



I-375 Reconnecting Communities Project

JUNE 5, 2025

AGENDA

1. Purpose and Need
2. Project Updates
 - a) Additional Non-Motorized and Pedestrian Connectivity
 - b) New Boulevard
 - c) New Storm Sewer Outfall
 - d) Neighborhood Framework Schedule
3. Maintenance of Traffic & Traffic Staging Concepts
4. Schedule
5. Questions
6. Meeting Close

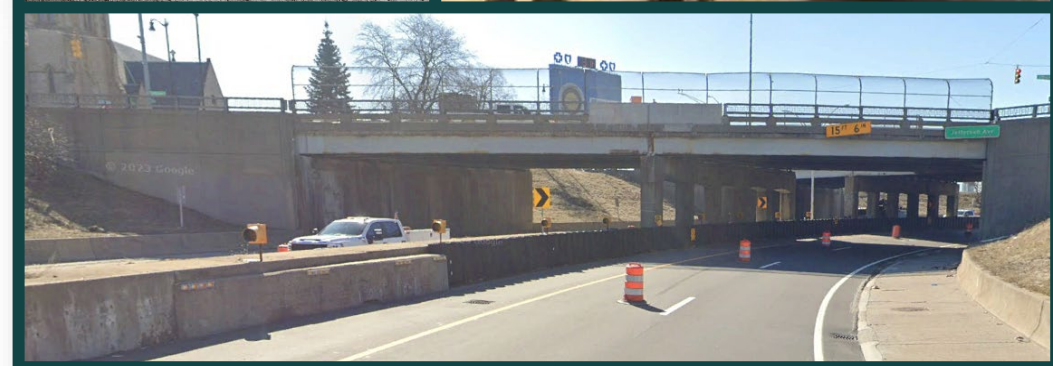
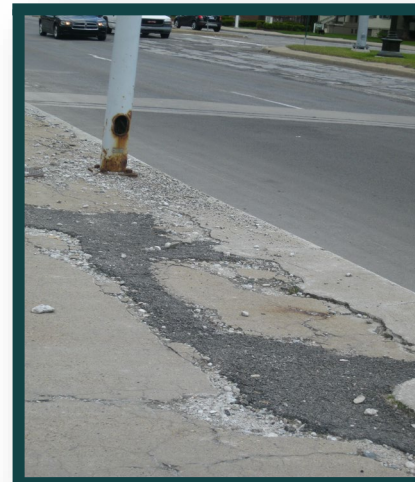
PURPOSE AND NEED

TRANSPORTATION

- Address an infrastructure need and replace the outdated interchange design, deteriorated bridges, and roadways.
- Address existing and future transportation needs and roadway safety for all users.
- Improve connectivity to surrounding areas for both vehicular and nonmotorized users.
- Enhance access to enable future development and other placemaking opportunities

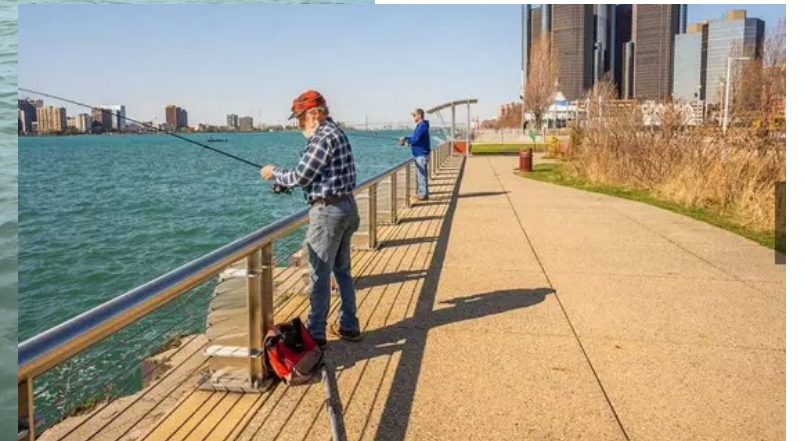
MDOT'S MISSION

- Serve and connect people, communities, and the economy through transportation.

