

STAKEHOLDER MEETING

JUNE 11TH 2025



CITY OF WADSWORTH

Downtown Infrastructure
& Streetscape

Agenda

Welcome + Meeting Purpose

Introductions

Project Background + Process

Project Framework

Group Activity + Share Out

Next Steps



Who We Are: Project Team

CITY OF WADSWORTH

CITY LEADERSHIP

**RELEVANT STAKEHOLDERS,
BUSINESSES, CITY STAFF &
DEPARTMENTS**

CESO 
Civil Engineering and Traffic

**Expert in Streetscapes,
Parks, and Public Realm**

MKSK
Landscape Architecture and
Planning

**Technical Expertise, and
Practical Experience**

Me
Branding + Community
Engagement

**Experts in Building Trust,
Consensus, and Support**

Let's Get to Know YOU!



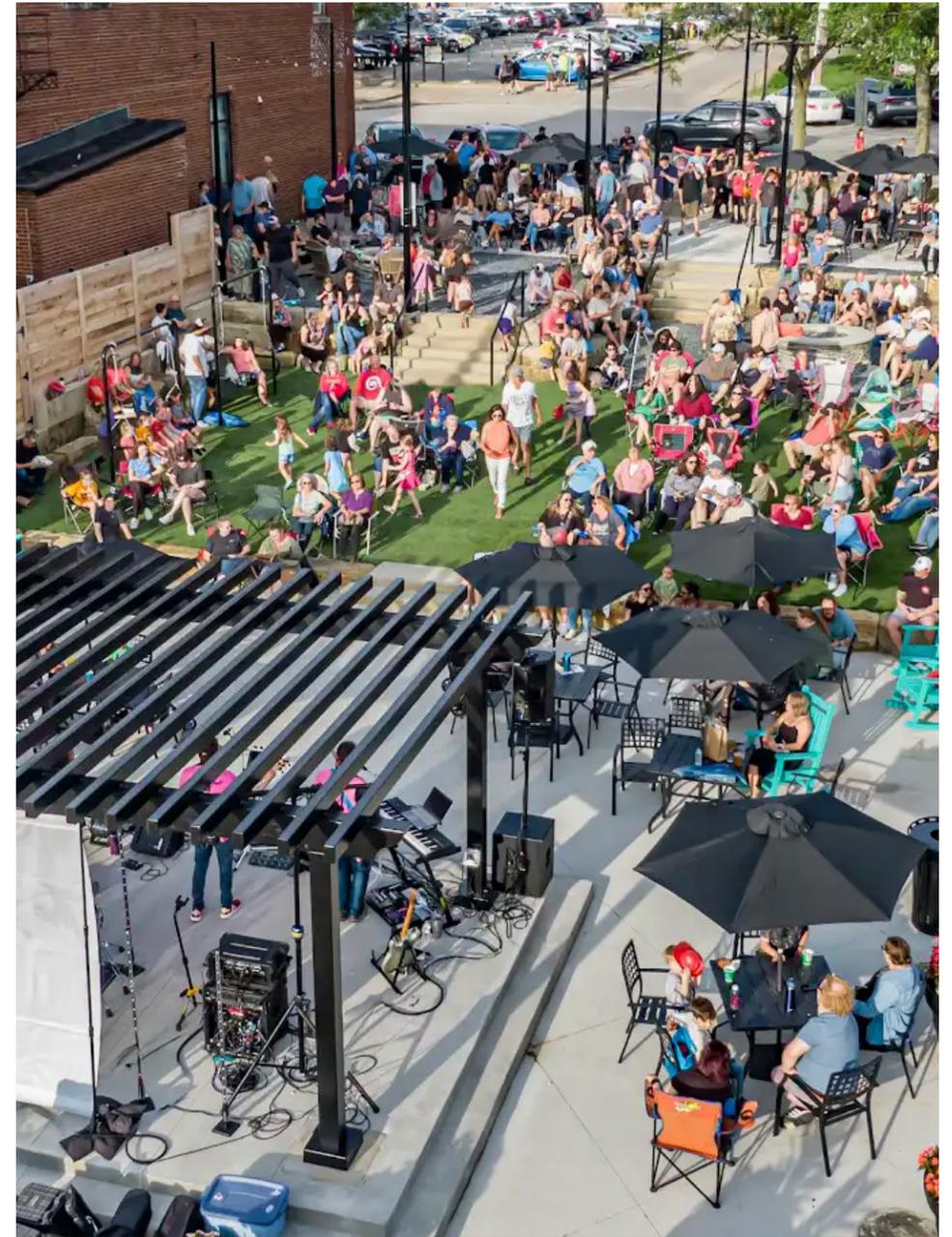
Background: How Did We Get Here?



