



# Read Blvd West Group C Pre-Construction Community Meeting

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City of New Orleans

July 28, 2020



# Agenda and House Rules

## Read Blvd West Group C

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- **Introductions**

Yvonne Martin, *Neighborhood Liaison, Neighborhood Engagement Office*

- **Read Boulevard West Group C**

Brian Fontaine, *Project Manager, Department of Public Works*

- **What to expect during construction**

Nakeila Polk, *Community Outreach Manager, RoadworkNOLA*

- **Questions & Answers**

*Yvonne Martin*

### House Rules

- Allow one person to speak at a time.
- Questions about the project can be submitted via email to [ymartin@nola.gov](mailto:ymartin@nola.gov) and via text to 504-384-8055.
- Keep your comments concise and relevant.

# Safety Guidelines for Contractors During COVID-19

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- Single point of entry into the jobsite and check-in/check-out of all workers.
- Temperature scan upon entry and anyone exhibiting signs of illness not allowed on site.
- Thorough daily cleaning of work areas. Wipe down of surfaces and frequently touched items.
- Handwashing stations provided with mandated proper handwashing at intervals throughout the day.
- No interactions with more than 10 people and maintaining at least 6 feet space between workers.
- Educational literature posted in multiple languages, along with daily training on appropriate conduct.
- Immediate reporting of any cases of known COVID-19.
- All progress meetings will continue as virtual meetings.



# Capital Improvement Program Highlights

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- **More than \$2.3B worth of combined DPW / SWBNO work**
  - Most comprehensive infrastructure program our region has seen in a generation.
  - More than **200** individual projects - every neighborhood will feel a positive impact.
  - **Multiple Funding Sources:** FEMA-funded road / waterline work, FEMA-funded Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) projects, HUD-funded National Disaster Resiliency Competition (NDRC) grant projects, SWB-funded Sewer System Evaluation and Rehabilitation Program (SSERP) (sewer consent decree) work and City-funded bond project work.
  - Work will create **thousands** of construction jobs across the city and maximize economic opportunity for the City's small and disadvantaged

# Types of CIP Construction

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## **Full Reconstruction**

Repair sewerage, water, and drainage lines, rebuild the street entirely, and repair sidewalks and curbs.

## **Patch Mill/Overlay**

Repave the asphalt roadway from curb to curb and repair damaged sidewalks.

## **Patch Concrete**

Remove damaged portions of the concrete roadway and replace it with new smooth concrete pavement and repair damaged sidewalks.

# Types of CIP Construction

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## **Incidental Road Repairs**

Remove damaged portions of the asphalt roadway and replace it with new smooth pavement.

