Discussion of Draft Options for the 185th Corridor

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Presentation Agenda

- 185th Multimodal Corridor Strategy
 - Summary of fall public outreach
 - Preliminary roadway cross section options
 - Comparison of roadway options
 - Draft concepts for community gathering places
- Council Feedback



Overview

The goal is to create a vision that is futurefocused and supports the needs of all users.

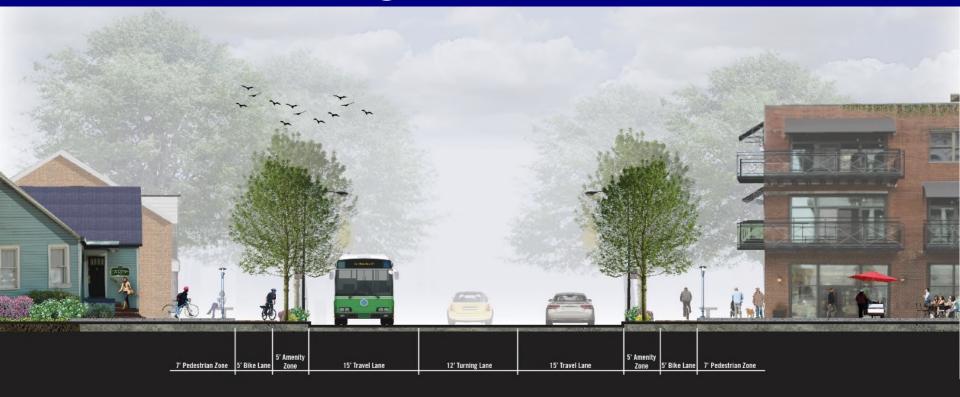


Process and Schedule





Building on Past Work



Cross Section of Potential NE 185th Street

Fall Outreach Summary

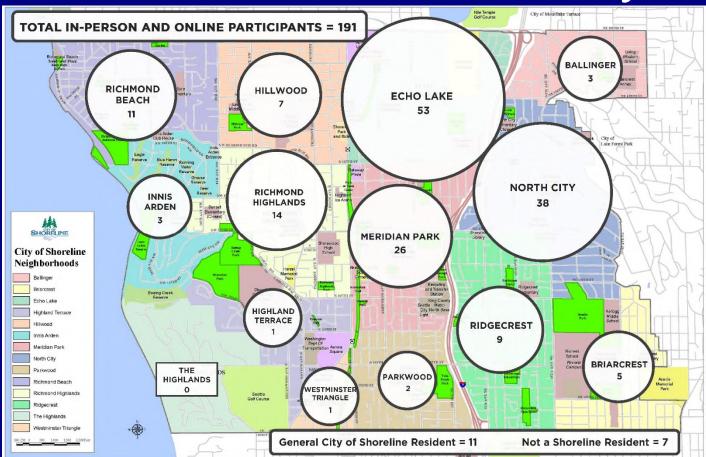


Outreach Activities:

- Walk & Bike Tours
- Community Drop-Ins
- Open House
- Stakeholder Meetings
- FAQ
- Webpage updates
- Online Survey

