

CITY OF NEW ORLEANS Michoud Blvd. Reconstruction (Chef Menteur Hwy – Dwyer Rd.) Pre-Construction Community Meeting

May 18, 2017

Agenda

- Introductions
- Michoud Blvd. Reconstruction Project

(Chef Mentuer Hwy – Dwyer Rd.)

- What to expect during construction
- Discussion

Project Area



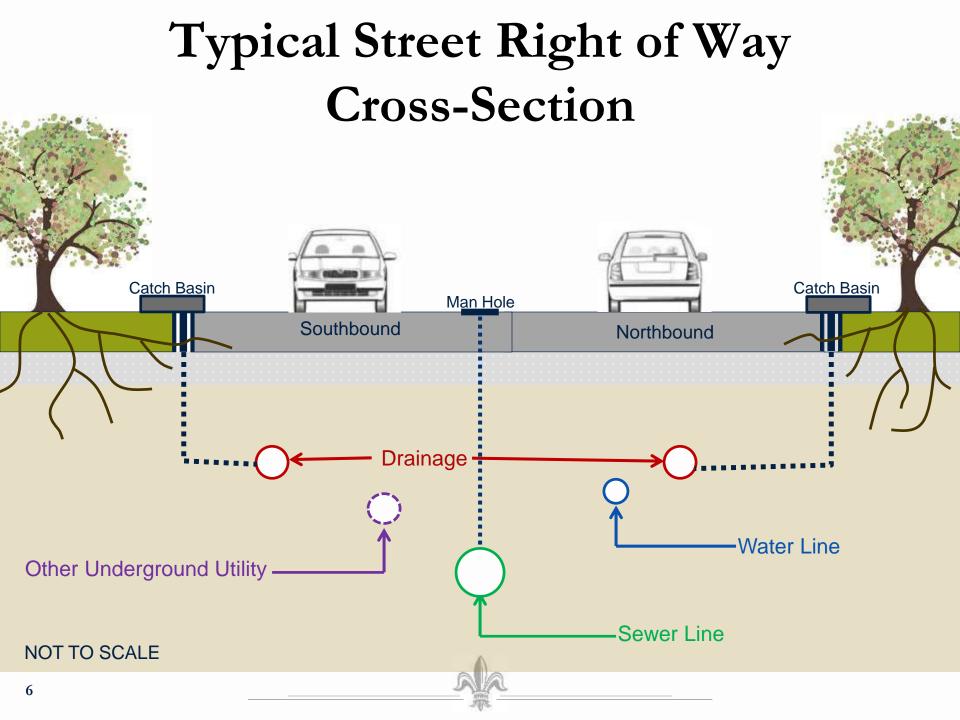
Michoud Blvd. Reconstruction Project (Chef Menteur Hwy – Dwyer Rd.)

- **Design:** Evans-Graves Engineers, Inc.
- **Construction:** Cycle Construction Company, LLC.
- Approximately **\$3.8 M** project
- **Timeline:** Construction will begin in early June 2017 and last about one year

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Existing conditions of Michoud Blvd at Dwyer Rd., facing south



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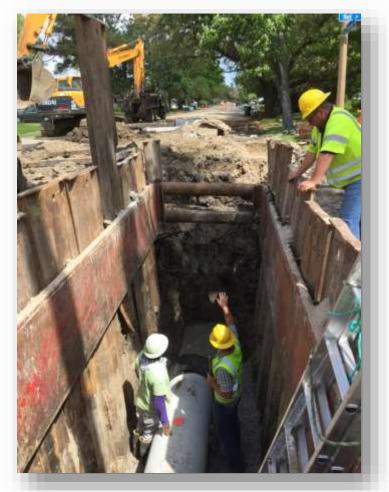
Scope of work includes:

- Fully reconstructing the roadway including replacement of the existing sewer, water and drainage lines
- Installing asphalt roadway from Chef Menteur Hwy to Michoud Lagoon
- Installing concrete roadway from the Michoud Lagoon to Dwyer Rd.
- Installing 4 ft sidewalks and American with Disabilities Act curb ramps
- Adding striping with high visibility crosswalks

Subsurface Utility Replacements

• Replace existing sewer, water and drainage lines





A trench will be dug to replace the underground infrastructure.

Subsurface Utility Replacements

- Minimal water service disruptions
- Notifications will be sent to residents 48hours prior to any work that may cause water service disruptions



Drainage / New Catch Basins

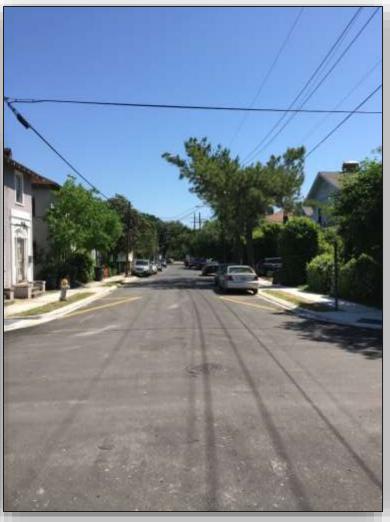
• New drainage lines will help evacuate rain water from the roadway more rapidly



