NEW YORK AVENUE Streetscape and Trail Project

FACT SHEET

BACKGROUND

New York Avenue NE is a major transportation route, a neighborhood and an important industrial and commercial hub in the District of Columbia. The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) is working to create a cohesive corridor streetscape and trail to serve the community and users of New York Avenue NE.



PROJECT AREA

The project limits extend along New York Avenue NE from the NOMA Metro Station to Bladensburg Road NE. The corridor is a major east-west route through Ivy City and connecting the Arboretum and Union Market communities in Ward 5. The study area includes a mix of residences, businesses, churches and new developments. The project area has few options for non-vehicular traffic and lacks adequate and consistent infrastructure to accommodate foot and bicycle travel.

PROJECT PURPOSE

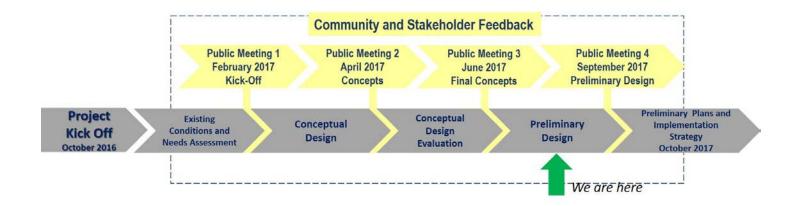
Since early 2017, DDOT has worked with community and project stakeholders to identify and evaluate improvements for the following:

- Sidewalks and public space areas along the corridor;
- Streetscape amenities;
- Pedestrian safety enhancements;
- Better multimodal connectivity; and
- A bicycle and pedestrian trail.





PROJECT TIMELINE



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For more information, please visit the project website, <u>www.newyorkavenueproject.com</u>.

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