Vision Plan 2017



Downtown Plan 2022



Building Momentum

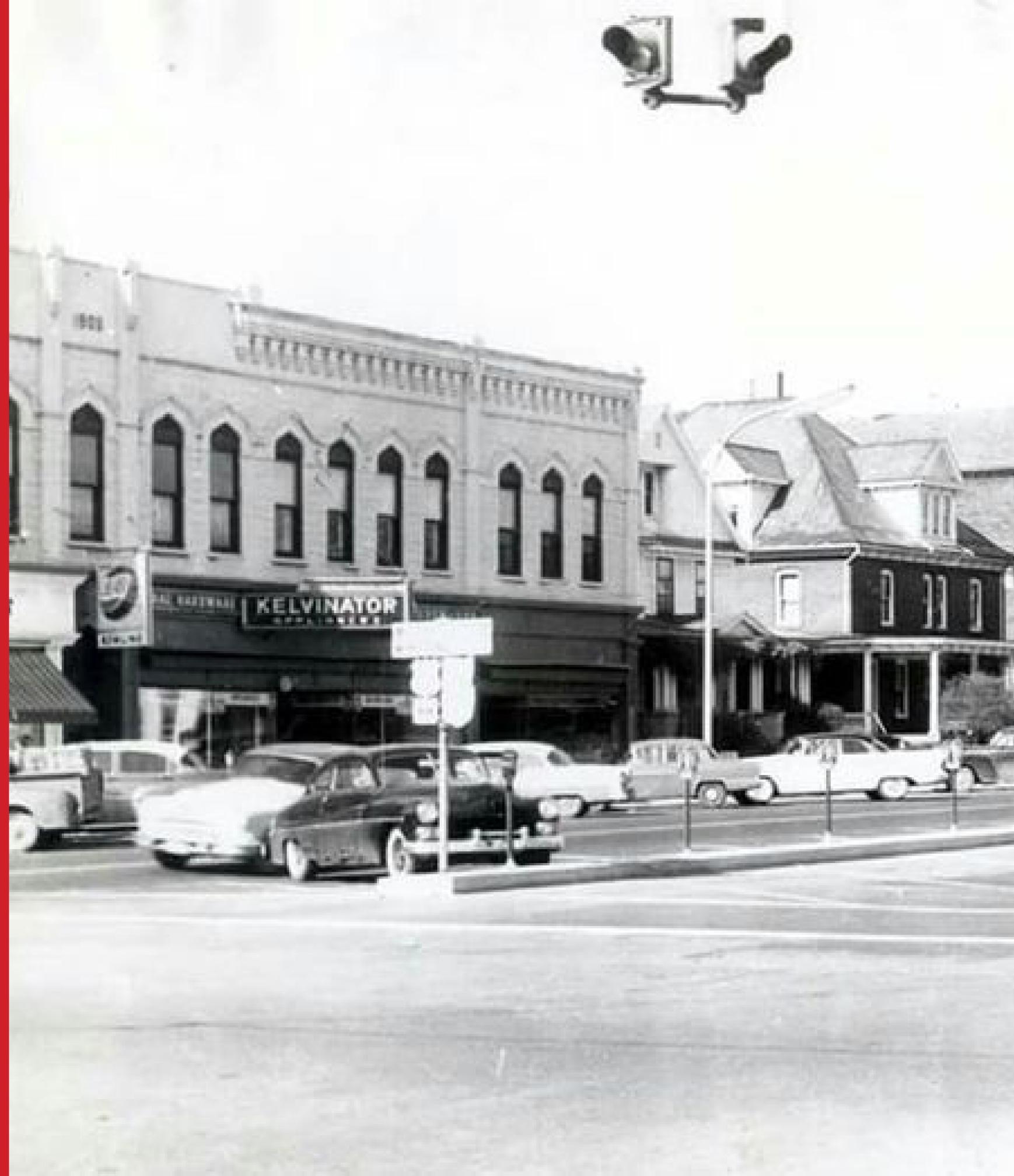
Background: Purpose + Need

Purpose

Modernize aging infrastructure

Need

Many systems are more than 100 years old



Background: The Opportunity