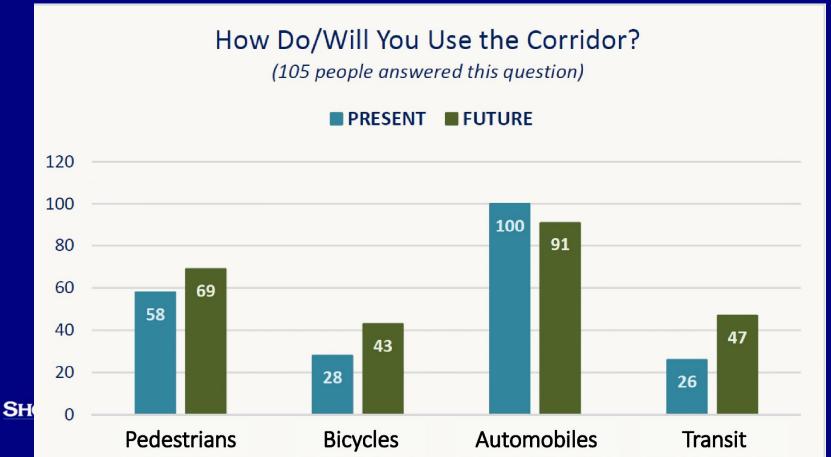


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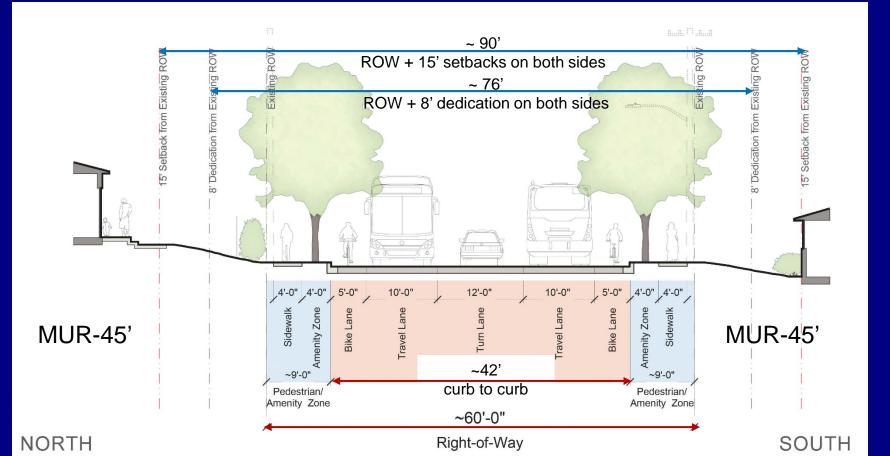


