









Public Works Department

NW 8TH AVENUE SEGMENT B FOLLOW UP

Stefan Broadus Public Works February 19, 2015



12/4/14 COMMISSION RECAP

- "Option #4 and direct staff to come back using 64 feet to develop some kind of pedestrian refuge areas." (carried 4-3)
- "Additional motion... re-stripe over the holidays... Motion carried 4-2."
- Asked staff to:
 - Find cost and feasibility of radar detectors
 - Evaluate crossing options
 - Research cycle tracks
 - Assess culvert replacement





■ Performed on January 2nd and 3rd, 2015.



Before (2 Lane)



After (4 Lane)



RADAR DRIVER FEEDBACK SIGNS

- 1 westbound & 1 eastbound.
- ~\$8,500 (\$4,250 ea.)
- Captures traffic volumes & speeds.



*"Spatial Effectiveness of Speed Feedback Signs"; Kelvin R. Santiago-Chaparro, Madhav Chitturi, Andrea Bill, & David A. Noyce; Supported by Wisconsin DOT *Driver (Speed) Feedback Signs, Recommended Practice, Alberta Ca.



Key Decision 1:

- No Refuges
- Localized Refuges
- Full Length Median







































BICYCLE & PEDESTRIAN FACILITIES

Key Decision 2:

- Shared use paths
- Cycle tracks



SHARE USE PATHS





CYCLE TRACKS





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SECTION B - 4 LANE OPTIONS



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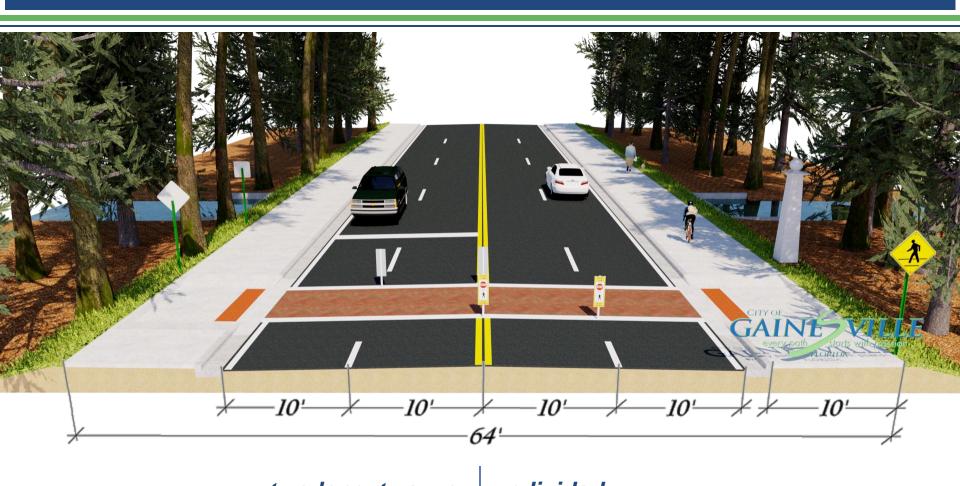
#	Lanes	North	South	Median / Refuge
#4A	4	10' Shared Use Path*		None
#4B	4	10' Shared Use Path*		Localized Medians with Refuges
#4C	4	6.5' cycle track [#] , 5' sidewalk		Localized Medians with Refuges
#4D	4	6.5' cycle track [#] 5' sidewalk	6.5' cycle track [#] 8' boardwalk	10' Landscaped Full Length Median with Refuges

^{*}Per FHWA Designing Sidewalks and Trails for Access 14.6 Shared-use path width.

^{*}Per NACTO Urban Bikeway Design Guide recommended minimum width for Raised Cycle Tracks.



