



Clifton Boulevard / Lake Road Enhancements

Public Meeting - Presentation

October 12th, 6:30 PM, Horace Mann Elementary





01 Introduction



PRIORITY PROJECTS

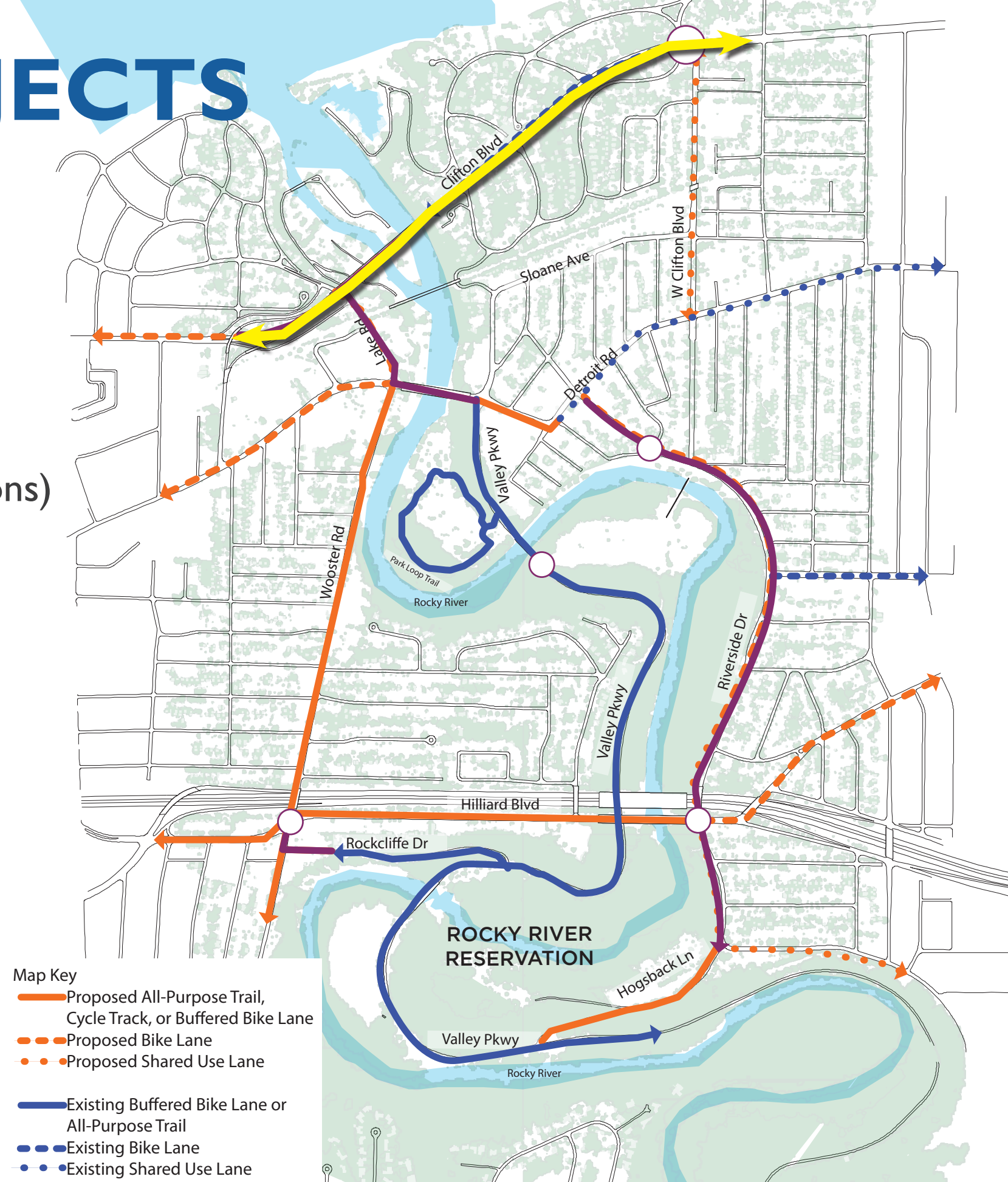
Community Confluence

Corridors & Segments:

- Clifton Boulevard & Lake Road
- Riverside Drive
- Detroit Road Bridge (See Urban Design Interventions)

Intersections:

- Clifton Boulevard & Lake Road
- Riverside Drive & Graber Drive
- Wooster Road, Hilliard Boulevard, & Rockcliff
- Valley Parkway Trail Crossing (See Urban Design Interventions)
- Hilliard Boulevard & Riverside Drive



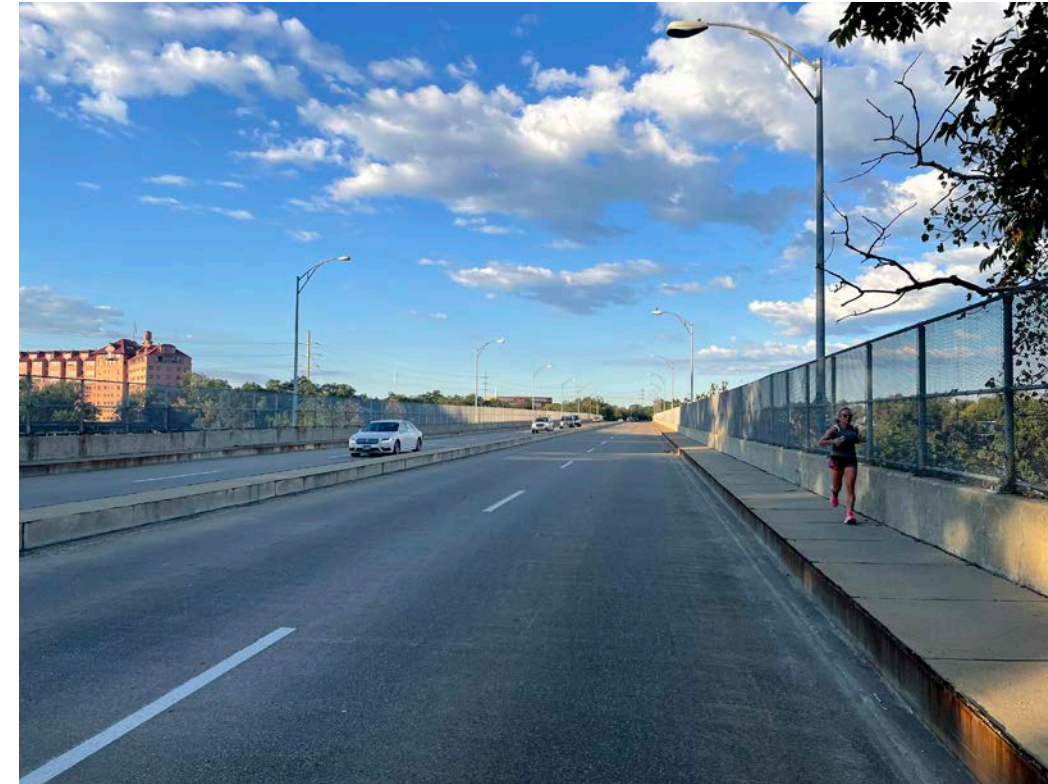
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PROJECT AREA



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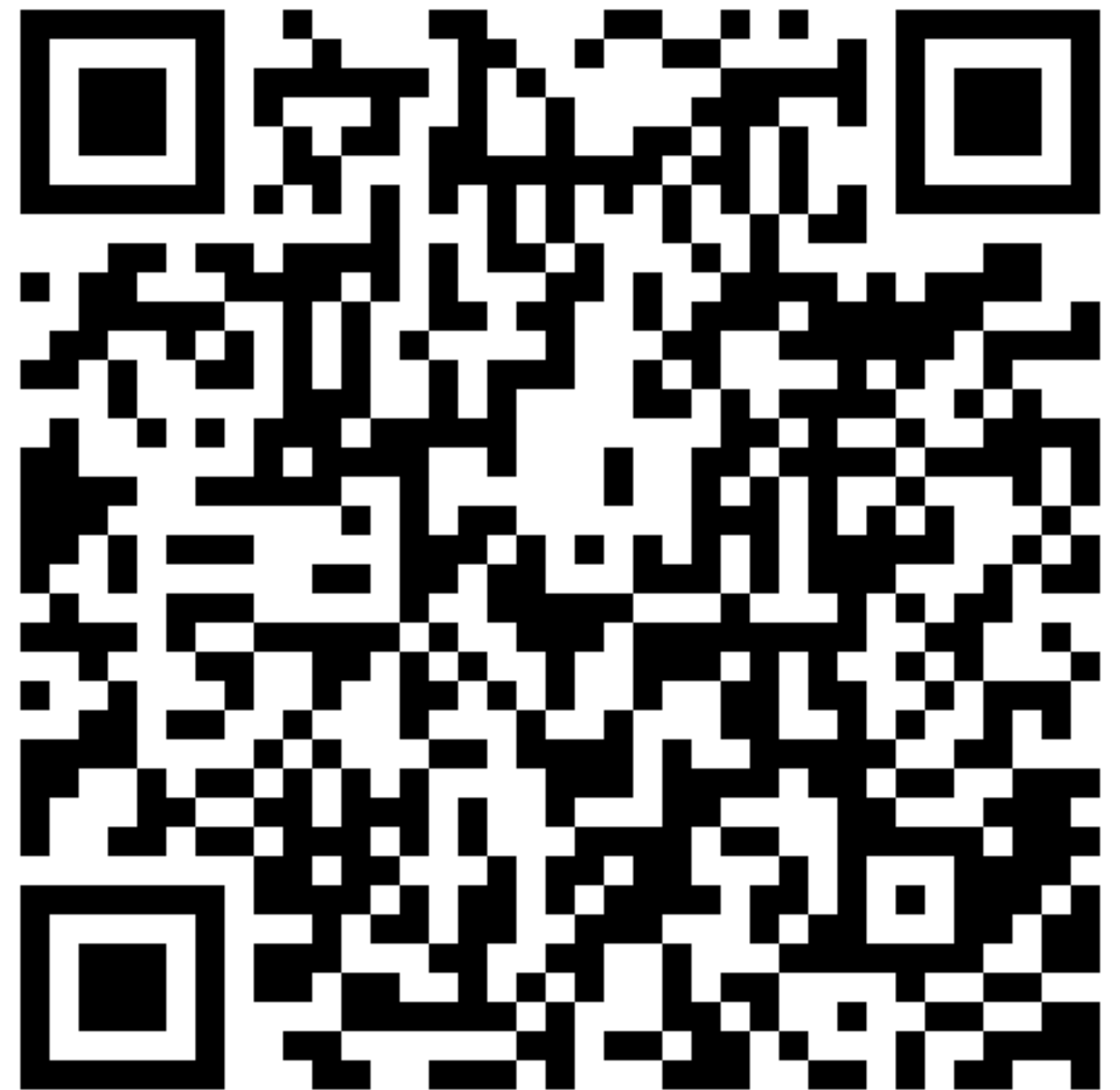
EXISTING CONDITIONS





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01 LOCATION





WHAT MAKES THIS AREA UNIQUE?



HISTORY

1866 - A group of developers turn the area of Clifton Park into a summer resort, with beaches, boating, picnic areas, a dance hall, and beer gardens.

1895 - Clifton Park Association turns the resort into a residential neighborhood, hiring landscape architect Ernest W. Bowditch to design the park.

1899 - Businessman John G. Jennings builds his home in Clifton Park, which is the oldest home still standing today.

1903 - Clifton Club opens as a gathering center.

1942 - Original Clifton Club burns down.

1950 - Clifton Club is replaced with a new building that is still there today.

1960 - Clifton Park is divided by the extension of Clifton Boulevard to create a new bridge over Rocky River.

