

# 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue: River Road to Grant Road

1<sup>st</sup> Avenue Citizens' Task Force Meeting

1/22/26



# Approval of September Meeting Minutes

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# Call to the Audience

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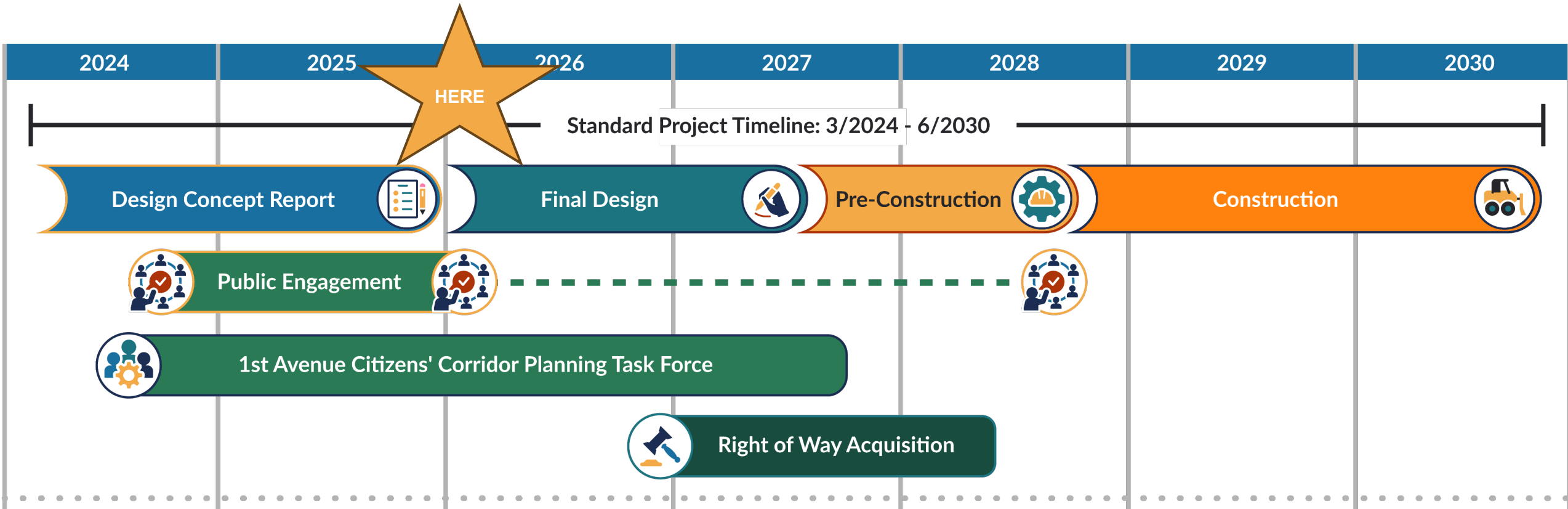


# Schedule Update

(Where we are, What we've done)



# Project Overview



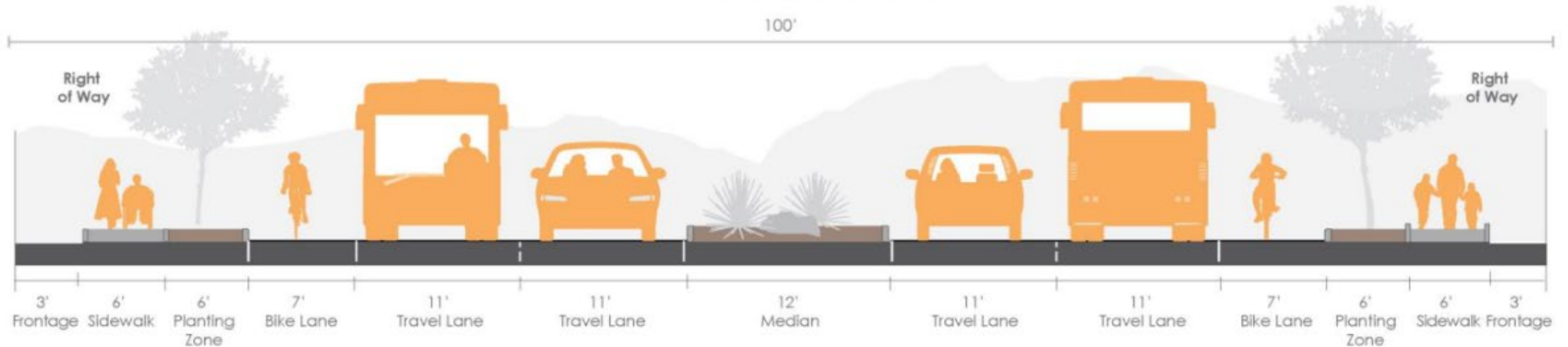


# Project Overview

## Design Concept Report

- Major scope items:
  - Safety and accessibility
  - Roadway reconstruction
  - Drainage improvements
  - Bridge replacement

