



# SOUTHERN BLVD / CROTONA PKWY & E 179<sup>TH</sup> ST

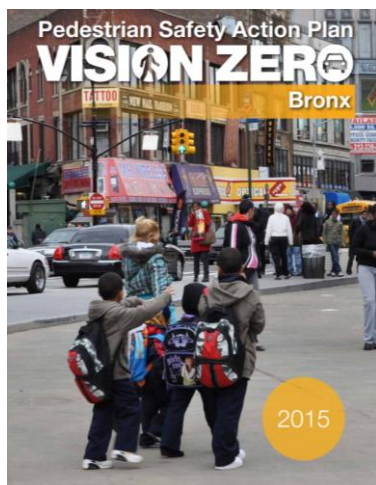
Community Board 6

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# PROJECT LOCATION

- Vision Zero Priority Intersection
- 2 severe injuries (2012-2016)
- Multi-leg intersection with long crossing distances
- PS 67 Mohegan School
- Bx19 on Southern Blvd



E 179th St - Marmion Ave to Mohegan Ave, BX  
Injury Summary, 2012-2016 (5 Years)

	Total Injuries	Severe Injuries	Fatalities	KSI
Pedestrian	3	2	0	2
Bicyclist	3	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Occupant	9	1	0	1
Total	15	3	0	3

Fatalities, 01/01/2012-1/29/2018 : None

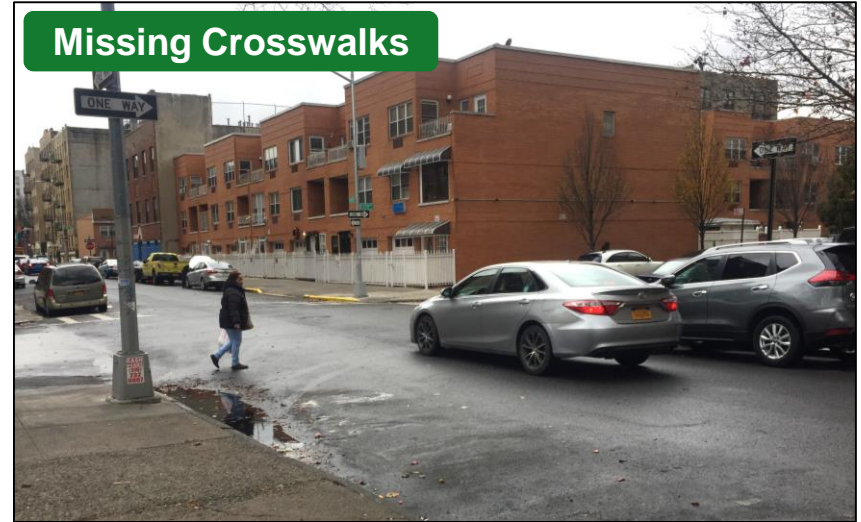
Source: Fatalities: NYCDOT  
Injuries: NYSDOT  
KSI: Persons Killed or  
Severely Injured