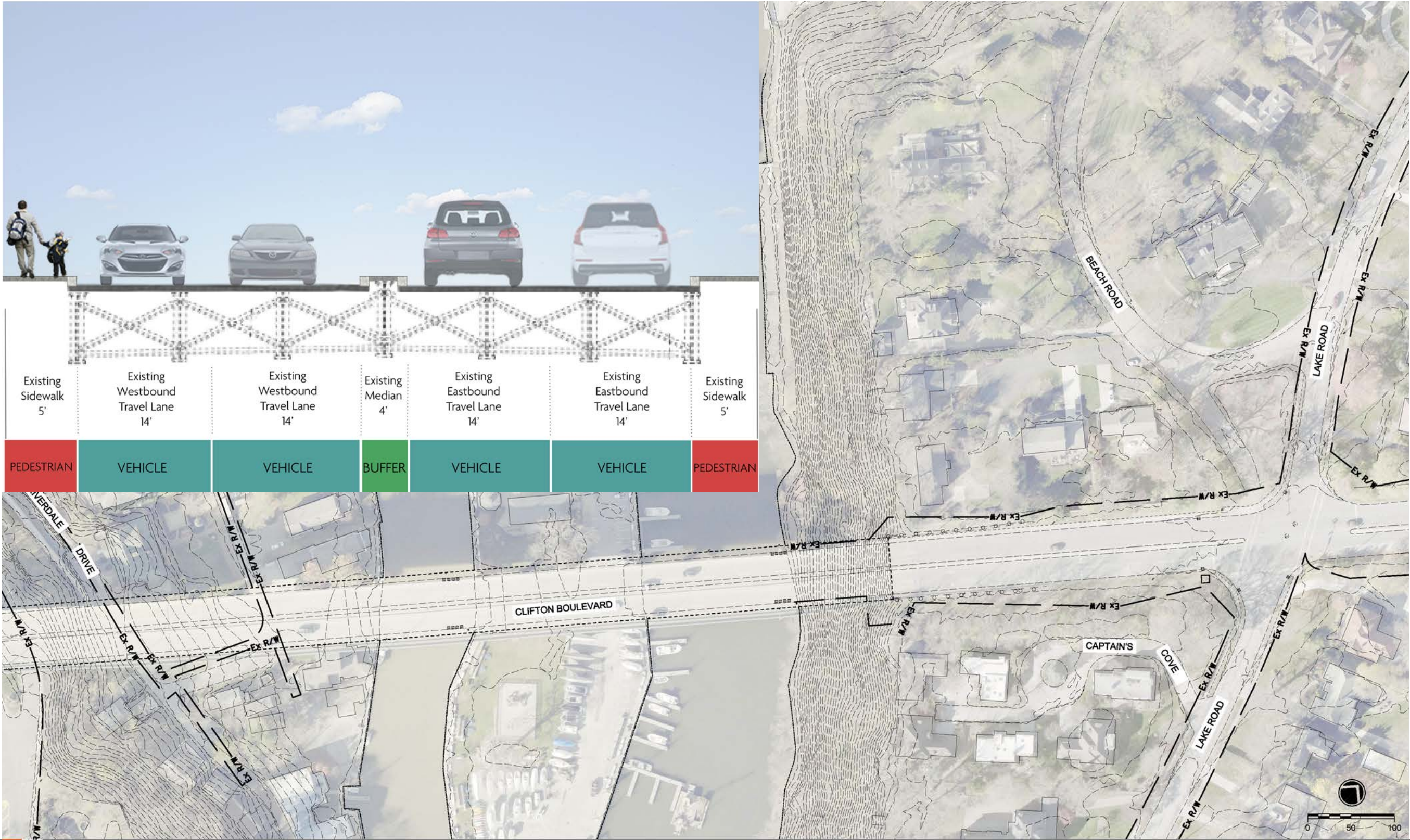
1948 Image courtesy of Michael Schwartz Library at Cleveland State University.
Historic timeline gathered from <https://clevelandhistorical.org/items/show/374>.

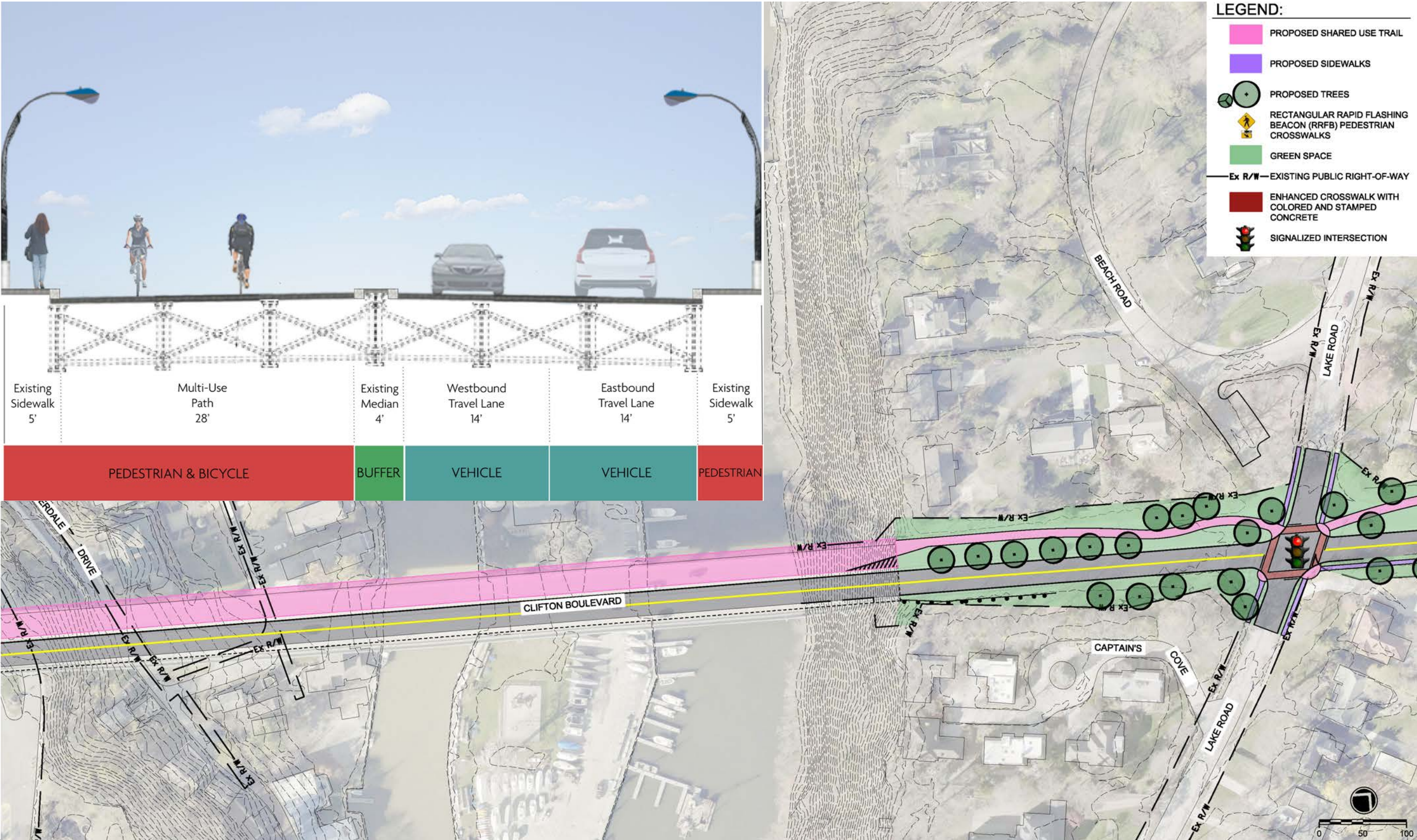


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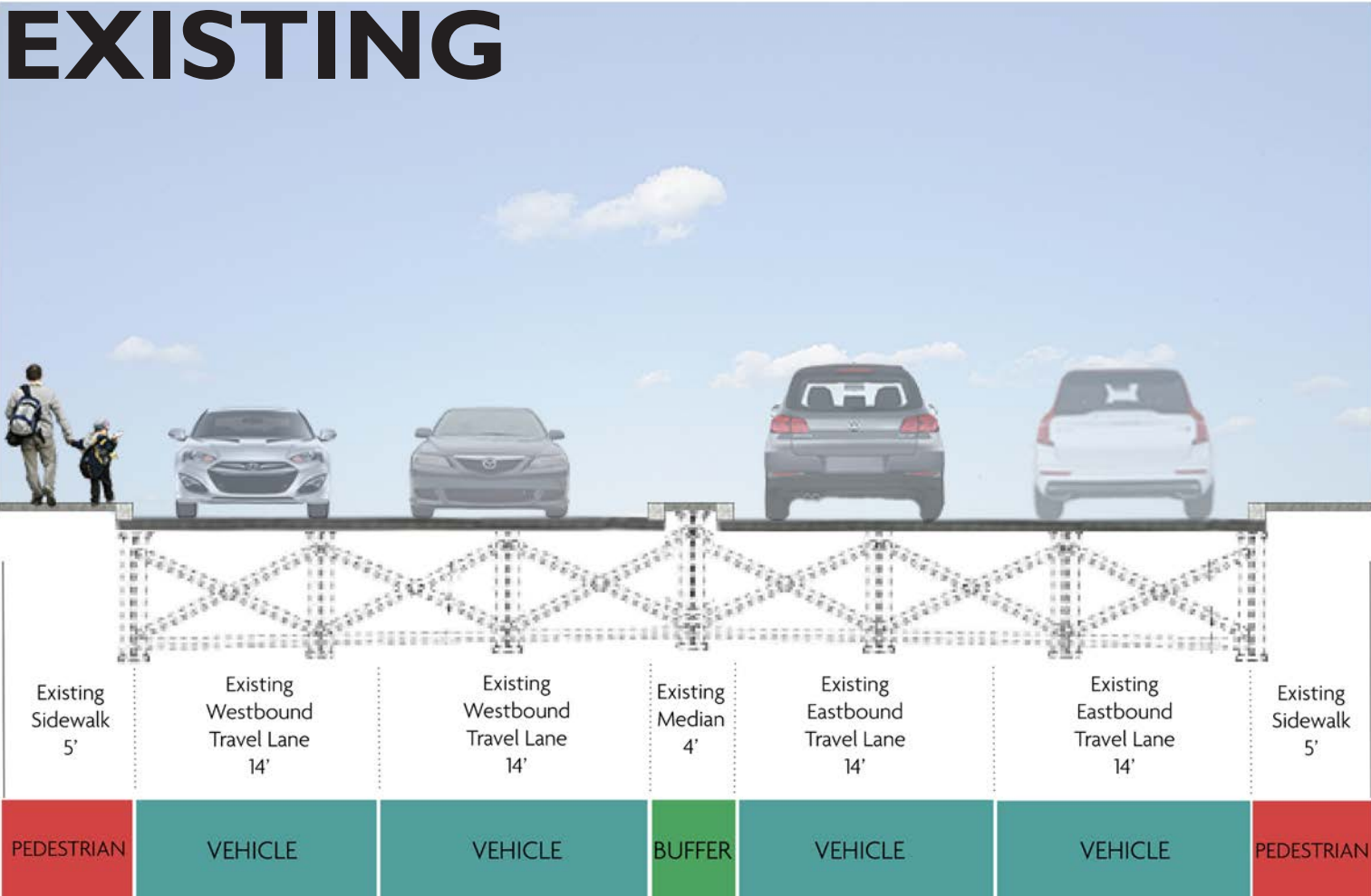