### 4-Lane Cross-Section

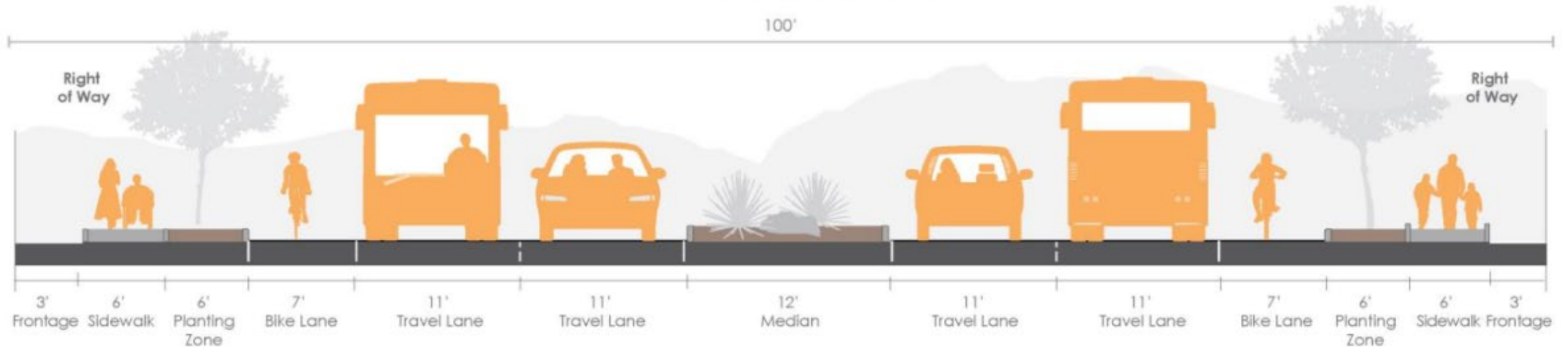


# Project Overview

## Design Concept Report

- What will the design team evaluate?
  - Existing Conditions
  - Cross-section and alignment alternatives
  - Constructability and construction phasing
  - Right-of-Way
  - Cost estimation
  - Traffic Design
  - Floodplain and Drainage
  - Utilities (Existing and New)
  - Landscape
  - Social, Economic, and Environmental

