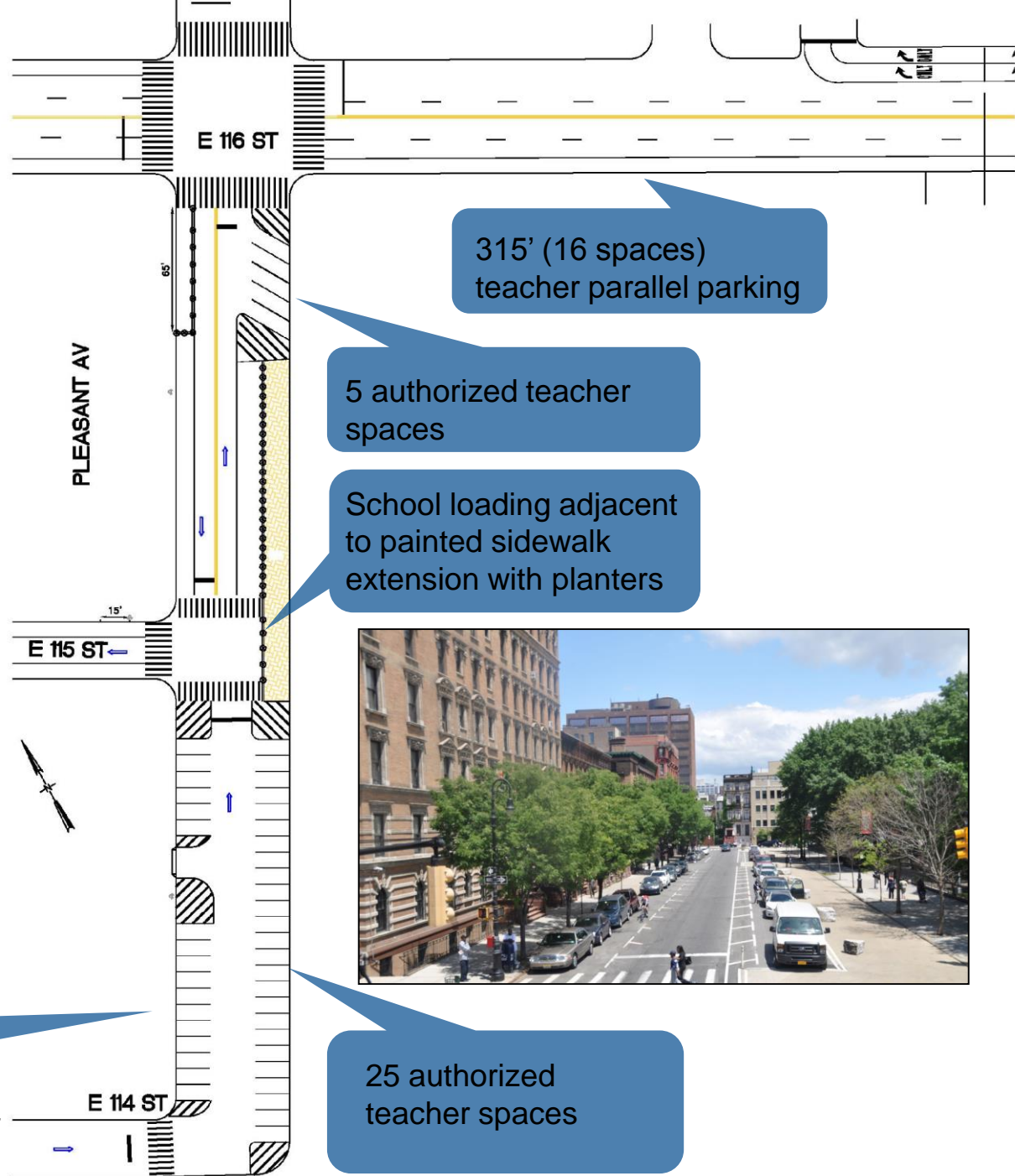
- Designates official school bus loading in location bus drivers currently use
- Allows students to directly access sidewalk from buses
- Adds new angle parking for community on west side of Pleasant Ave between 114<sup>th</sup> St and 115<sup>th</sup> St



# PROPOSAL

## Relocate school loading and teacher parking regulations

- Allow buses to pull to sidewalk extension
- - 6 teacher parking spaces
- + 6 alternate side spaces (primarily on west side of Pleasant Ave between E. 114 - E. 115<sup>th</sup> St)





# SUMMARY OF PROPOSALS

## Pleasant Ave: E. 114 St to E.116 St

- Convert Pleasant Avenue between E. 114<sup>th</sup> Street and E. 115<sup>th</sup> St Street to one-way northbound operation
- Relocate school loading regulations from E. 116<sup>th</sup> St. to Pleasant Ave, and provide parallel parking so that students can walk directly from bus to pedestrian space without weaving between parked vehicles
- Install large painted sidewalk extension with planters on Pleasant Avenue in front of school building to provide additional pedestrian space
- Relocate a portion of teacher parking from Pleasant Ave. to E. 116<sup>th</sup> St
- Install angled parking on west side of Pleasant Ave between E. 114<sup>th</sup> St and E. 115<sup>th</sup> St



# THANK YOU!

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## Questions?



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