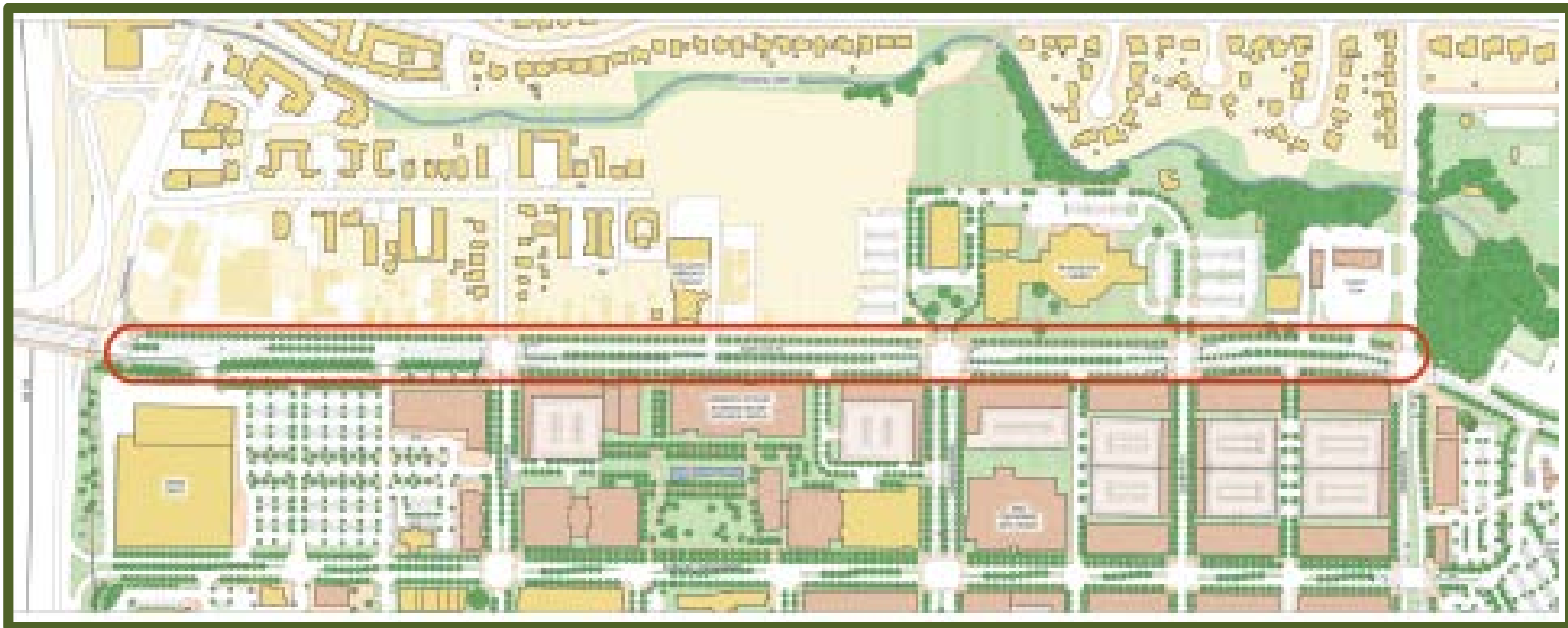


EAST 51ST STREET IMPROVEMENTS

A 2012 Mobility and Transportation Bond Project

Mueller Neighborhood Association Update
Saturday, January 21, 2017



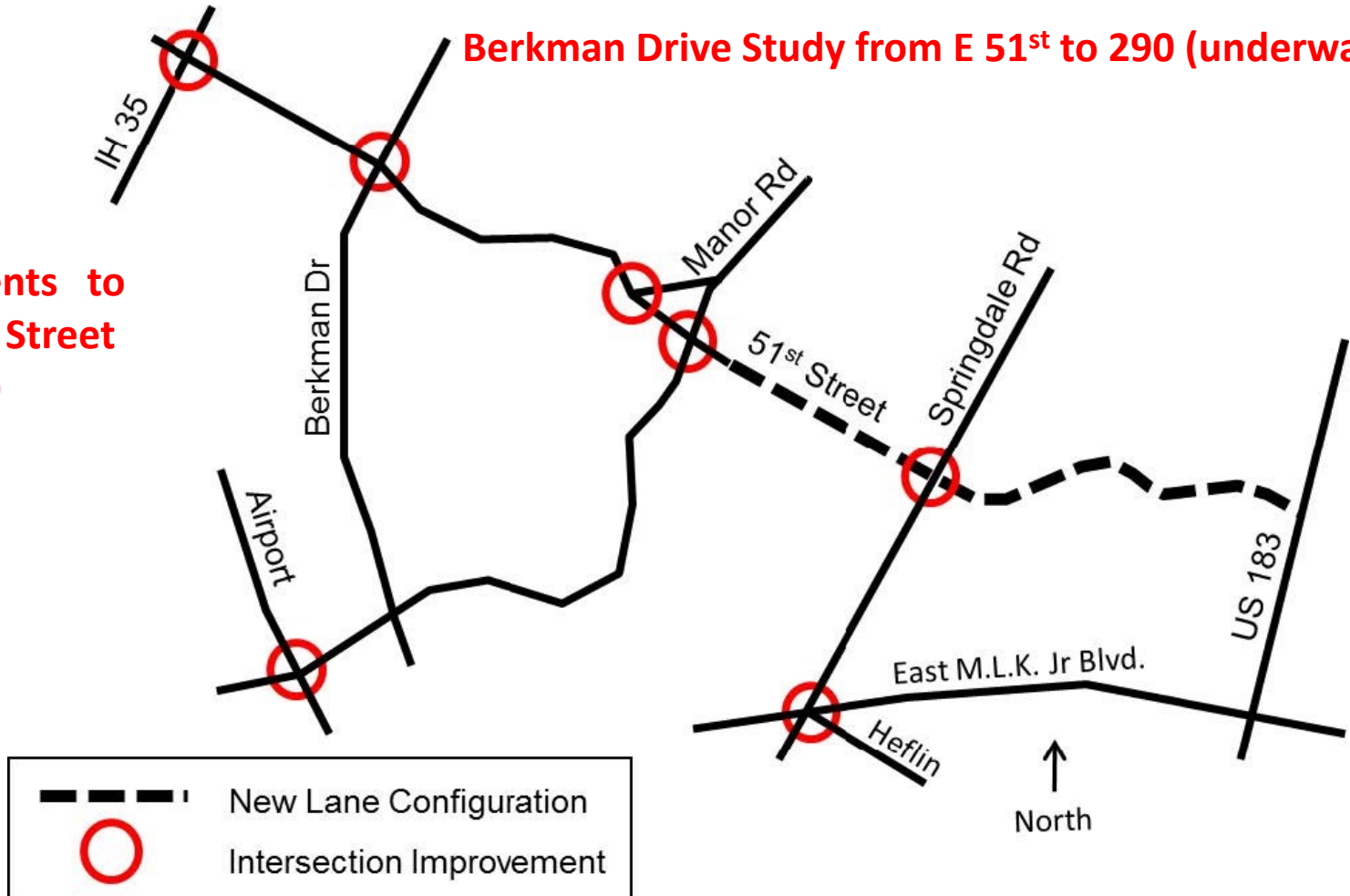
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Adjacent East 51st St. Corridor Projects

E. 51st Street Safety and Mobility Improvements (completed)

Berkman Drive Study from E 51st to 290 (underway)

**Mobility 35
Improvements to
I-35 at 51st Street
(underway)**



East 51st Street Vision Plan

April 2012

EAST 51ST STREET VISION PLAN



- Promote coordinated redevelopment for both sides of the corridor
- Support from Working Group and various community stakeholders
- Plan endorsed by Council on April 26, 2012
- Added to the 2012 Bond Program as a Community-Based Project