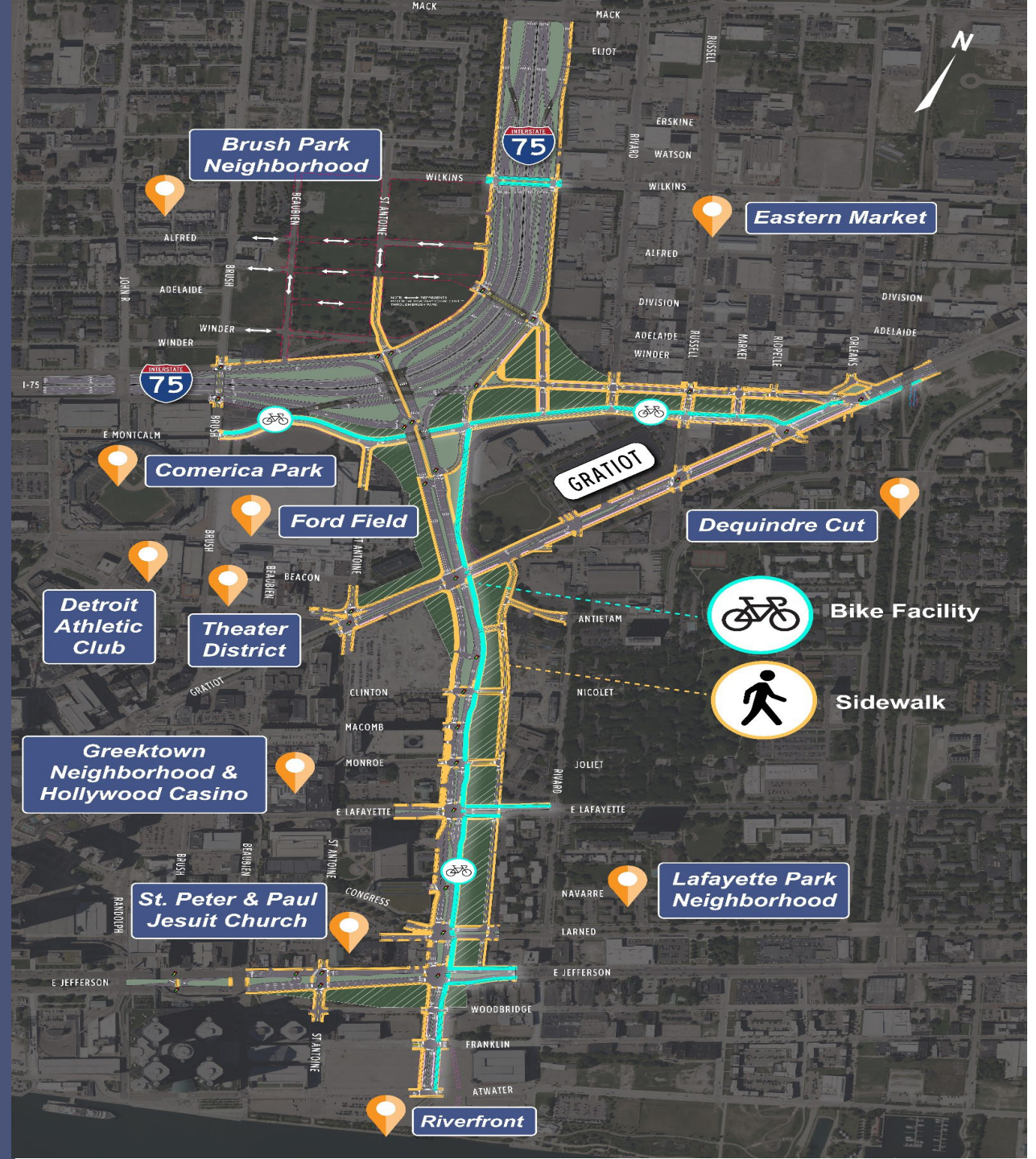


Design Updates

- Additional Non-Motorized and Pedestrian Connectivity
- New Boulevard
- New Storm Sewer Outfall
- Interchange Modeling