Draft Roadway Options

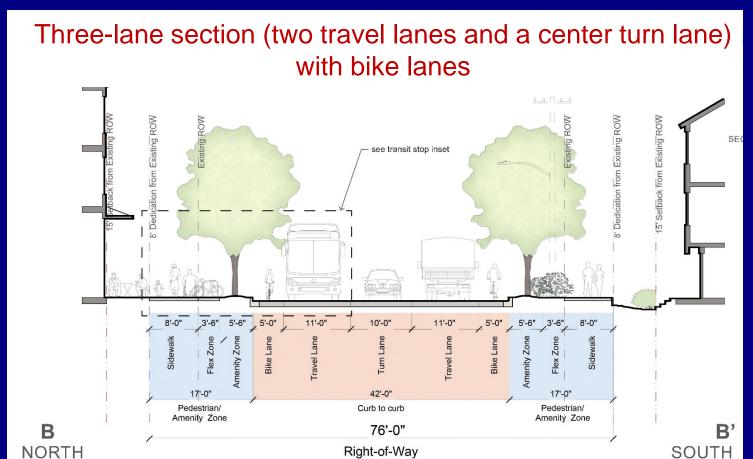
185TH STREET MULTIMODAL CORRIDOR SECTION KEY PLAN



185th St. Existing Conditions

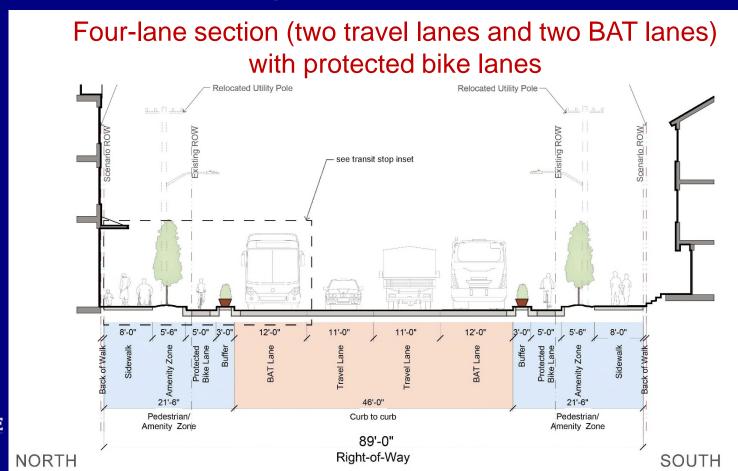


185th St – Segment B – Option 1





185th St – Segment B – Option 2

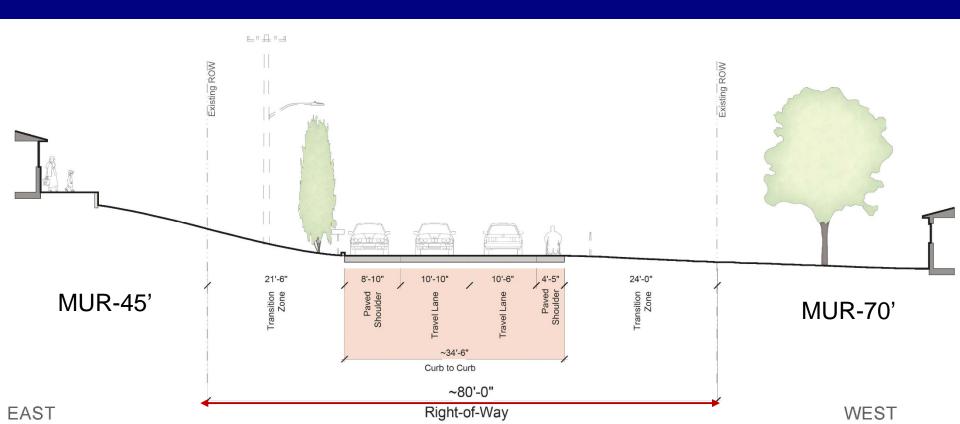


185th St – Segment B – Option 3

Five-lane section (four travel lanes and a center turn lane) with a shared-use path 15' Setback from Existing ROW 15' Setback from Existing ROW Scenario ROW see transit stop inset Underground Soil Cell 12'-0" 12'-0" 5'-6" 12'-0" Shared-use Path Amenity Zone 21'-6" 54'-0" 13'-6" Pedestrian/ Curb to curb Pedestrian/ Amenity Zone Amenity Zone 89'-0" NORTH Right-of-Way SOUTH