Roadway Striping

- Corner zones
- Parking lane
- High visibility crosswalks





Sidewalks and Driveway Aprons



- Existing sidewalks will be replaced with new four foot sidewalks
- New sidewalks and ramps will meet ADA compliance regulations



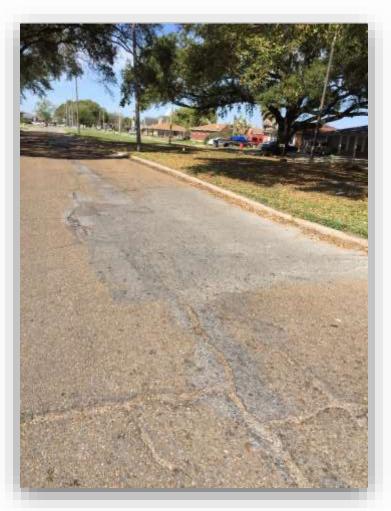
Americans with Disabilities Act-Compliant Curb Ramps



Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant curb ramps at sidewalk corners ensure accessibility for people who are visually or physically impaired, using wheelchairs or strollers.

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***Future Conditions**



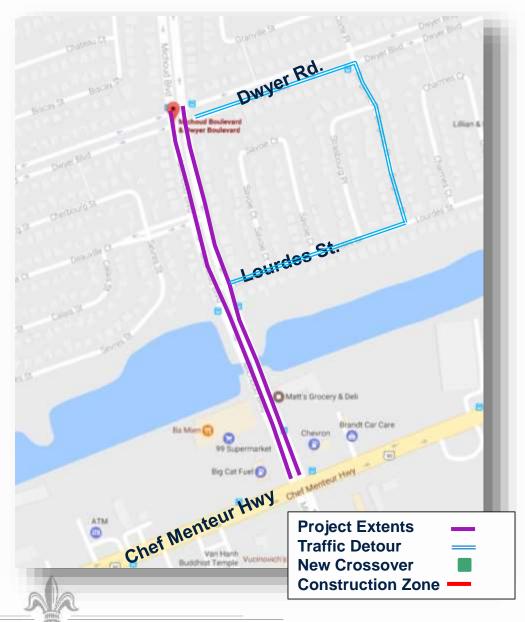
Michoud Blvd. will look similar to Oretha Castle Haley Blvd. and St. Bernard Ave. at the conclusion of construction

Project divided into several phases.

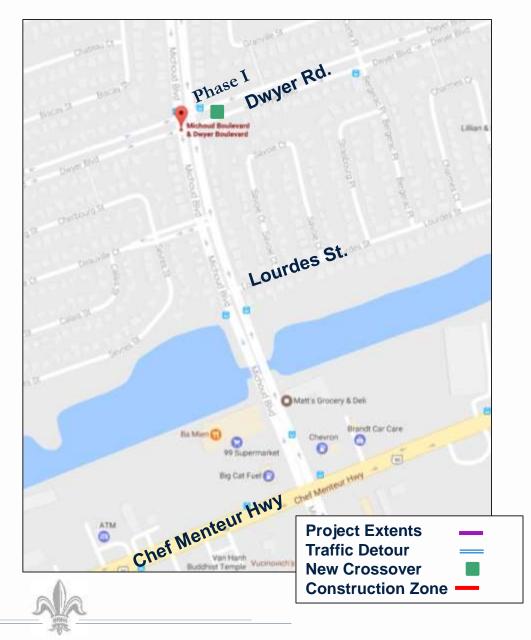
In general, trucks and buses will detour to Alcee Fortier Blvd.

Local traffic will re-route to:

- Bergerac Pl.
- Lourdes St.



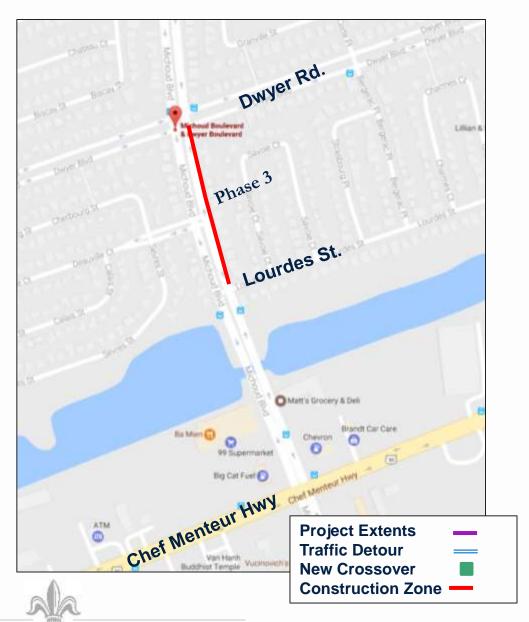
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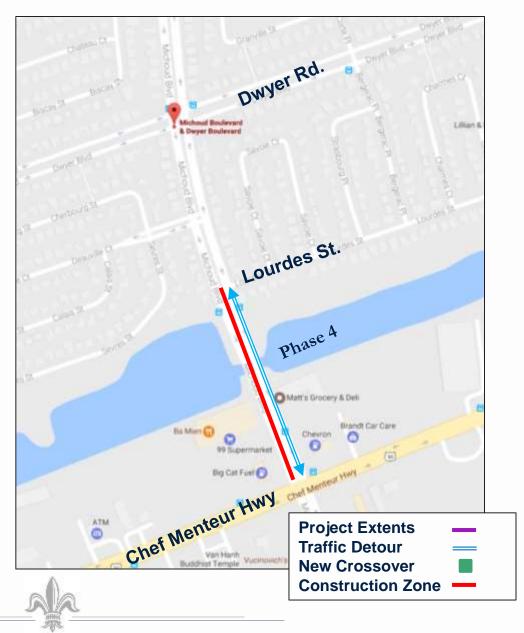
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- Phase 3: West roadway flows as usual, east roadway detours at Lourdes St.

