# Recommendations Examples

Signalized Intersection + Median Refuge



High Visibility Crosswalk + Median Refuge



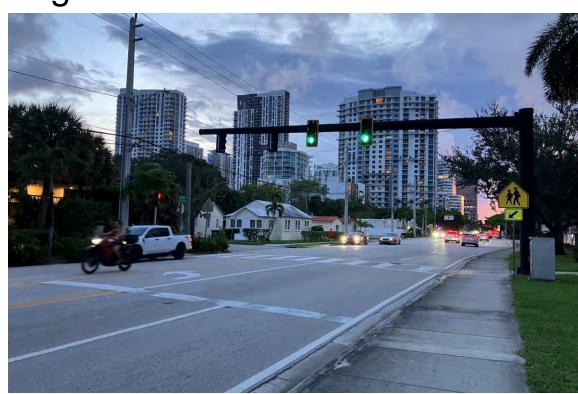
Raised Crosswalk + RRFB



Raised Intersection



Signalized Pedestrian Crosswalk



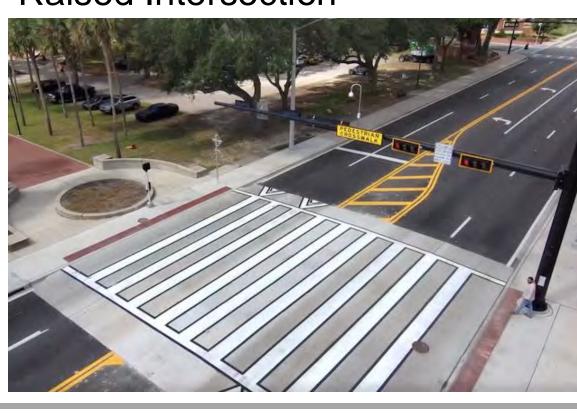
RRFB = Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon



Mid-block Crosswalk at Spot Median + RRFB



Raised Intersection



Painted Curb Extension



Curb Extension – Quick Build



LPI = Leading **P**edestrian

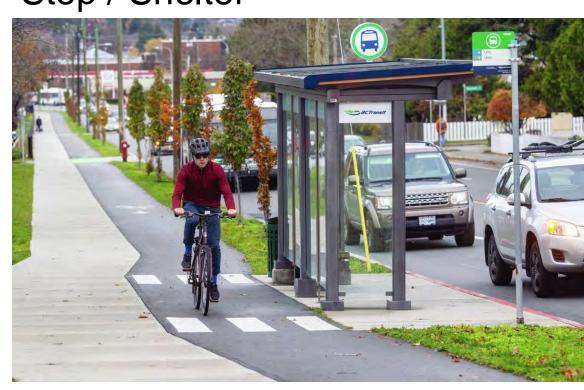




Lane Hardening



Raised Bike Lane behind Bus



Stop / Shelter



Raised Bike Lane





Lane Repurposing / Shared Use Path



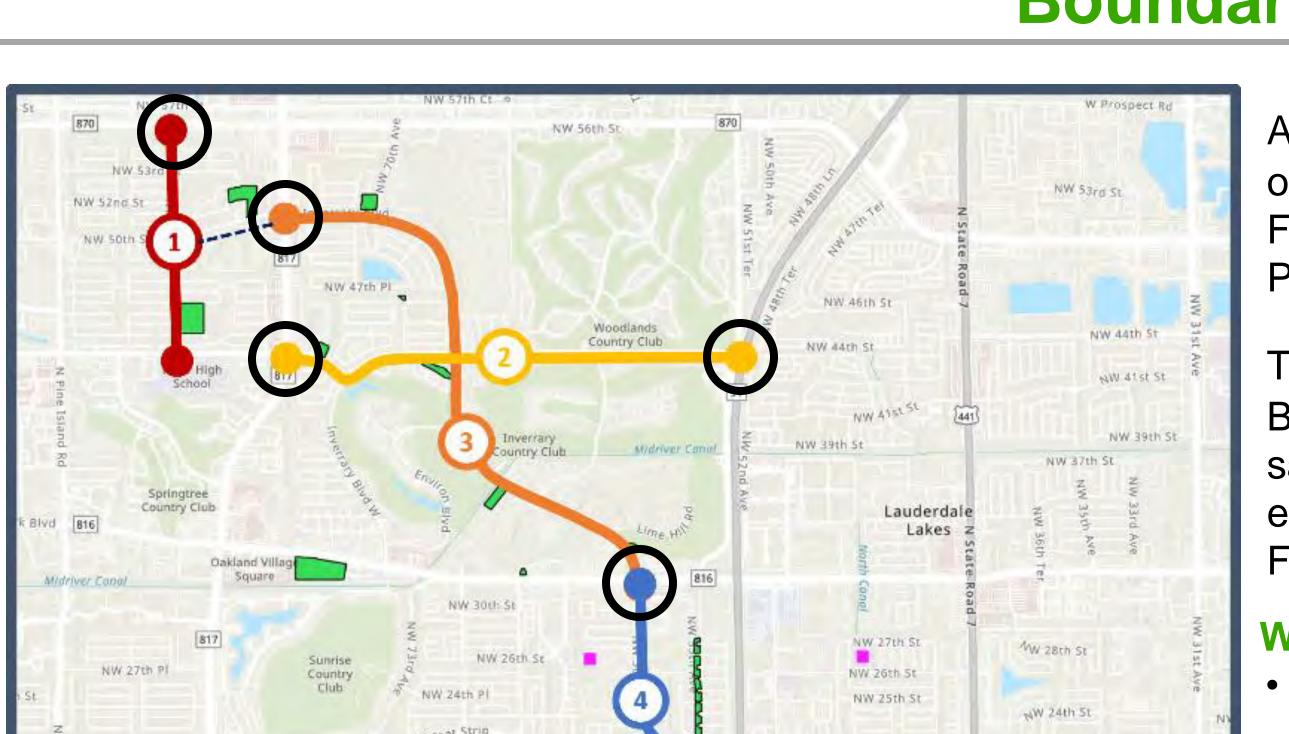


Protected Bike Lane +

Landscaped Median



# **Boundary Intersections Toolkit**



A "Boundary Intersection" is the end point of a Plan Study Area Roadway which is not owned by the City. This includes intersections on roadways owned by Broward County and Florida Department of Transportation: Commercial Blvd, University Dr, Rock Island Rd, Oakland Park Blvd, Sunrise Blvd, and US-441

The **Boundary Intersections Toolkit** is a set of improvements applicable to all the Boundary Intersections. The improvements or "Toolkit" are general in nature and include proven safety countermeasures to address current conditions, as well as long-term connectivity enhancements. They are intended to be implemented in coordination with Broward County or FDOT

#### **Walking Improvements**

- Restripe or stripe crosswalks with high visibility pavement markings
- Add crosswalks at all legs of the intersection if possible
- Add leading pedestrian intervals
- Upgrade to directional curb ramps and tactical striping where missing
- Construct median refuge islands with median noses extended beyond the crosswalk; if refuge islands are not feasible, consider hardened centerlines

#### **Biking Improvements**

- Bike boxes or protected intersections can be added to help permit left-turn movements and increase comfort of people biking
- Add green pavement markings

#### **Turning Speeds**

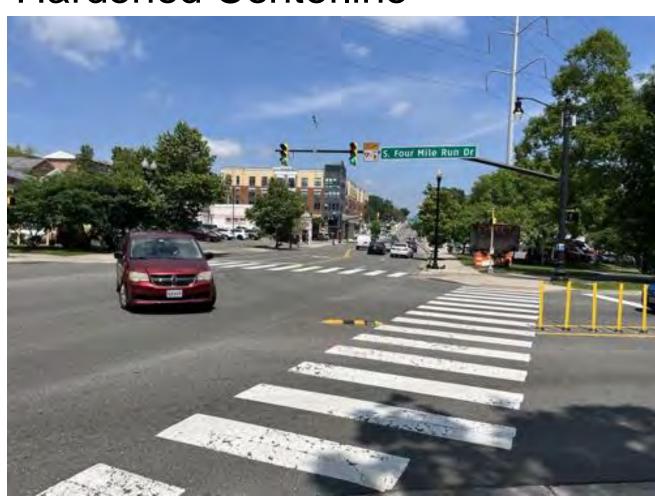
- Implement protected left turn signal phase
- Harden the centerline to guide left turns
- Add curb extensions / sharpen turn radii to slow speed for right turns (as space permits)