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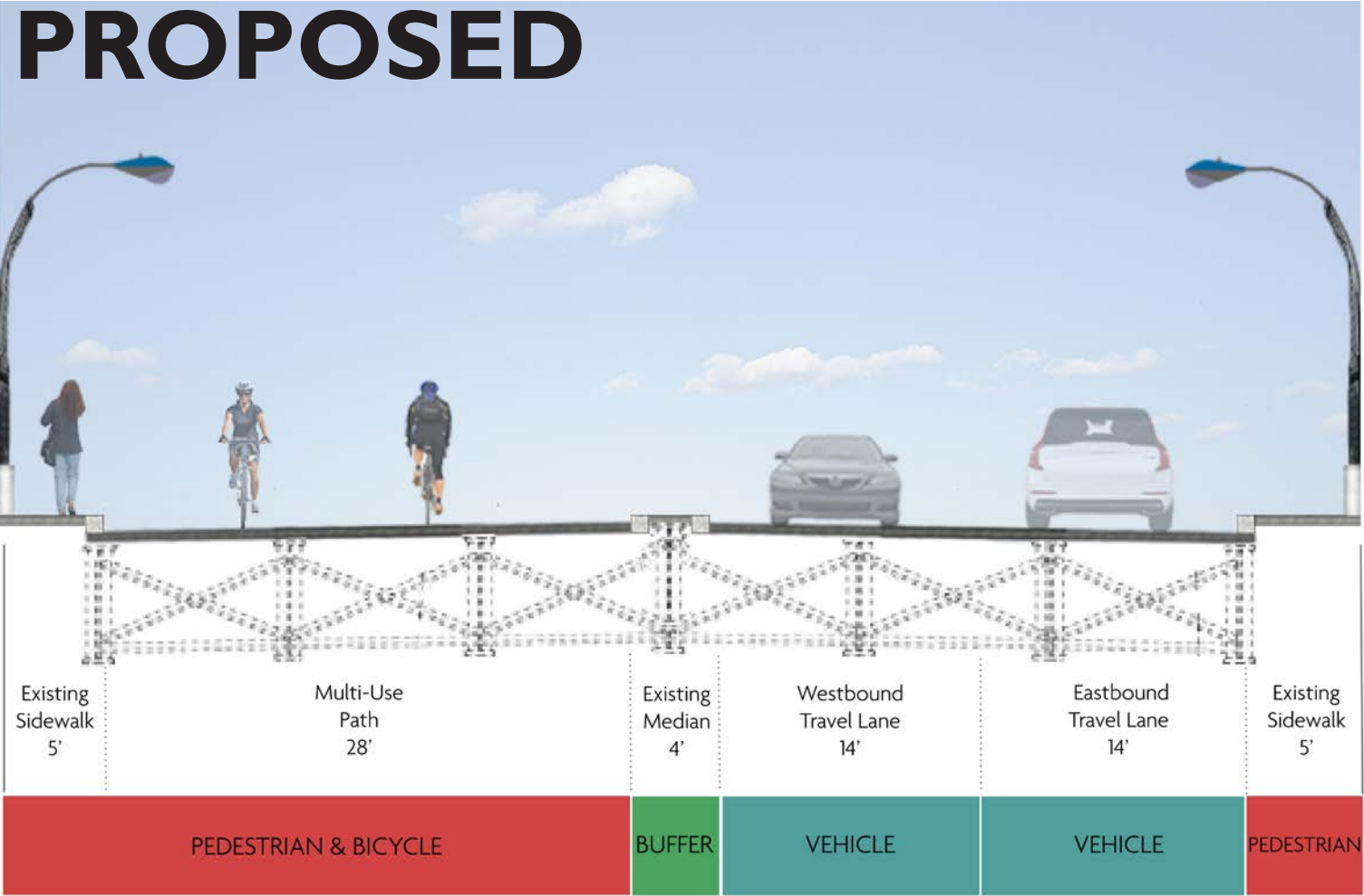
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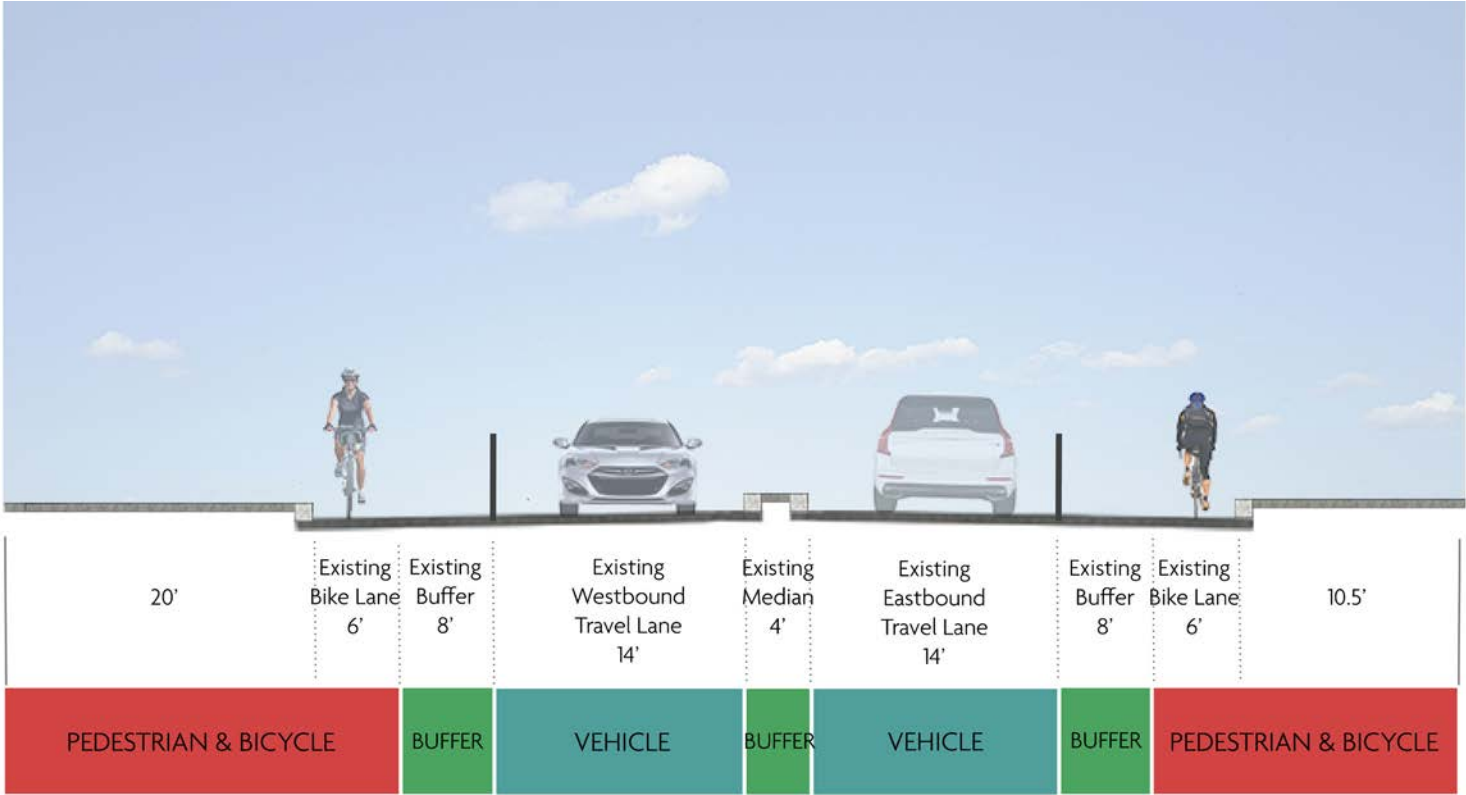
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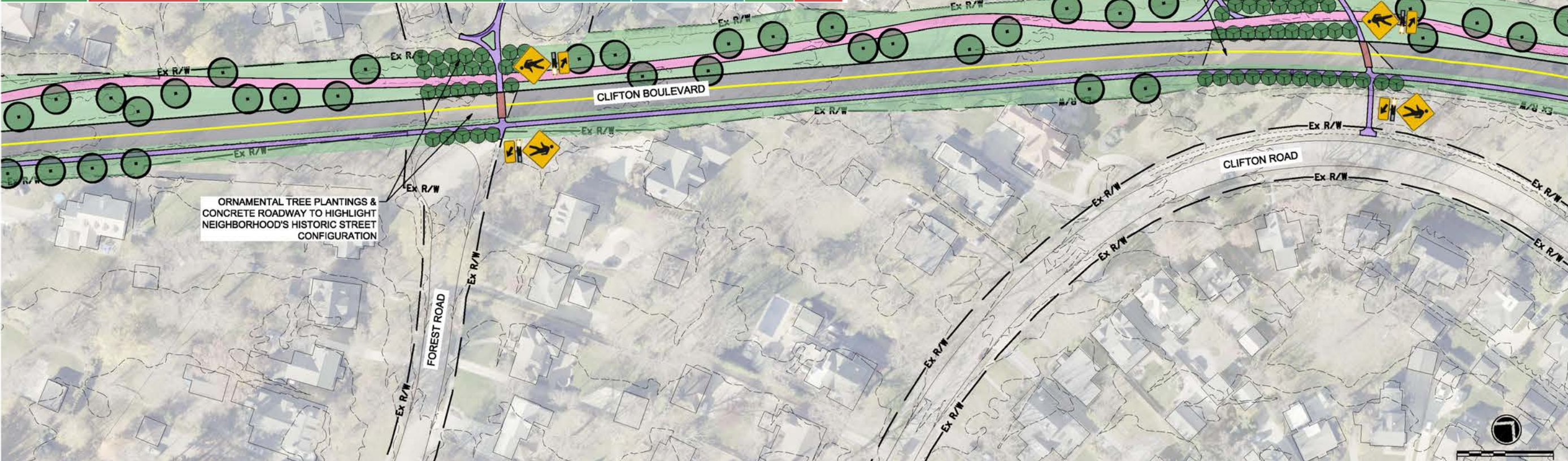
Bridge







Tree Lawn Varies	Shared-Use Trail 10'	Green Infrastructure or Tree Lawn 32' Min.	Westbound Travel Lane 14'	Eastbound Travel Lane 14'	Tree Lawn 4' Min.	Sidewalk 5'
BUFFER	PEDESTRIAN	BUFFER	VEHICLE	VEHICLE	BUFFER	PEDES- TRIAN



LEGEND:

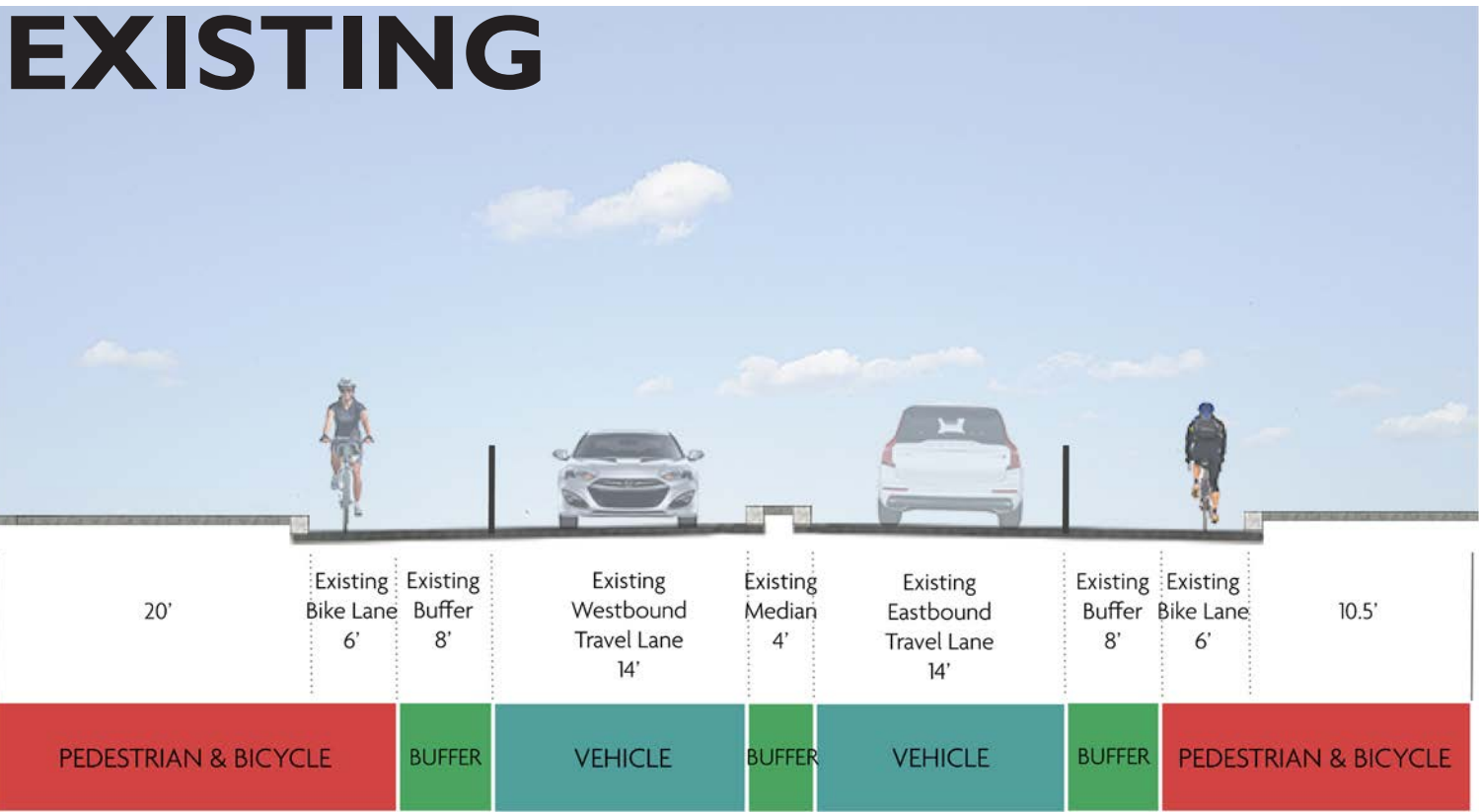
- PROPOSED SHARED USE TRAIL
- PROPOSED SIDEWALKS
- PROPOSED TREES
- RECTANGULAR RAPID FLASHING BEACON (RRFB) PEDESTRIAN CROSSWALKS
- GREEN SPACE
- Ex R/W—EXISTING PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY
- ENHANCED CROSSWALK WITH COLORED AND STAMPED CONCRETE