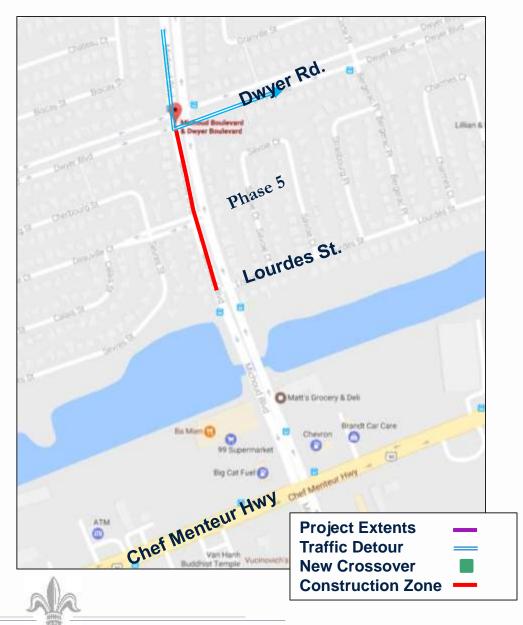


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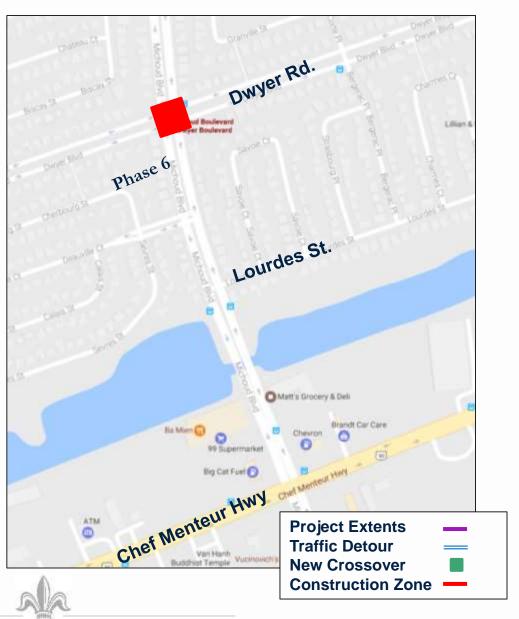
Phase 5: Reconstruction of west roadway from Lourdes St. to Dwyer Rd., local traffic shifts to Dwyer Rd. and Bergerac Pl.



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Phase 5: Reconstruction of west roadway from Lourdes St. to Dwyer Rd., local traffic shifts to routes in blue

Phase 6: Reconstruction of the intersection at Dwyer Rd. and Michoud Blvd., requires single lane closures, intermittent closures



Temporary construction impacts

- Additional construction equipment
- Limited parking availability
- Sounds
- Dust

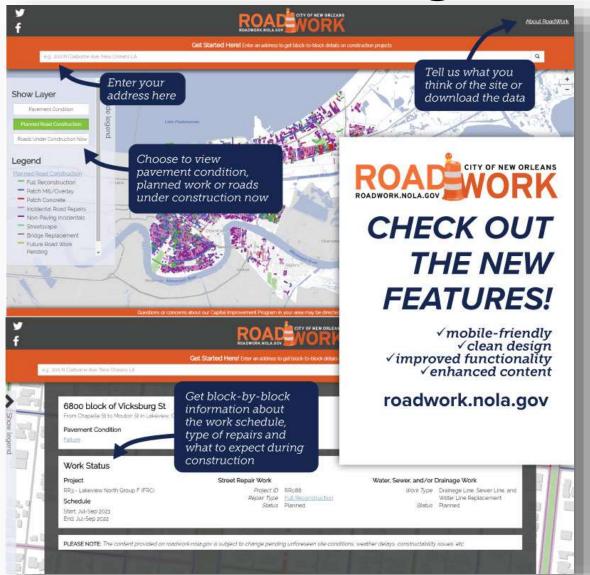
Efforts to minimize construction impacts

- Construction signage placed around the sites.
- Any temporary closures will be communicated in advance.
- Any changes to garbage and US Postal services will be communicated in advance.
- Residents will be informed throughout construction.

Regular work hours are Monday-Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Permission for occasional weekend work may be granted, if required.



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