### **Toolkit Examples**

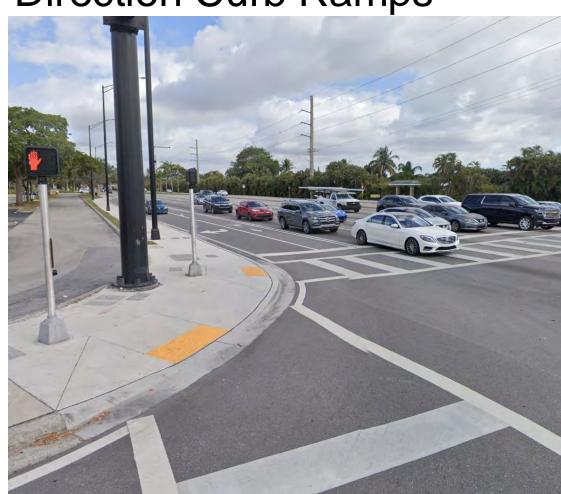
Median Refuge Island



Hardened Centerline



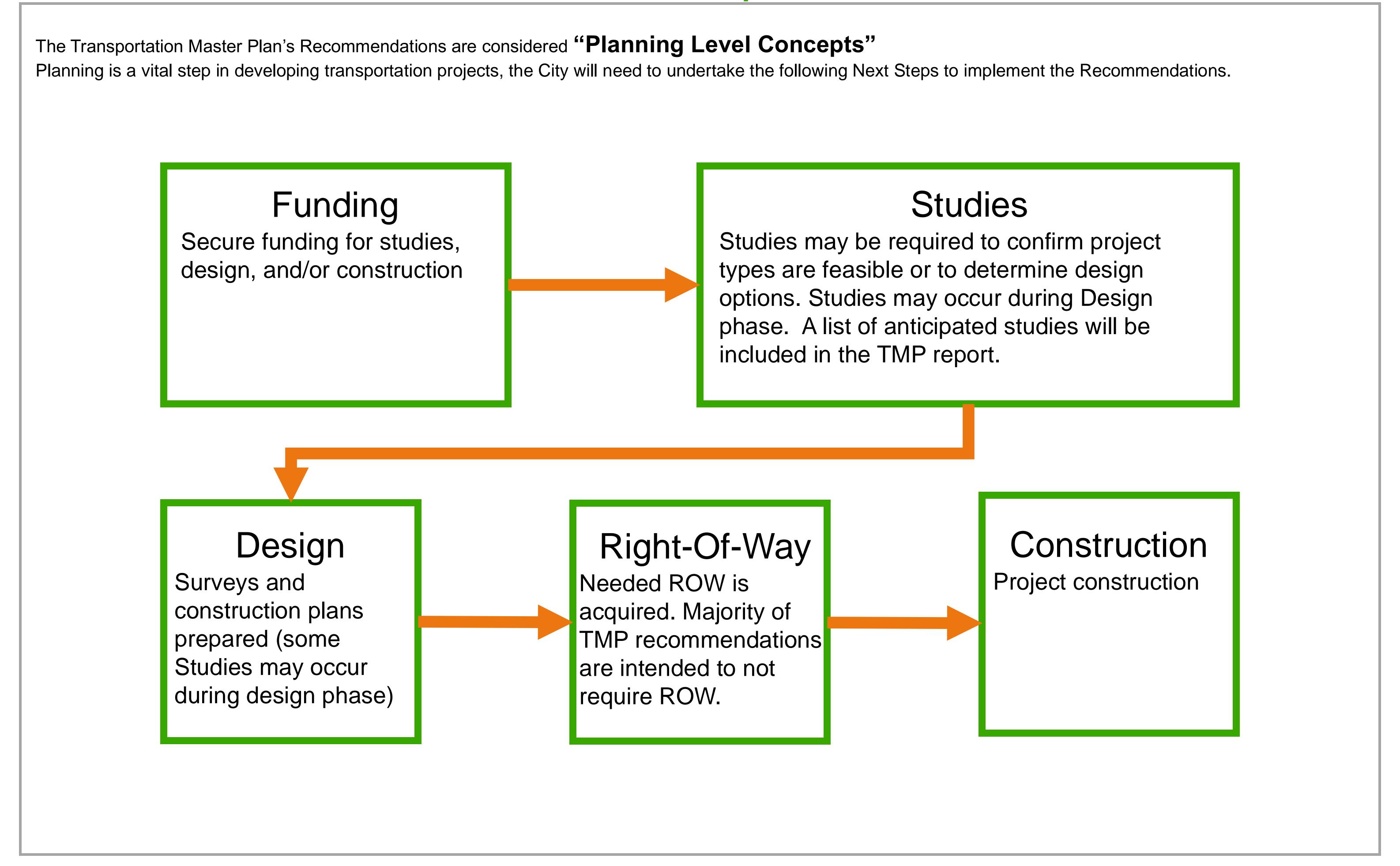
Direction Curb Ramps



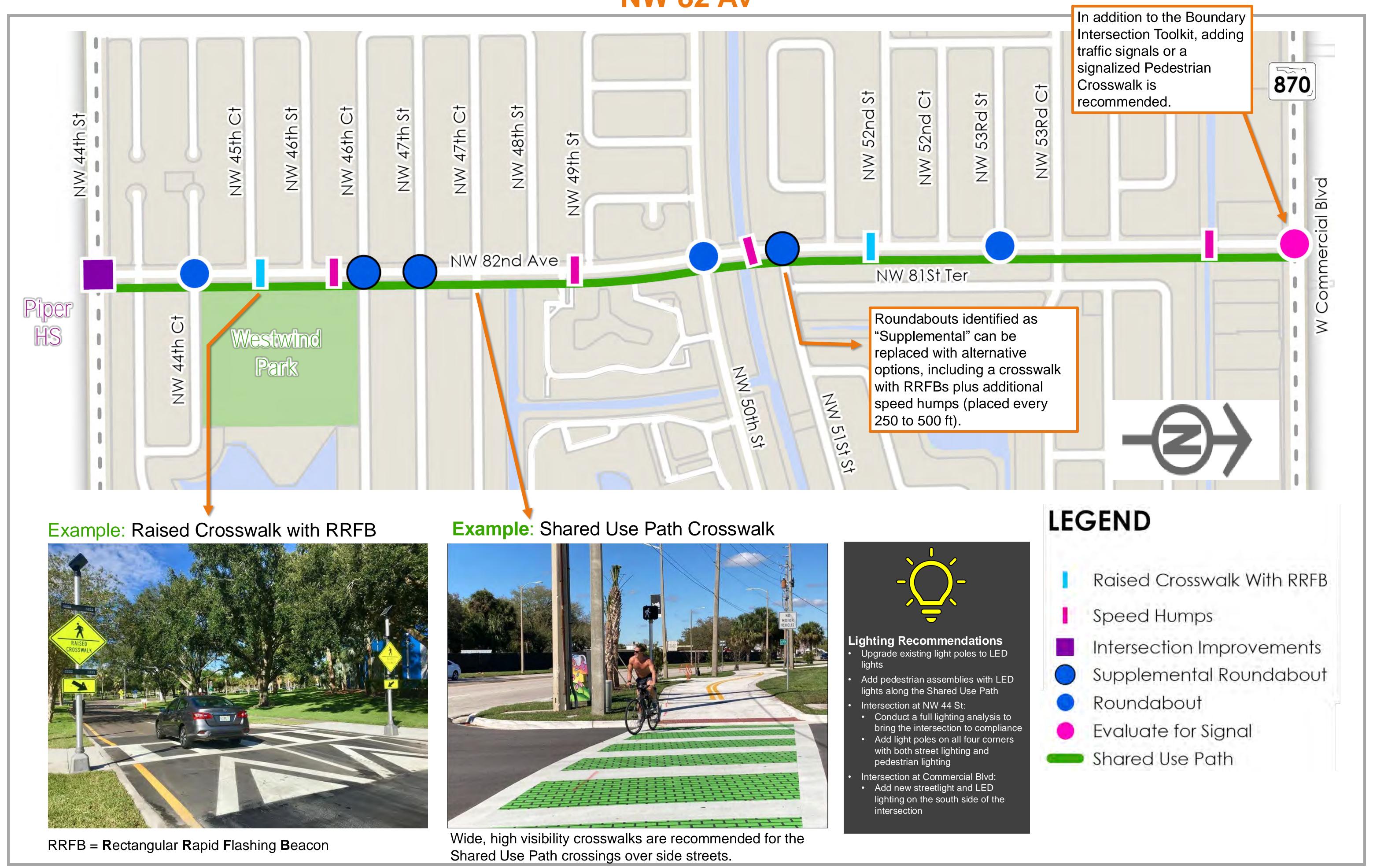
Bike Boxes with Green Pavement Markings



# **Next Steps**



### **NW 82 Av**



### NW 82 Av: NW 44 St to NW 46 Ct



Frequent speed management features, including roundabouts, raised crosswalks and speed humps, are a proven way to slow down vehicles, protecting pedestrians —especially children — walking or biking to Westwind Park. They also act as gateway features, reminding drivers that they are on a neighborhood road.

Roundabouts include raised crosswalks with median refuge

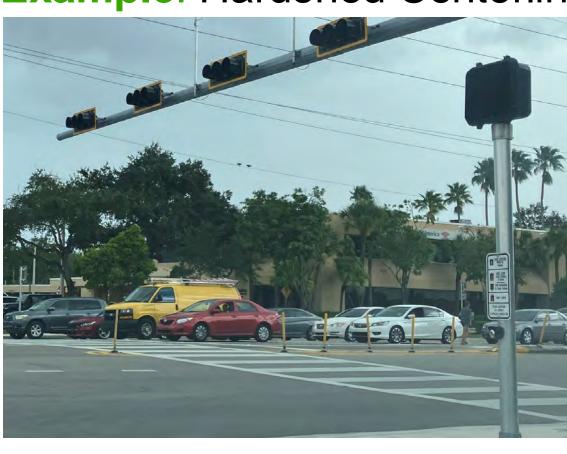


#### Intersection at NW 44 St

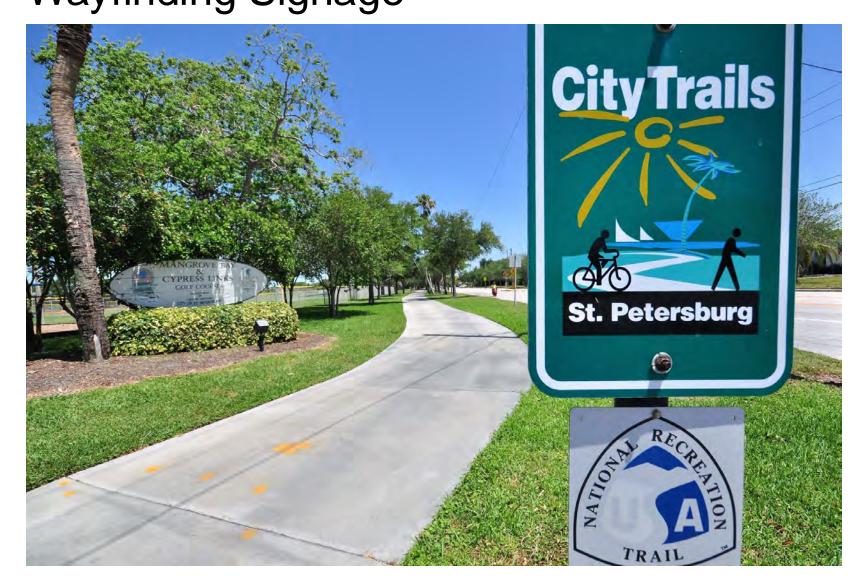
Recommendations include:

- Marked crosswalk added to west leg of intersection
- Curbs extensions to reduce crossing distance and slow down turning movements
- East crosswalk would be widened to accommodate Shared Use Path
- Hardened centerlines to slow down left turns and improve intersection safety
- All crosswalks to be restriped with high visibility pavement markings
- Median refuge islands would be added where feasible