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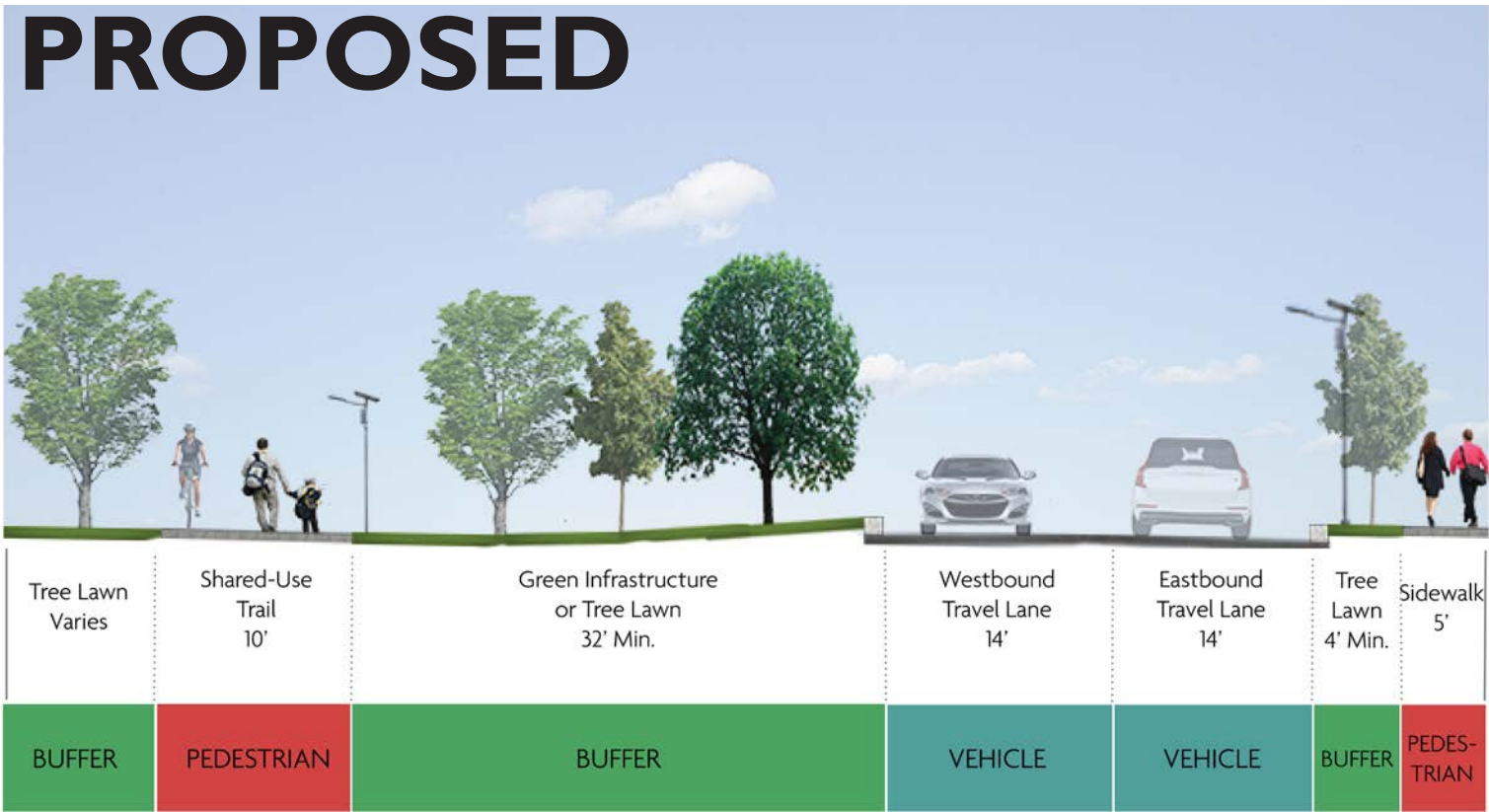
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Mid-Block Crossing (Looking East)



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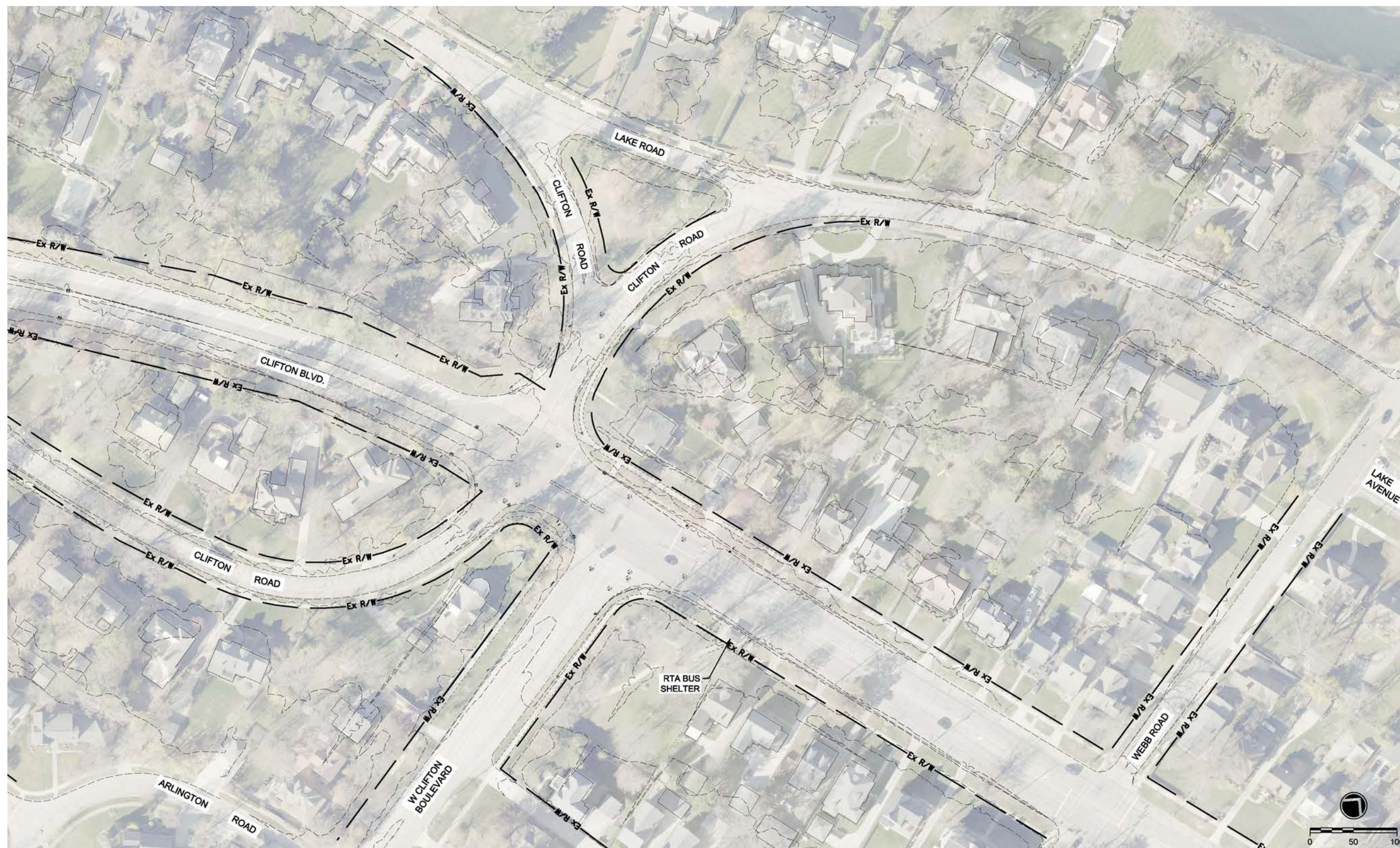
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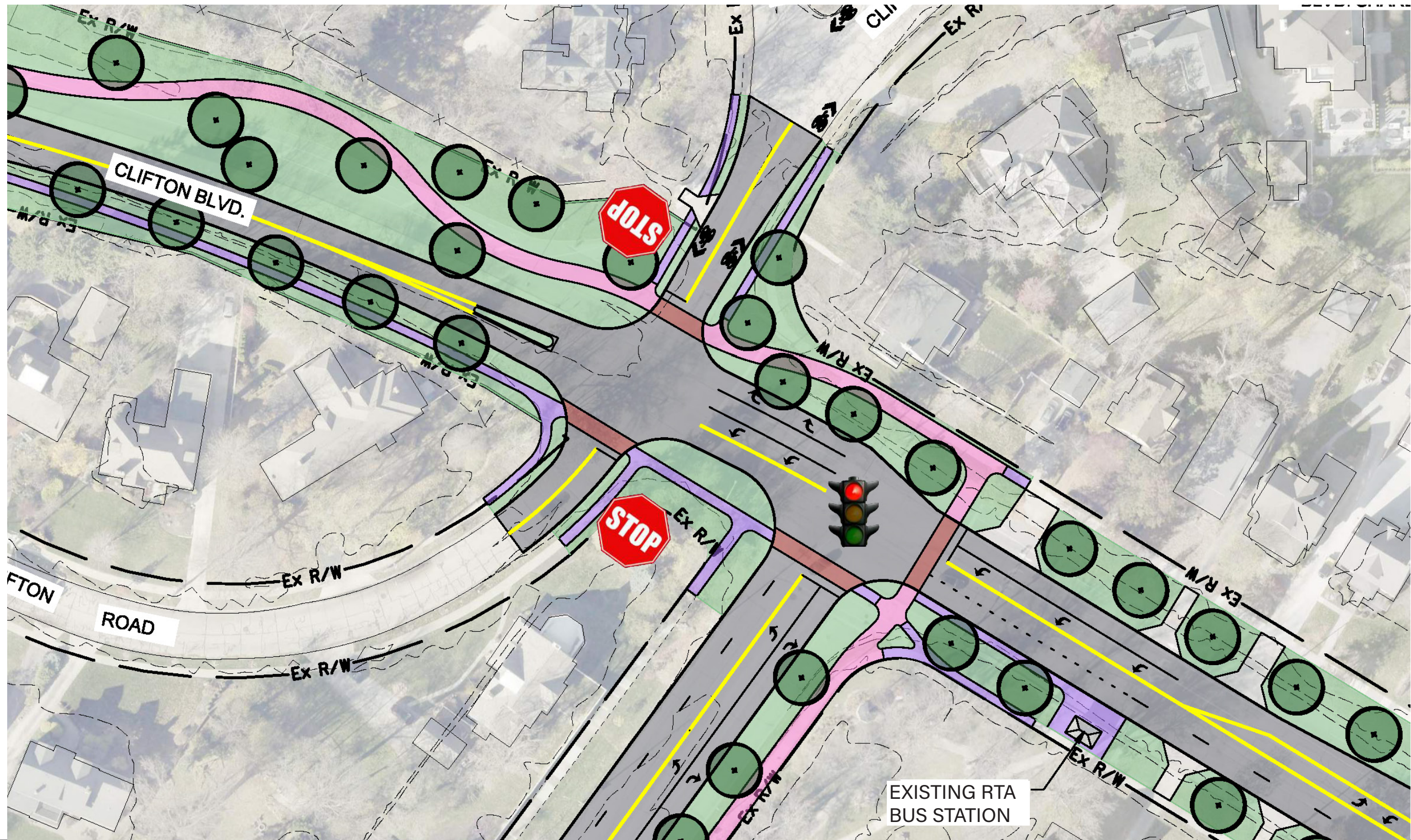


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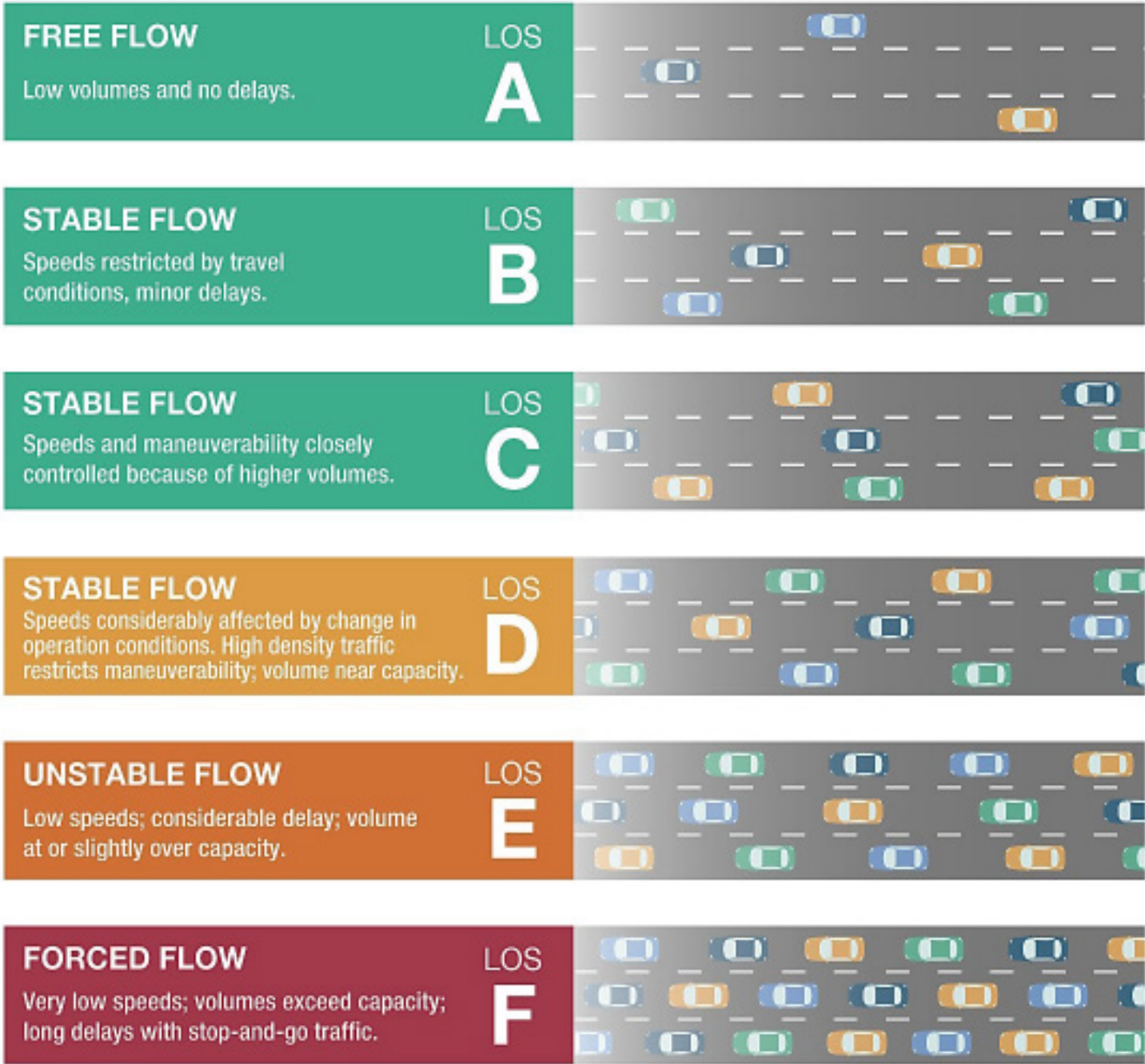