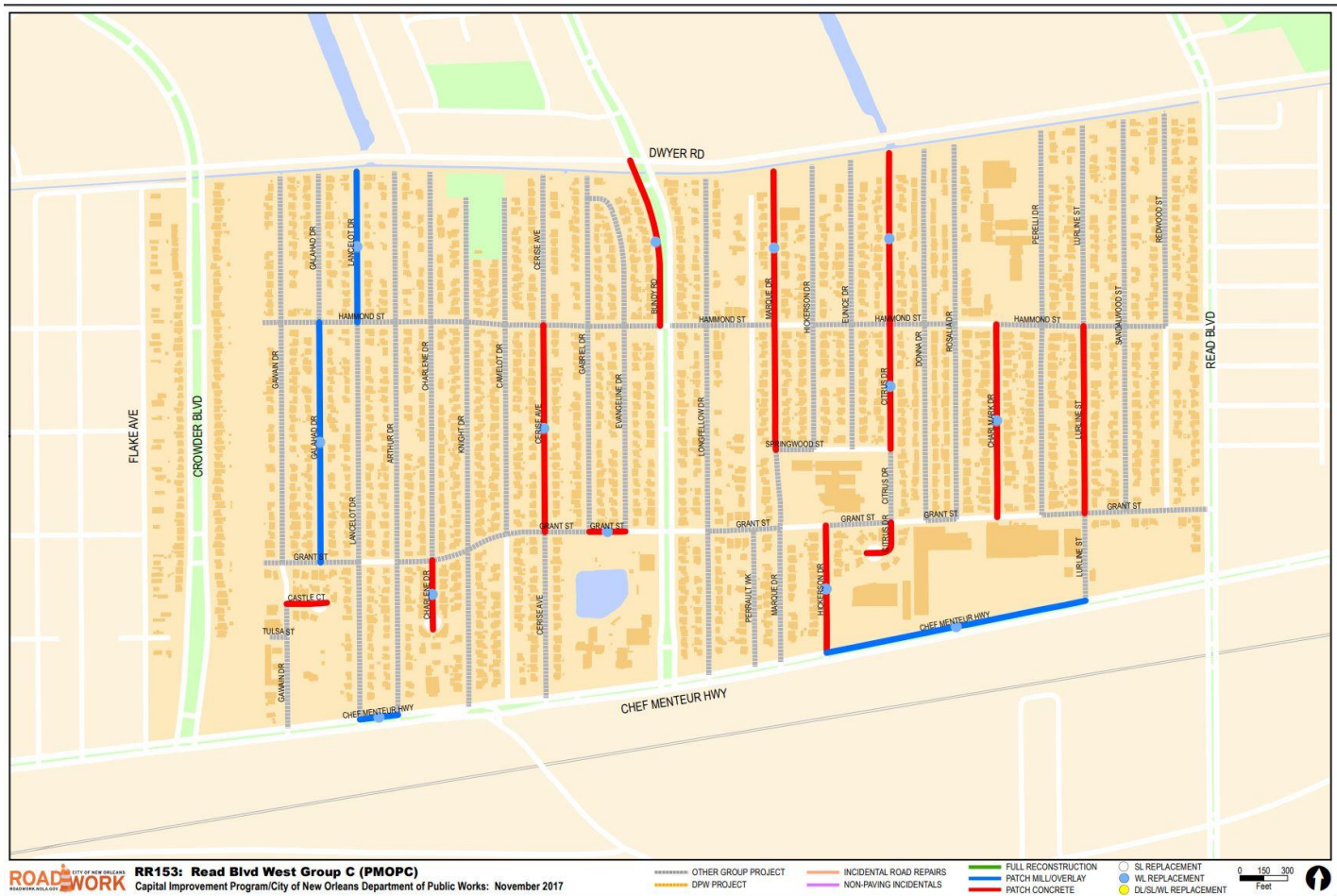
## **Non-Paving Incidentals**

Repair damaged sidewalks, driveway aprons and curbs within the public right-of-way.

## **Other Group Project**

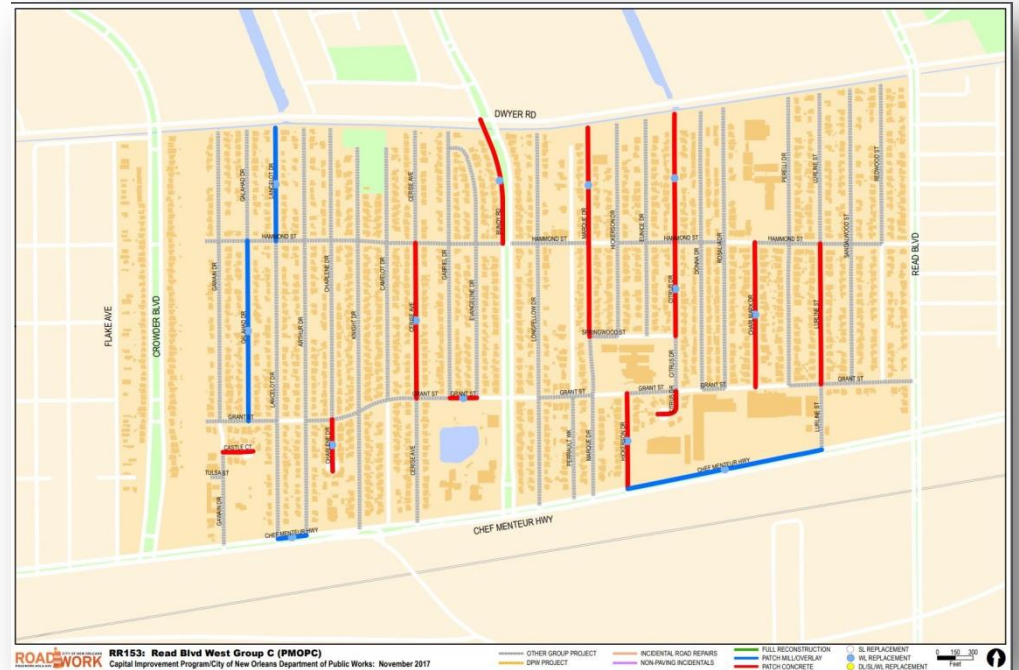
Street is in the design phase or is planned to be built in a future project.

# Read Boulevard West Group C Patch, Mill, Overlay and Patch Concrete



# Project Overview

- **Design:** Principal Engineering, Inc.
- **Construction:** Palmisano Construction L.L.C
- **Construction Cost:** Approximately \$10 Million Project
- **Timeline:** Project will begin September 2020 and be completed in summer 2021





# Scope of work

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- Replace damaged underground water and drainage lines;
- Repave the roadway;
- Replace damaged sidewalks and driveway aprons; and
- Install Americans with Disabilities Act-compliant curb ramps at intersections.