SECTION B – OPTION 4A

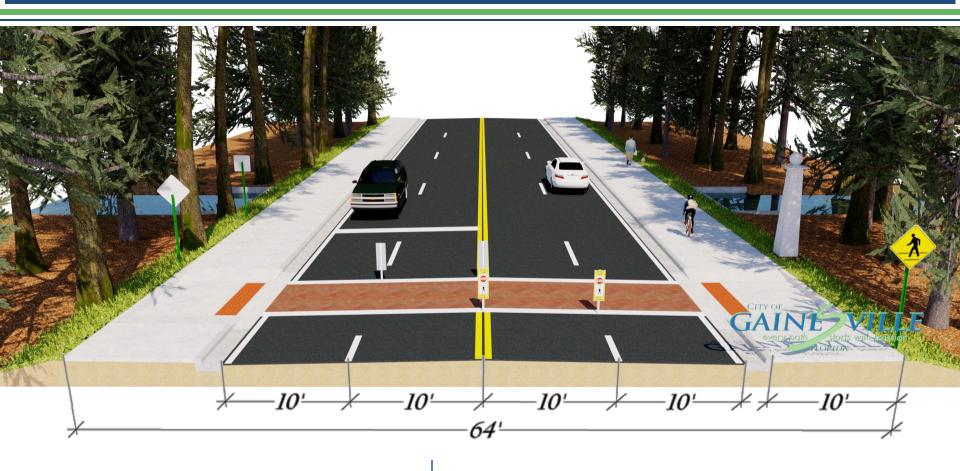


two lane, two way undivided

10' shared use paths 4 lane crossing w/o refuge at 31st, boardwalk, & 23rd



SECTION B – OPTION 4B



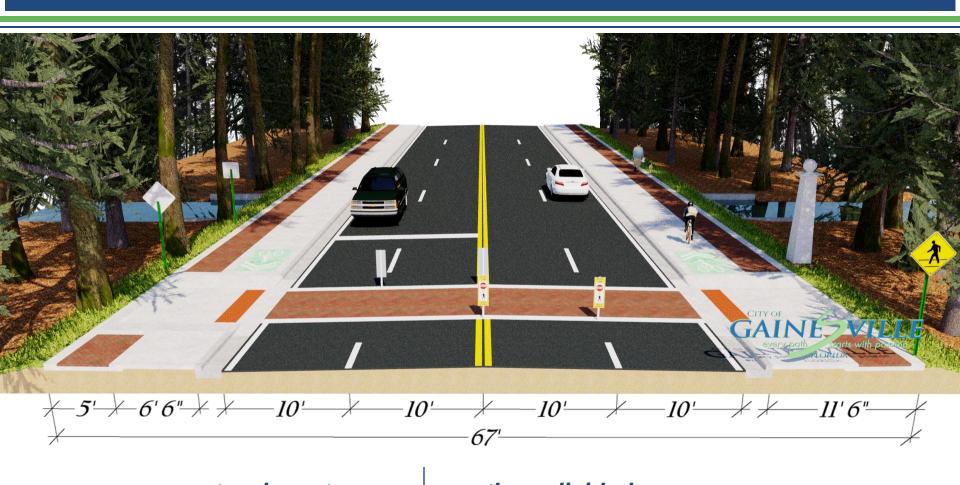
two lane, two way mostly undivided

10' shared use paths

4 lane crossing w/o refuge at boardwalk 4 lane crossing w/ refuge at 31st & 23rd



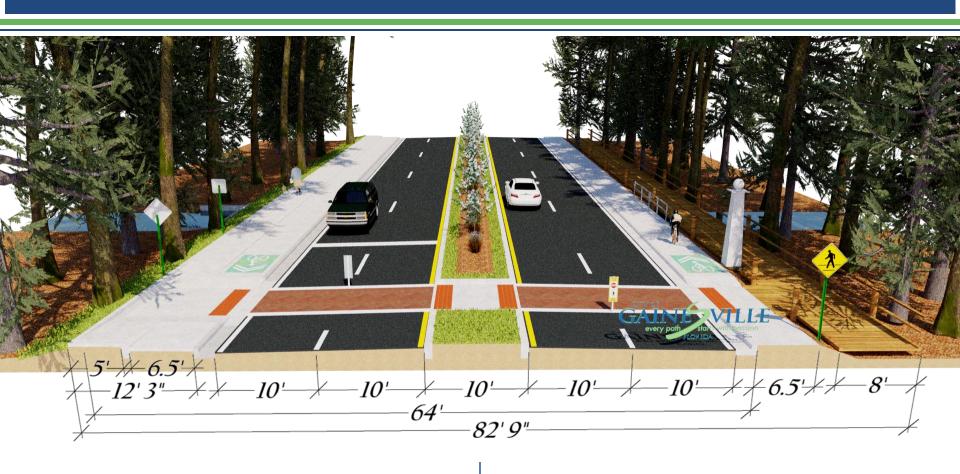
SECTION B – OPTION 4C



two lane, two way	mostly undivided
6.5' cycle tracks	4 lane crossing w/o refuge at boardwalk
5' sidewalks	4 lane crossing w/ refuge at 31st & 23rd