### 4-Lane Cross-Section



# Project Overview

## Design Concept Report

Fall 2024

Existing Conditions Analysis



Winter 2024/2025

Framework and Goals Development



Spring/Summer 2025

Alternatives Development



Draft  
Recommended  
Alternative



Final  
Recommended  
Alternative

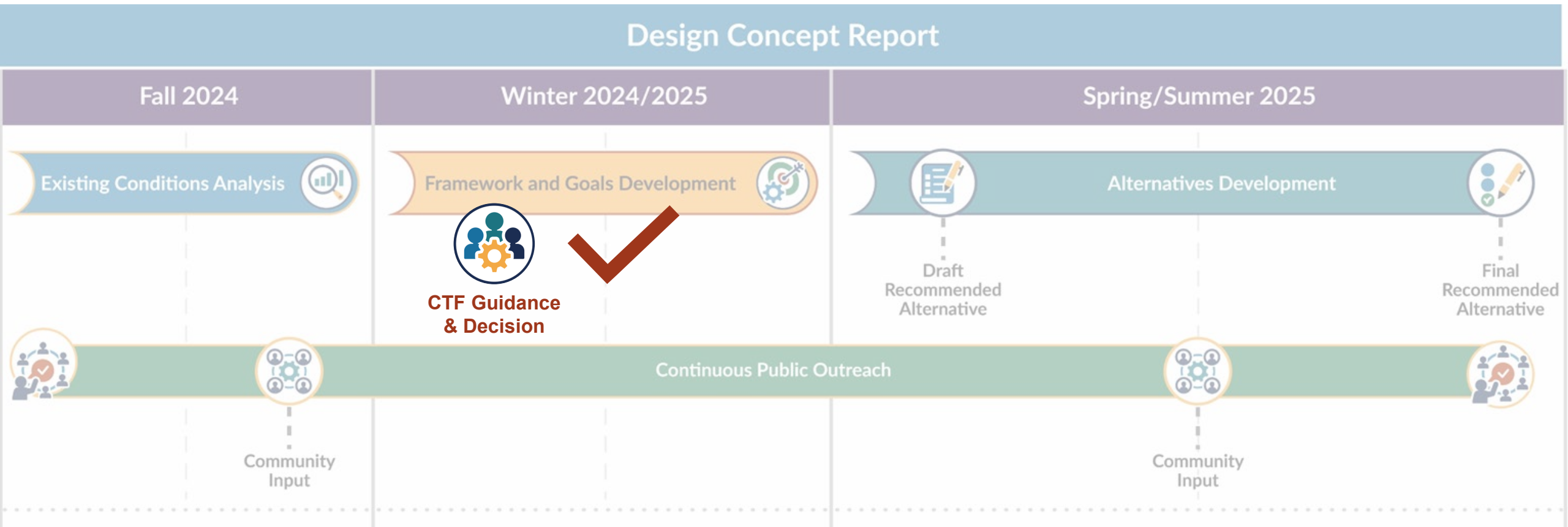
Continuous Public Outreach