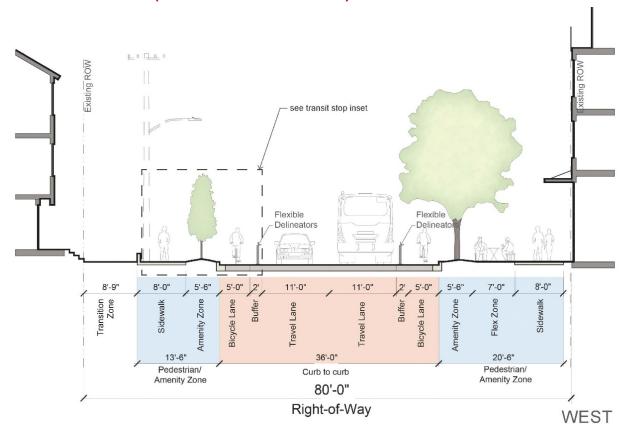


10th Ave NE– Existing Conditions



10th Ave NE– Segment D – Option 1

Two-lane section (two travel lanes) with buffered bike lanes

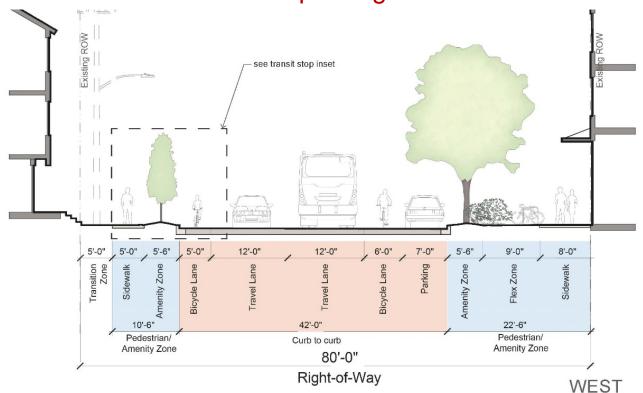




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10th Ave NE- Segment D - Option 2

Two-lane section (two travel lanes) with bike lanes and on-street parking

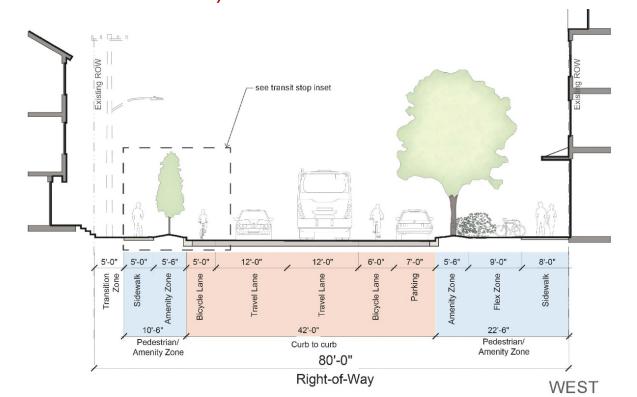




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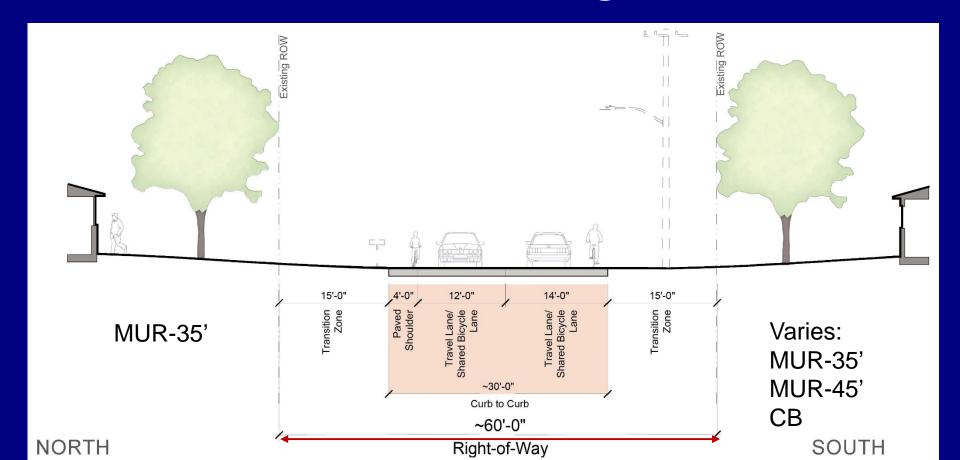
Three-lane section (two travel lanes and a center turn lane) with bike lanes