Additional Non- Motorized and Pedestrian Connectivity



New Boulevard Design Update

New Boulevard

- ▶ Narrow sidewalks
- ▶ Narrow median
- ▶ More excess property

MEDIAN
TREATMENT

SIDEWALK
14'

East Road

EAST
ROAD

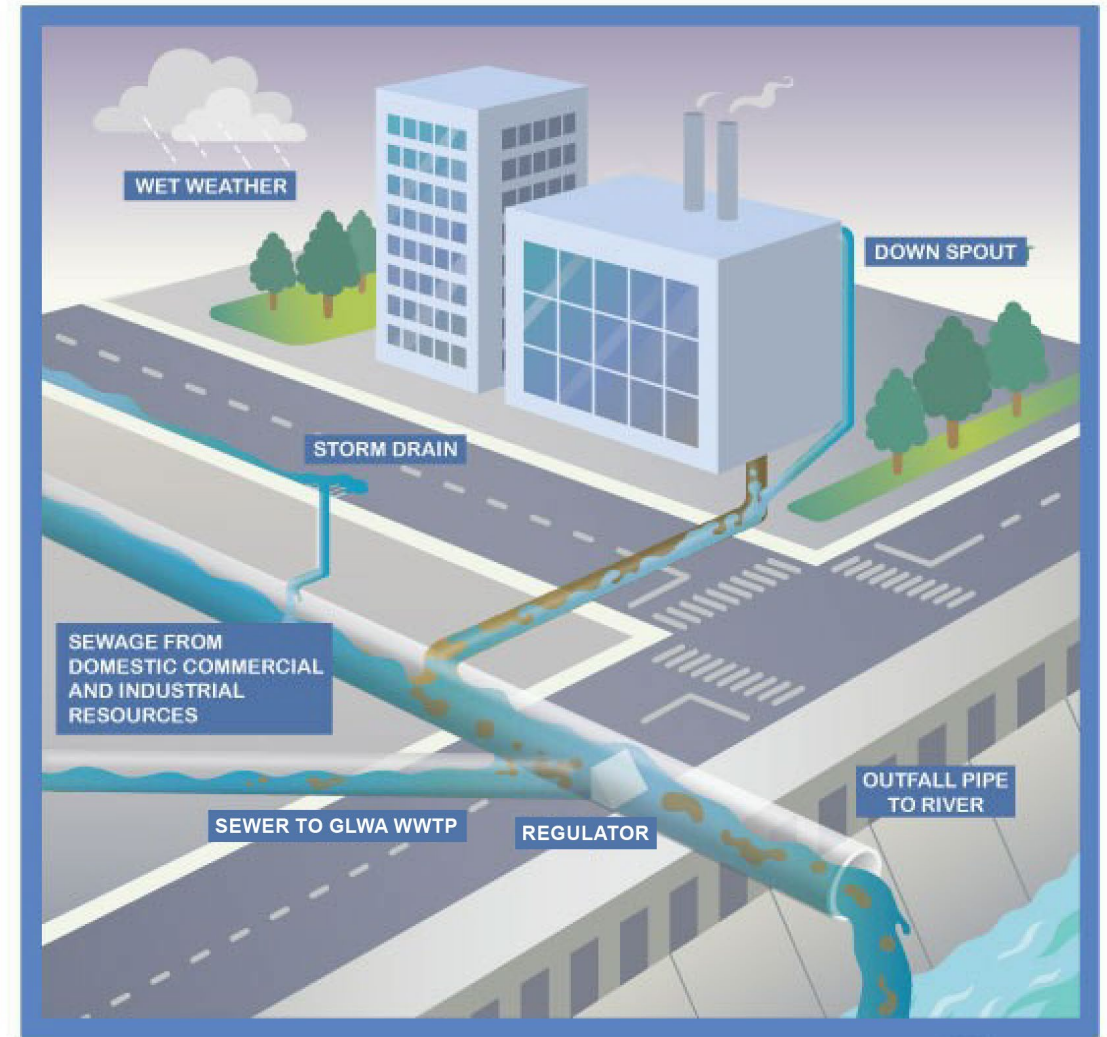
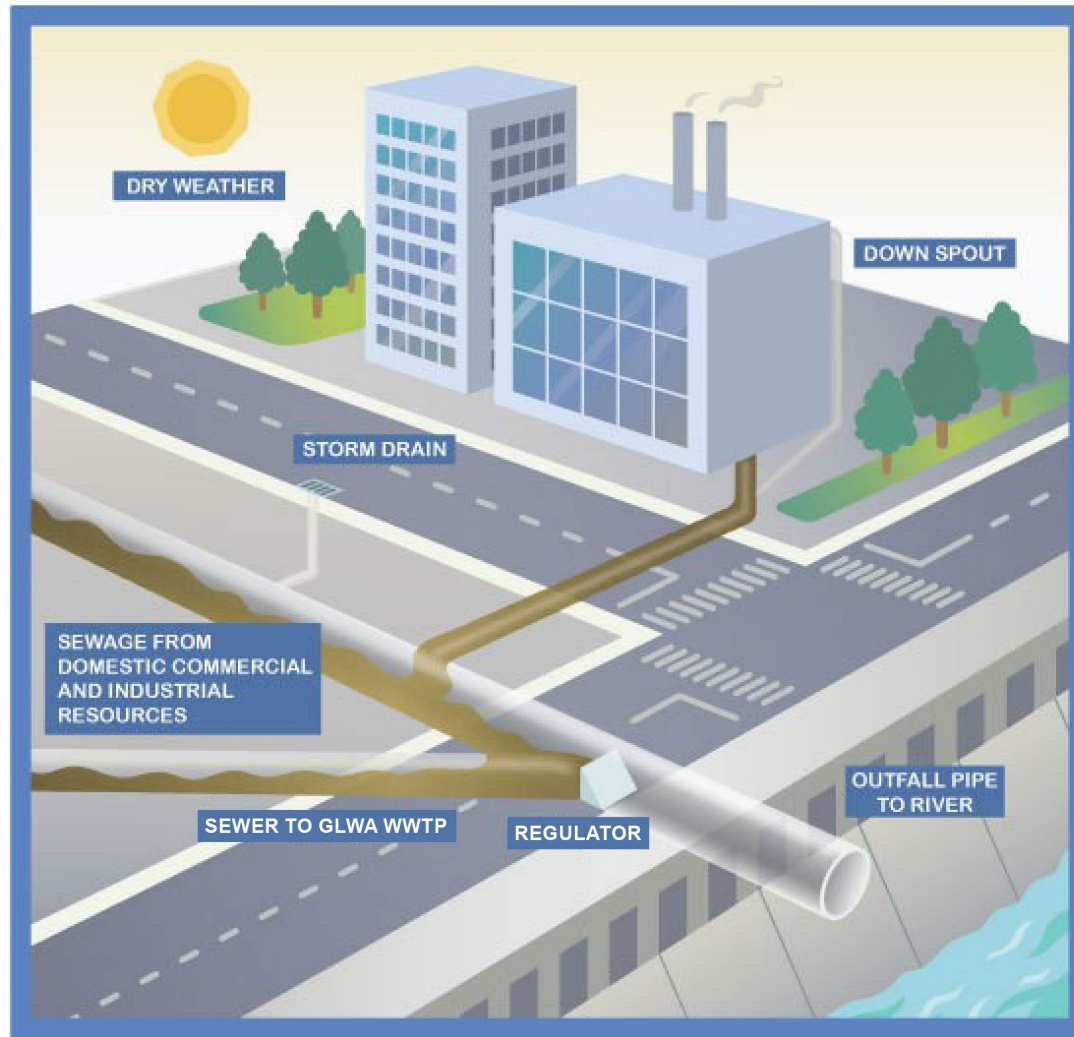
NEW BOULEVARD