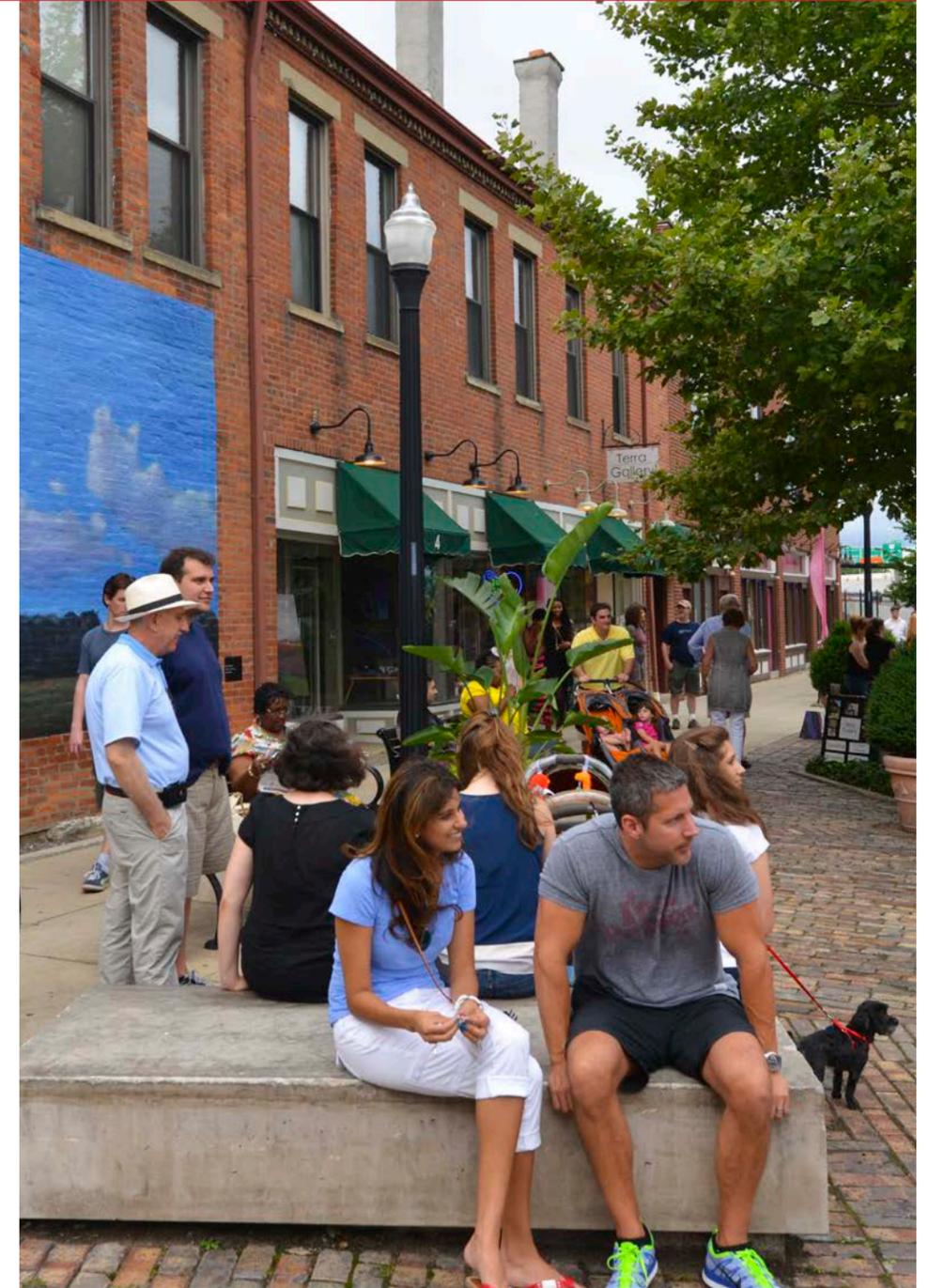


Wooster



Easton

a place for people



Short North

Project Vision



Prioritize Utilities and Infrastructure.



Evaluate the Street and Intersection Layout.



Commit to Great Streets.



Leverage the Downtown Charm.

