

Sidewalk regulations

Legistar No. 170812

City Commission: Feb 15, 2018

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Proposed Scope

- *Evaluate minimum sidewalk widths in heavy pedestrian areas*
- *Propose changes to the code to enhance pedestrian comfort and safety*

Accelerated Schedule

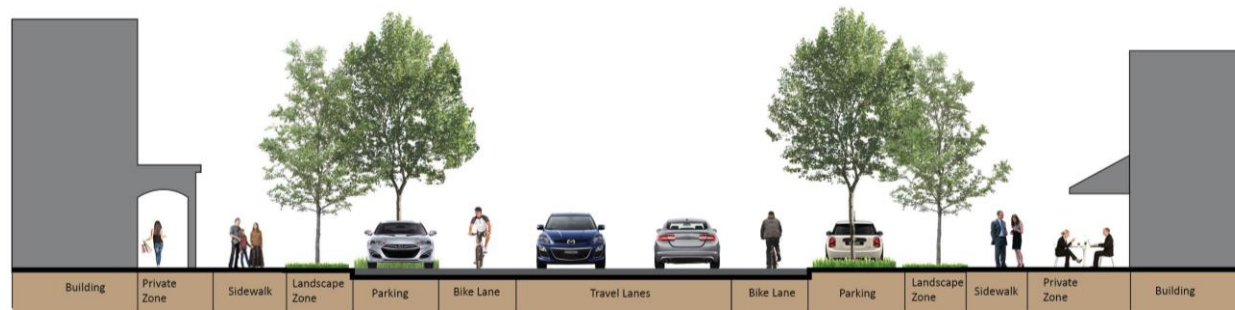
1. Plan Board: 2/22/18
2. City Commission 1st meeting: 3-15-18
3. Final meeting: 4-5-18

Street Types

Analysis: Street types



Storefront Street:

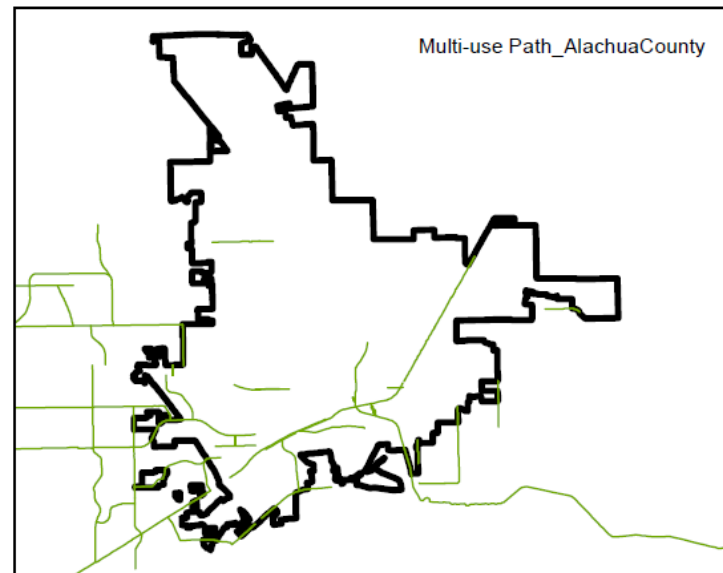
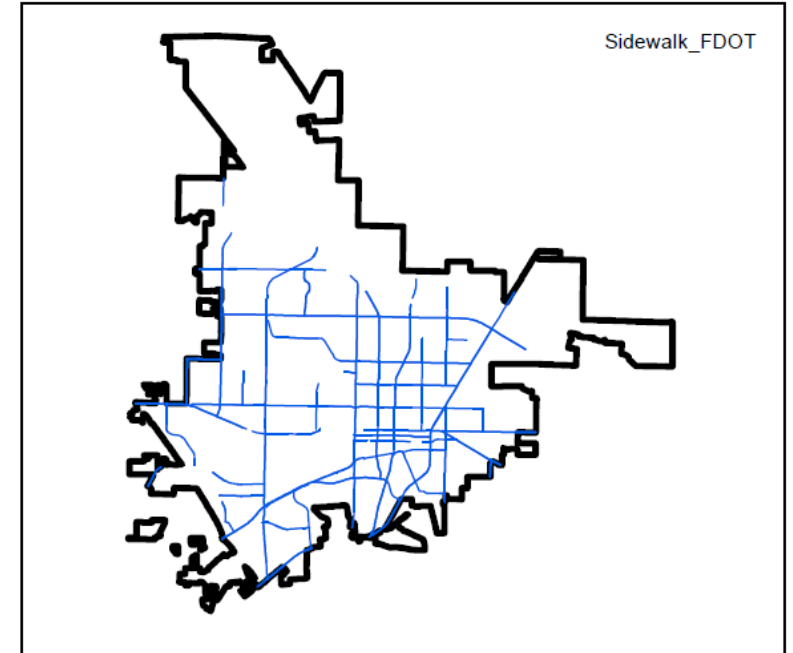
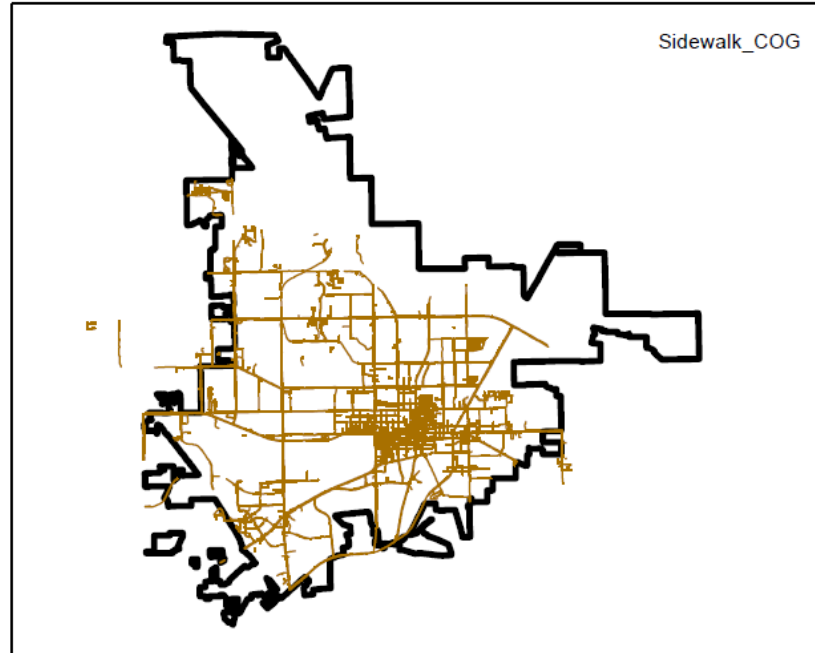