CYCLE TRACK/
SIDEWALK

EXCESS PROPERTY

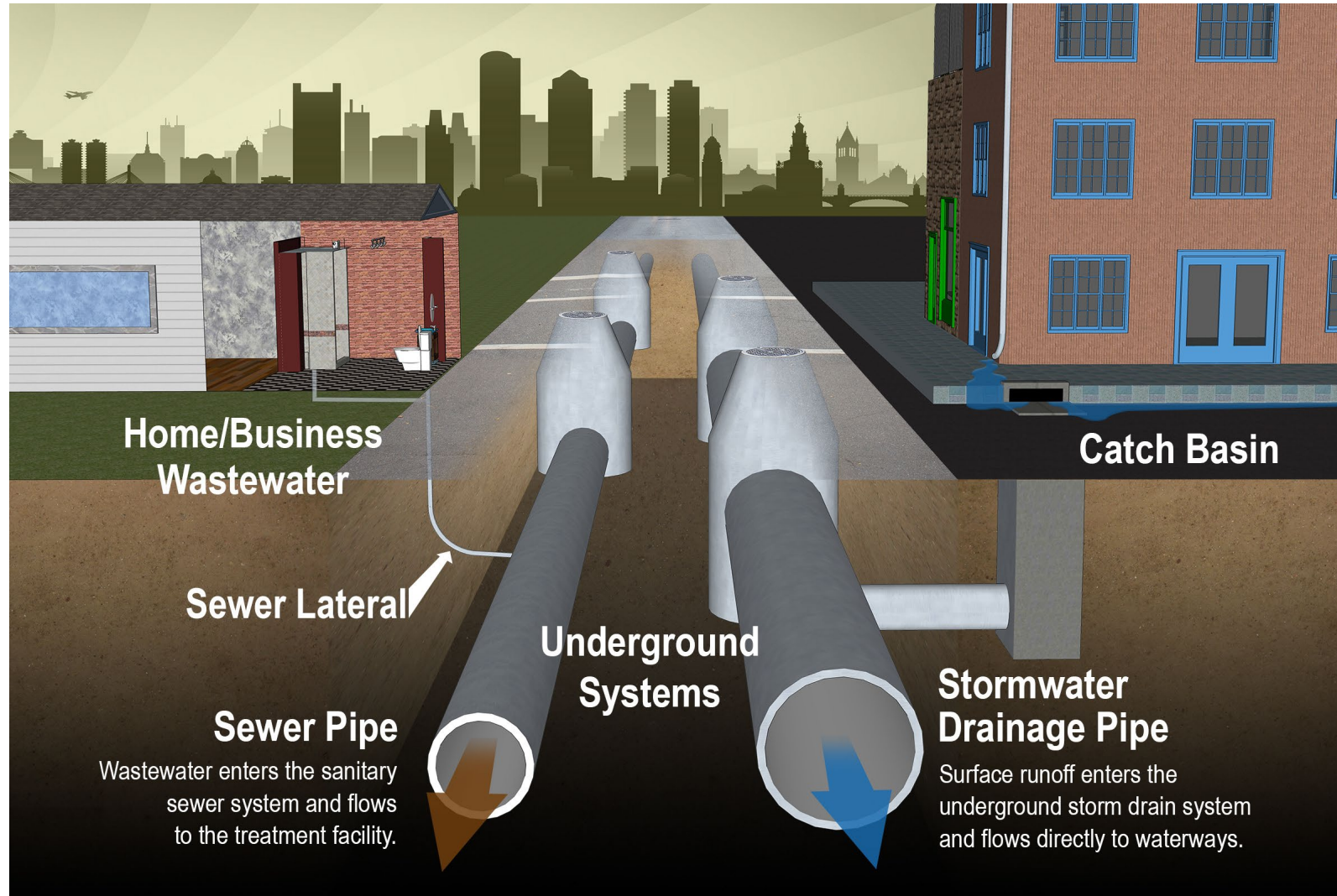
EAST ROAD

Why a New Storm Sewer Outfall – Existing System