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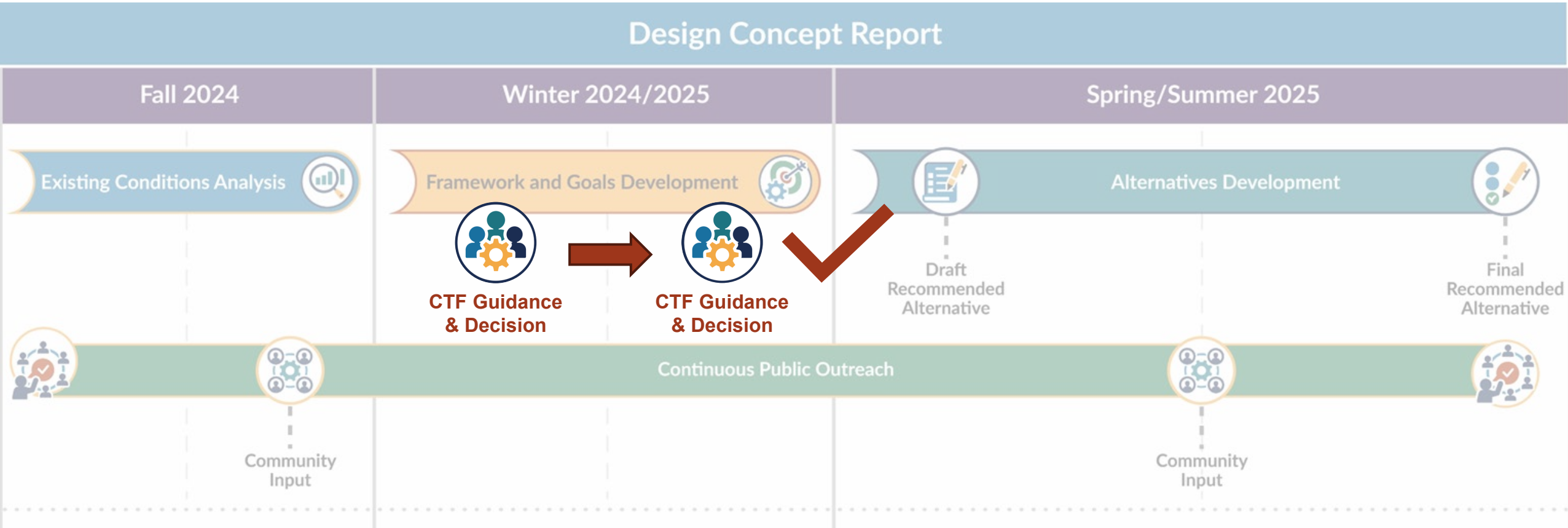
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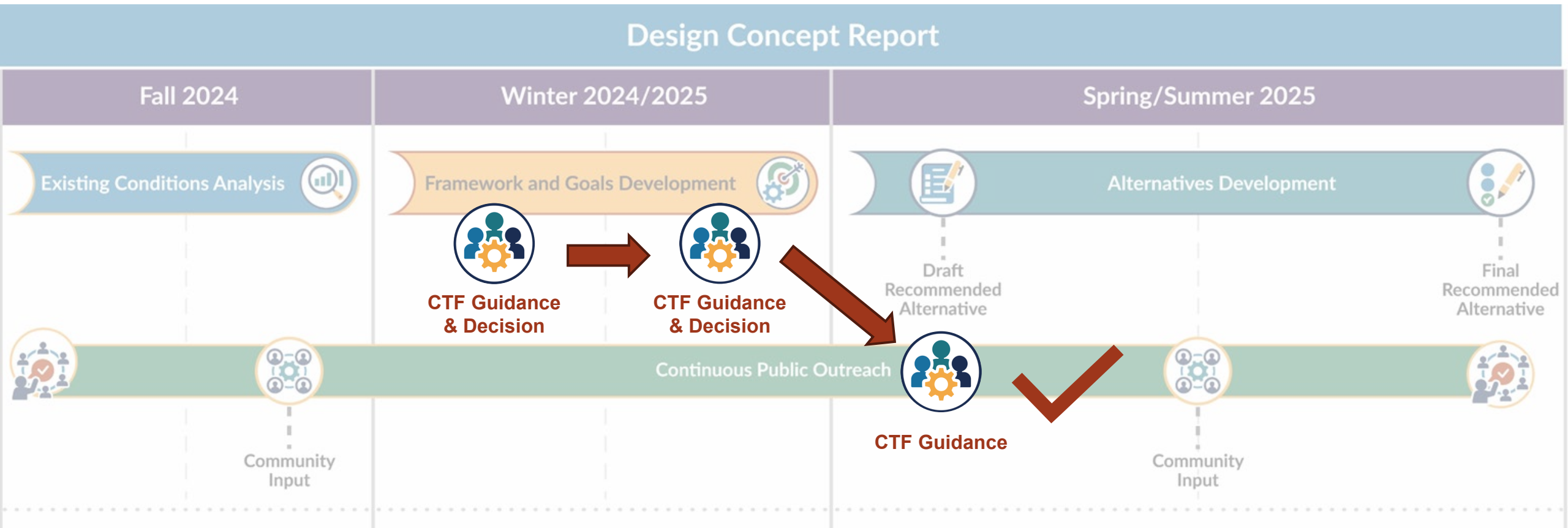
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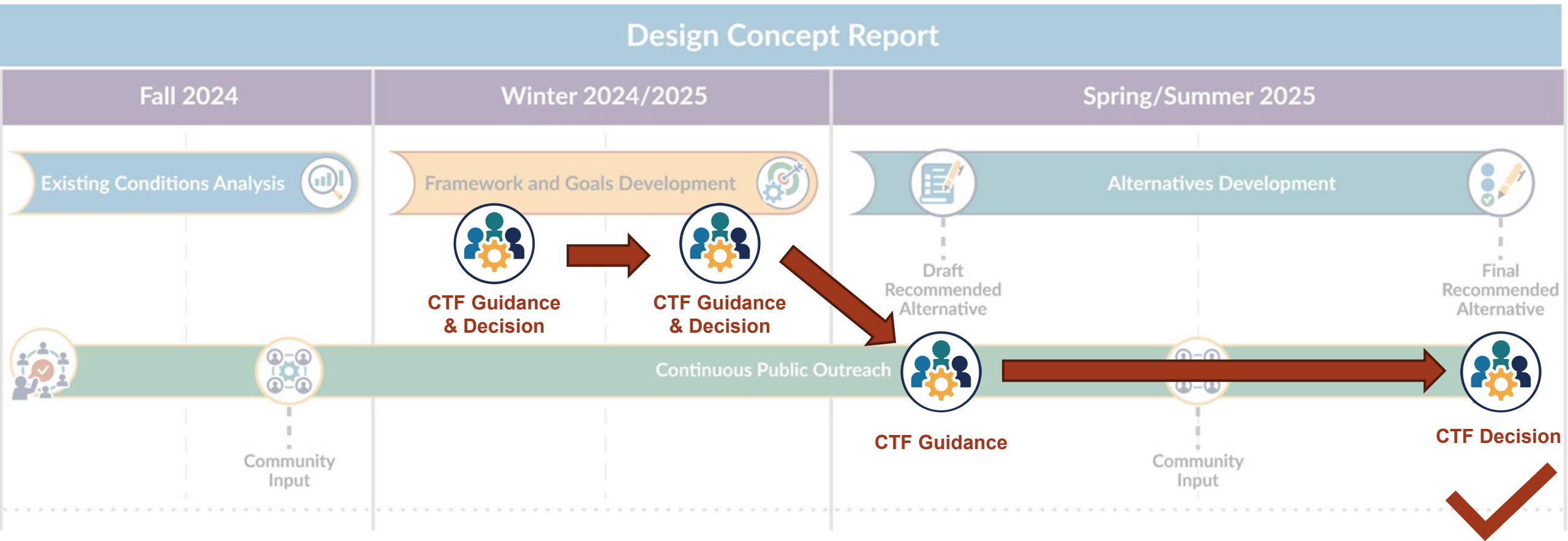
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# 1<sup>st</sup> Ave Corridor Map – January 2026



