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Project Fact Sheet: Sidewalk Beautification at ARCH

Background

At the request of the Austin Public Health Department (APH), the Austin Public Works Department (PWD) is managing a project to enhance the existing right-of-way area outside of the ARCH facility, located at 500 E 7th St, Austin, TX 78701. This project will be performed by one the City's existing sidewalk contractors.

Project Summary

This project includes the reconfiguration of part of the existing sidewalk at the following locations:

- Northern portion of 7th St. from Neches St. halfway down block toward Red River
- Eastern portion of Neches St. from 7th St. halfway down block toward 8th St.

Portions of both sidewalk sections will be replaced with crushed granite. At least six feet of existing sidewalk will remain along each portion to ensure mobility access in this area. The reconfigured areas that received crushed granite will also feature minor landscaping features. No existing trees will be removed.

Cost and Funding

This project will cost approximately \$54,000 and is funded by Austin Public Health.

Construction Timeline and Impacts

The City's construction contractor will begin work on Monday, Sept. 16. Work hours will be Monday – Friday 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The project will last approximately two weeks, pending weather delays and other unforeseen circumstances. Temporary lane closures are anticipated within the project area while work is being performed.

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