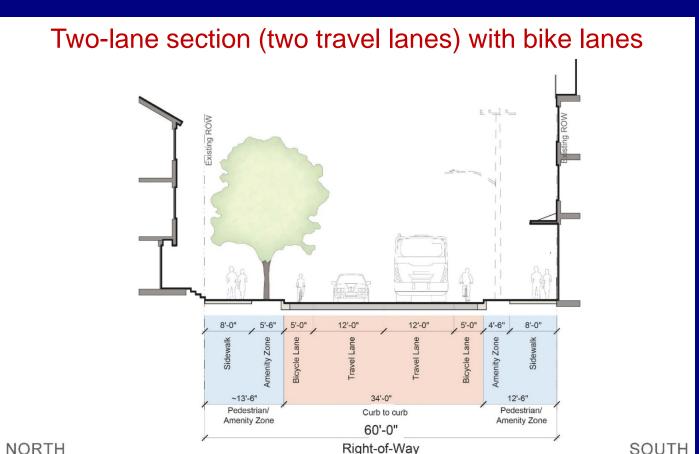


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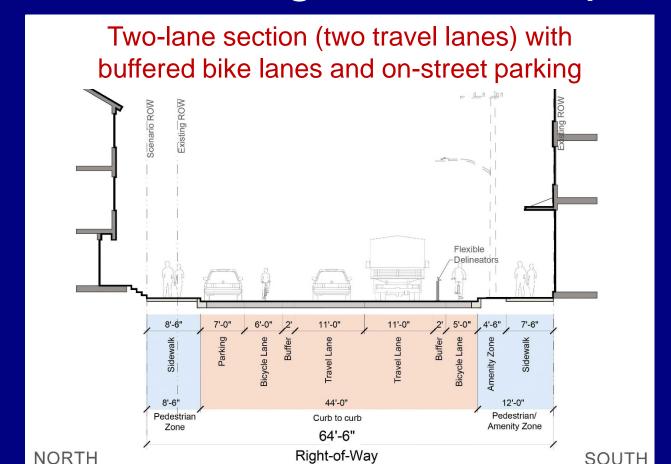
NE 180th St – Existing Conditions



NE 180th St – Segment E- Option 1



NE 180th St – Segment E – Option 2





Evaluation Criteria

185th Street Corridor - Draft Evaluation Criteria

	Low	Med-Low	Medium	Med-High	High			
Pedestrian	Pedestrian Safety and Mobility							
Bicycle		Bicyclist Safety and Mobility						
Traffic	Traffic Safety, Flow, and Parking							
Transit	Transit Speed & Reliabilty							
Livability	Environment, Placemaking, and Mode Shift							
Cost	ROW Impact, Ease of Implementation, and Cost							



Comparison of Options N/NE 185th Street – Segment B

N/NE 185th Street - Segment B		Existing	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
		3 Lanes	3 Lanes w/	4 Lanes w/ BAT &	5 Lanes w/
			Bike Lanes	Protected Bike	Shared-Use Path
				Lanes	
	Pedestrian Safety				
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Pedestrian	Pedestrian Mobility		a -	4	()
	Bicyclist Safety				
Bicycle	Bicyclist Mobility				
	Driver Safety				
	Traffic Flow		j.	<i>y</i> .	
Traffic	Parking			The state of the s	v v
Transit	Speed & Reliability		,		e
	Environment	A.		¥	
	Placemaking Opportunity				*
Livability	Mode Shift				
	ROW Impact	N/A	4		
	Ease of Transition	N/A		r.	,
Cost	Capital Cost	N/A		t.	

Comparison of Options 10th Ave NE – Segment D

10th Avenue NE - Segment D		Existing	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
2		2 Lanes	2 Lanes w/	2 Lanes w/	3 Lanes w/
			Protected	Parking &	Bike Lanes
			Bike Lanes	Bike Lanes	
	Pedestrian Safety				e .
Pedestrian	Pedestrian Mobility				
Bicyclist Safety			w.		
Bicycle	Bicyclist Mobility		*		
	Driver Safety			v	
	Traffic Flow				
Traffic	Parking				
Transit	ransit Speed & Reliability		,		
	Environment			4-	
	Placemaking Opportunity				
Livability	Mode Shift				
	ROW Impact	N/A			
	Ease of Transition	N/A			
Cost Capital Cost		N/A			*