# Public Outreach Summary

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# Phase II Community Outreach Summary

**Over 40 Attendees to In-Person Open House**

**968 Website Views**

**264 Online Portal Engagement**

**59 Comments on Boards, Banners, Roll Plot Maps and Online Meeting Portal**



# Events & Activities – Phase II

## In-person open house:

Wednesday, October 15, 2025 | 6:00-7:30 p.m. | Donna Liggins Recreation Center



## Online open house:

October 15 to November 15



## Pop-up events:

Heirloom Farmer's Market  
| TBD

Woods Memorial Library |  
TBD

Amy's Donuts | TBD

Vantage West Credit  
Union | TBD

Cyclovia | Oct. 26



## Partnerships:

RTA Mainstreet

Ward 3

# Highlights of What We Heard

## Feedback that was collected during the Community Outreach during the fall of 2025 included:

- **59** comments on boards, banners, the roll plot map, and the Online Meeting portal
- All comments collected were **extremely positive and supportive** of the proposed improvement options.
- Comments by people who visited our booths were happy to hear about the improvements and agreed that **safety should be the focus**.



# DCR Overview

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# Future Project Refinements

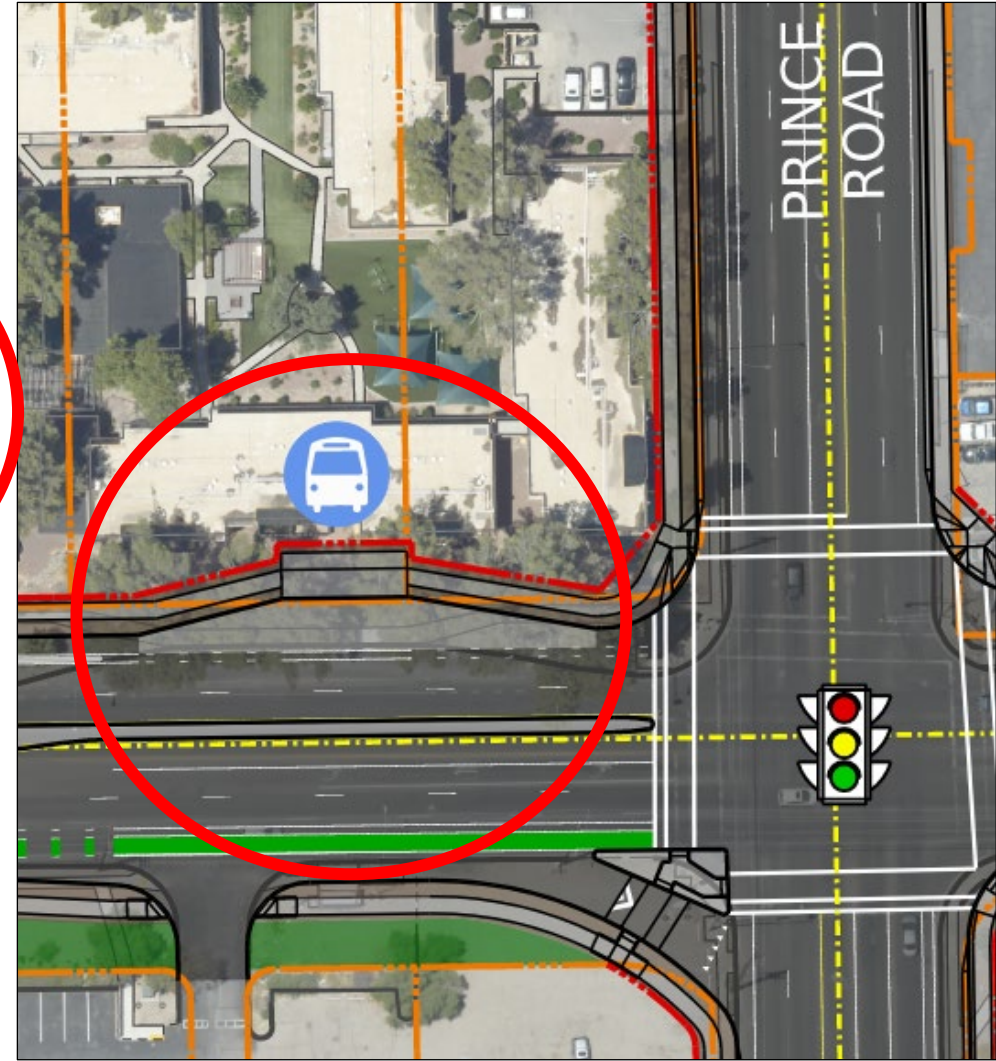
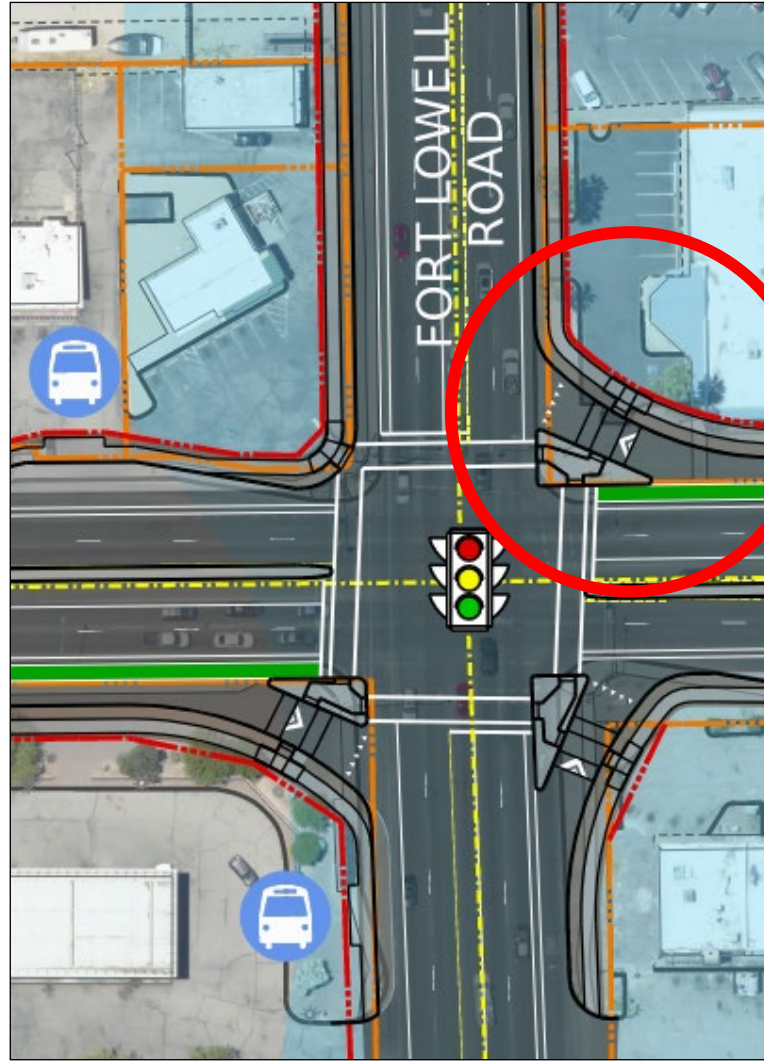
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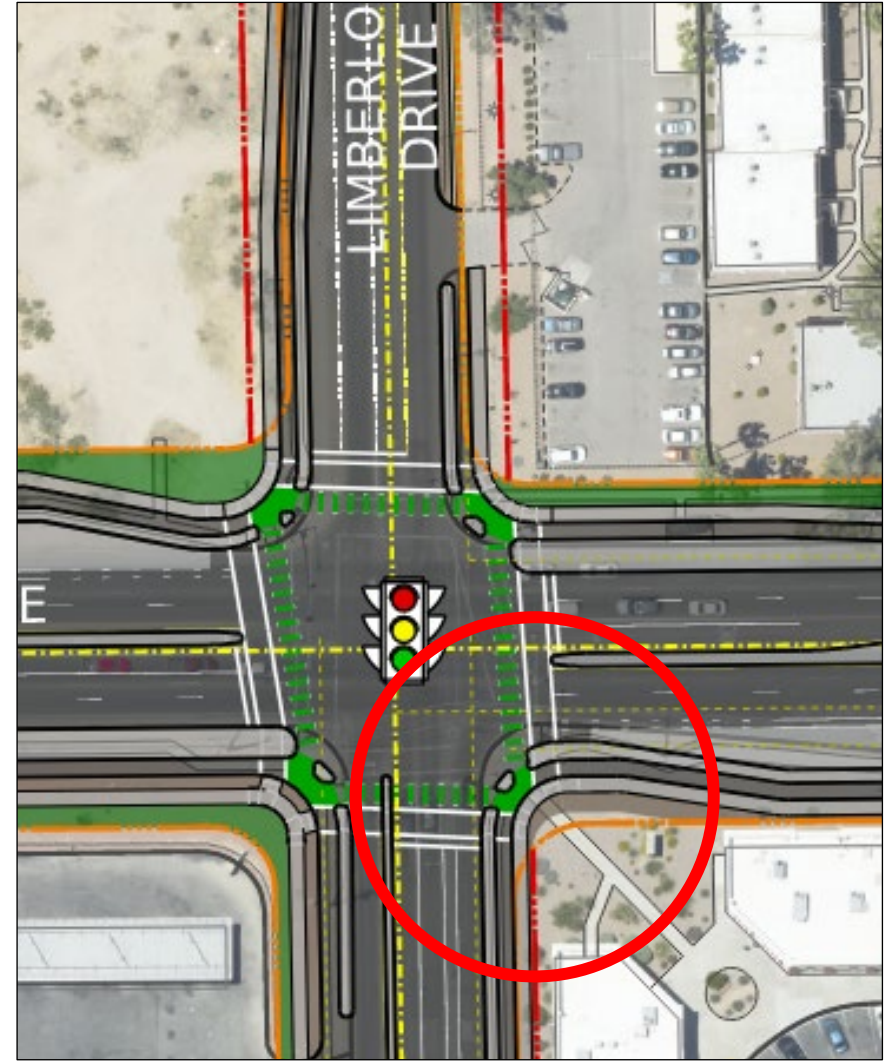
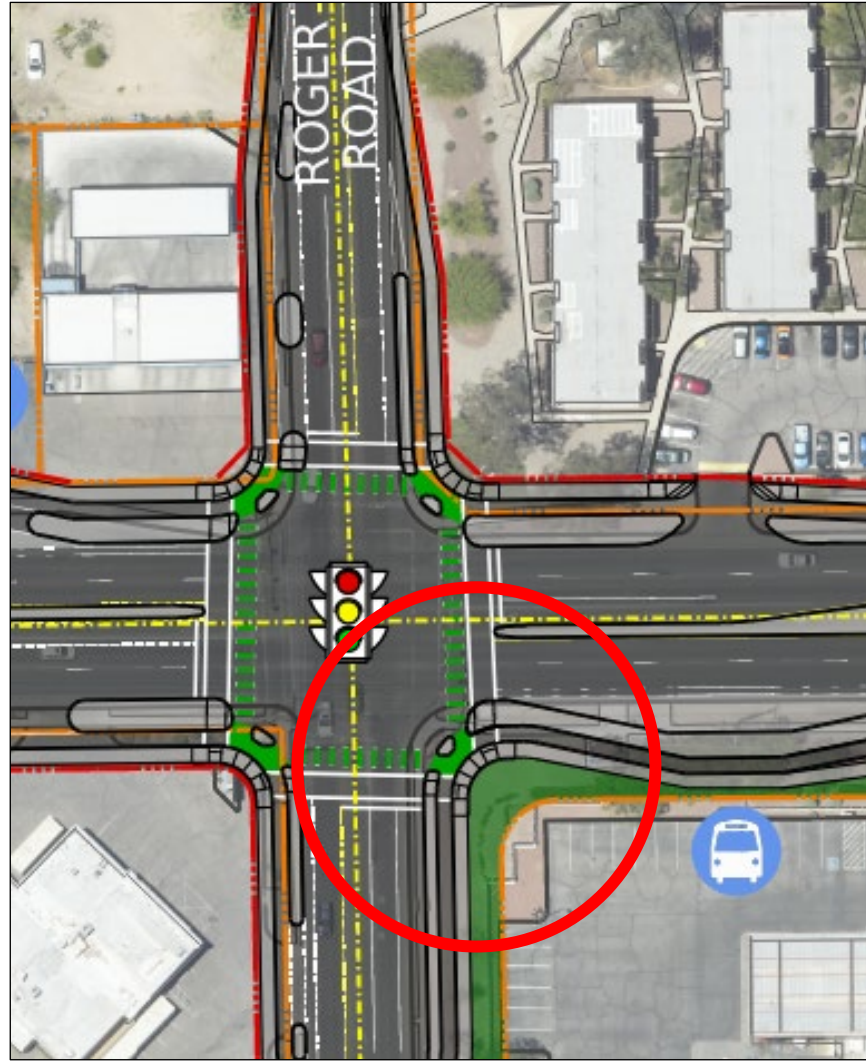
# Design Refinements