### **Example:** Hardened Centerline

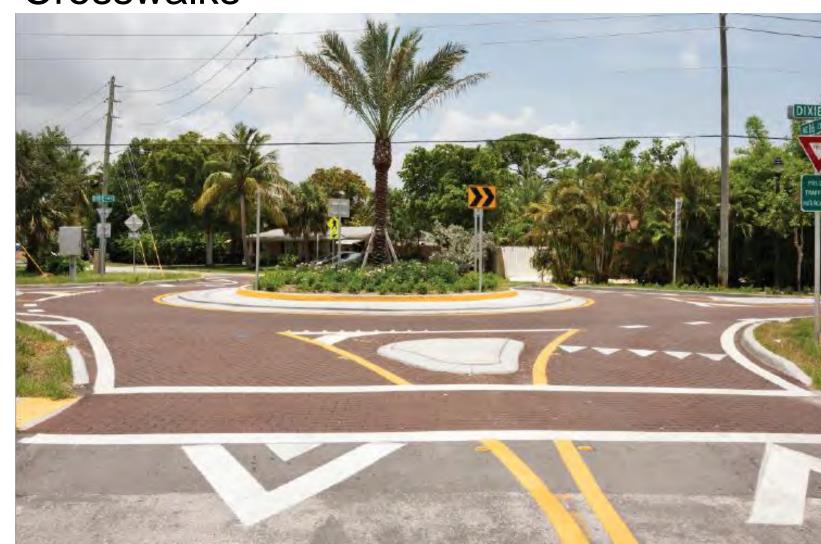


# **Example**: Shared Use Path with Wayfinding Signage



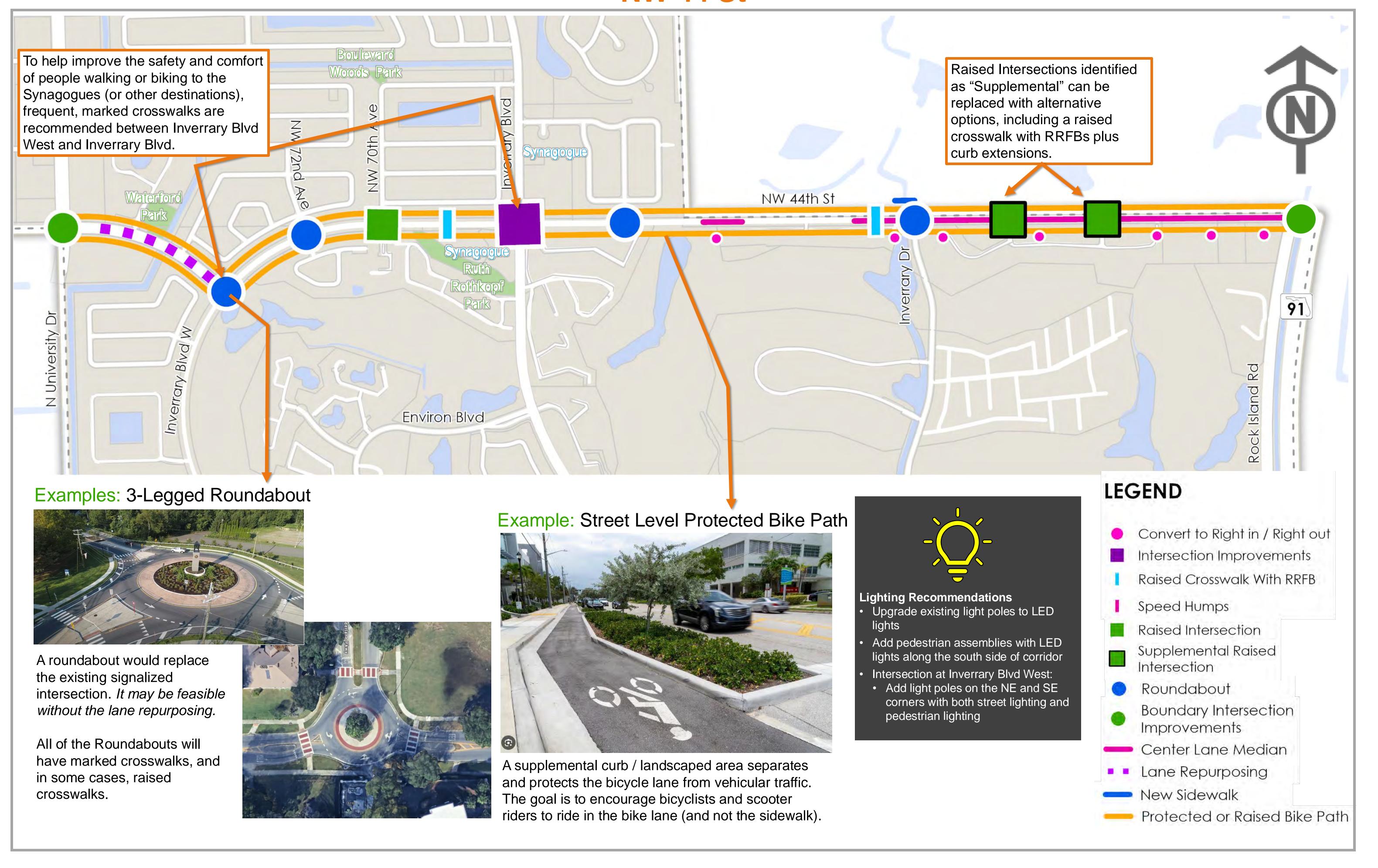
A Shared Use Path is recommended for the east side of roadway, providing direct access to Westwind Park. Plus, it would continue through the intersection at NW 44 St, leading to Piper High School. It would be wide enough to accommodate walkers, bicyclists, and scooter riders.

# **Example**: Roundabout with Raised Crosswalks



Raised crosswalks are best practices for speed management.

### **NW 44 St**



# NW 44 St: Lane Repurposing - University Dr to Inverrary Blvd West



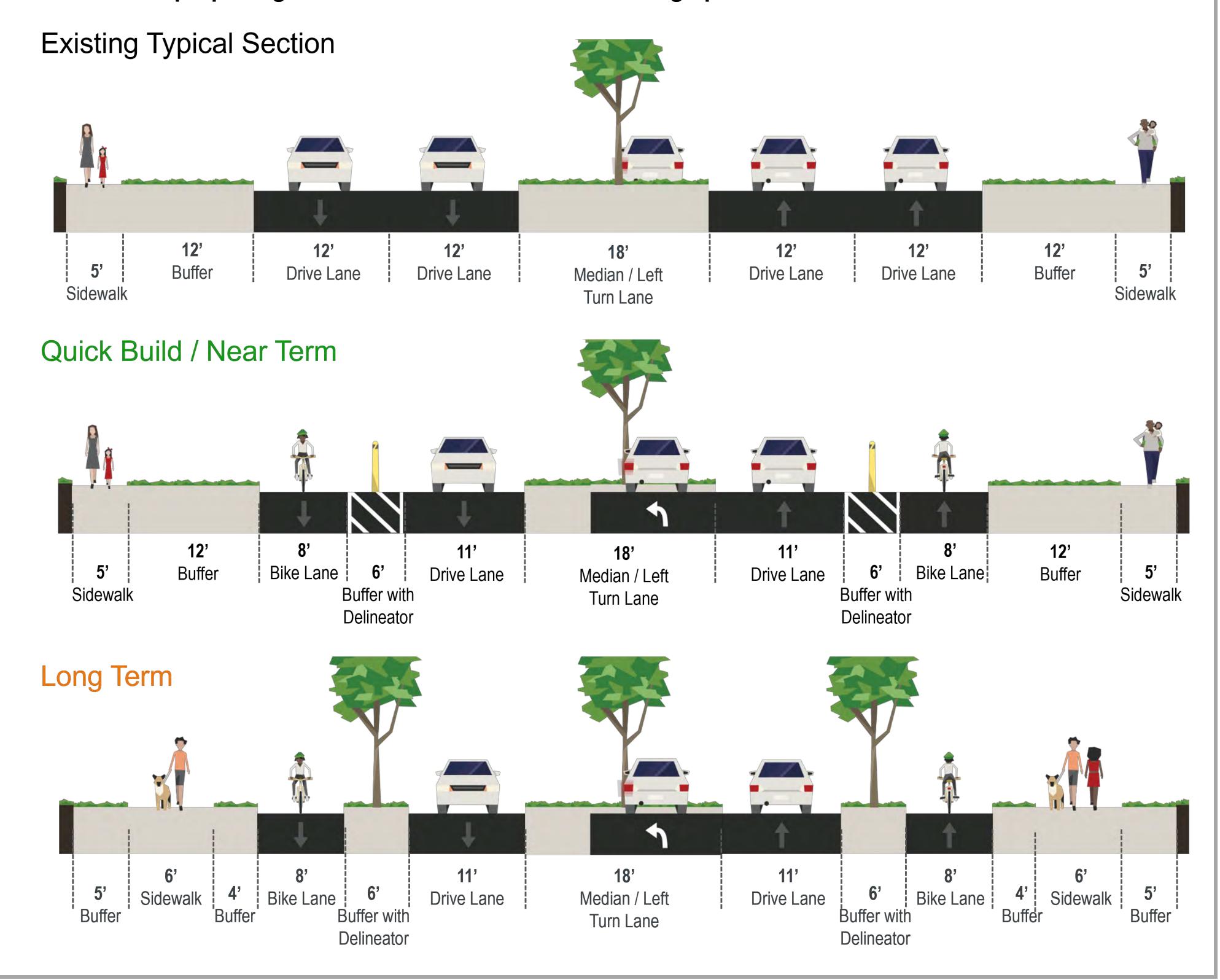
**Existing Conditions** 



**Example:** Protected Bike Lane

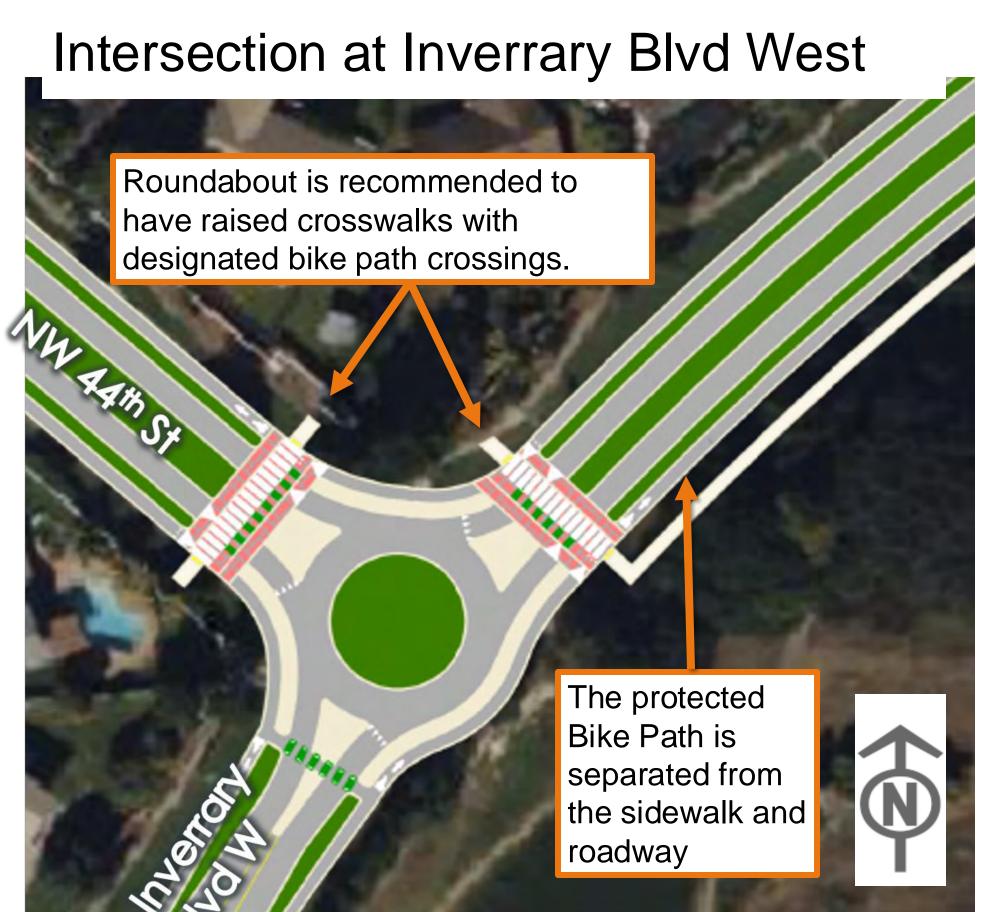


- ✓ One lane in each direction repurposed
- ✓ Quick Build / Near Term Buffered Bike Lane
- ✓ Buffers between sidewalk, bike lane, and roadway may be landscaped, hardscaped, or a combination
- ✓ Existing landscaped median and left turn lanes maintained
- ✓ Existing sidewalk may be maintained to limit cost
- ✓ Lane Repurposing limits would be determined in Design phase



## NW 44 St: Inverrary Blvd West to Inverrary Blvd





Roundabouts have many proven benefits (especially at intersections with high frequency of turning movements):

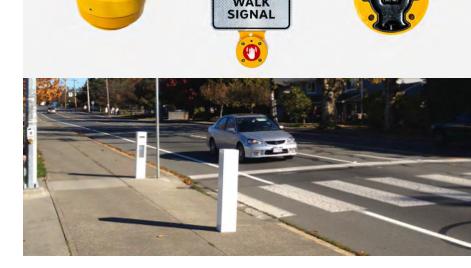
- Safety Improvement, particularly a reduction of left turn, angle (aka "T-Bone") crashes, and head on crashes.
- Lower Speeds, which makes any crashes that do occur much less severe.
- Improved Traffic Flow & Efficiency
- Shorter Crossing distances for pedestrians
- Slower Speeds at Crossings
- Pedestrian Refuge at Crossings
- They are also notable for lower maintenance costs (vs maintenance associated with traffic signal equipment) and functionality During Power Outages.



Pedestrians walking to the Synagogue frequently cross the road at NW 70 Av to.

A raised intersection functions like a very long speed hump, slowing down drivers. It also increases the visibility of pedestrians. Curb extensions reduce the crossing distance for pedestrian and bicyclists and slow down driver's turning movements.

**Example**: "Touchless" Crosswalk Signals



Some communities have installed touchless technology, such as infrared heat detection, to activate signals. This allows pedestrians to trigger the walk cycle simply by standing on a specific mat or ramp, without making an electrical connection.