# EXISTING CONDITIONS & ISSUES

Long Crossing Distances



Missing Crosswalks



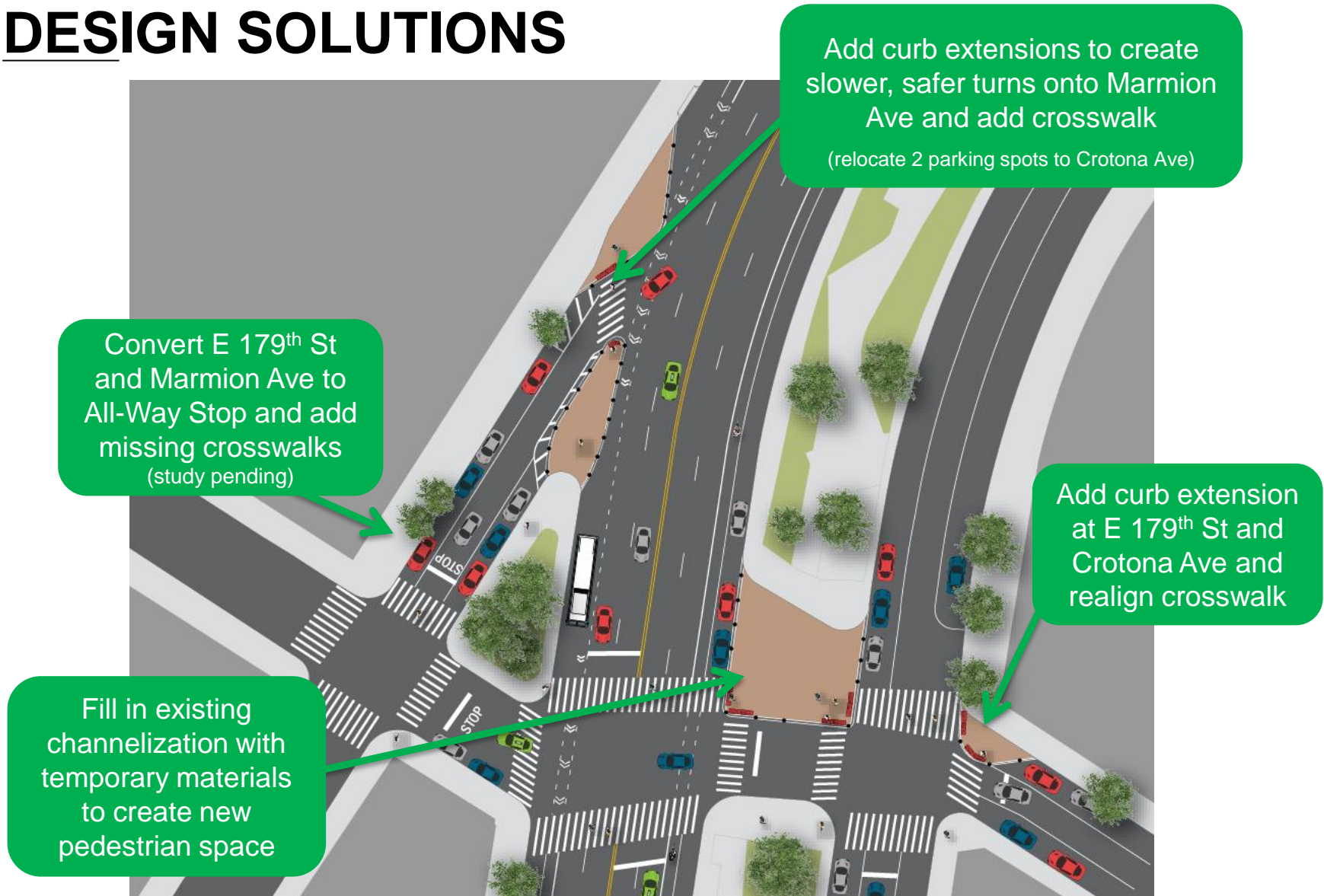
Pedestrian Desire Lines



Ambiguous Pedestrian Space



# PROPOSAL / DESIGN SOLUTIONS

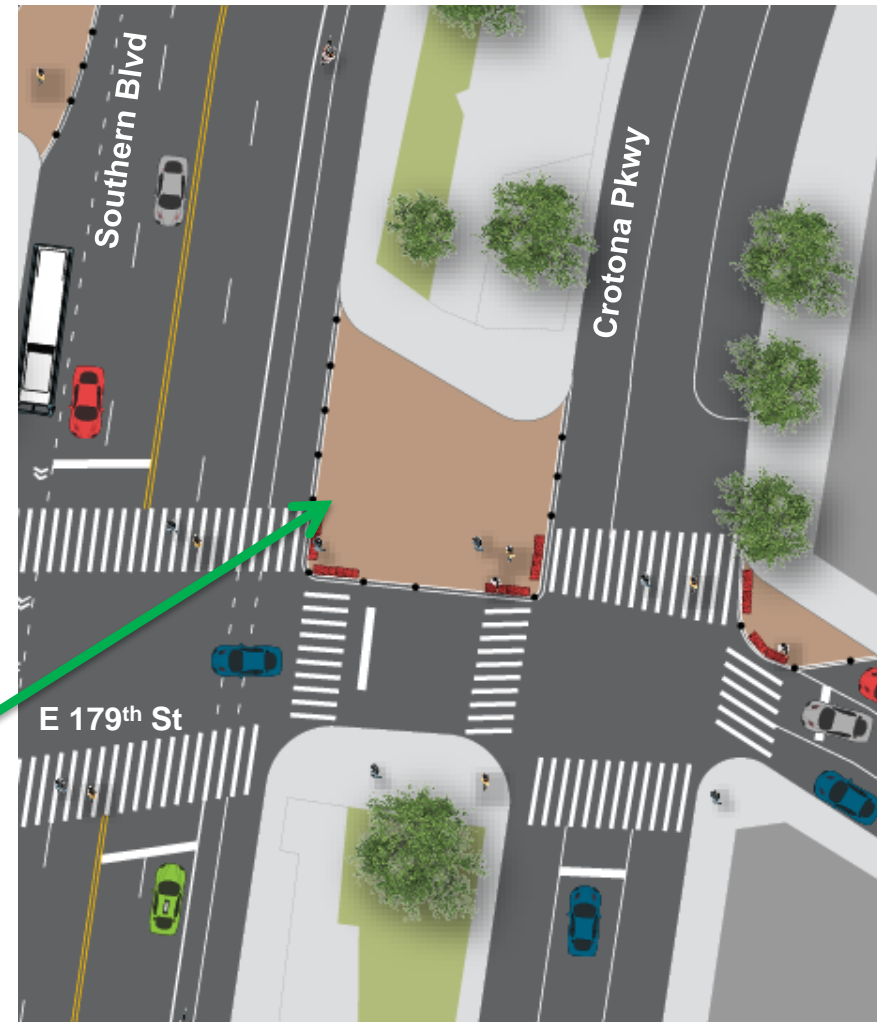


# FUTURE PARKS DEPT. PROJECT

- Future Parks Dept. project will build out of temporary materials on Crotona Mall area at E 179<sup>th</sup> St
- Includes rainwater capture, benches, public space



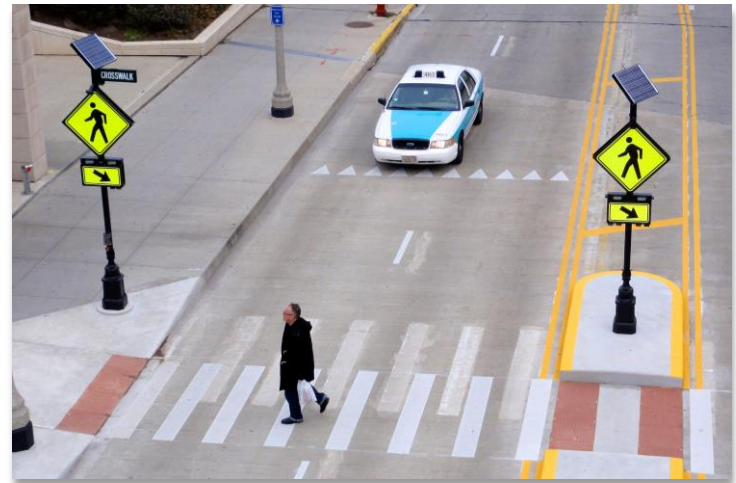
Example: Crotona Malls between E Tremont Ave and E 178<sup>th</sup> St



# E 179<sup>TH</sup> ST & MOHEGAN AVE

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- Mohegan Ave and E 179<sup>th</sup> St identified as location for new NYC Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB) pilot program