- Address DTM Staff Comments
- Respond to Public Engagement Comments
- Balancing Safety, Mobility and R/W Impacts
- Bus Stop Locations and Details

- Right Turn Lane Configuration
- Bus Stop Location and Configuration



- Right Turn Lane and Protected Intersection Configuration



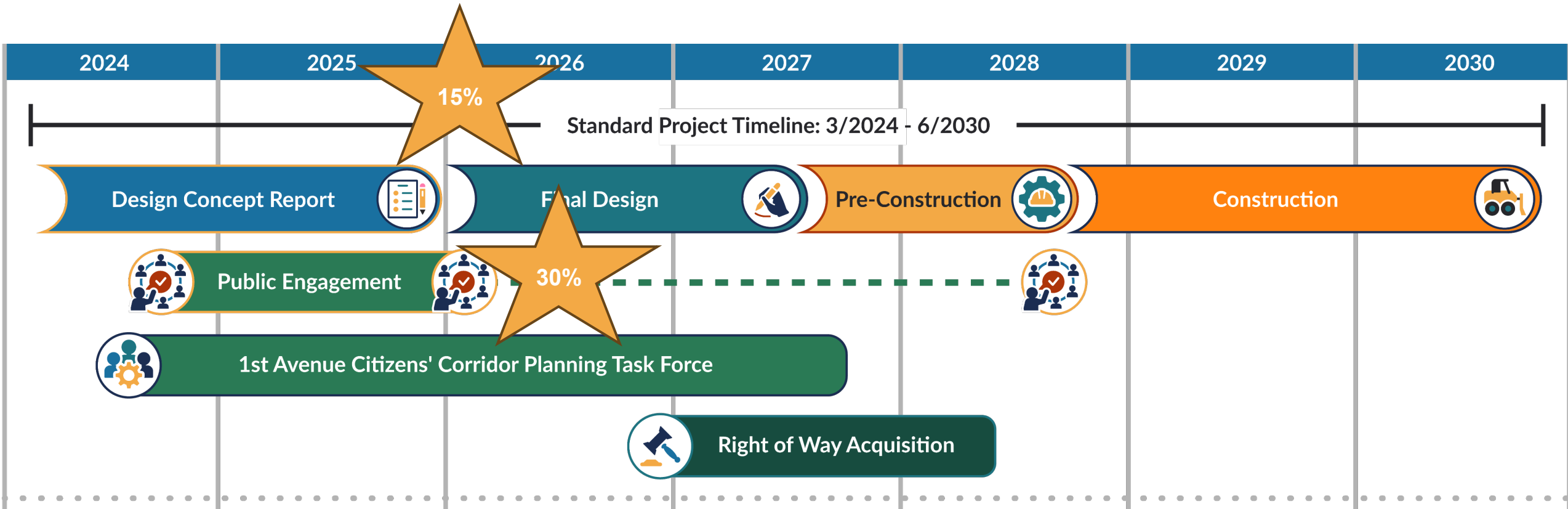
# Schedule Update

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(Key Tasks for Next 6 Months)



# Project Overview



# Detailed Design

- Bridge Substructure Design
- Bridge Superstructure Design
- Storm Drain System Design
- Street Lighting System Design
- Traffic Signal Design
- Property Access Design
- Project Phasing and Delivery

# Future Agenda Items

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# Adjournment

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