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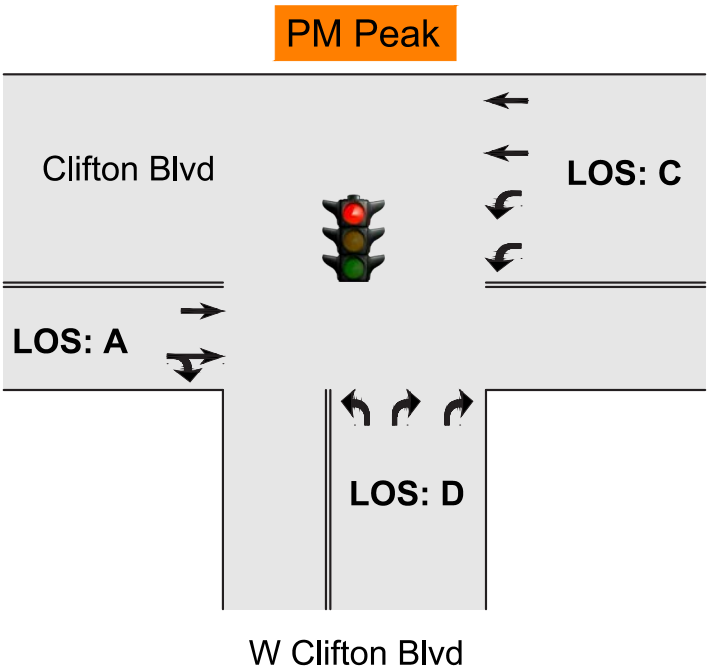
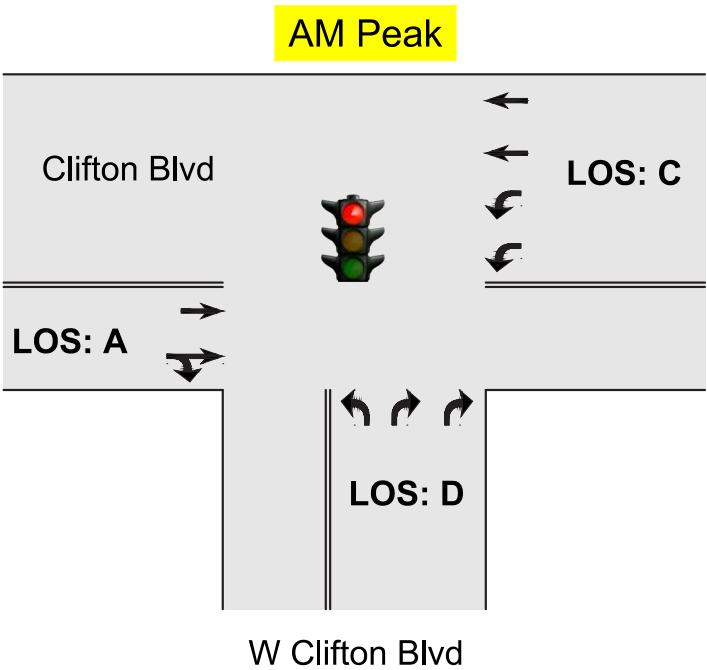
WHAT IS “LEVEL OF SERVICE?”

The “LOS” of a roadway or intersection describes how well it operates, based on:

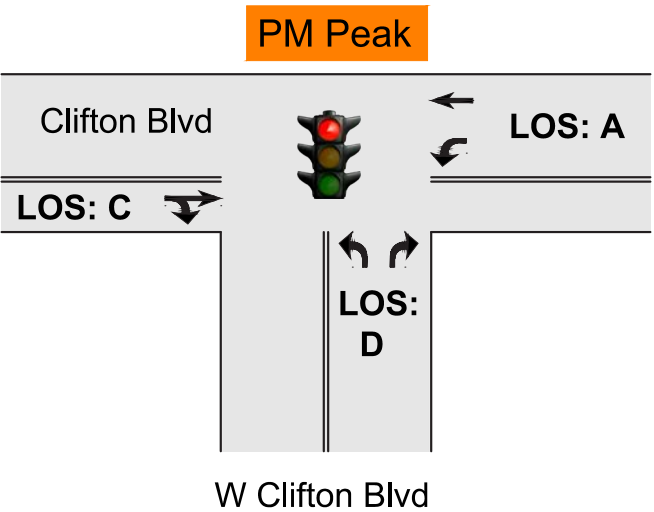
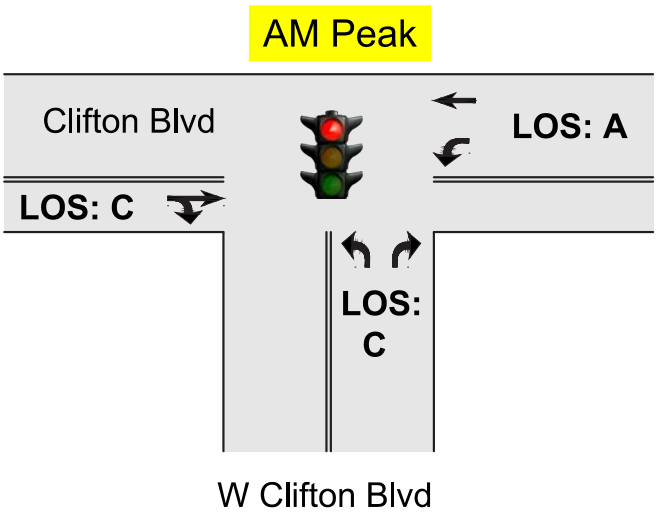
- speed
- travel time
- maneuverability
- delay, and
- safety.



Graphic courtesy of Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT) at https://www.parleyseis.com/assets/images/Parleys%20LOS%20Levels_rev2.png



Existing Condition



Proposed Condition
Concept #1 (Signalized)

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CONCEPT #1

Traffic Model Simulation



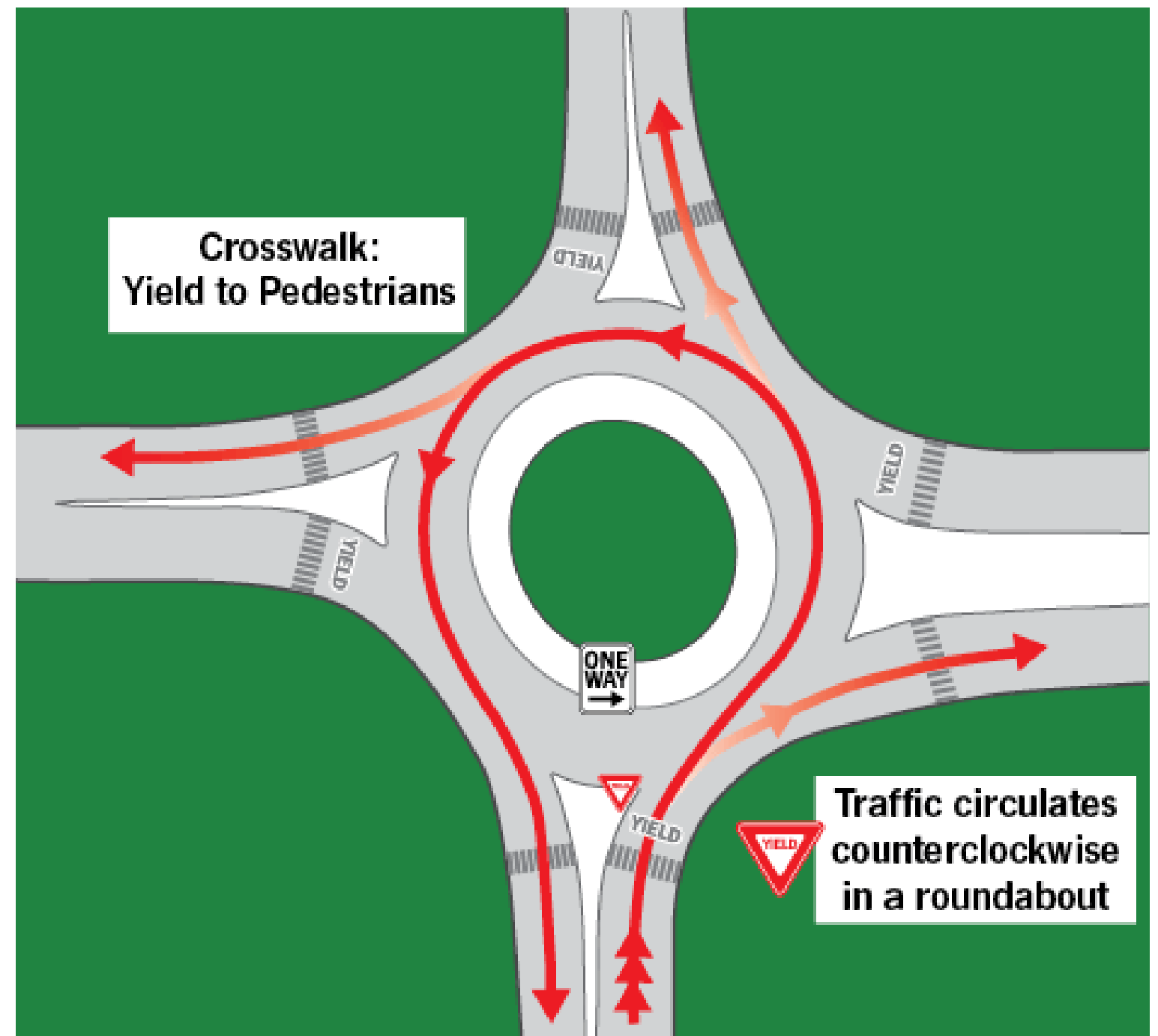


03 Roundabouts 101

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WHAT IS A ROUNDABOUT?