Example: Crosswalk with In-Road Warning System lights



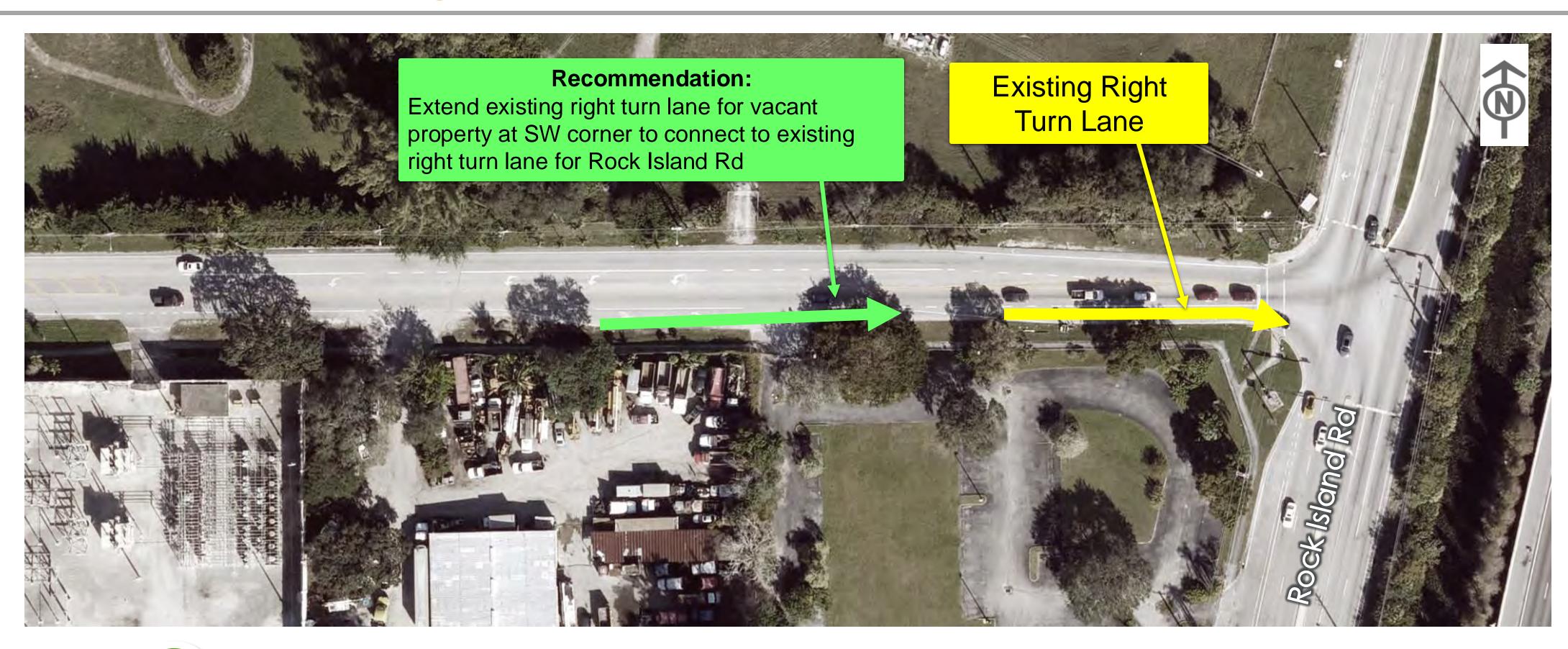
A crosswalk with In-Road Warning System (IRWL) lights up crosswalks as pedestrians cross the street using solar-powered flashing in-pavement LED and Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacons. **Example**: Protected Intersection



Intersection at Inverrary Blvd is recommended to be redesigned as a "Protected Intersection" with high visibility crosswalks, median refuge islands, and bicycle conflict striping.

### NW 44 St: Rock Island Rd

- Rock Island Rd is owned by Broward County
- Rock Island Rd is anticipated to be improved in conjunction with the new FL Turnpike Interchange for Oakland Park Blvd (construction date unknown)
- The TMP recommends the "Boundary Intersection Toolkit" be applied to the intersection
- The TMP also includes a recommendation to extend the existing right-turn lane that leads to the vacant property at the SW corner, to connect to the right-turn lane for east bound to south bound right turns onto Rock Island Rd.



# **Boundary Intersections Toolkit**

#### **Turning Speeds**

- Implement protected left turn signal phase
- Harden the centerline to guide left turns
- Add curb extensions / sharpen turn radii to slow speed for right turns (as space permits)

#### **Walking Improvements**

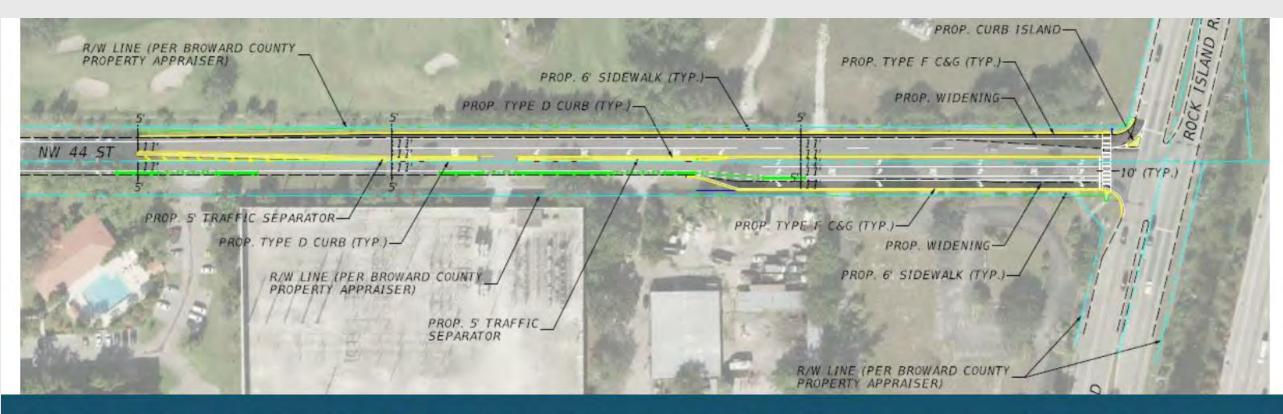
- Restripe crosswalk with high visibility pavement markings
- Add leading pedestrian intervals
- Upgrade to directional curb ramps and tactical striping where missing
- Construct median refuge island with median noses extended beyond the crosswalk; if refuge islands are not feasible, consider hardened centerlines

#### Biking Improvements

- Bike boxes or protected intersections can be added to help permit left-turn movements and increase comfort of people biking
- Add green pavement markings

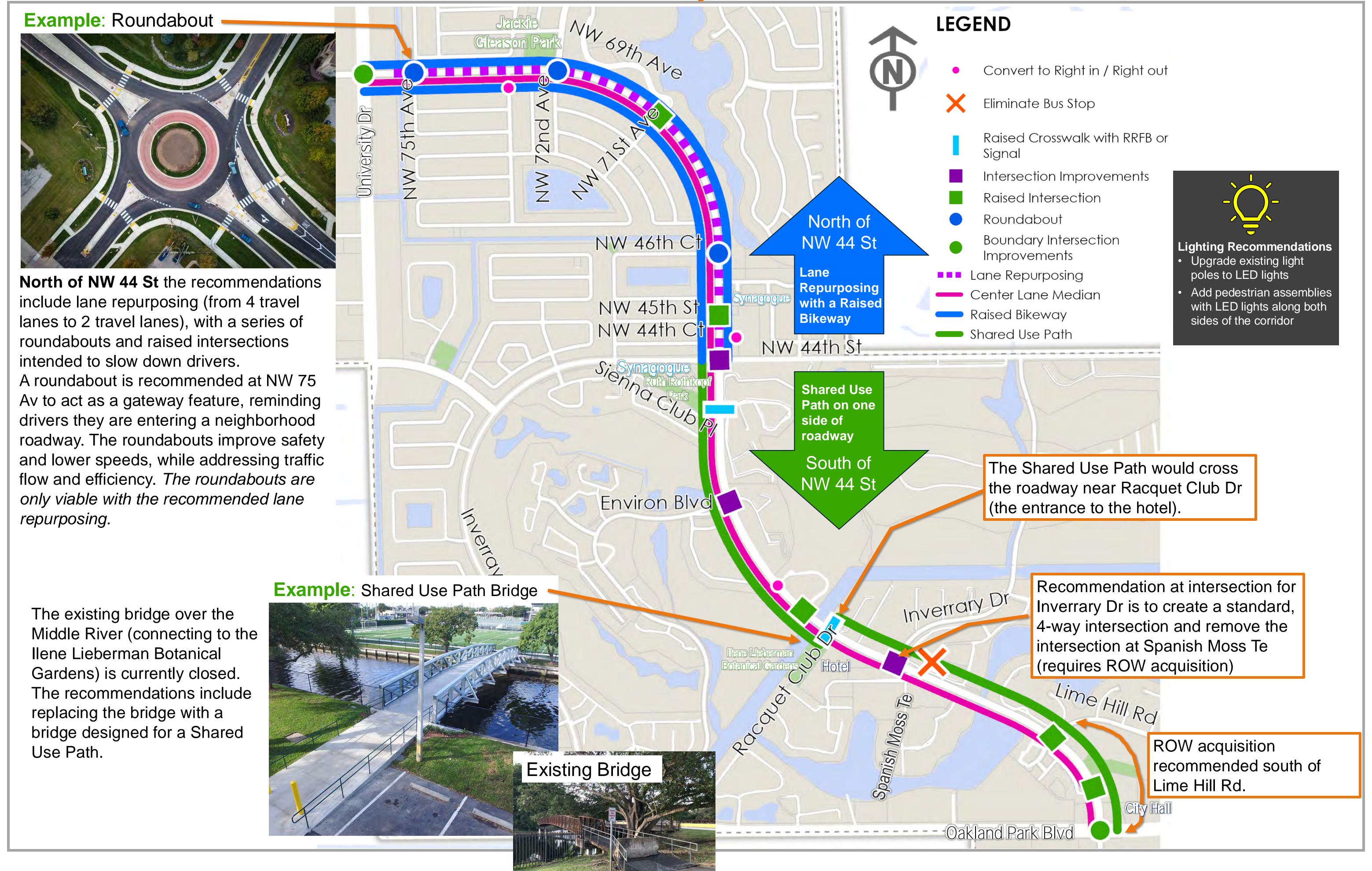
# Lauderhill's NW Neighborhood Multimodal Master Plan included a concept for Rock Island Rd intersection:

- Widen NW 44 St into south swale to accommodate a 2<sup>nd</sup> East Bound to North Bound Left Turn lane
- Lengthen the East Bound to South Bound Right Turn lane
- Widen NW 44 St into the NW corner sidewalk and swale to accommodate an "uncontrolled" South bound to West bound Right Turn lane (channelized with median pork chop)
- This intersection design is consistent with the TMP recommendations provided the Toolkit recommendations are included.
- A separate traffic and queueing analysis would be required and should be requested by the City during the redesign of Rock Island Rd in conjunction with the Turnpike Interchange project.