EAST 51ST STREET VISION STATEMENT

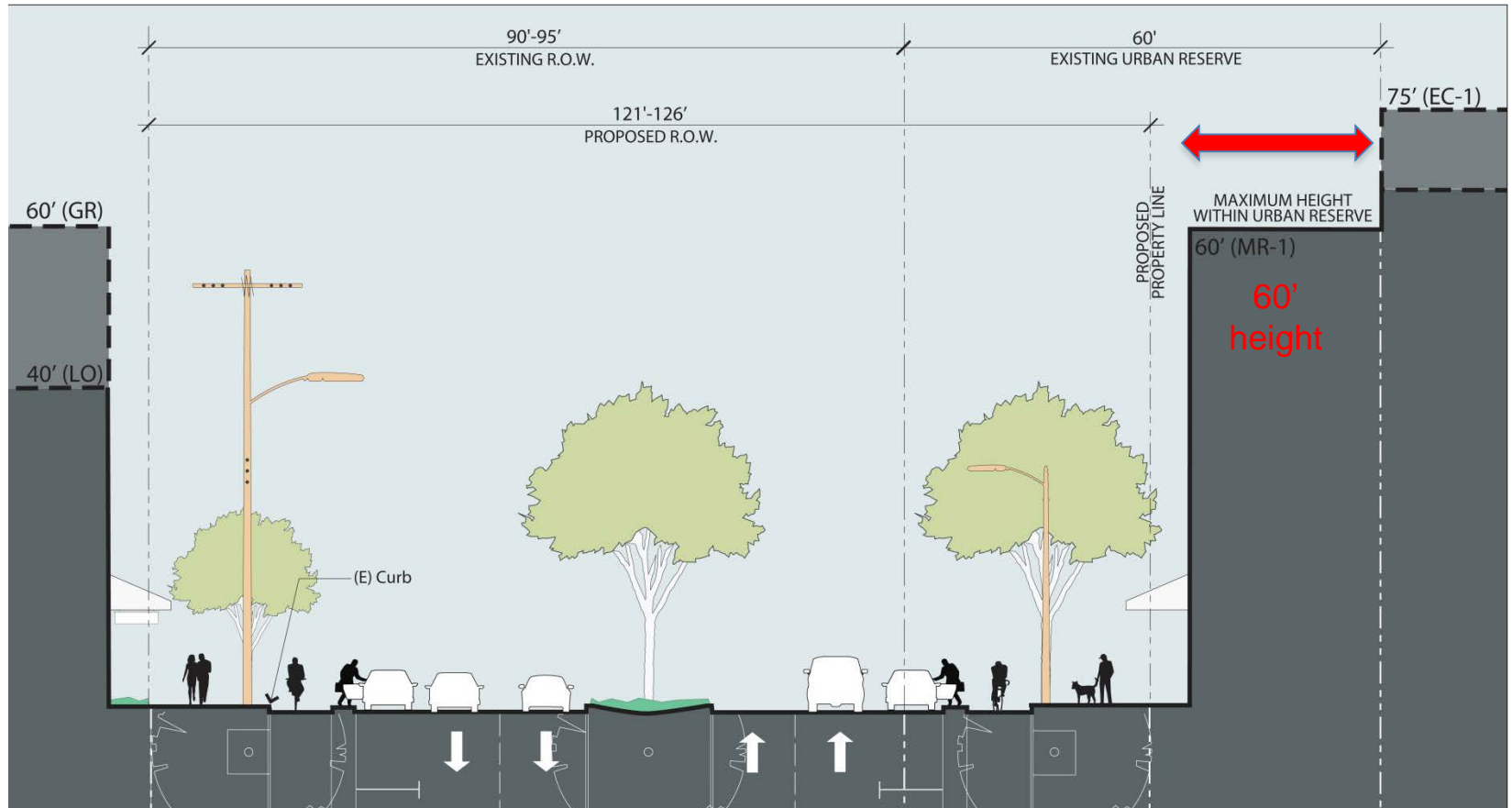
51st Street is a multi-modal urban street that accommodates safe pedestrian and bicycle movement as well as calm vehicular traffic.

51st Street is lined with buildings that promote a safe, interesting and lively pedestrian environment, with strong linkages and an appropriate scale transition to the Windsor Park neighborhood.



E 51st St. Vision Plan Recommendations

Berkman Drive to Lancaster Drive
LOOKING EASTWARD



Buildings within the existing urban reserve should be no higher than 60 feet.