- Roundabouts replace complicated intersections with circular traffic movement
- Incoming traffic yields to cars already in roundabout
- Drivers only need watch for traffic on their left side
- If no cars are coming, drivers do not stop when entering roundabout
- Speed significantly decreased in roundabouts; usually 20-30 mph



Yield to all traffic before entering roundabout

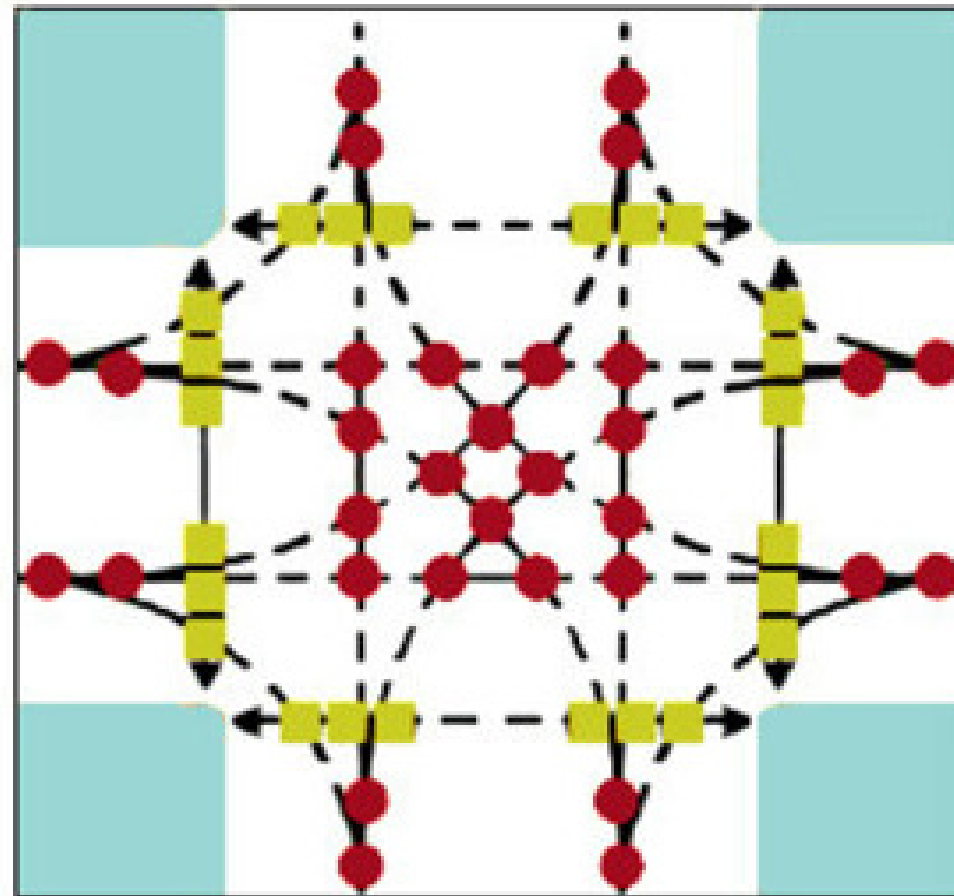
Image courtesy of <https://www.edrivermanuals.com/michigan/12-roundabouts/>

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ROUNDAABOUTS SAFER FOR CARS

- Cars move in the same direction, reducing head-on collisions
- Cars drive more slowly
- Left turns eliminated
- 44% reduction in all crashes

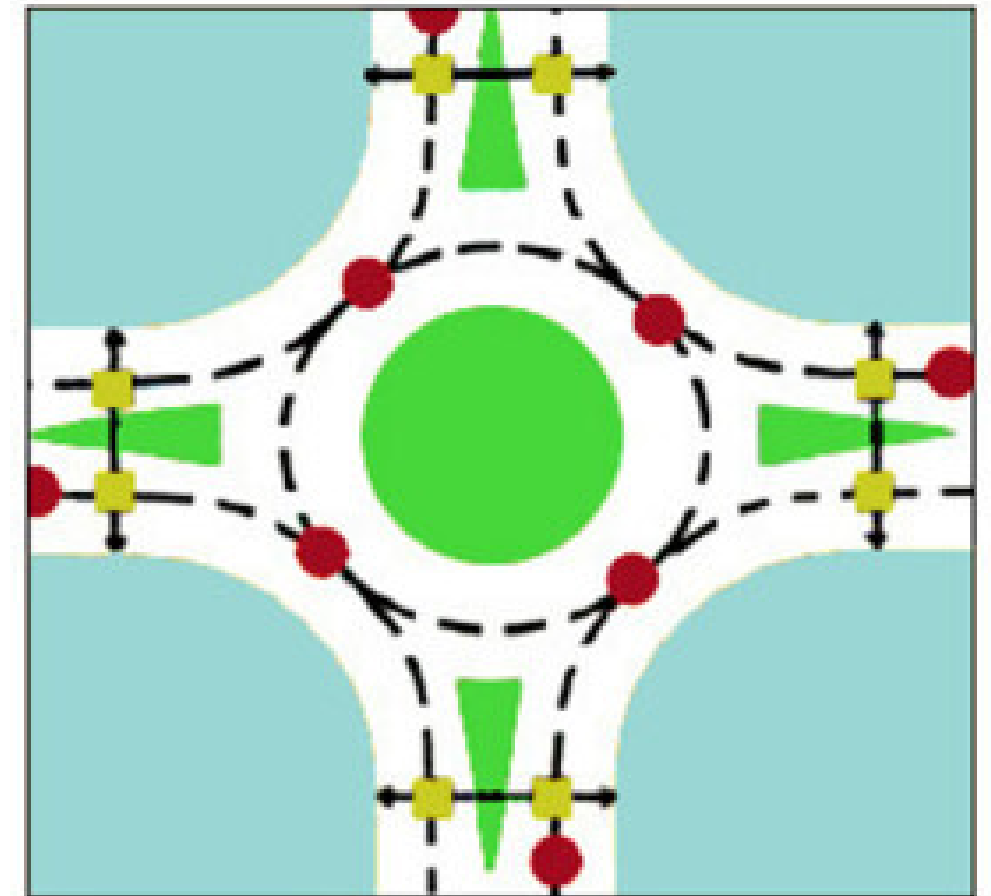
Intersection



● 32 Vehicle conflicts

■ 24 Pedestrian conflicts

Roundabout



● 8 Vehicle conflicts

■ 8 Pedestrian conflicts

ROUNDAABOUTS SAFER FOR PED'S

More time to react

Slower speeds and one-directional traffic flow limit crossing conflicts and give pedestrians and vehicles more time to react to one another.



9 out of 10 people die when hit at 40 mph.



5 out of 10 people die when hit at 30 mph.



9 out of 10 people **SURVIVE** when hit at 20 mph.

Image courtesy of <https://mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/poplar/exhibit/>

Animation courtesy of https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CIVip0zO_j8

03 FEWER RESOURCES REQUIRED

- Decreased commuting time - no traffic lights or stop signs
- Increased pavement life - less stopping, less rutting
- Lower car emissions and fuel consumption - cars do not idle as long
- Require less long term maintenance



Image Courtesy OHM: Arlington Avenue Corridor Redevelopment

03 ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Larger intersection footprint, R/W acquisition may be necessary
- Driver unfamiliarity with a roundabout on this corridor
- Driveway impacts/realignments
- GCRTA bus station relocation required

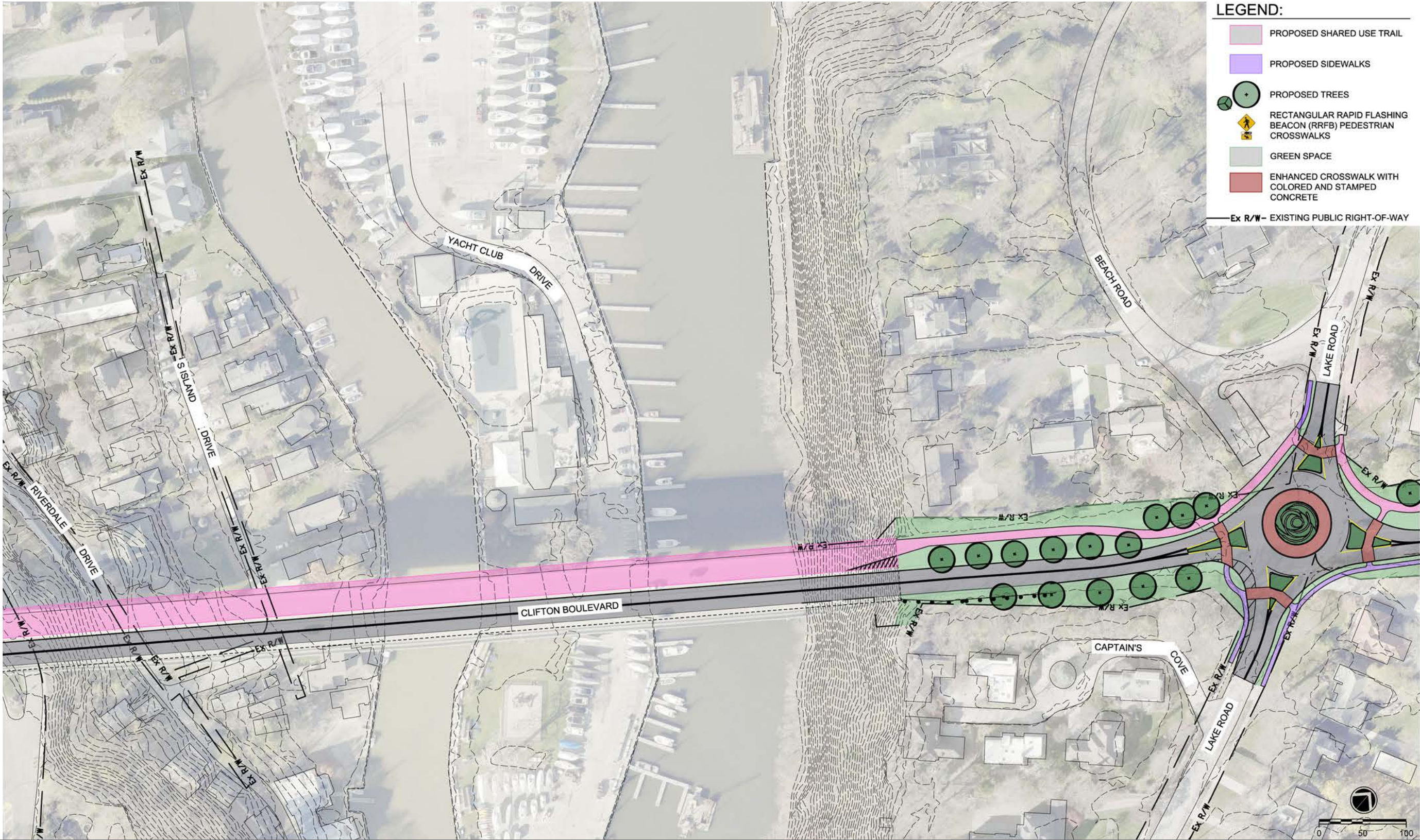


Image Courtesy OHM: New Albany and Market Streets Roundabout



04 Concept #2





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CONCEPT #2

Lake Road Roundabout (Looking East)



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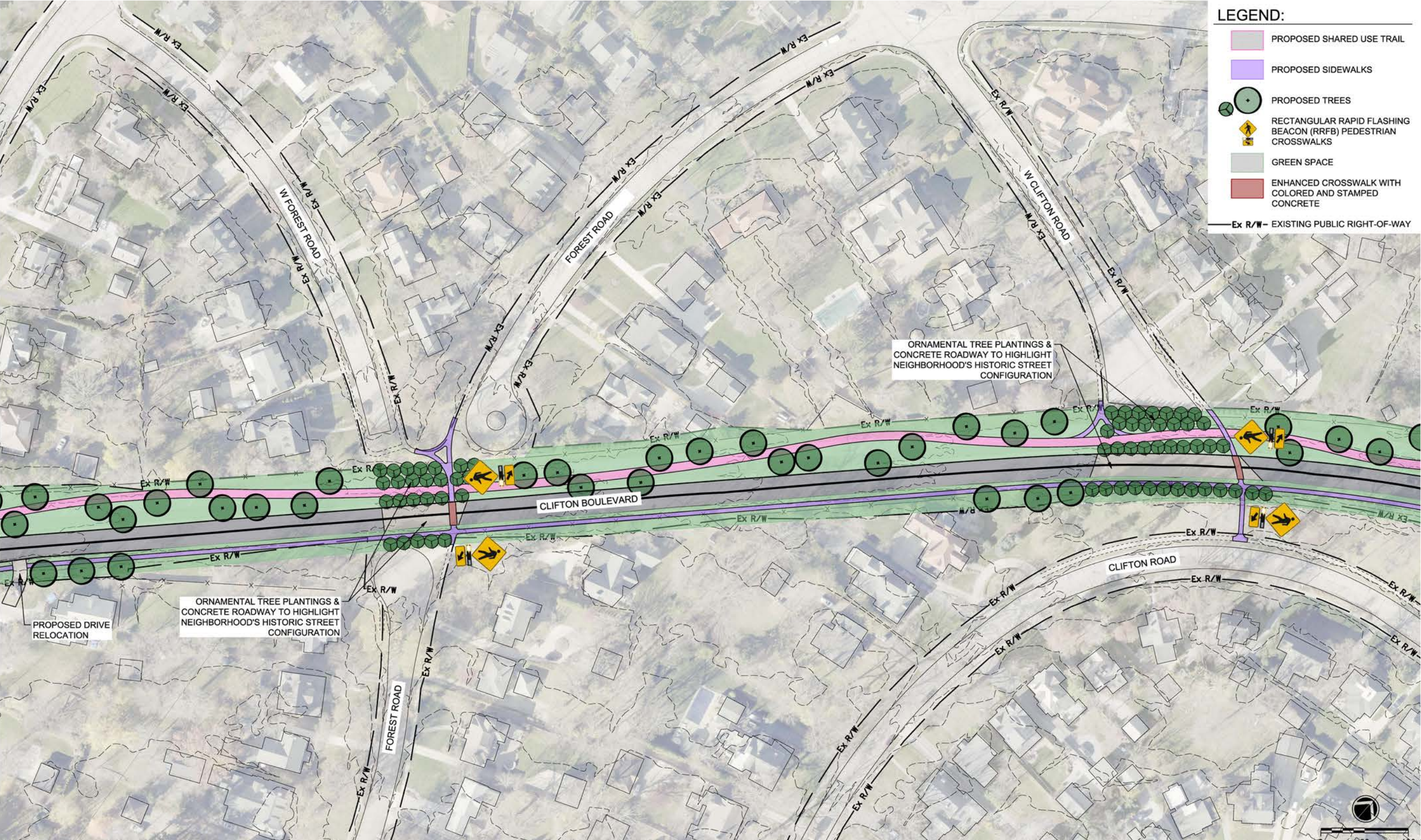