- Supplemental warning sign at uncontrolled crosswalks that feature flashing, high-intensity LEDs, alert motorists that pedestrians are using the crosswalk
- Widely used in other U.S. cities, shown to increase driver yielding to pedestrians



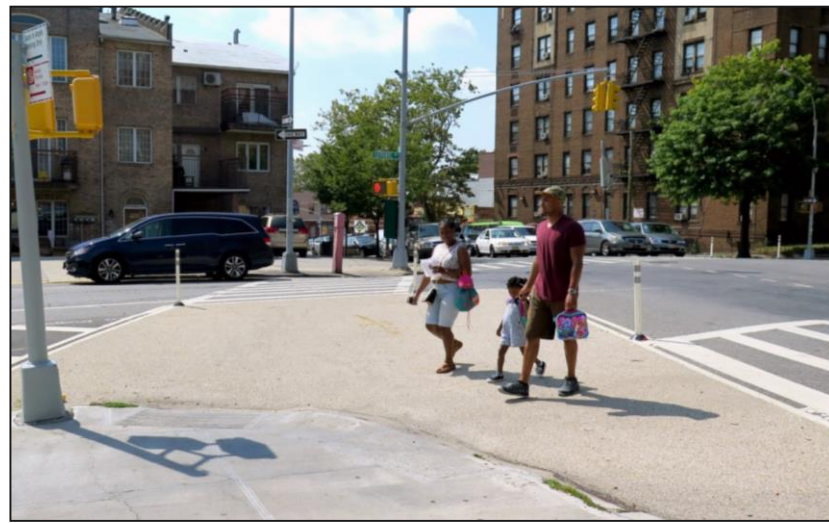
# BENEFITS OF PROPOSAL

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- Painted curb extension define space and make it safer for pedestrians
- Safer, shorter pedestrian crossings
- Discourages speeding and encourages slower, safer vehicle turns
- Expands benefits of future Parks Dept. project, creating a sustainable and safer public space



Existing Conditions: E 179<sup>th</sup> St and Southern Blvd



Proposed Conditions: painted pedestrian space

# THANK YOU!

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## Questions?



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