# Waterline Replacements or Repairs

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



# Patch Mill / Overlay

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- Roadway will be re-surfaced with asphalt
- Repairs may be made to some damaged curbs, sidewalks and driveway aprons



# Sidewalks

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- Sidewalk panels adjacent to Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant ramps will be replaced with new sidewalks.
- New sidewalks and ramps will meet ADA-regulations.



# Americans with Disabilities Act-Compliant Curb Ramps

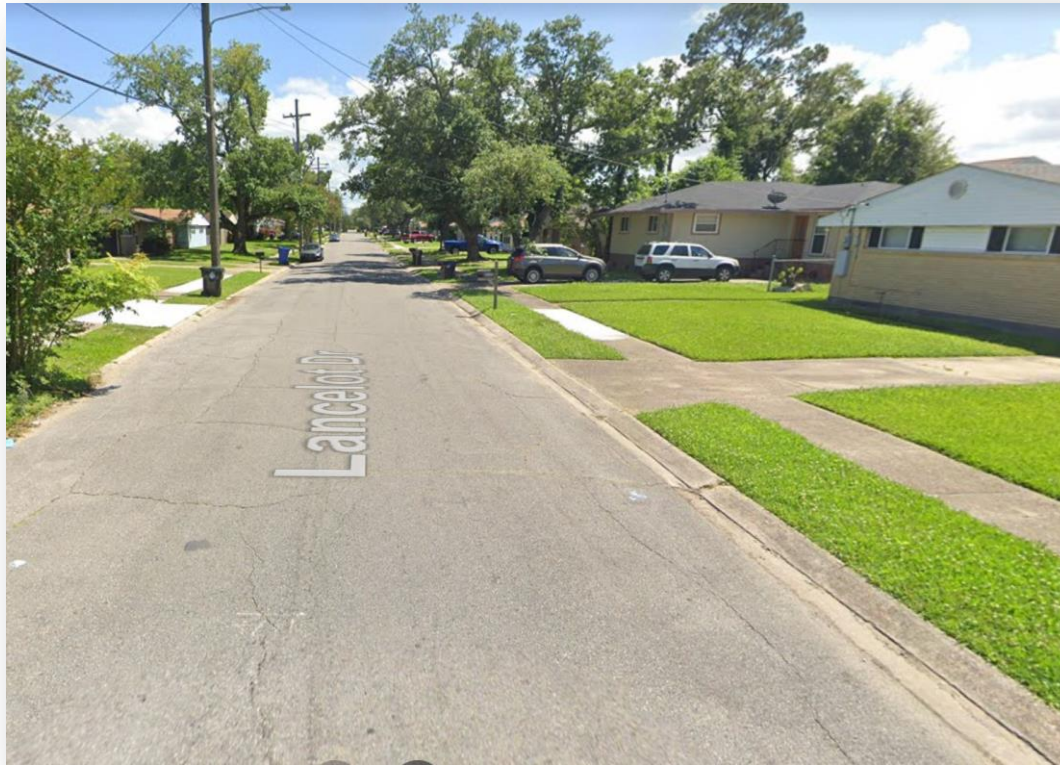
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Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant curb ramps at sidewalk corners ensure accessibility for people who are visually or physically impaired, using wheelchairs or strollers.

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**Existing condition on Lancelot Drive.**



# Future Conditions

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**An example of a repaved block on the recently completed Read Blvd.  
West Group A project.**

# Project Timeline

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<u>Milestone</u>	<u>Date</u>
Construction Start	September 2020
Construction Complete	Summer 2021

\* Please note that all schedules are subject to change and weather delays.



# What to Expect During Construction

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*Sequencing of this project will be communicated with residents upon finalization. There will be signage placed prominently to indicate road closures for vehicular, pedestrian and bike traffic. Impacts related to sequencing will be communicated to the community by the RoadworkNOLA office.*

## **Temporary construction impacts**

- Additional construction equipment –
  - **Staging for this project has yet to be determined.**
- Limited parking availability
- Sounds
- Dust

## **Efforts to minimize construction impacts**

- ✓ Construction signage placed around the sites.
- ✓ Any temporary closures will be communicated in advance.
- ✓ Construction equipment will not be staged in areas that prohibit residential access and parking.
- ✓ 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 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Permission for occasional weekend work may be granted, if required.

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**6800 block of Vicksburg St**  
From Chapelle St to Mouton St in Lakeview, LA

**Pavement Condition**  
Failure

**Work Status**

Project	Street Repair Work	Water, Sewer, and/or Drainage Work
RR3 - Lakeview North Group F (FRCI)	Project ID: RR088	Work Type: Drainage Line, Sewer Line, and Water Line Replacement
Schedule: Start: Jul-Sep 2021, End: Jul-Sep 2022	Repair Type: Full Reconstruction	Status: Planned
	Status: Planned	

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