

HIGH STREET

Streetscape Improvements

VINE ST → 9TH AVE



THE CITY OF
COLUMBUS
ANDREW J. GINTHER, MAYOR

Welcome

- **Kelly Scocco**, Deputy Director
Department of Public Service
- **James Young**, P.E., Administrator
Division of Design and Construction
- **Jim Pajk**, P.E., Assistant Administrator
Division of Design and Construction

Introductions

- **Richie Dimmerling**, P.E., Construction Management Lead, City of Columbus
- **Kyle Schmitmeyer**, P.E., Construction Project Engineer, City of Columbus
- **Dan Wayton**, P.E., Engineering Design Lead, City of Columbus
- **Dan Biru**, P.E., Korda/Nemeth Engineering
- **Eric Walsh**, P.E., Korda/Nemeth Engineering
- **Jeff Bryan**, ASLA, LEED AP, MKSK
- **Mindy Justis**, MurphyEpson

MEETING PURPOSE, FORMAT AND DISCUSSION GUIDELINES

Purpose & Agenda

- Provide an update on construction status for all four phases
- Explain 2019 construction schedule – what to expect and when
- Take time for one-on-one conversations



Format & Discussion guidelines

Presentation and group discussion followed by open house and one-on-one discussion.

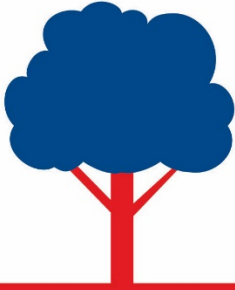
Guidelines

- Respect each other's time
- Respect each other's ideas
- It's okay to disagree; please don't be disagreeable

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Streetscape Improvements project creates a safer, more walkable and even more inclusive neighborhood.

IMPROVEMENTS



199
More Trees



56,000 sq/ft
More Sidewalks



180
New Light Fixtures



9,000 sq/ft
More Greenspace



29%
More On-Street
Parking Spaces



1.6
Miles Improved

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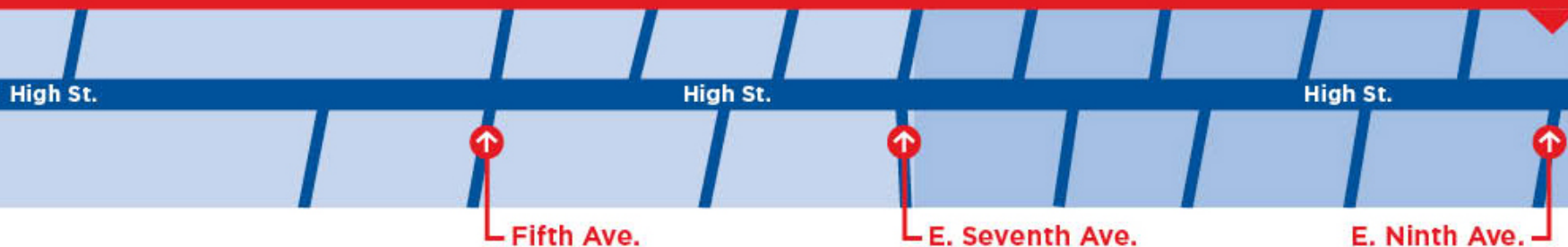
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PHASE 1 Vine St. to Goodale St.
COMPLETE

PHASE 2 W. Poplar Ave. to W. Starr Ave.
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PHASES 3 & 4 E. 2nd Ave. to E. 9th Ave.
UNDERWAY