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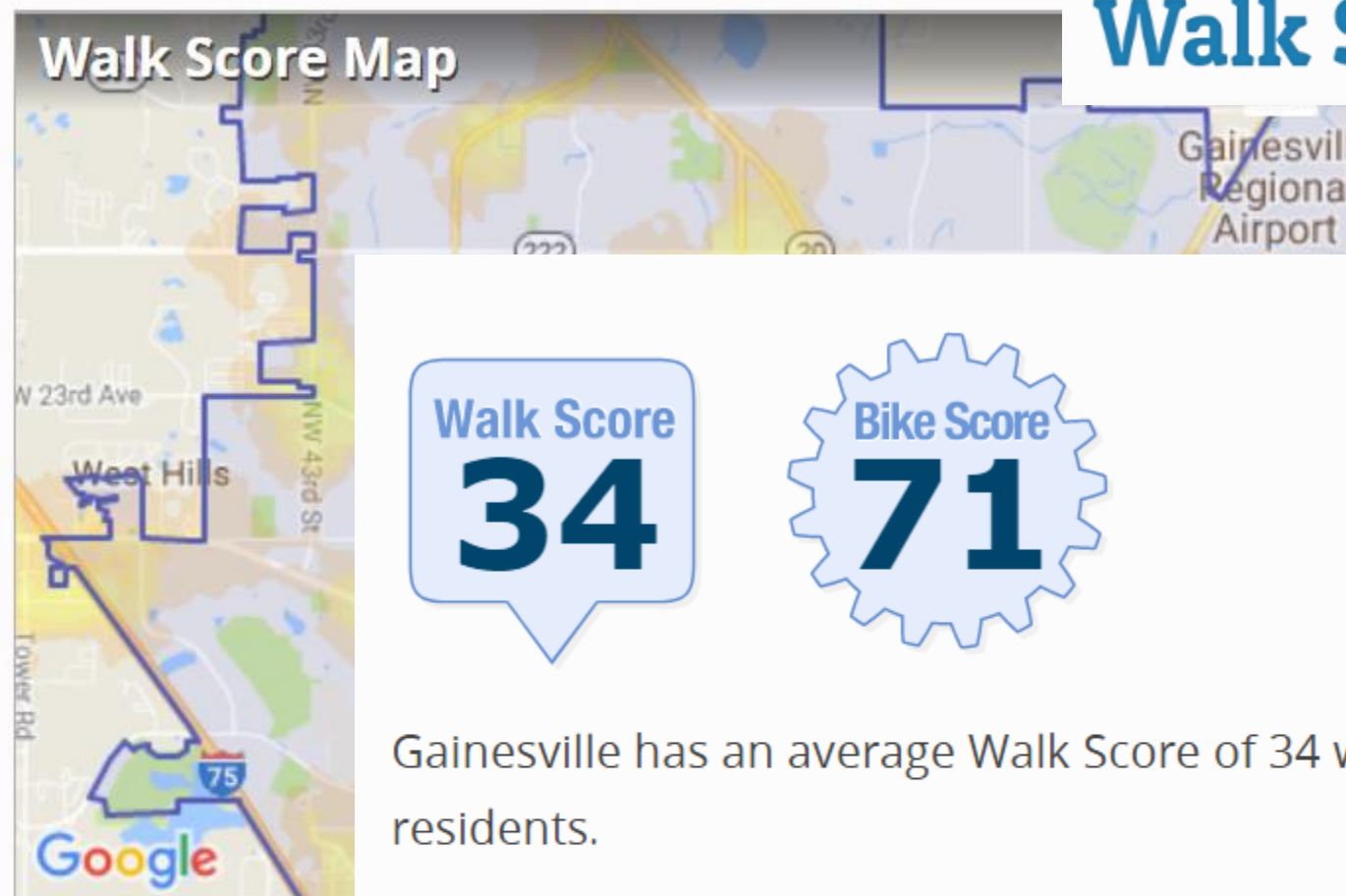
Thoroughfare Street:

Analysis: Sidewalk GIS



Analysis: Pedestrian comfort

Walk Score Map



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Walk Score®



Walk Score

34

Bike Score

71

Gainesville has an average Walk Score of 34 with 124,354 residents.

Gainesville is very bikeable.

The most walkable Gainesville neighborhoods are [Pleasant Street](#), [Fifth Avenue](#) and [Duckpond](#).

Analysis: Pedestrian comfort



ROSA PARKS STATION, WEST APPROACH ON WEST STATE ST.

465 average daily pedestrians



ROSA PARKS STATION, EAST APPROACH ON WEST STATE ST.

327 average daily pedestrians

Staff
Recommendation

**Provide direction regarding
schedule and scope**