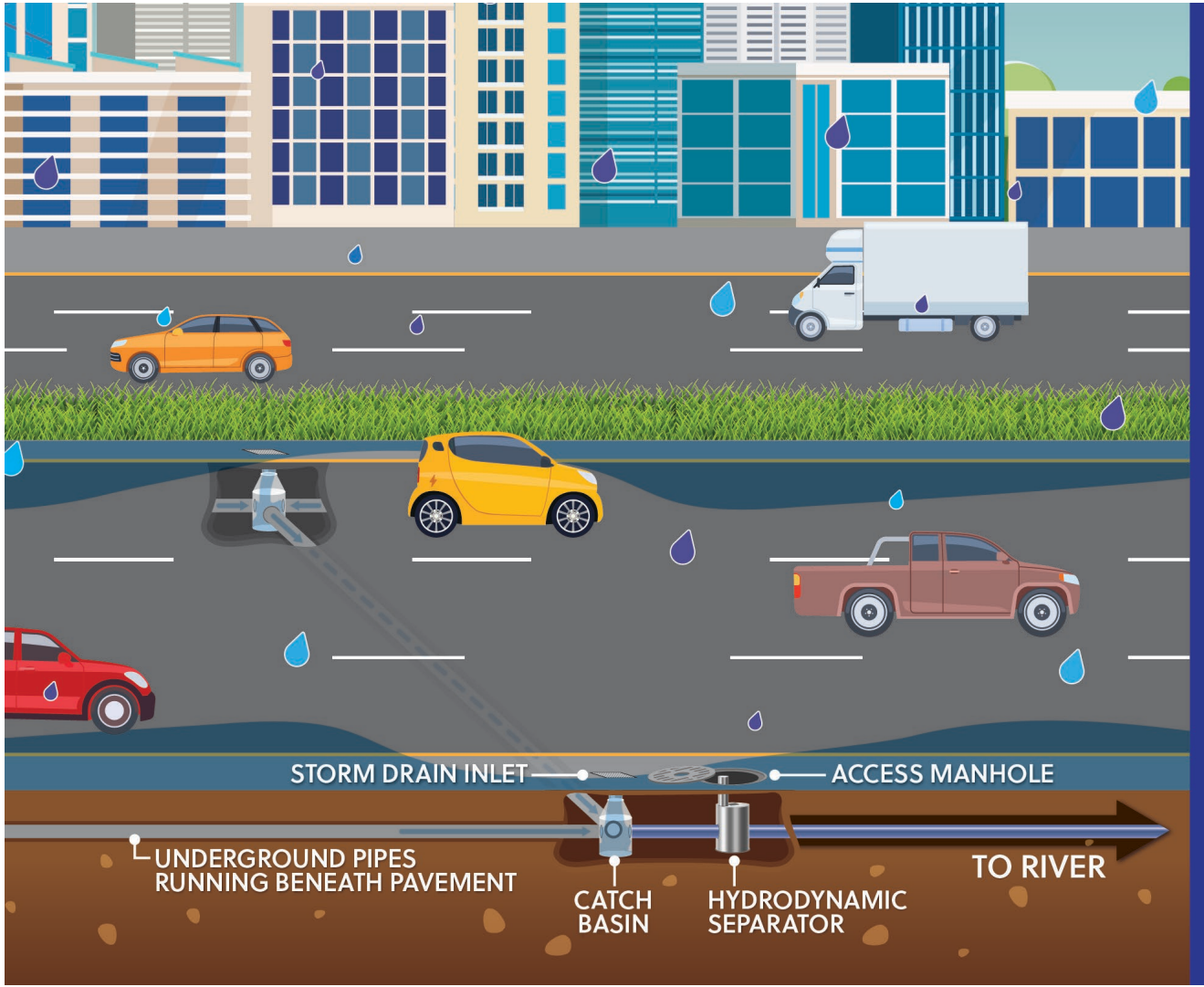


COMBINED SEWER SYSTEM

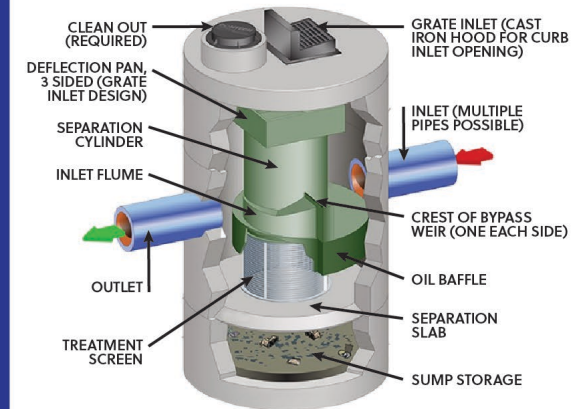
Why a New Storm Sewer Outfall – Separated System