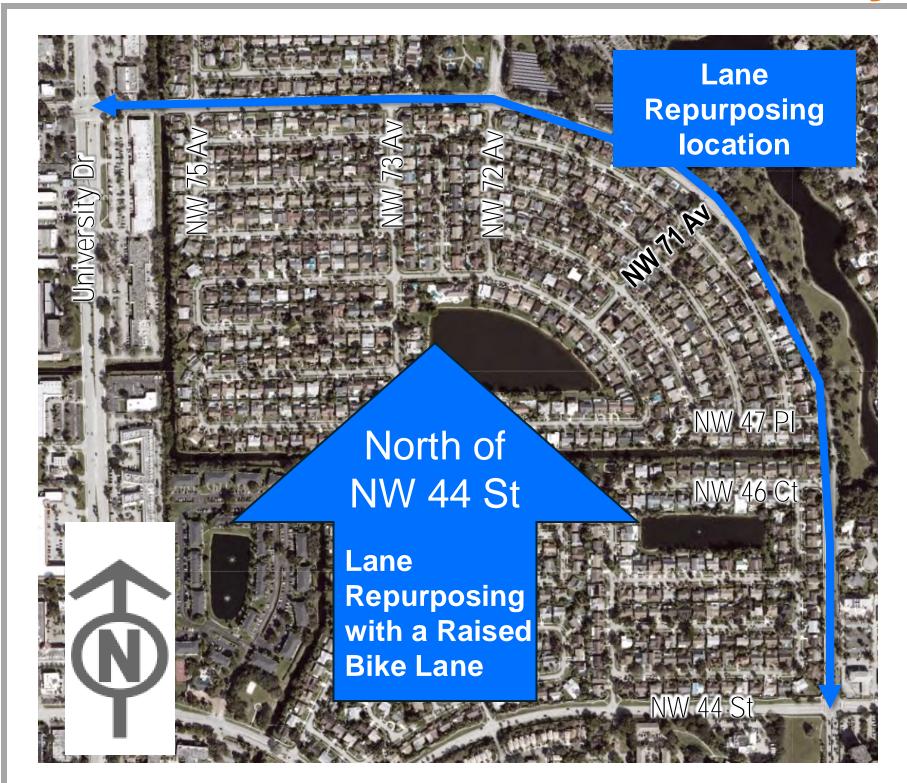


CITY OF LAUDERHILL NW NEIGHBORHOOD MULTIMODAL MASTER PLAN

# **Inverrary Blvd**



# Inverrary Blvd: Lane Repurposing - University Dr to NW 44 St



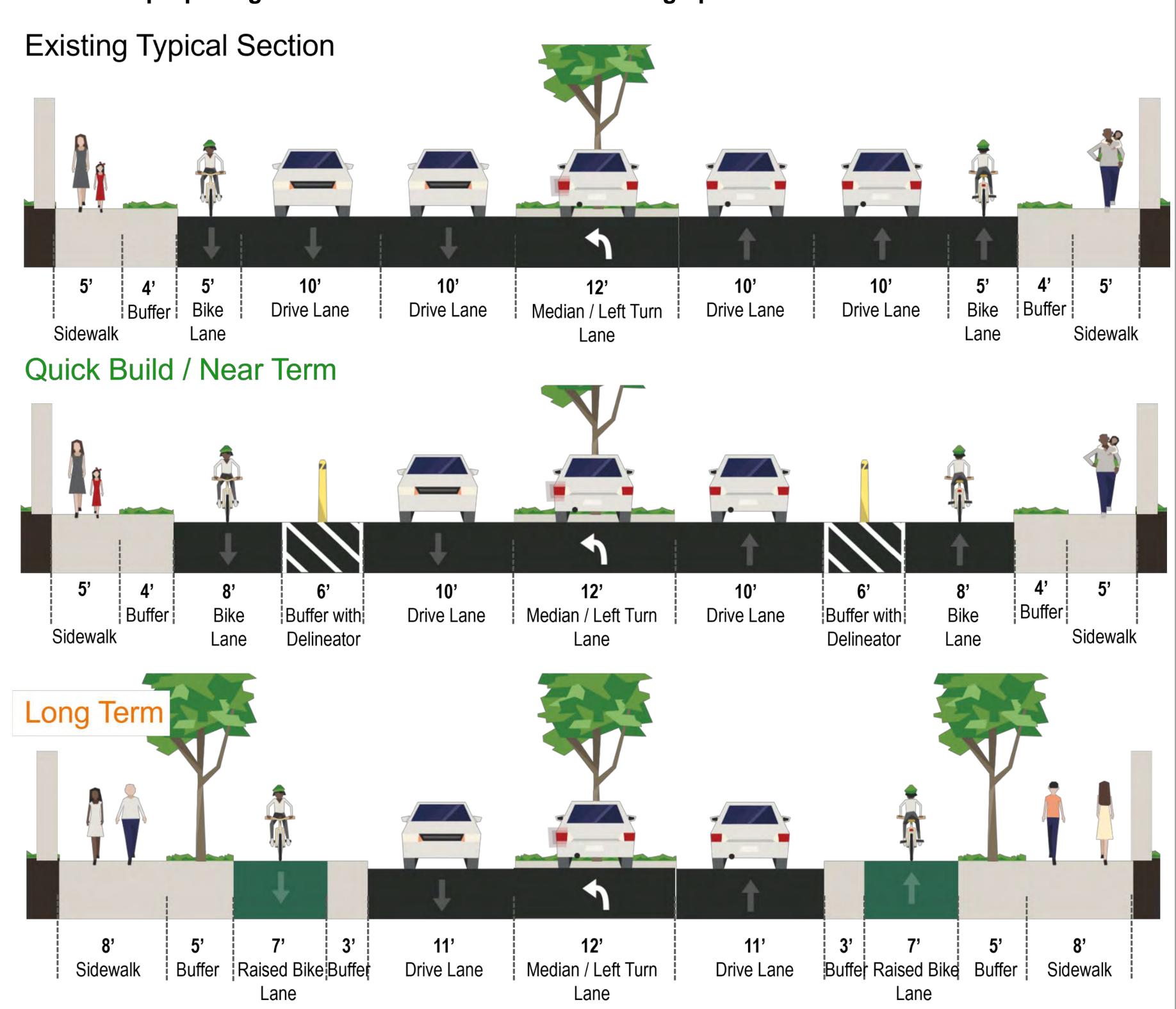
### **Existing Conditions**



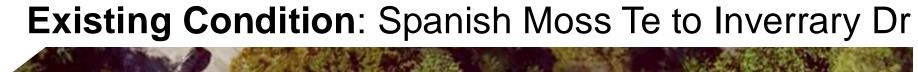
Example: Raised Bike Lane



- ✓ One lane in each direction repurposed
- ✓ Quick Build / Near Term Buffered Bike Lane
- ✓ Buffers between sidewalk, bike lane, and roadway may be landscaped, hardscaped, or a combination
- ✓ Existing landscaped median and left turn lanes maintained
- ✓ Existing sidewalk may be maintained to limit cost
- ✓ Lane Repurposing limits would be determined in Design phase



# Inverrary Blvd: Spanish Moss Te to Middle River Bridge

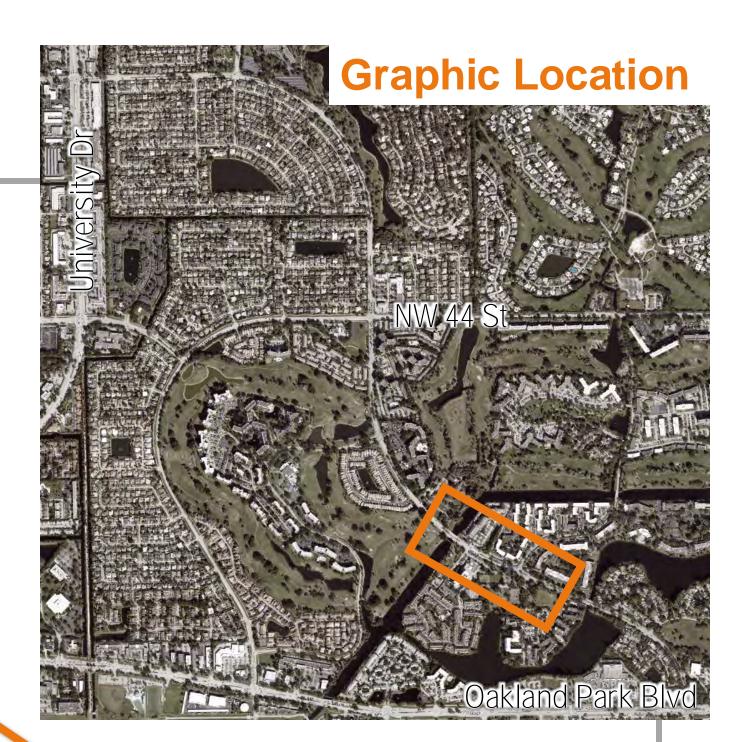




Inverrary Dr: The recommendation is to replace the side-by-side traffic lights (Inverrary Dr + Spanish Moss Te) with one single, standard fourway intersection. This new intersection would connect Inverrary Dr to Racquet Club Rd. Right-Of-Way (ROW) acquisition would be required.

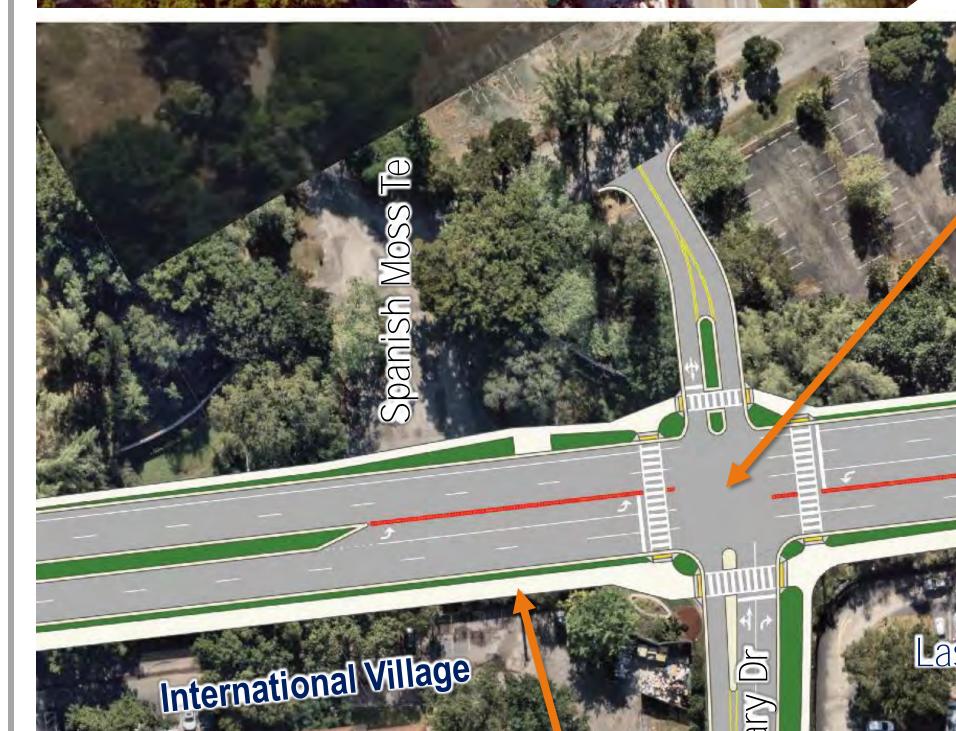
The redesigned intersection is recommended to have high visibility crosswalks on all 4 legs, median refuge islands and lane hardening. The crosswalk in the east ROW would be widened to accommodate the new Shared Use Path.