Infrastructure

Circulation

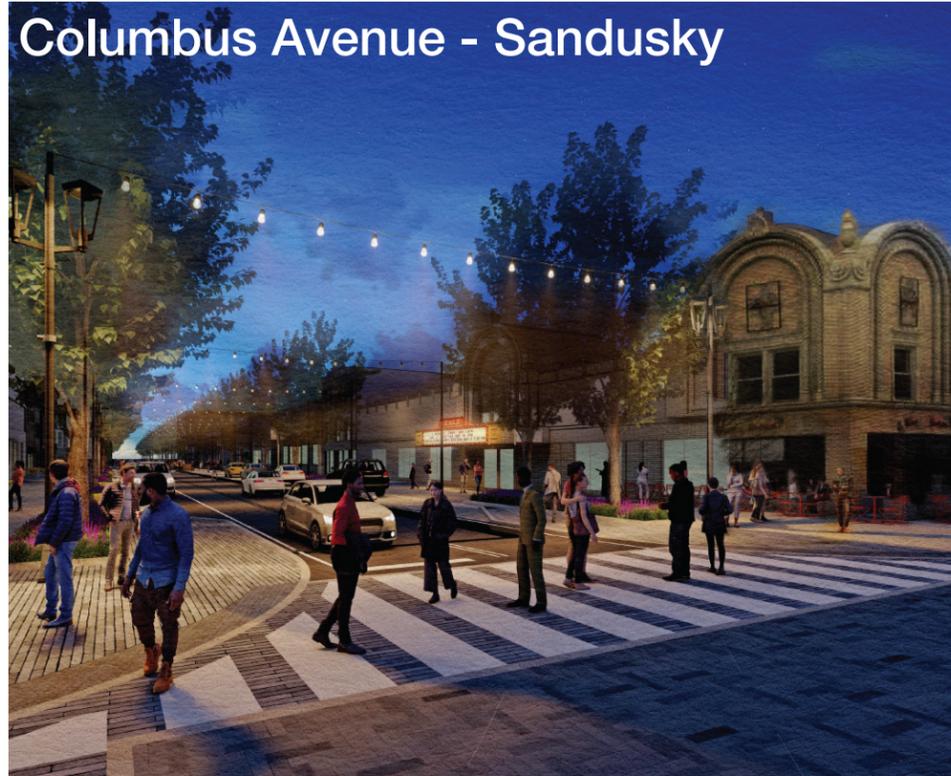
Public Realm

Character

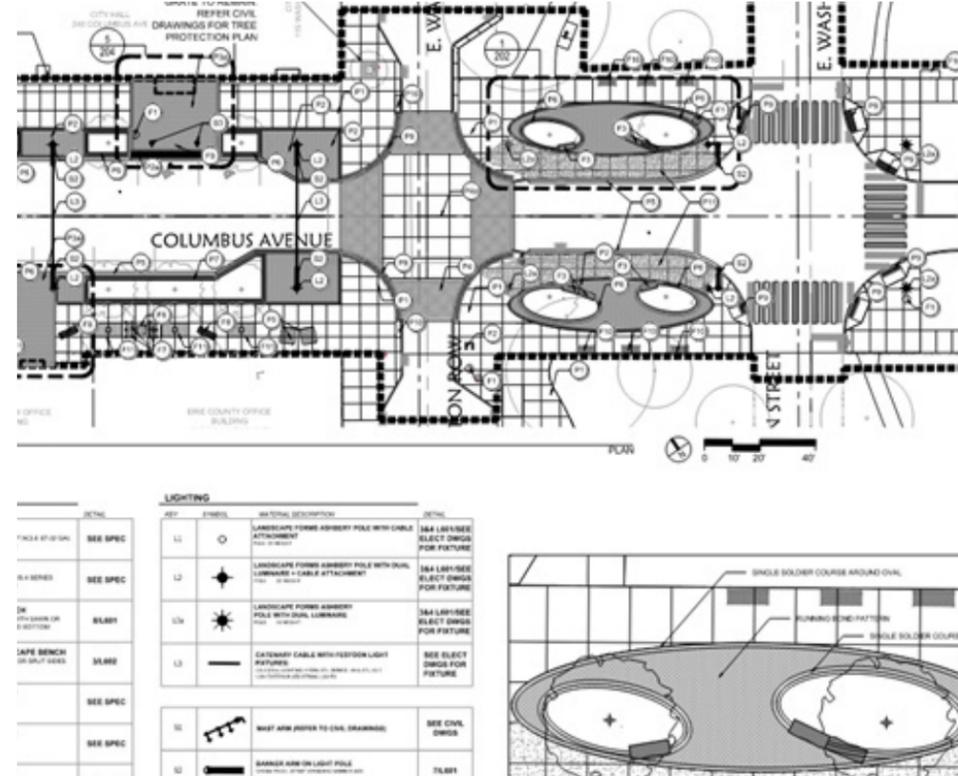
Safety

Project Process

Columbus Avenue - Sandusky



Planning
(Summer-Fall 2025)

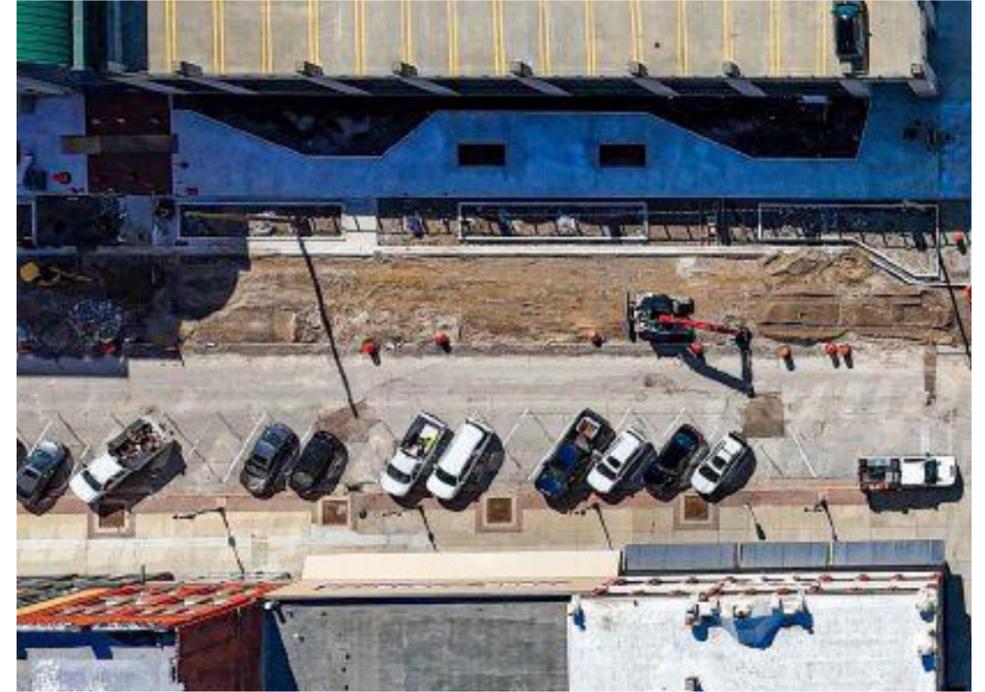


Design
(Summer 2025 - Spring 2026)