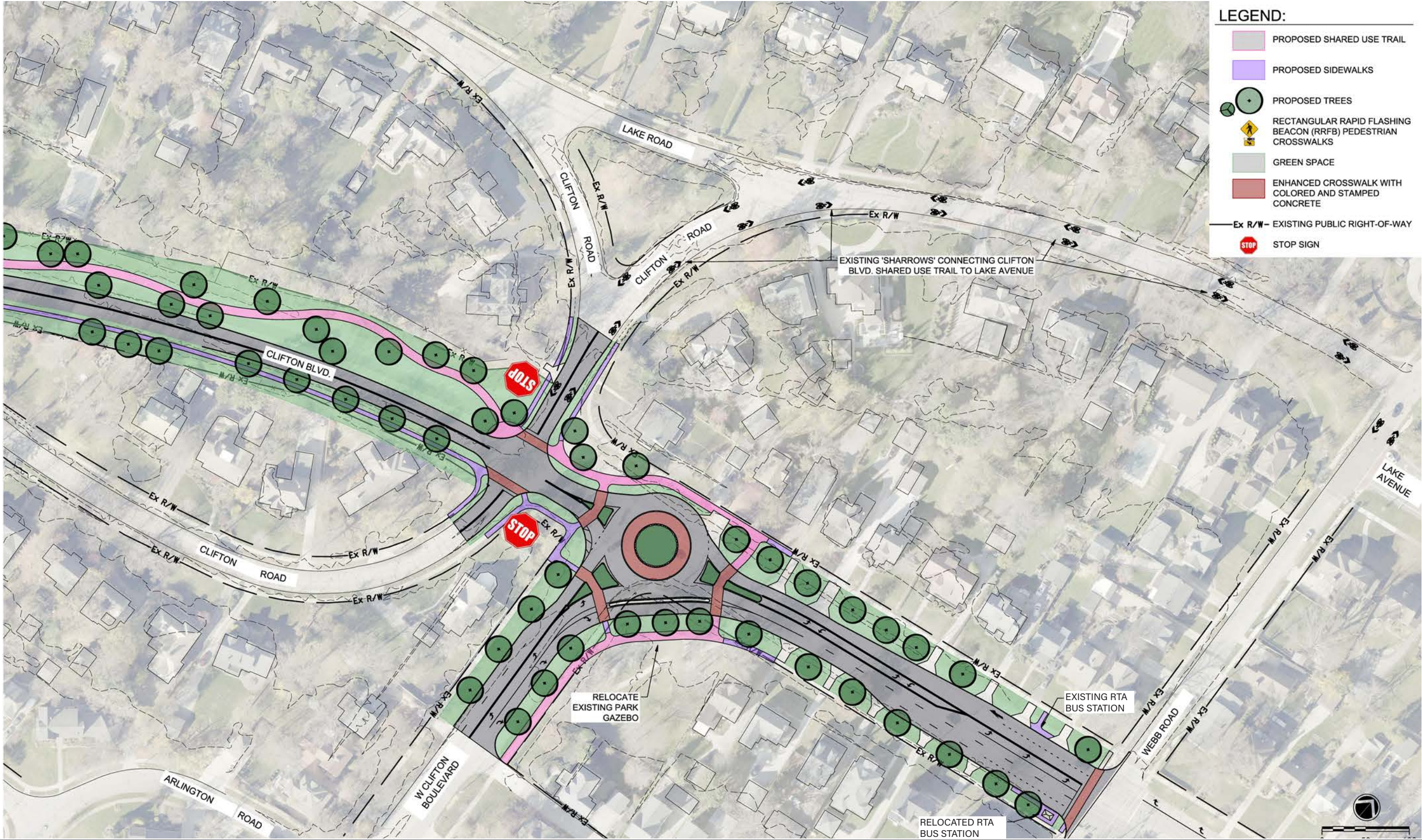
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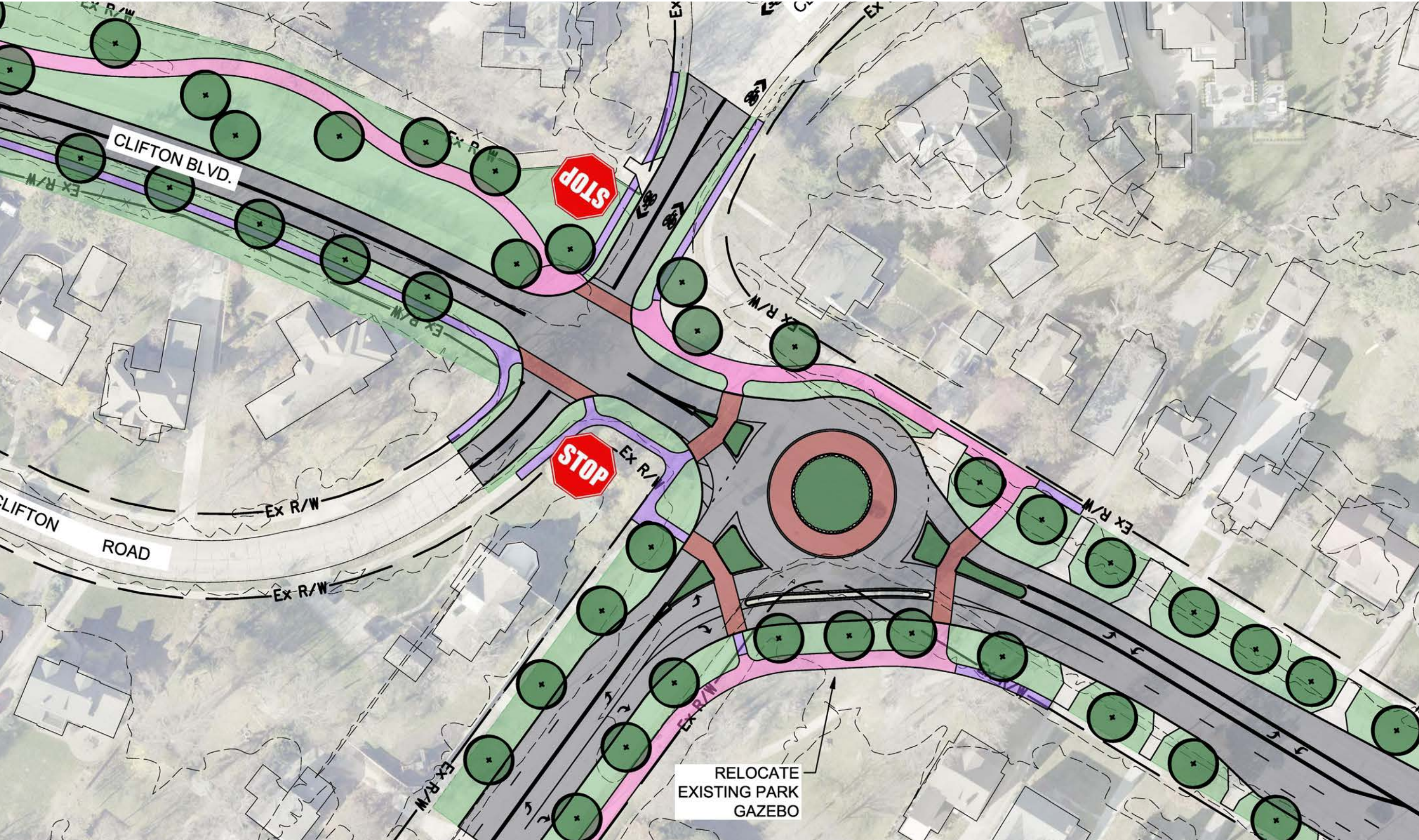
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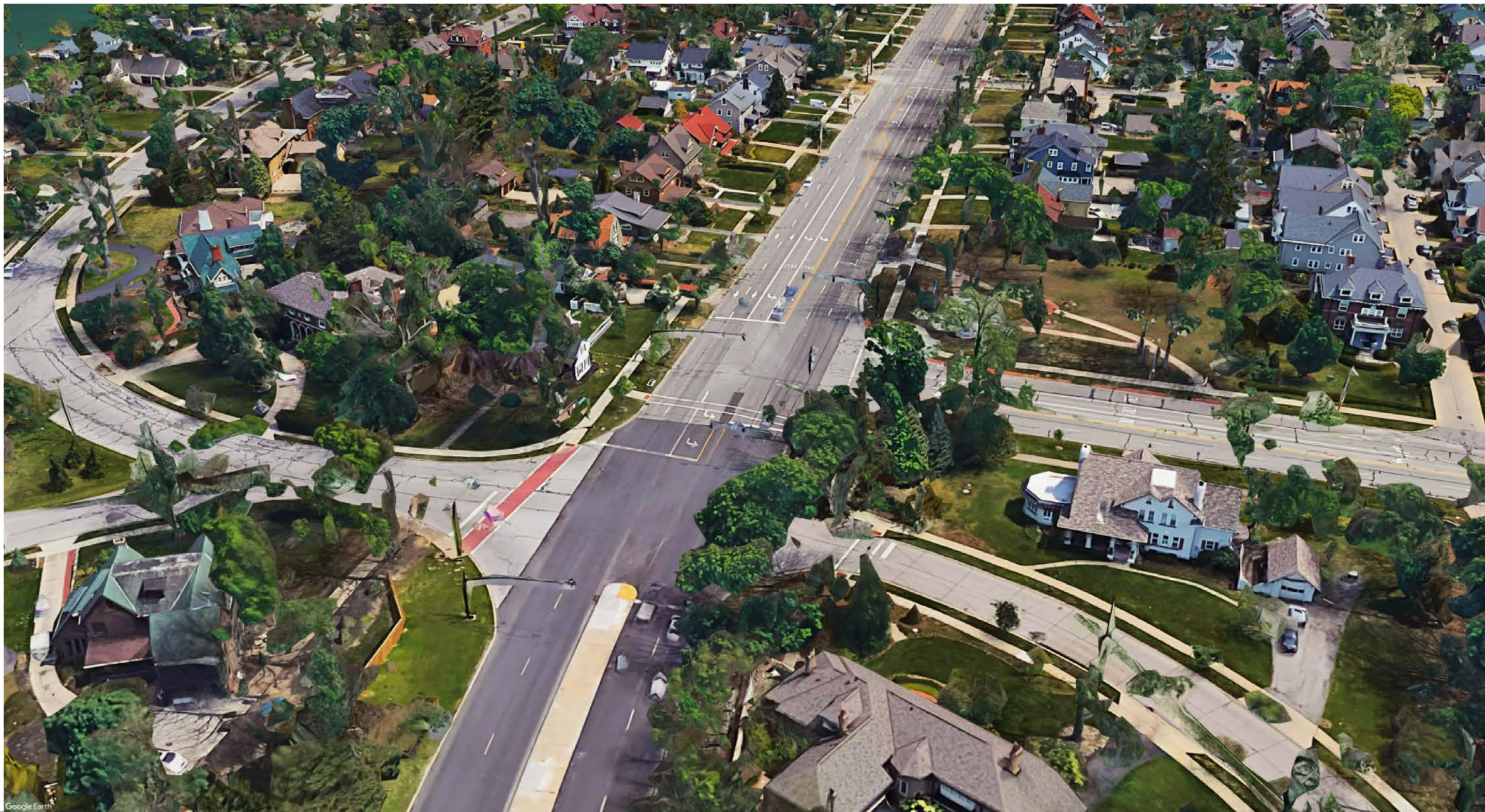




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West Clifton Roundabout (Looking East)