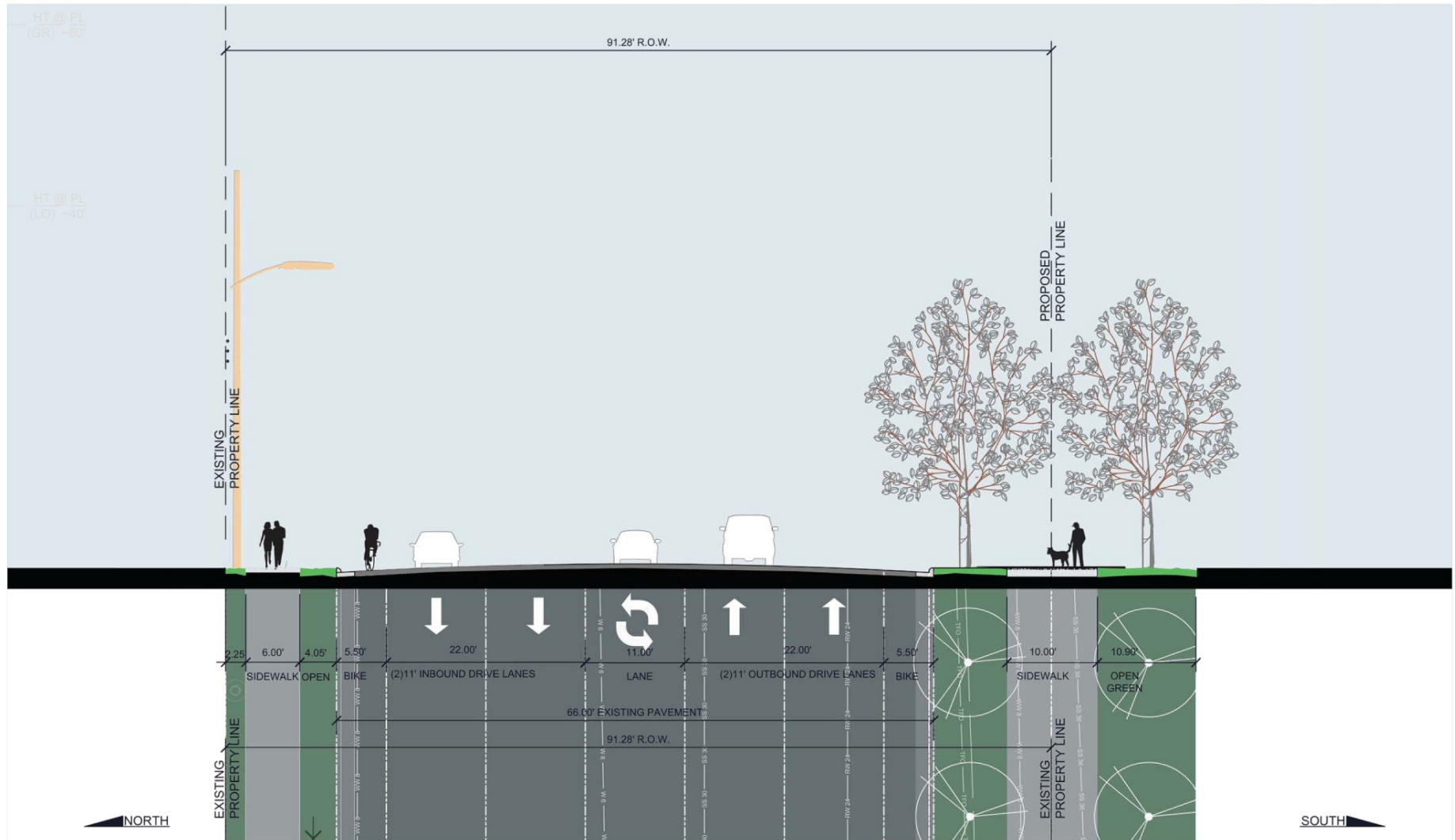
East 51st Street

Preliminary Engineering Report

Cameron Road to Berkman Drive

July 2015

Typical Existing E. 51st St. Cross-Section



Proposed: West of Lancaster Typical Section



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Operational Improvements

- Improved multi-modal access
- Reduced queue lengths
- Reduced left turn conflicts
- Improved speed control
- Improved bicycle facilities
- Complete pedestrian connectivity
- Improved transit access