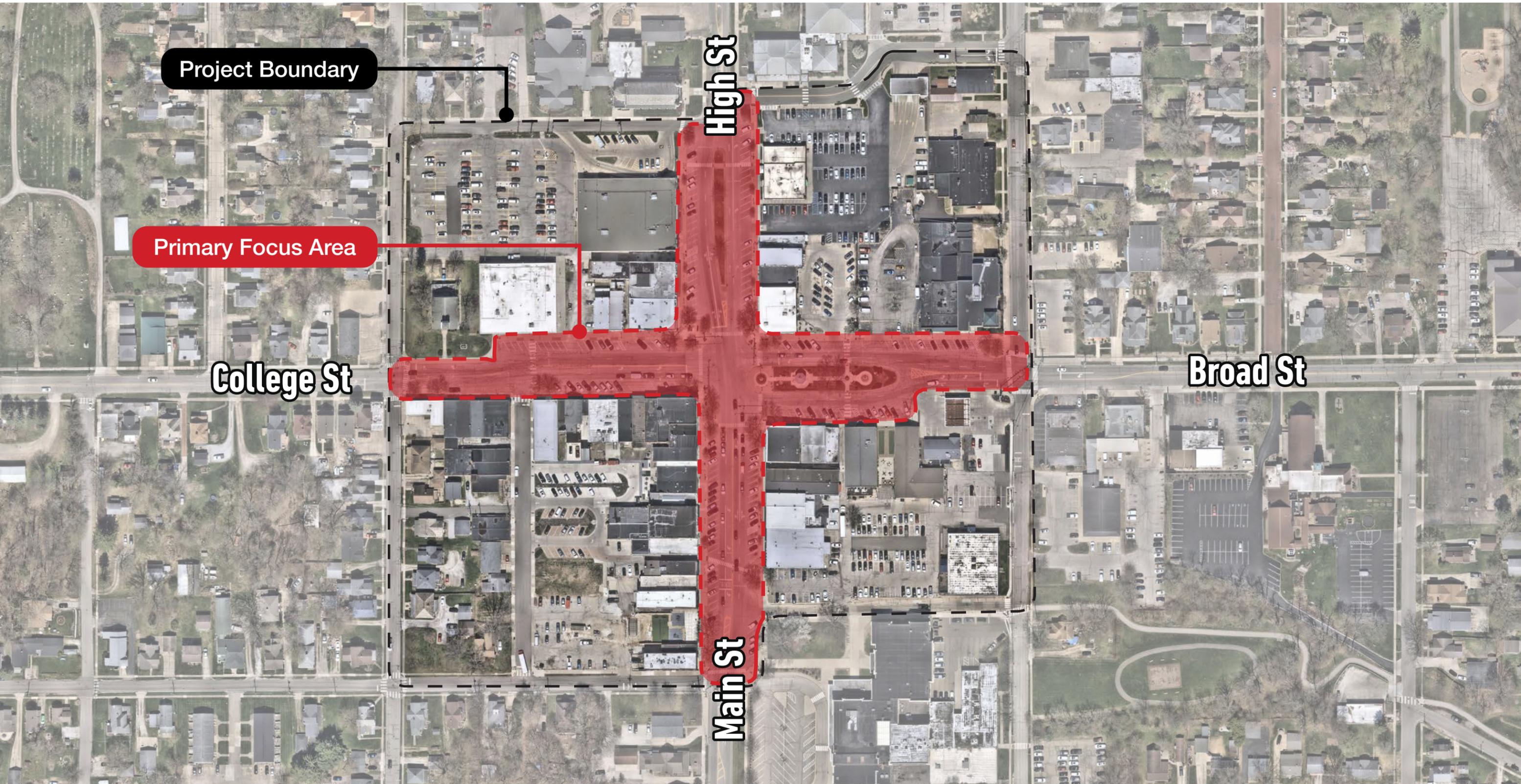


Construction
(Spring 2026 - Fall 2027)

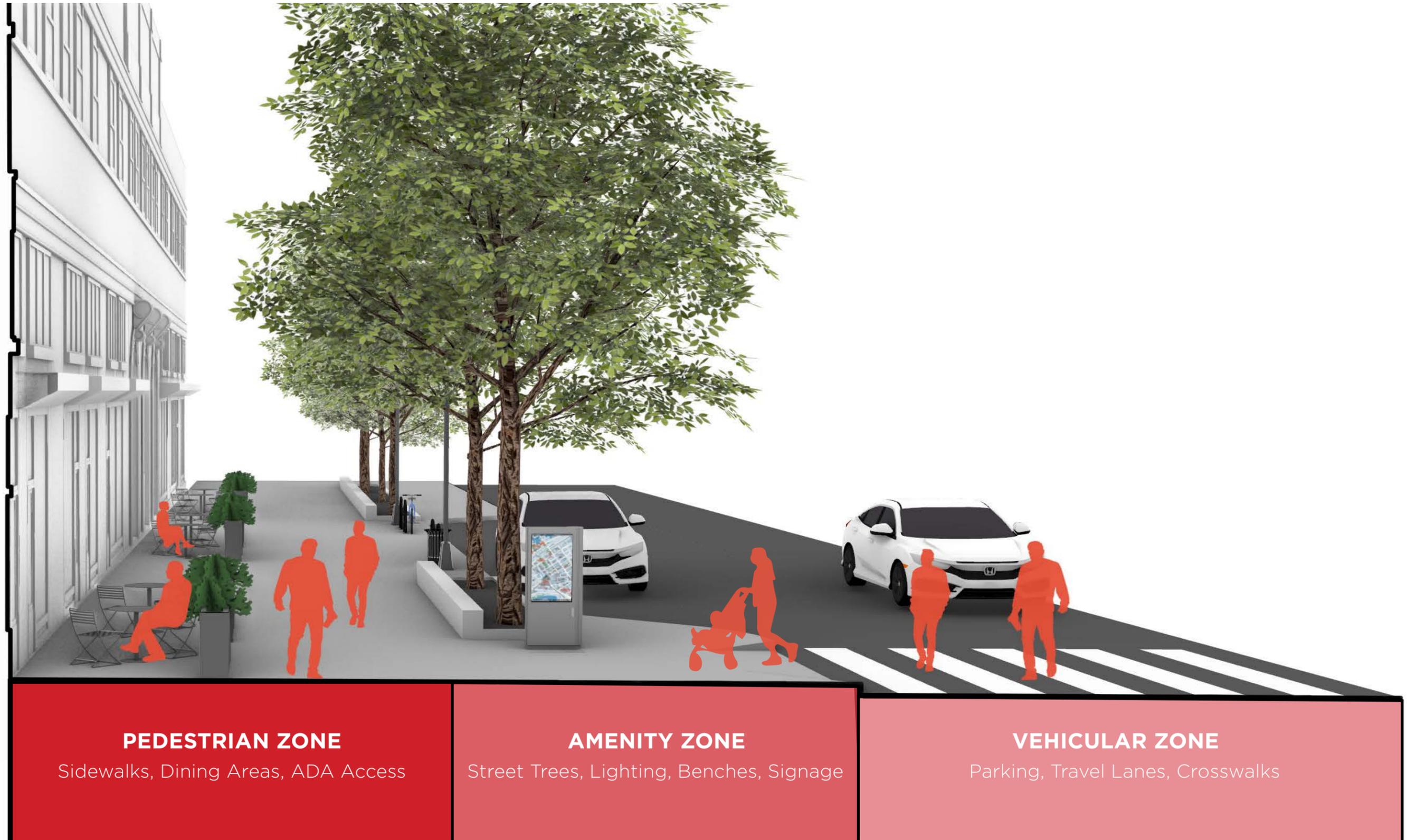
Project Process: Construction Phasing



Framework: Project Area



Framework: What Defines a Typical Streetscape?