SECTION B – OPTION 4D

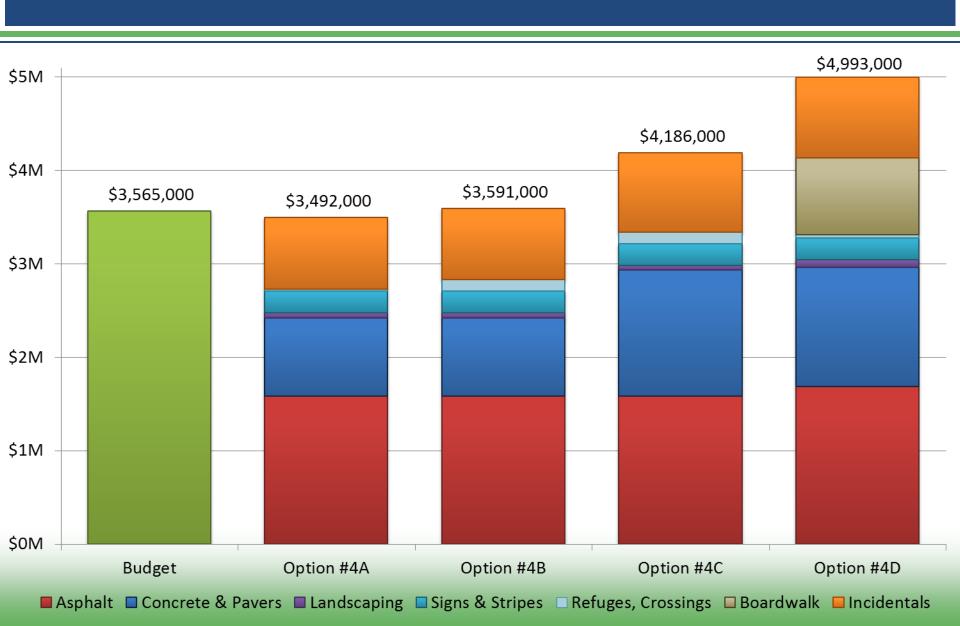


two lane, two way landscaped median

6.5' cycle tracks pedestrian sidewalk & boardwalk at 31st, boardwalk, & 23rd

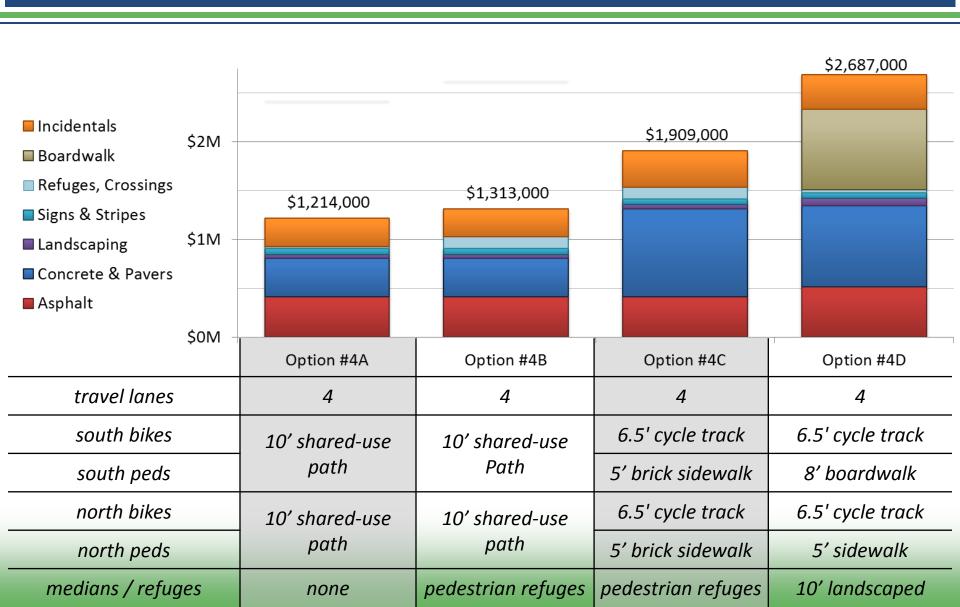


PROJECT COST ESTIMATES



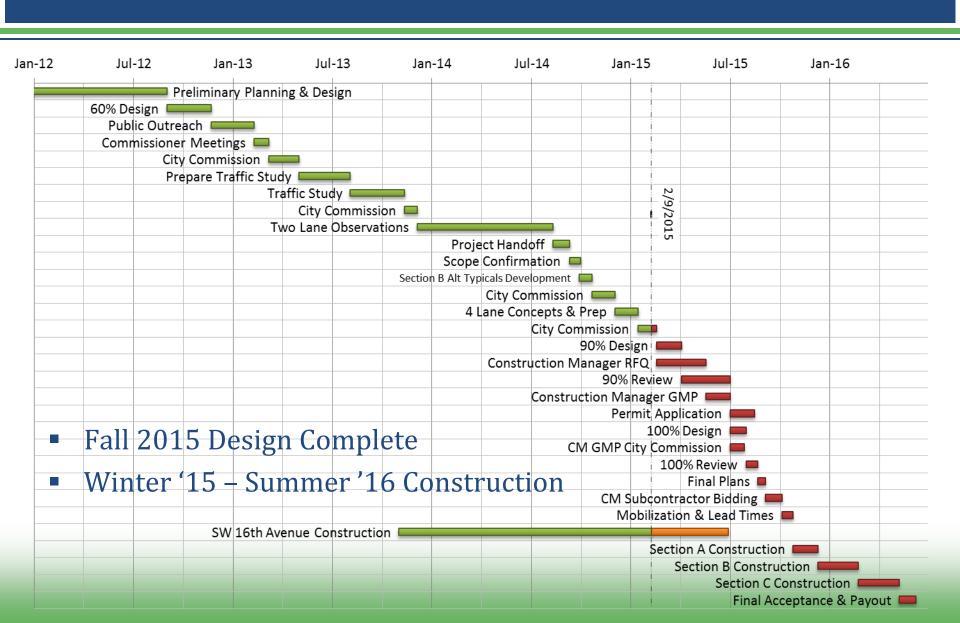


SECTION B COST ESTIMATES





SCHEDULE





CULVERT REPLACEMENT

Creek fills existing triple 10' x 7' box culvert structure at ~2500 NW 8th Avenue with sediment.

- 3 Culvert replacement recommendations received.
- CIP Request submitted for \$2.2M.



COMMENTS & QUESTIONS

Recommendation

- Commission receive the staff presentation.
- Select an Option for Section B to proceed toward final plans. Key Decisions:
- 1. □No refuges □Refuge islands □Full length median
- 2. □Shared use paths □Cycle tracks



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