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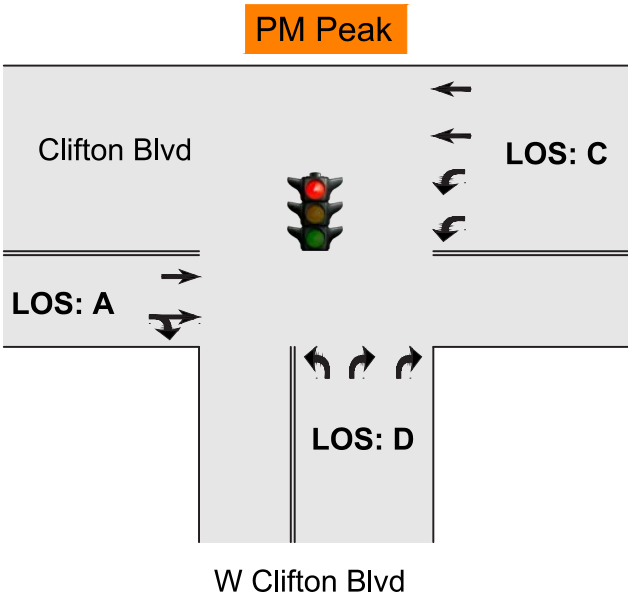
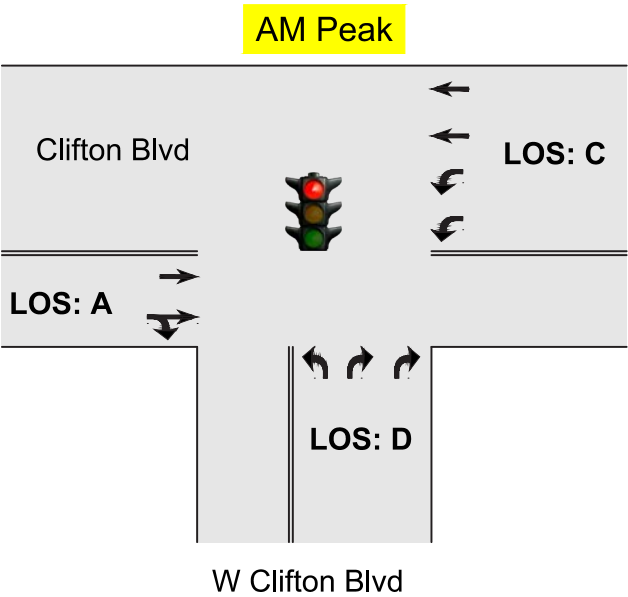
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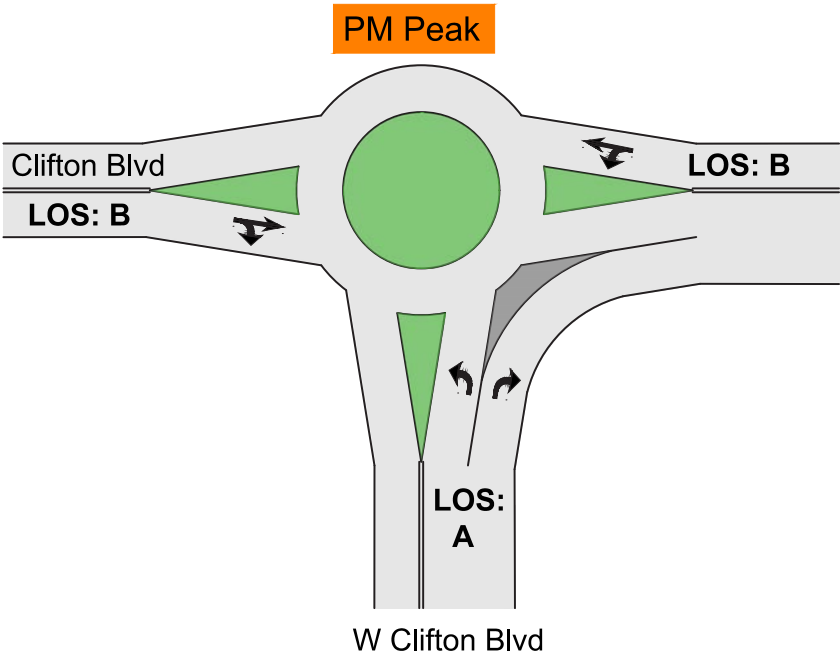
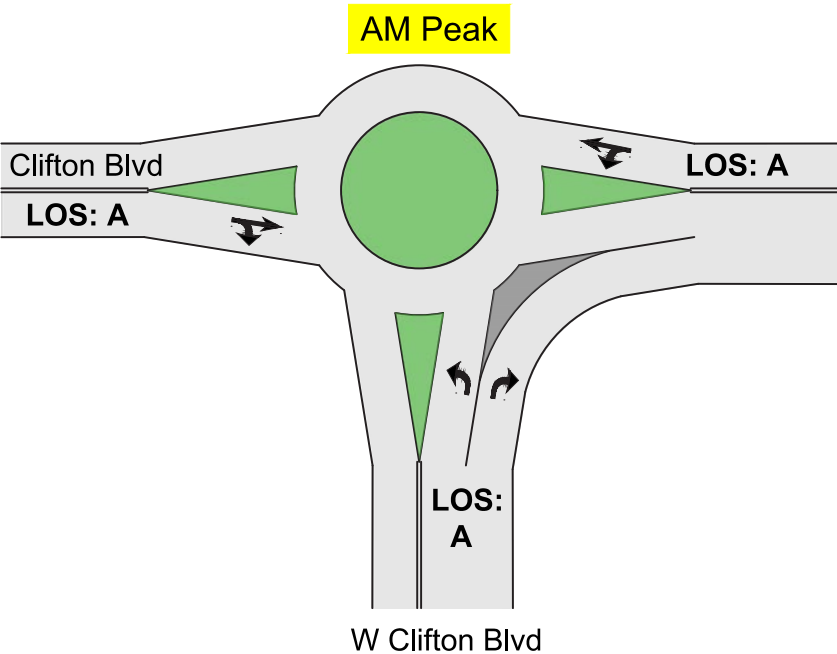
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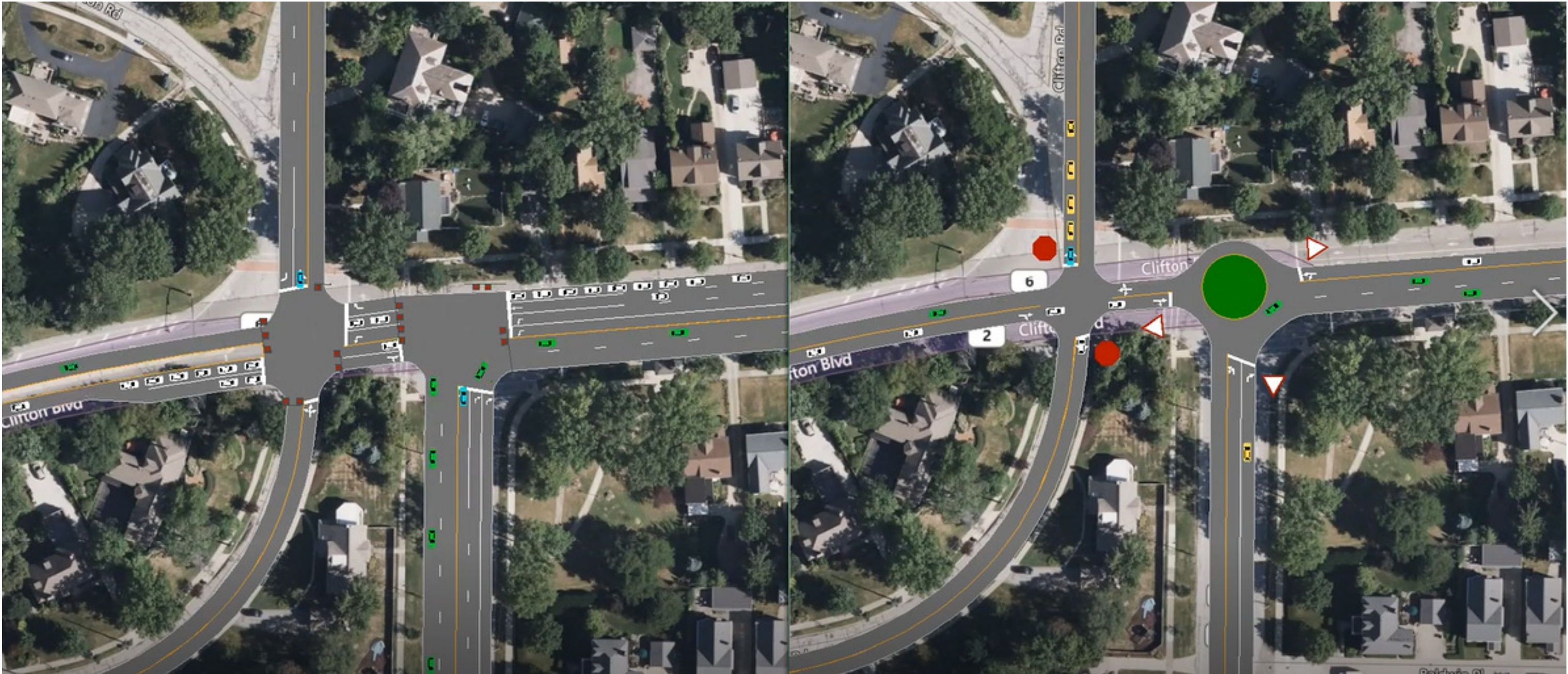
Level of Service



Existing Condition



Proposed Condition
Concept #2 (Roundabout)





05 Next Steps



PROJECTED SCHEDULE

Design and Engineering
January 2022 - July 2022

Bidding and Contracting
August 2022 - September 2022

Construction
October 2022 - September 2023

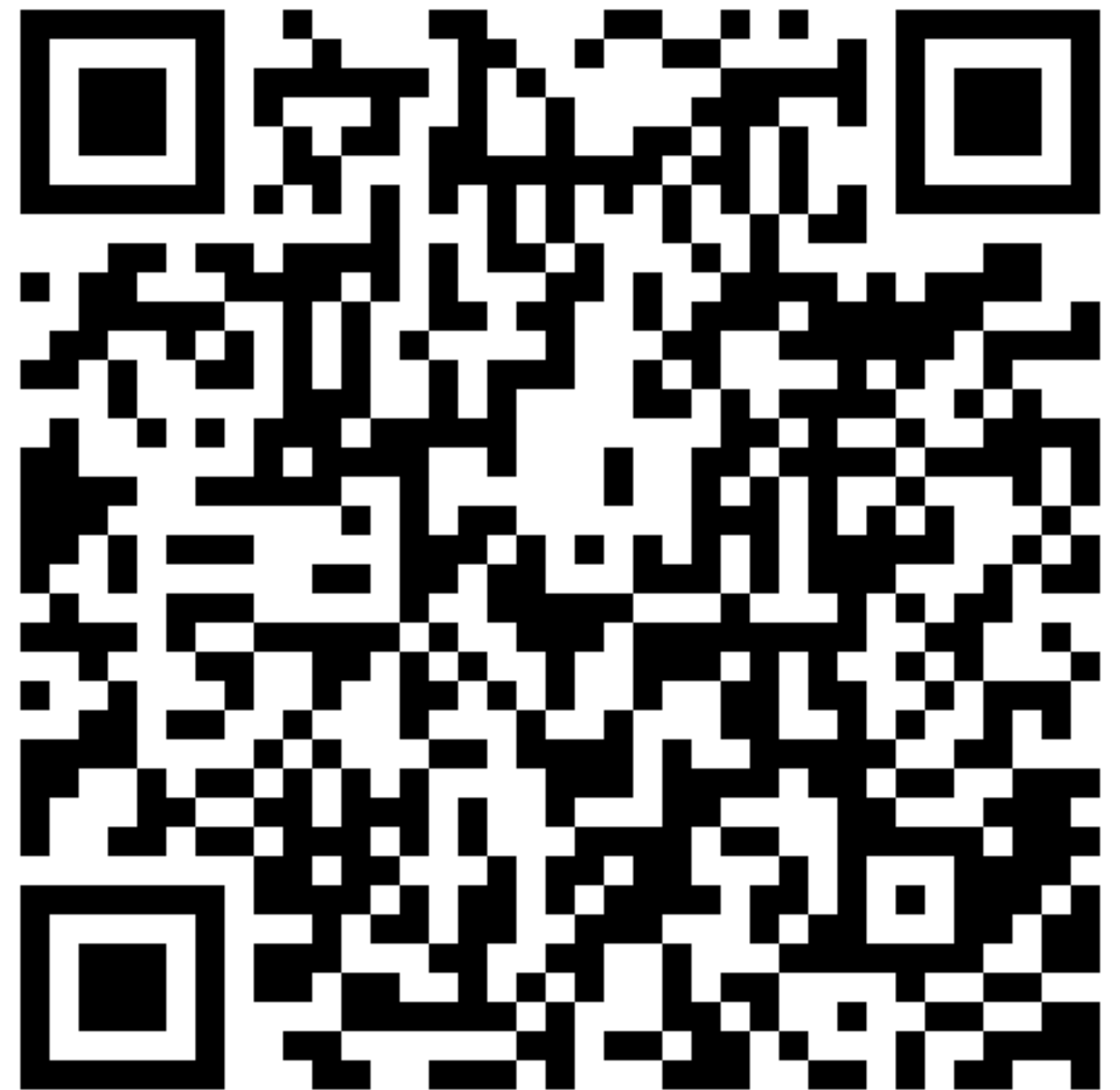


06 What Do You Think?

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07 Discussion at Stations



Thank you for coming!