The former golf course is anticipated to be redeveloped which may include new residential developments on both sides of Inverrary Blvd. A new four-way signalized intersection is depicted to demonstrate a recommended design and integration with the Shared Use Path



Potential Driveway to

Future Redevelopment



**Example:** Shared Use Path

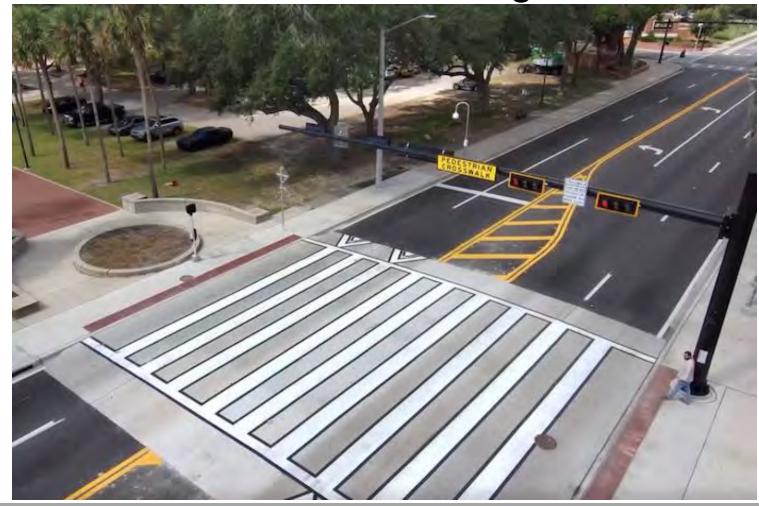


Example: Raised Crosswalk over Side Street



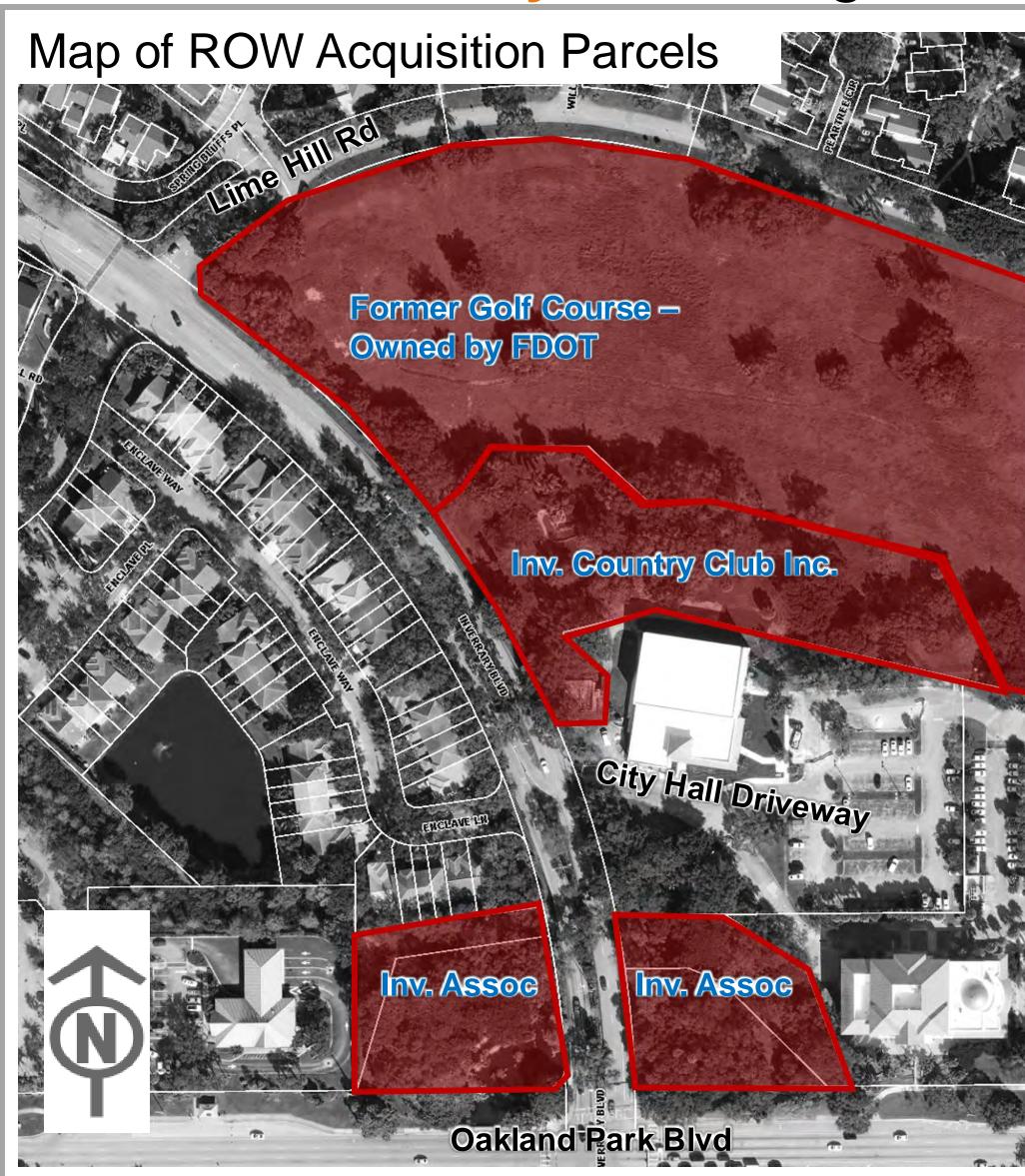
Raised crosswalks are recommended at side streets intersecting the shared use path

**Example:** Shared Use Path Raised Crosswalk + Pedestrian Signal



Just north of Racquet Club Dr, the Shared Use Path would cross the roadway. A raised crossing with a Pedestrian Signal is recommended.

# Inverrary Blvd: Right-Of-Way (ROW) Acquisition – Lime Hill Rd to Oakland Park Blvd

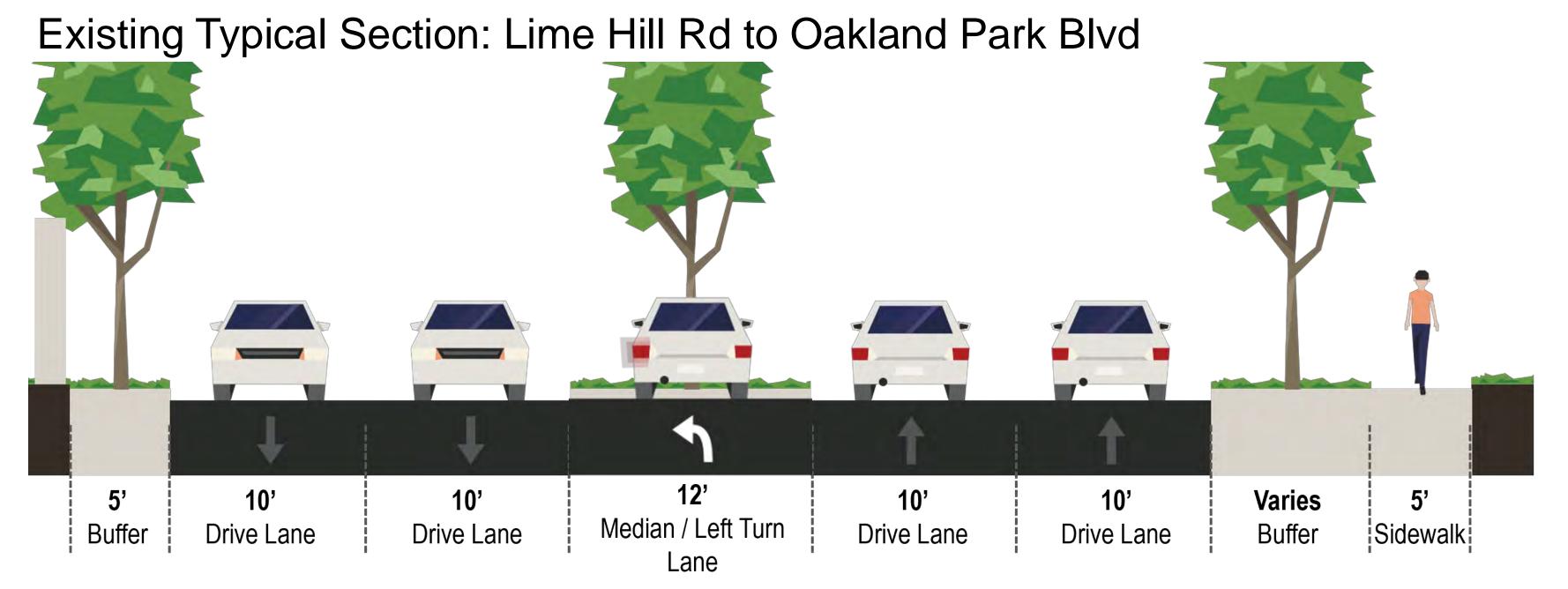


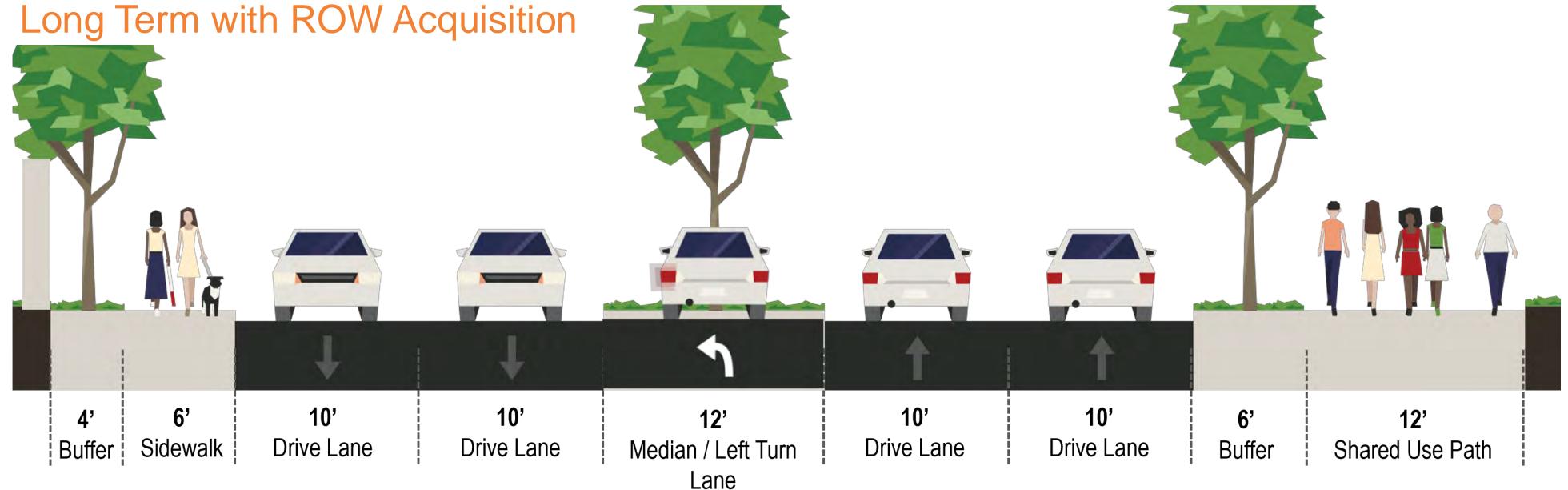
**Existing Conditions: West ROW** 

No Bike Lanes • No sidewalk • Constrained ROW



- ✓ To accommodate a sidewalk in the west ROW from Lime Hill Rd to Oakland Park Blvd, ROW acquisition is necessary. The additional ROW will also accommodate the recommended Shared Use Path in the east ROW.
- ✓ The impacted BCPA folios and property owners are:
  - 494123010120 FDOT
  - 494123010130 Inverrary Association
  - 494123010060 Inverrary Association
  - 494123010080 Inverrary Country Club Inc.
- ✓ The additional ROW may also accommodate additional travel / turn lanes onto Oakland Park Blvd.
- ✓ The specific limits of the Right-of-way acquisition would be determined in future project phase