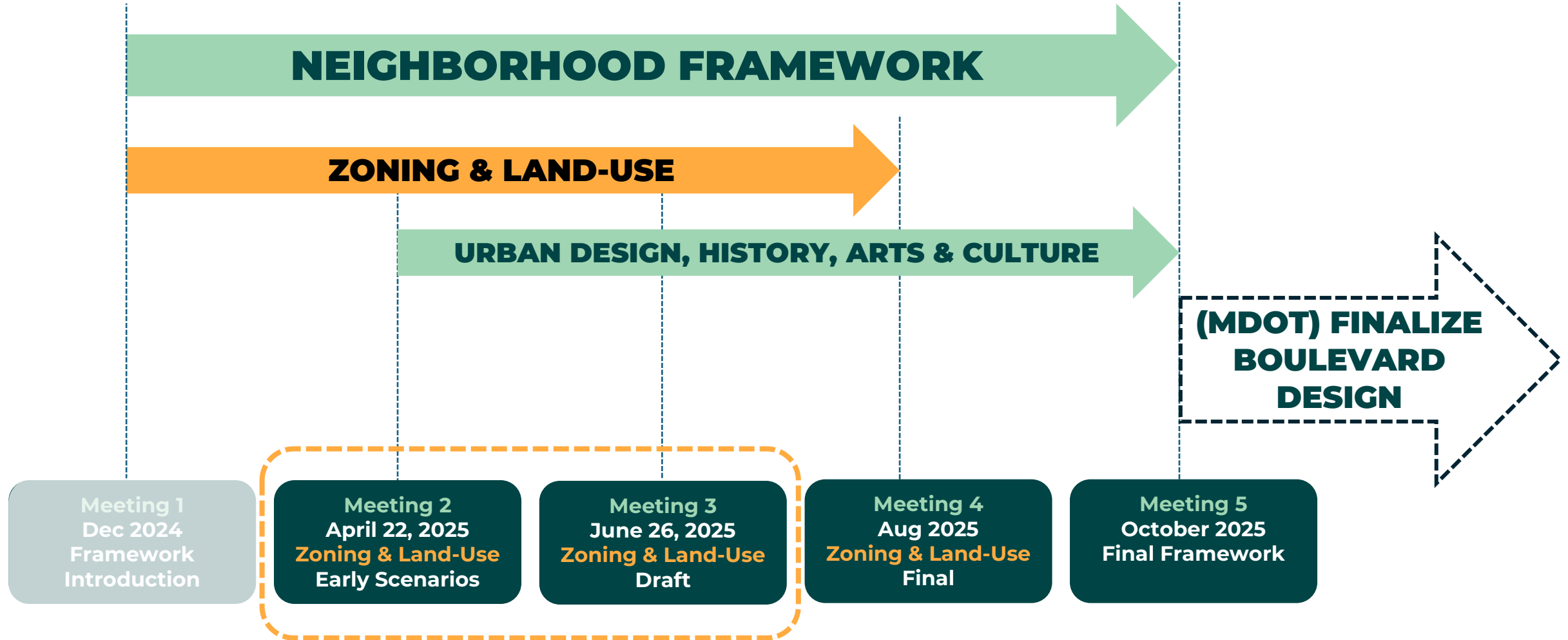
Treating the Water Before it Outfalls



HYDRODYNAMIC SEPARATOR



FRAMEWORK TIMELINE Sept. 2024 – Oct. 2025



Maintenance of Traffic Concept & Staging Updates



Stakeholder Listening Sessions Pt. 1



Traffic Operations During Construction



Stakeholder Listening Sessions Pt. 2



Traffic Operations During Construction



Maintaining access to businesses and neighborhoods is vital throughout the project



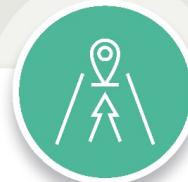
Project impacts on major event traffic, which is already challenging and requires careful planning



Consideration of truck loading and unloading patterns when planning detours carefully



Ensure clear, consistent, and timely communication regarding road closures and detours