Comparison of Options NE 180th Street – Segment E

NE 180th Street - Segment E		Eviatina	Ontion 1	Ontion 3
NE 180th Street - Segme	nte	Existing 2 Lanes	Option 1 2 Lanes w/ Bike Lanes	Option 2 2 Lanes w/ Parking & Protected Bike Lanes
	Pedestrian Safety			
Pedestrian	Pedestrian Mobility			
	Bicyclist Safety			
Bicycle	Bicyclist Mobility			
	Driver Safety			W
	Traffic Flow			
Traffic	Parking	-32		
Transit	Speed & Reliability	v		
	Environment	×	v v	
	Placemaking Opportunity			
Livability	Mode Shift			
	ROW Impact	N/A		4
	Ease of Transition	N/A		
Cost Capital Cost		N/A		

Traffic Concurrency

Level of Service	Roadway Segments V/C Ratio	Signalized Intersections Average Delay (sec/veh)	General Description
A	≤ 0.60	≤ 10	Free Flow
В	> 0.60 - 0.70	> 10 - 20	Stable Flow (slight delay)
С	> 0.70 - 0.80	> 20 - 35	Stable Flow (acceptable delay)
D	> 0.80 - 0.90	> 35 - 55	Approaching Unstable Flow (speeds somewhat reduced, more vehicles stop and may wait through more than one signal cycle before proceeding)
E	> 0.90 - 1.0	> 55 - 80	Unstable Flow (speeds reduced and highly variable, queues occur, many vehicles have to wait through more than one signal cycle before proceeding)
F	> 1.0	>80	Forced Flow (jammed conditions, long queues occur that do not clear, most vehicles wait through more than one signal cycle before proceeding)

Traffic Concurrency

General-Purpose Traffic - Volume to Capacity Ratio Screen

Segment	Existing Peak Hour Volume	Future Peak Hour Volume	Option 1 ² : 3 Lanes		Option 2: 4 Lanes		Option 3: 5 Lanes	
	(vehicles/hour) ¹	(vehicles/hour) ¹	V/C	LOS	V/C	LOS	V/C	LOS
Segment A ³	700	1065	0.61	В	NA	NA	NA	NA
Segment B	595	1840	1.92	F	1.92 4	F	1.05	F
Segment C ⁵	590	1,685	1.76	F	NA	NA	NA	NA
Segment D	325	785	1.12	F	1.12	F	0.93	E
Segment E ⁶	195	430	0.61	В	0.61	В	NA	NA

¹ Highest direction and peak hour volume reported for the associated segment.

² Option 1 V/C results are the same as the Future No Build condition for 2035.

³ For Segment A, There are no roadway changes proposed for this segment because the current lane configuration meets the City's LOS for the Future No Build condition for 2035. Therefore, "NA" indicates there is no Option 2 or 3.

⁴ For Segment B, BAT Lane V/C would be well under .90 standard - V/C reported applies only to general purpose traffic.

⁵ Sound Transit Lynnwood Link Light Rail Project will be constructing a significant portion of this segment (represented as Option 1). The 185th Multimodal Corridor Strategy effort has assumed these improvements will remain in place. Therefore, "NA" indicates there is no Option 2 or 3.

⁶ For Segment E, Option 1 and 2 both meet the City's LOS. Therefore, "NA" indicates there is no Option 3.

Traffic Concurrency

- If the 185th MCS effort finds Option 1 or Option 2 to be the preferred concept, follow up action would be taken to set a 185th Street Corridor-specific LOS in the City's Comprehensive Plan.
- If Option 3 is selected, follow up action to amend the Comprehensive Plan would still be needed to allow a V/C of 1.10.

Community Gathering Places



City-owned parcel at Aurora Ave N & N 185th St





New mural

South side of N 185th St. between Ashworth Ave N and Stone Ave N



City ROW at NE 185th St & 5th Ave NE



Rotary Park



Next Steps

- Open House 2 April 2
- Online survey April 5 to May 28
- Stakeholder Meetings April and May
- Council Meeting July 15
 - Select Preferred Option
- Council Meeting October 21
 - Adopt Final Corridor Strategy

Council Discussion

 Council feedback on tonight's draft materials