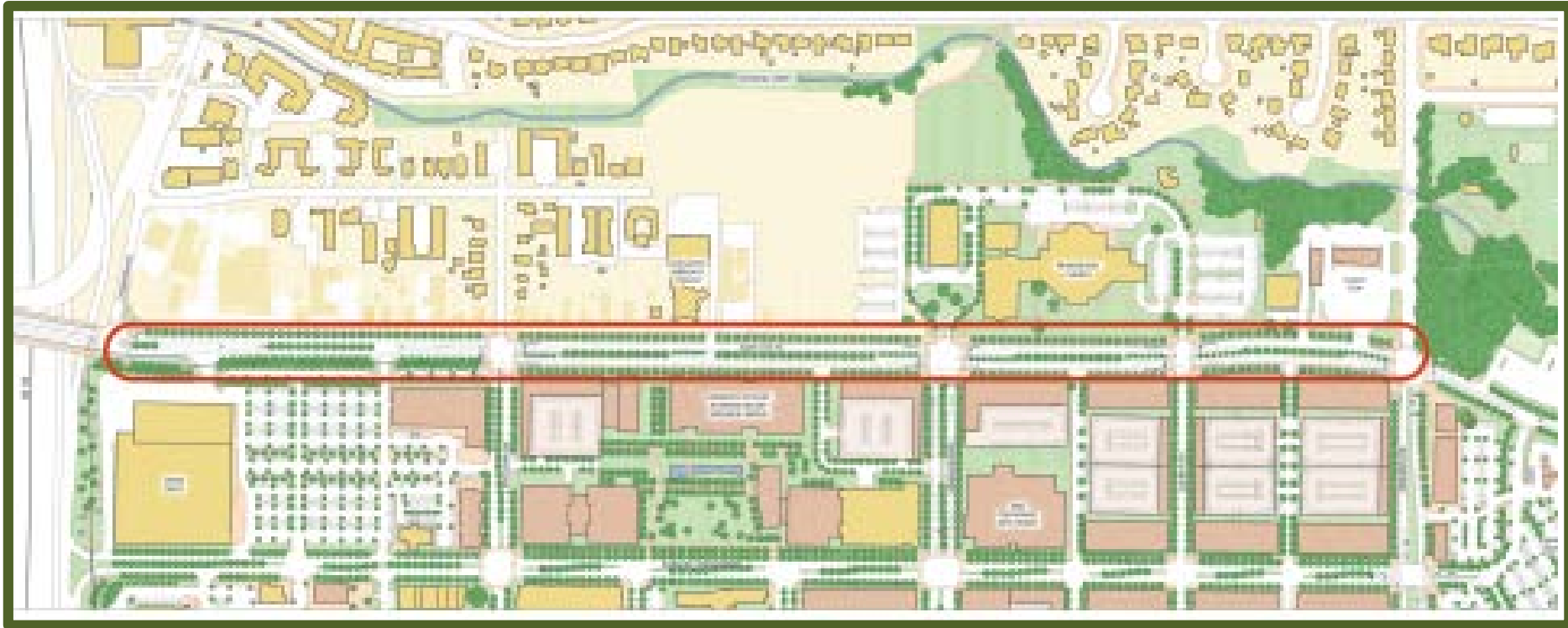


E 51st Street Improvement Project

Process and Next Steps

Winter 2017	Anticipated Design Phase [10-12 month duration]
Spring / Summer 2017	Update project budget and identify additional sources of funding for construction
Fall / Winter 2017	Bid/Construction Phase
Winter / Spring 2018	Project construction commences [12 + month duration]

EAST 51ST STREET IMPROVEMENTS



<http://austintexas.gov/departments/e-51st-street-mobility-project>

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Questions?

E 51st St Plan, IH-35 to Lancaster (west section)



Preliminary
Design, not final

E 51st St Plan, with Mueller Blvd (center section)



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E 51st St Plan, with Berkman Dr (east section)



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