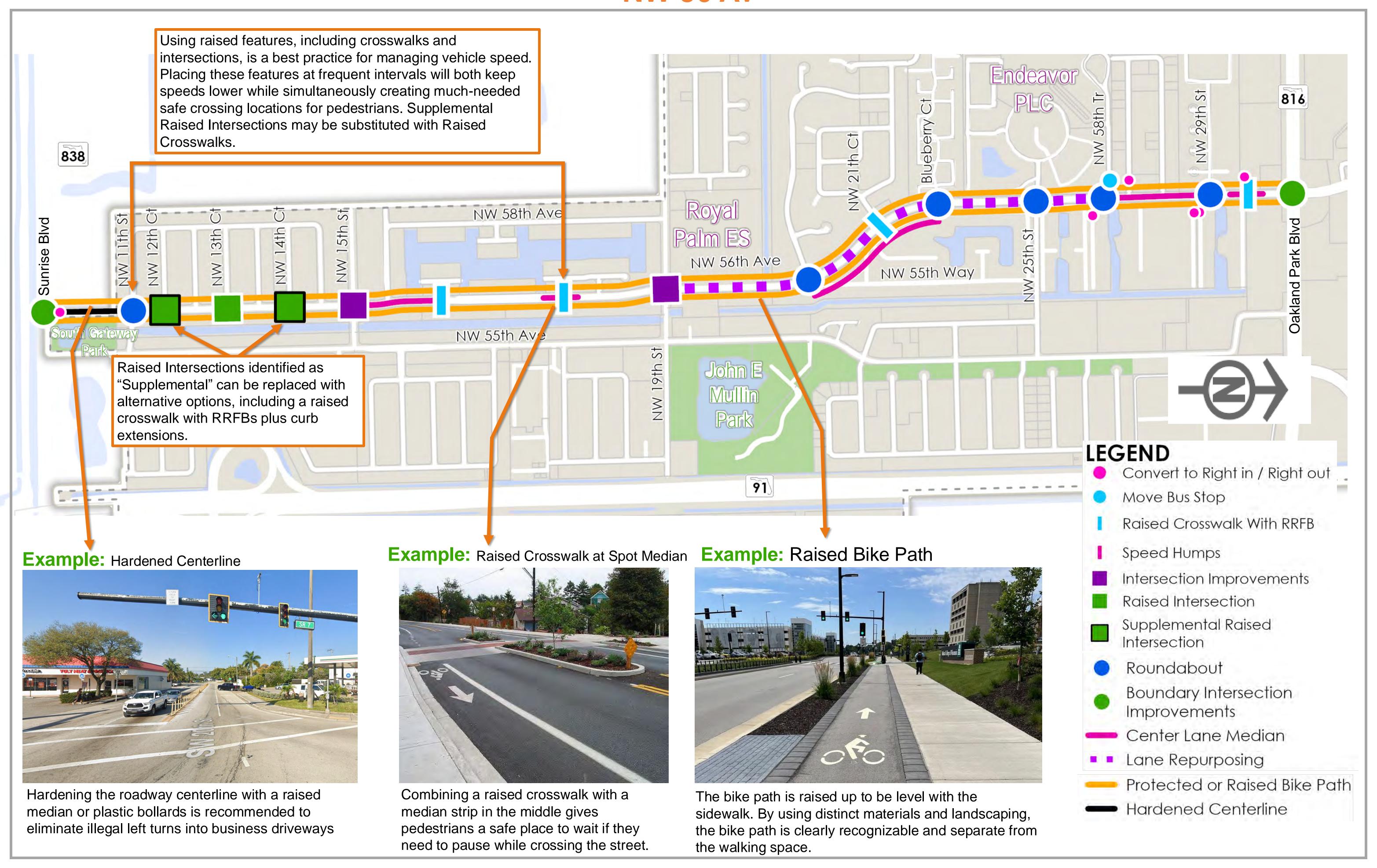




### **Notes for Center Landscaped Median:**

- North of the City Hall driveway, the roadway would be shifted approximately 5 ft to the east resulting in removing and rebuilding the center landscaped median.
- Between the City Hall driveway and Oakland Park Blvd, the center landscaped median is intended to remain.

### **NW 56 Av**



# NW 56 AV: Lane Repurposing – NW 19 St to Oakland Park Blvd



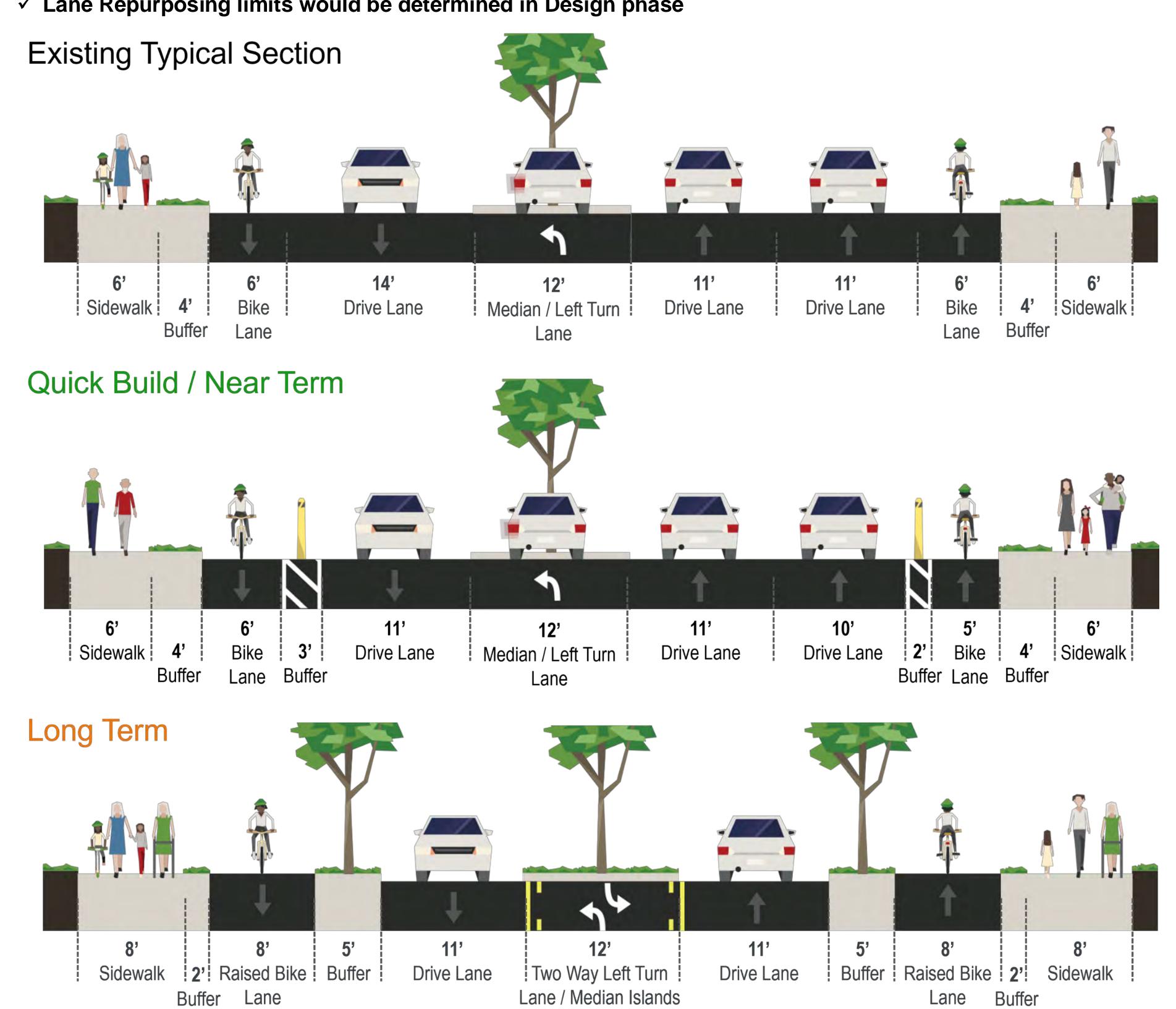
### **Existing Conditions**



**Example:** Quick Build Buffered Bike Lane

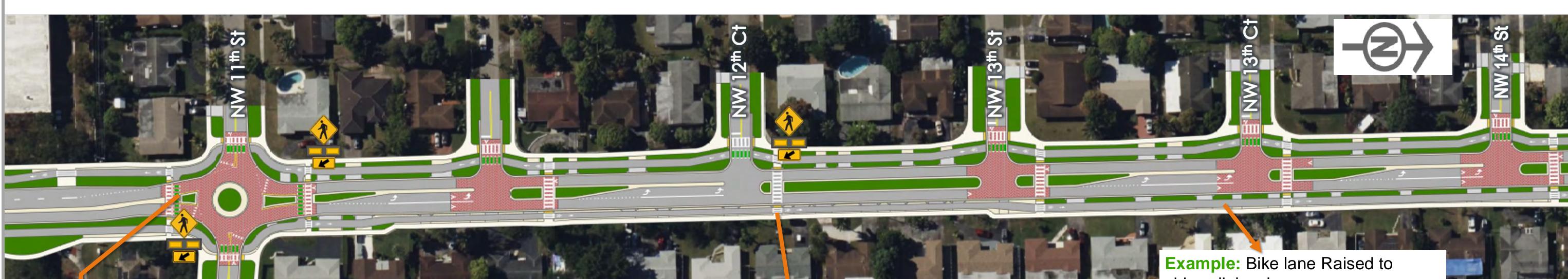


- ✓ One North Bound lane repurposed
- ✓ South Bound lane narrowed
- ✓ Quick Build / Near Term Buffered Bike Lane
- ✓ Buffers between sidewalk, bike lane, and roadway may be landscaped, hardscaped, or a combination
- ✓ Existing landscaped median maintained during Quick Build; Rebuilt during Long Term project
- ✓ Lane Repurposing limits would be determined in Design phase

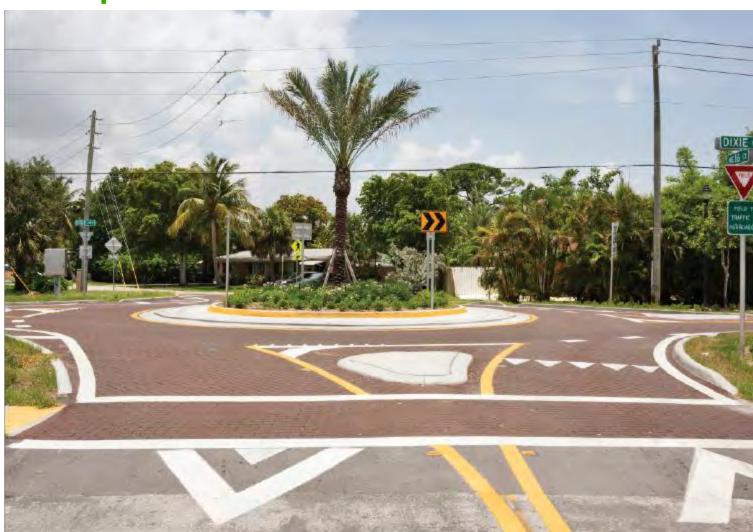


# NW 56 Av: NW 11 St to NW 14 St





**Example:** Raised Roundabout



A raised roundabout is recommended at NW 11 St to handle frequent left turns safely and efficiently. The roundabout will also act as a visible "gateway" that alerts drivers to slow down as they enter the neighborhood. Due to its adjacency to Sunrise Blvd, RRFBs are recommended for the northern and southern crosswalks