Framework: What Defines the Streetscape in Wadsworth?



Framework: Critical Path + Trade-offs

Gazebo + East Park

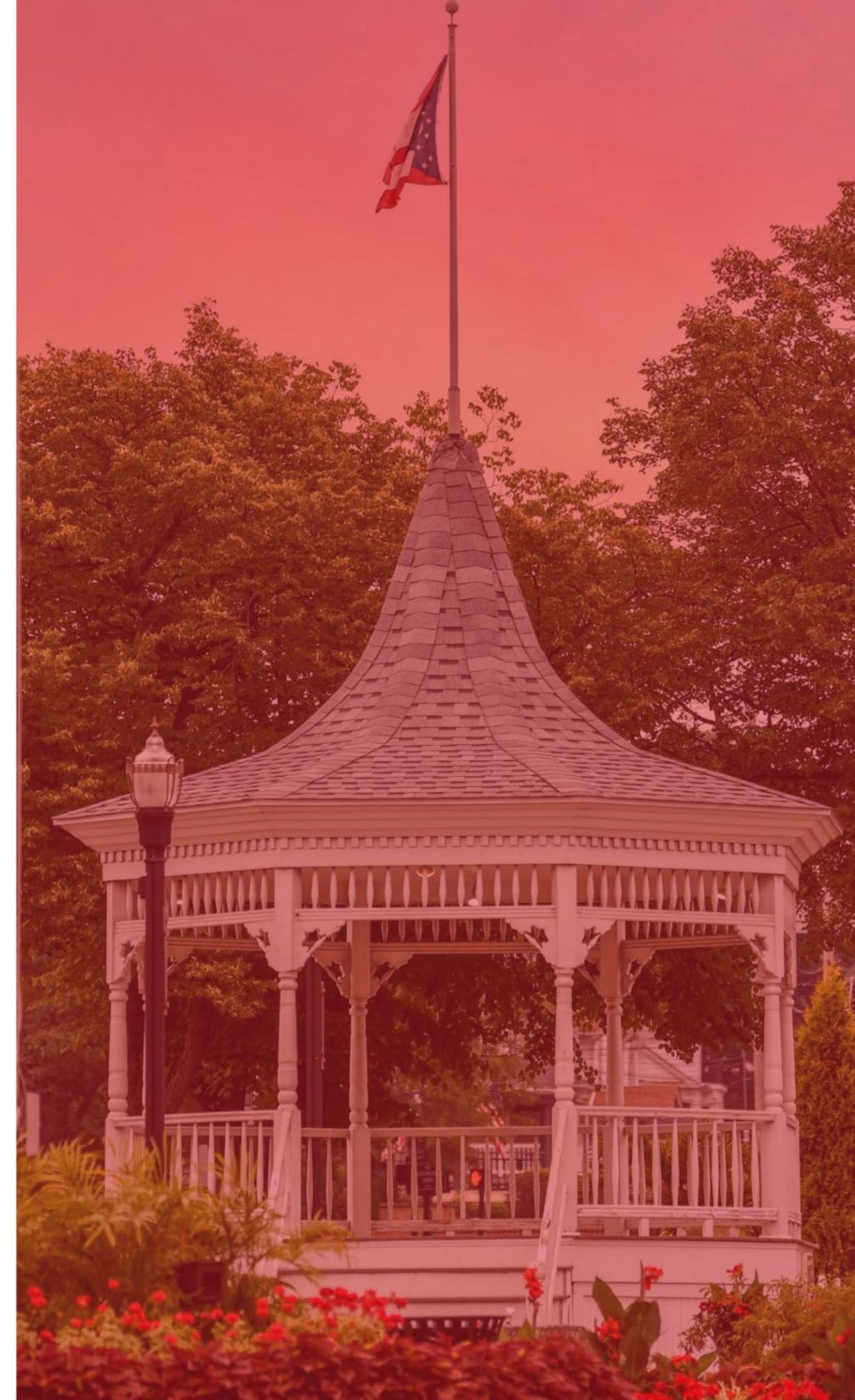
Location + Structures
Experience + Safety

