

FACT SHEET FLYER

September 2021

CLEVELAND AVENUE
IMPROVEMENTS

FIFTH AVE TO LEHNER RD

Background and Overview

Drivers of motor vehicles hit more people on the Cleveland Avenue Corridor than on most other Columbus streets. Every 23 days a pedestrian is hit on Cleveland Avenue, and on average there are 1.3 pedestrian crashes every month. The One Linden Plan also described the Cleveland Avenue Corridor as a high speed area that has an unsafe feel for pedestrians.

Protections are on the way. As part of the Walk Safe on Cleveland initiative for the Cleveland Avenue Corridor, the City of Columbus, in coordination with the Ohio Department of Transportation, is proposing pedestrian improvements at seven intersections along Cleveland Avenue.

Improvements

- Seven new enhanced crosswalks along Cleveland Avenue
- New push button systems of flashing lights, notifying drivers of a pedestrian intending to safely cross the street
- ADA compliant curb ramps
- Bus stop relocations in coordination with COTA

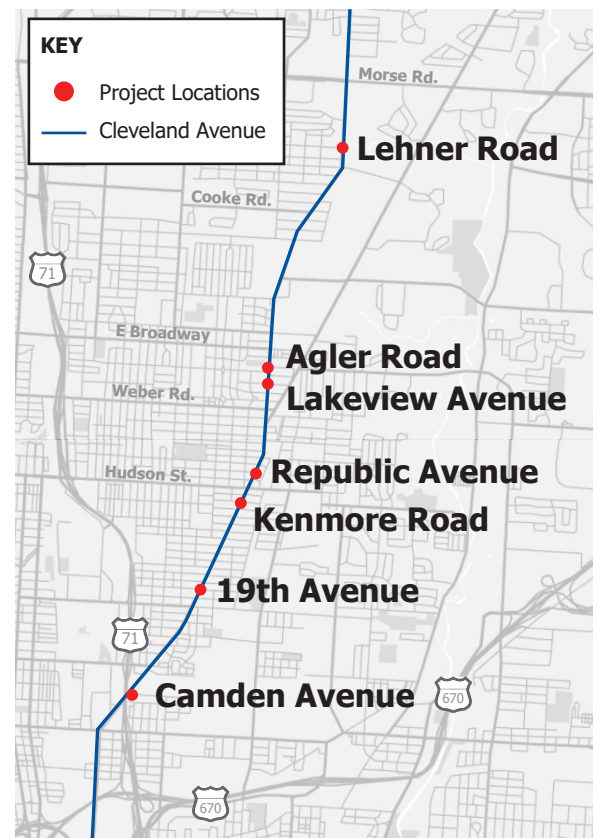
Property Impacts

- Permanent right-of-way and temporary easements needed for construction
- Impacted property owners will be contacted after Summer 2022

Maintenance of Traffic

- Pedestrian and vehicular traffic will be maintained throughout construction

Locations



**Please submit comments by
October 29, 2021!**

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Schedule

● **Sep. 29, 2021 - Oct. 29, 2021**
Public Comment Period

○ **Winter 2021**
Public Meeting

(meeting details will be provided at a later date)

○ **Spring 2023**
Estimated Construction Start