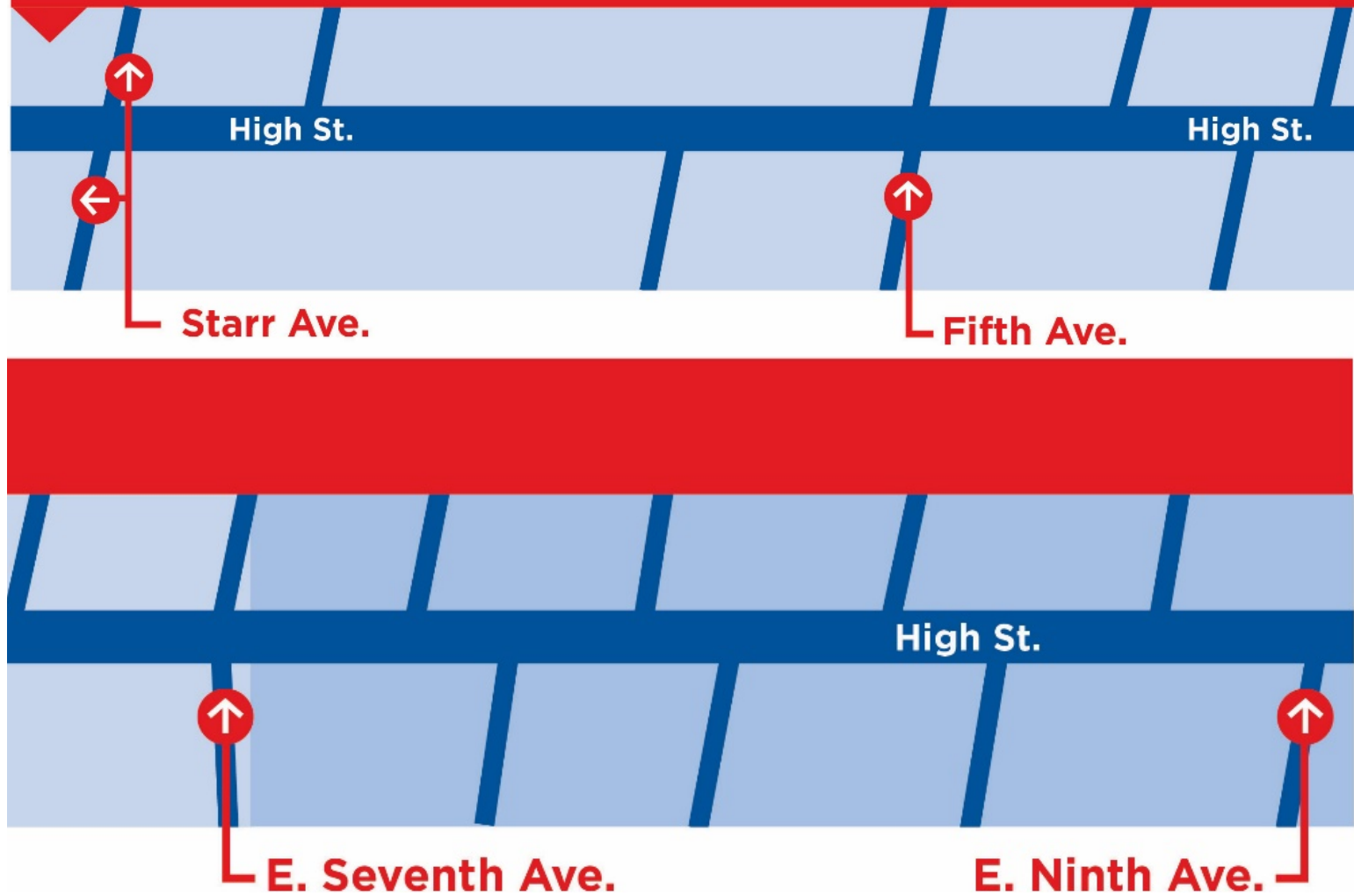
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A blue-tinted photograph of a city street, likely in New York City, showing a wide road with multiple lanes of traffic. A large, arched metal structure, possibly a bridge or a decorative archway, spans the street. The street is lined with trees and buildings. The overall scene is captured in a monochromatic blue tone.

2019 CONSTRUCTION

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PHASE 3 & 4 E. 2nd Ave./W. Starr Ave. to E. 9th Ave.



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Access

- Business access will be maintained. Expect:
 - Work in front of doorways until open time
 - Barrels and equipment very close to the doorway
 - Work in and around entrances during your open hours
- Regular deliveries?
 - We can accommodate to the extent possible



Schedule

- Coordination with major holidays and neighborhood events
- Typical work hours: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday (daylight hours)
 - Weekends when needed to keep on schedule
 - Occasional night work to minimize daytime traffic impacts
 - Water shut-offs at night with notice to those affected

Parking during Construction

- Bagged parking meters at times
- Signs that allow parking in the evenings and on non-working days
- As much parking as possible will be maintained
- Some side street impacts will occur
- Meters removed late- February to early-March
- Meters return beginning as early as June

QUESTIONS ON SHORT NORTH PARKING PLAN?

→ parkingservices@columbus.gov

A blue-tinted photograph of a city street, likely in Chicago, showing a large metal archway spanning the road. The street is filled with cars, and buildings are visible in the background. The text "MAJOR ACTIVITIES" is overlaid in large white letters.

MAJOR ACTIVITIES

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Relocation and Undergrounding

- Basement fill-ins
 - Portions under sidewalk
- Tree Removal
 - New trees planted after sidewalks



Relocation and Undergrounding

- Private utility coordination
 - Each team moves its own equipment (AT&T, WOW Spectrum, AEP, etc.)
- Utility undergrounding
 - Most visible at Third, Fourth and Fifth avenues



Relocation and Undergrounding

- Backbone of underground utilities
 - Involves bringing in temporary power feeds and temporary poles
- Backbone of the new traffic signal and fiber optic system
 - Involves installing temporary signals

Streetscaping

- New sidewalks
- New curb
- New traffic signals
- New street lights
- New landscaping
- New meters









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S - SMALL BITES

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CRAFT BEER • CLASSIC GAMES

BARLEY'S

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BREW PUB

LIVE! FREE! FUN!
BUZZER TRIMM





Communications

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Weekly Construction Update

- Friday morning most weeks
- 5-7 days out: greater certainty
- 2-3 weeks out: less certainty

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- Tonight's presentation will be available at columbus.gov/highstreet

QUESTIONS, DISCUSSION

DISCUSSION GUIDELINES

- Raise hands to indicate you have a question or comment
- Be brief so we can get to as many people as possible
- Please be respectful and polite

QUESTIONS



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