**Example:** Crosswalk with Median Refuge and RRFBs

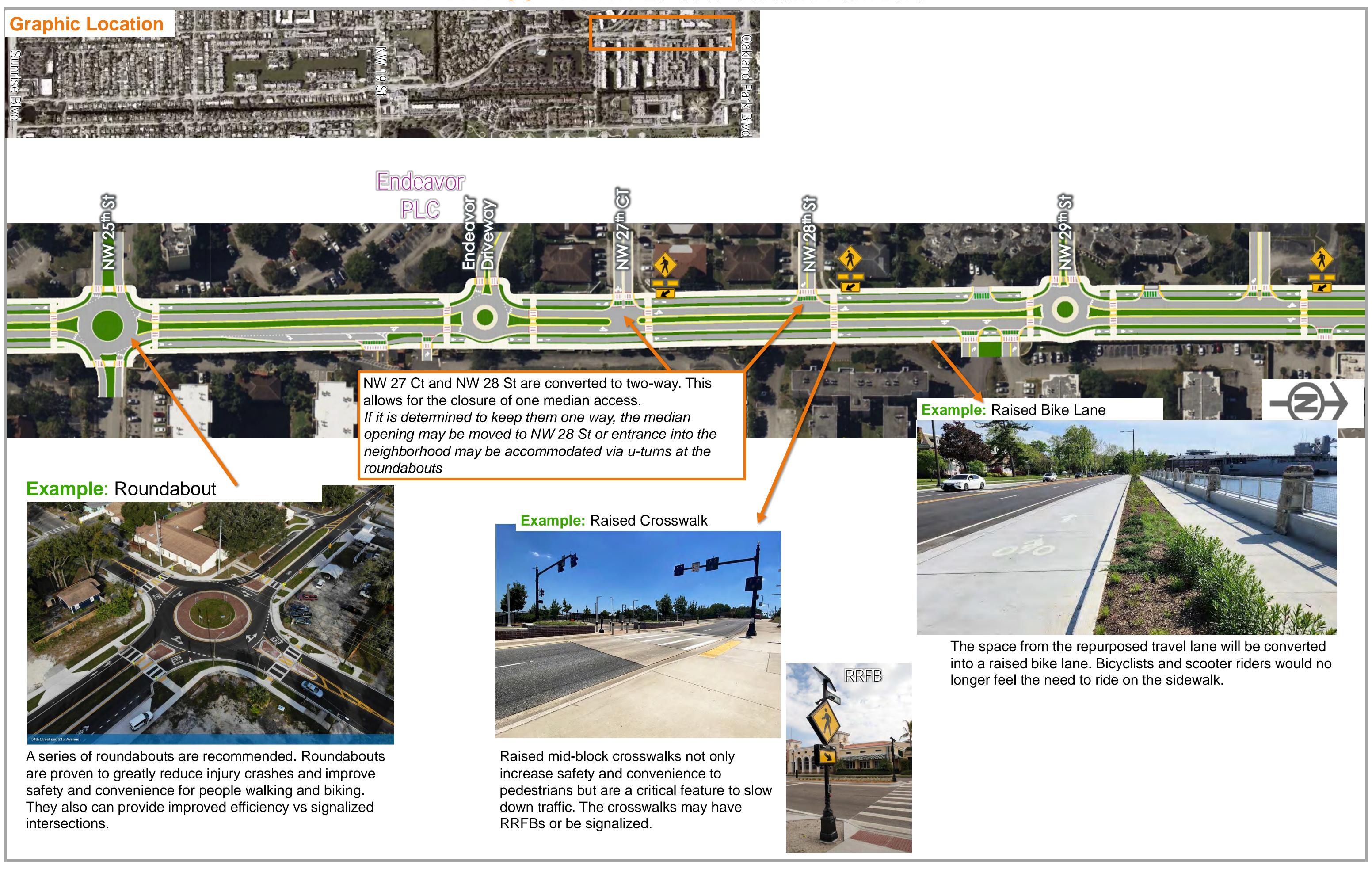


This example shows a Quick Build crosswalk, that utilizes a "spot" median. This type of crosswalk can be installed at a lower cost and (typically) a shorter timeframe.



This example shows a painted bike lane converted into a bike lane (at sidewalk height). The sidewalk and bike lane are designed so that the elevations does not drop at each driveway.

## NW 56 Av: NW 25 St to Oakland Park Blvd



## **NW 19 St to Central Broward Park**



### NW 19 St to Central Broward Park: NW 16 St - NW 47 Av to NW 43 Te





#### **Example:** Median Refuge



This intersection includes walk to school for Paul Turner Elementary and BCT Bus Stops for routes 36 and 81.

The recommendations include raising the intersection, curb extensions, and a median refuge island on the southern leg.

#### **Example:** Raised Crosswalk



A raised midblock crosswalk, with RRFB, is intended to provide a safe and convenient crossing location for transit riders, while also slowing down the roadway.

### Example: Roundabout

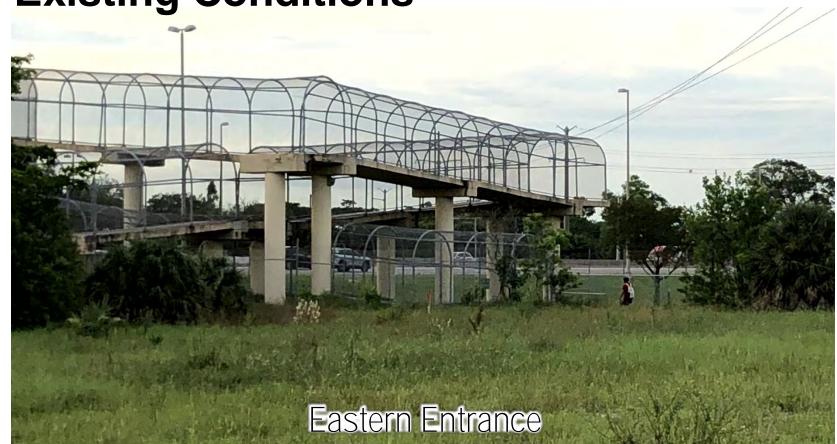


A 3-legged roundabout is planned for NW 16 Street at NW 43 Te to act as a visible "gateway" that forces drivers to slow down as they enter the neighborhood. The roundabout includes raised crosswalks and a mountable center apron that allows large BCT (bus) vehicles to easily navigate the turn.

# NW 19 St to Central Broward Park: Pedestrian Bridge

### **Bridge Entrance Ramps**

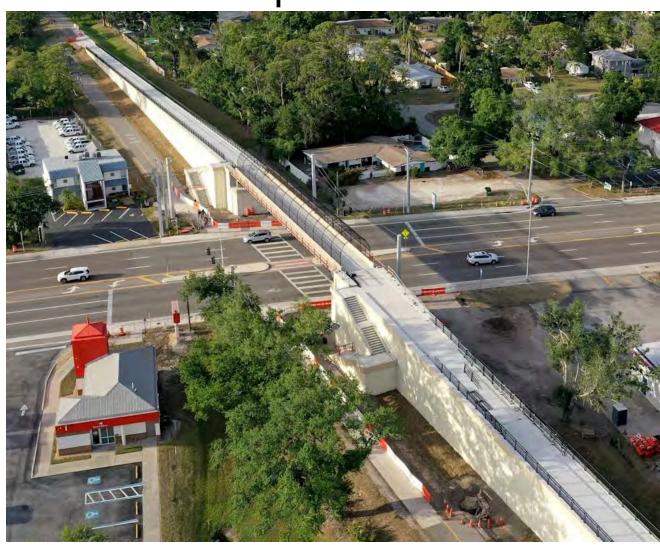
### **Existing Conditions**





### Recommendation: Straightened Out Bridge Entrance Ramps





- Example shown is recently completed Shared Use Path Bridge over Bee Ridge Rd (part of FL Legacy Trail) construction complete in 2025.
- Entrance ramps are approximately 700 ft in length
- Ramps are wide enough for people biking to comfortably pass people walking
- A direct staircase is provided in addition to a rolling option to cross (staircase under construction at time of bridge opening)



### **Approach Areas / Access**

- Activate approach areas -Add amenities that increase visibility of access points
- Existing eastern access path: Remove vegetation that blocks sightlines
- Relocate eastern access to visible location (northern end of STEM 6-12 building to existing gate at NW 49 Av and NW 20 St)

### **Bridge Design**

#### **Existing Conditions**





#### Recommendation: Widened Bridge to Shared-Use Path





- Example shown is recently completed Shared Use Path Bridge over Bee Ridge Rd (part of FL Legacy Trail) construction complete in 2025.
- Bridge meets Shared Use Path standards + Bridge is enclosed

Recommendation: Relocate Eastern Entrance

Recommendation: Relocate "Official" entrance to gate at NW

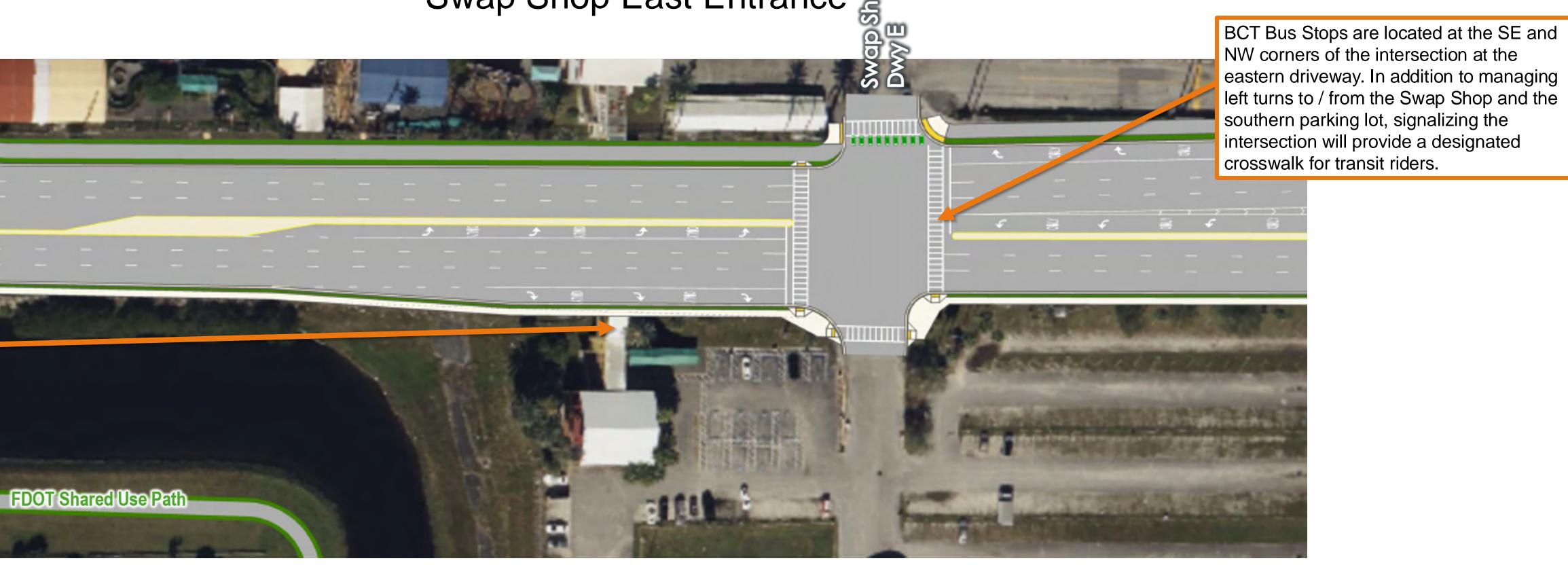


### **Sunrise Blvd**



### **Sunrise Blvd**





Swap Shop pedestrian bridge is currently

non-operational. It is also located behind

fence for southern parking lot.