Roadway + Intersection Alignment

Broad + College + Main + High Streets

Parking + Access

Needs + Location + Safety + Experience



Critical Path: Gazebo + East Park

⊕ North Park

⊕ Clock

⊕ Gazebo

⊕ Memorial

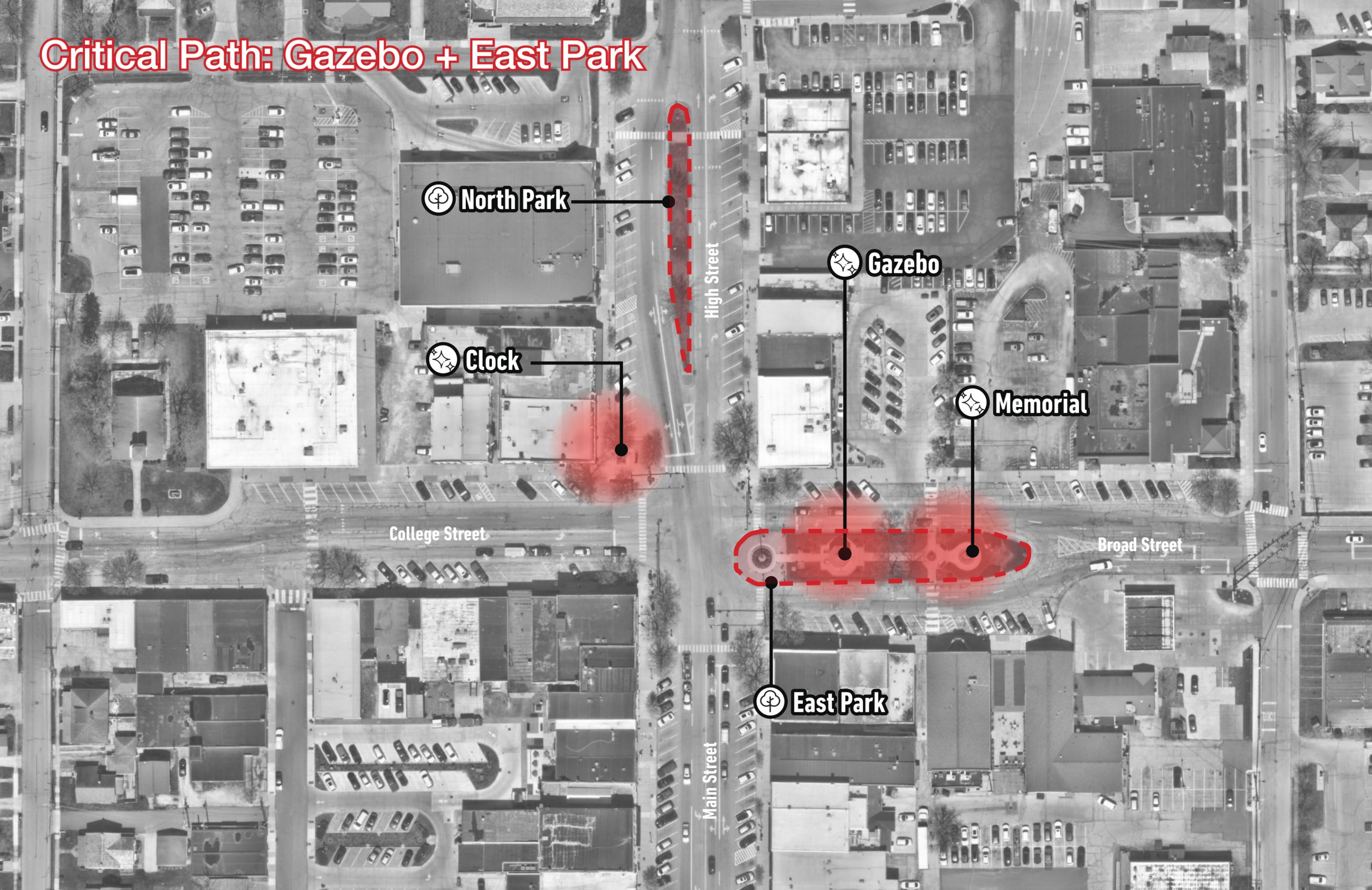
⊕ East Park

High Street

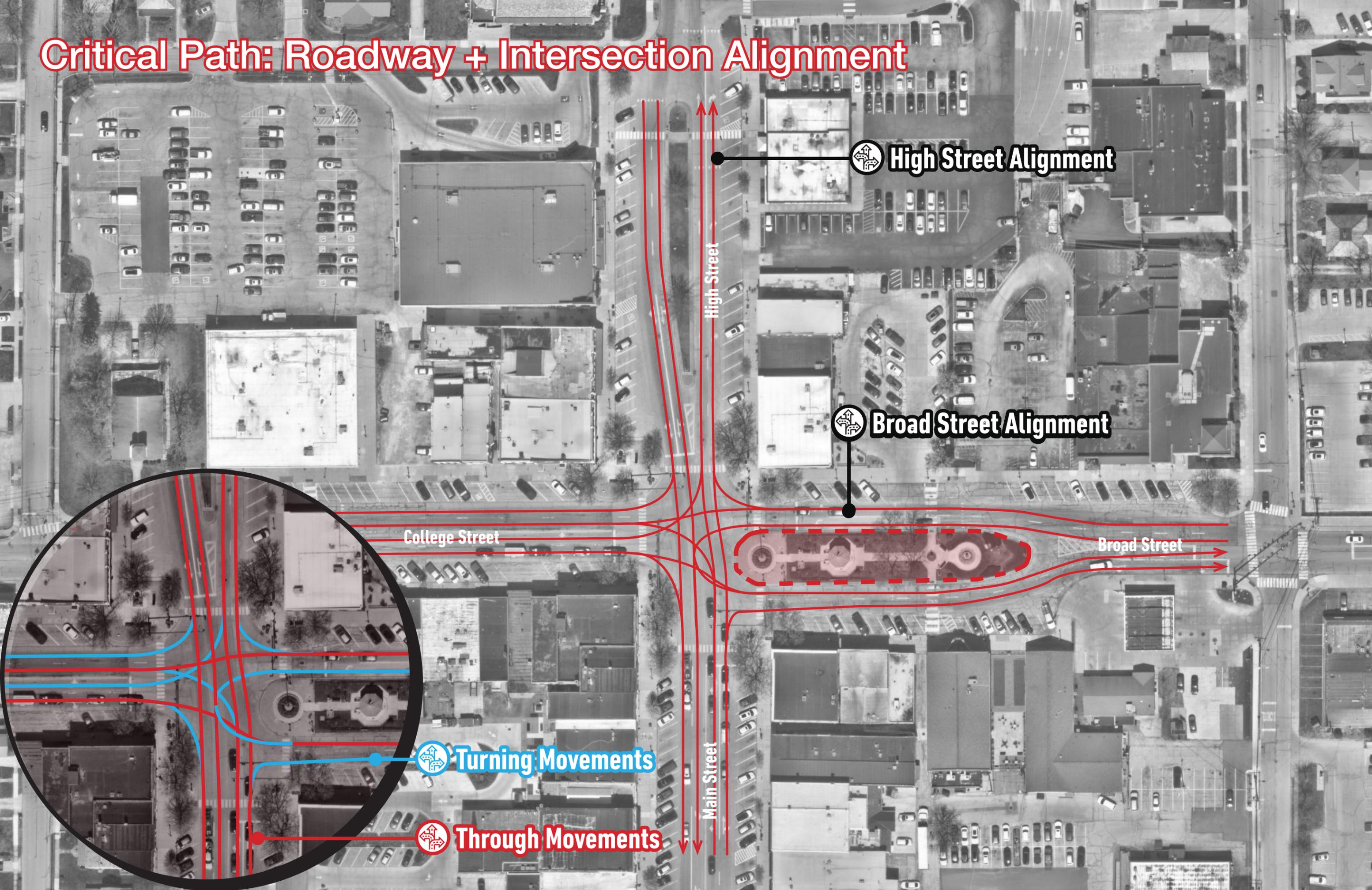
College Street

Main Street

Broad Street



Critical Path: Roadway + Intersection Alignment



 **High Street Alignment**

 **Broad Street Alignment**

College Street

Broad Street

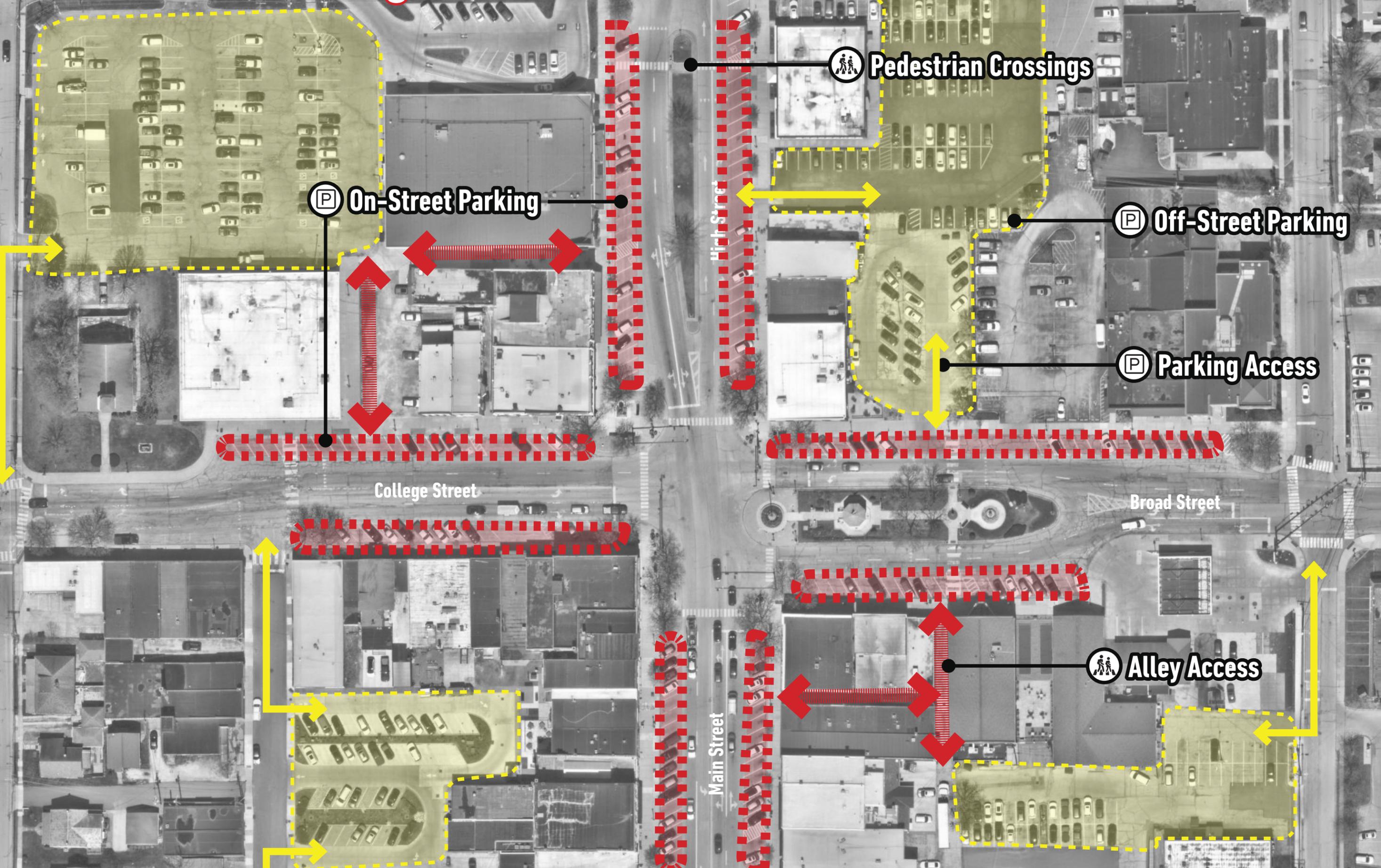
High Street

Main Street

 **Turning Movements**

 **Through Movements**

Critical Path: Parking + Access



Activity

1. Table captains will lead the discussion and record responses
2. Maps and graphics are on your table to help facilitate conversation
3. Please take 5 or so minutes per question
4. Each table will share out comments to the group at the end



Share Out



Next Steps

- Convene a public meeting on June 26
- Seek input at community events
- Technical Analysis
- Draft streetscape design for your review (Summer)