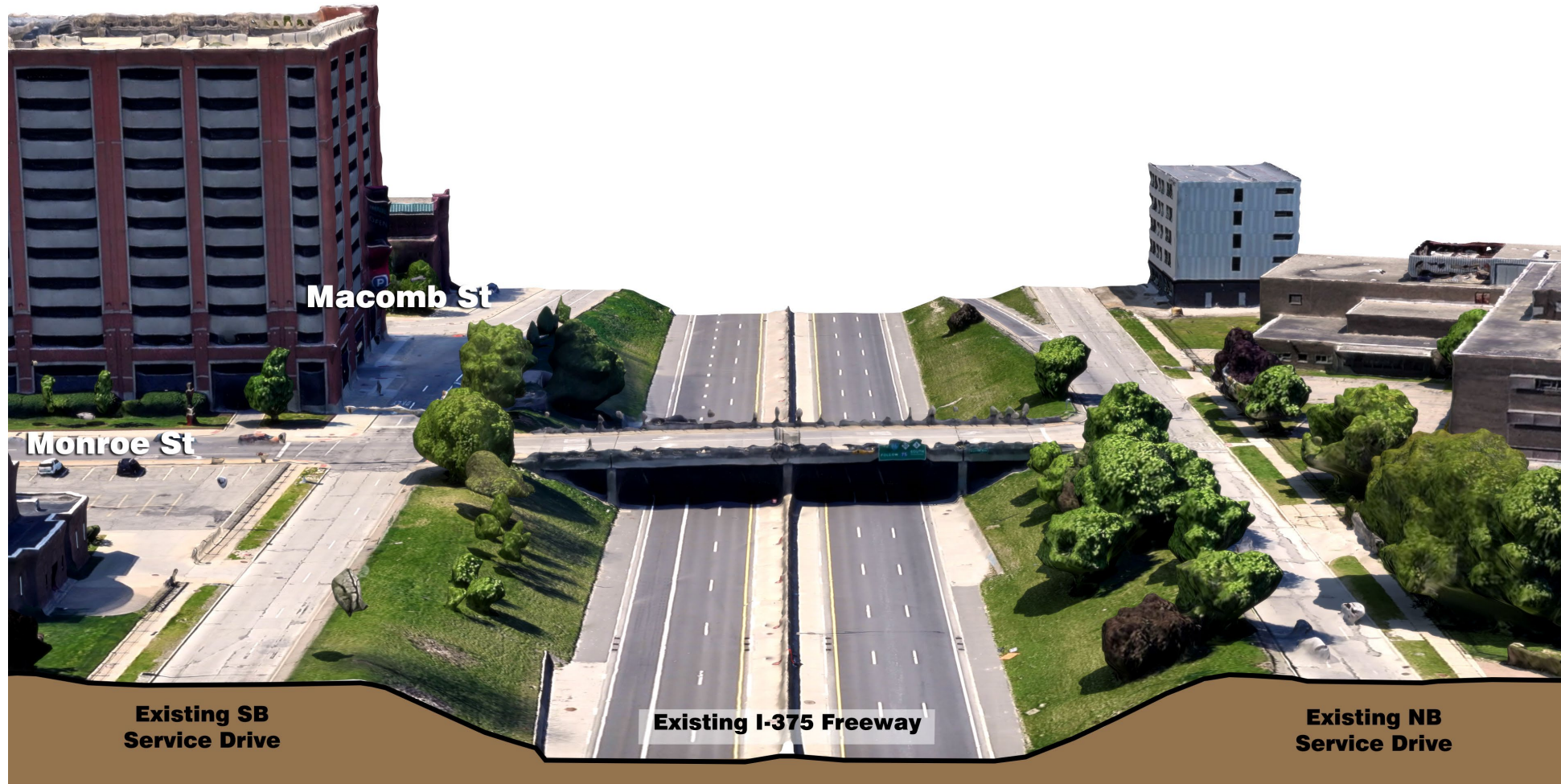


Effective wayfinding signage to help pedestrians navigate during construction



Minimize pedestrian detours and ensure adequate lighting and protection from vehicle traffic

Building the New Boulevard Pt. 1



Macomb St

Monroe St

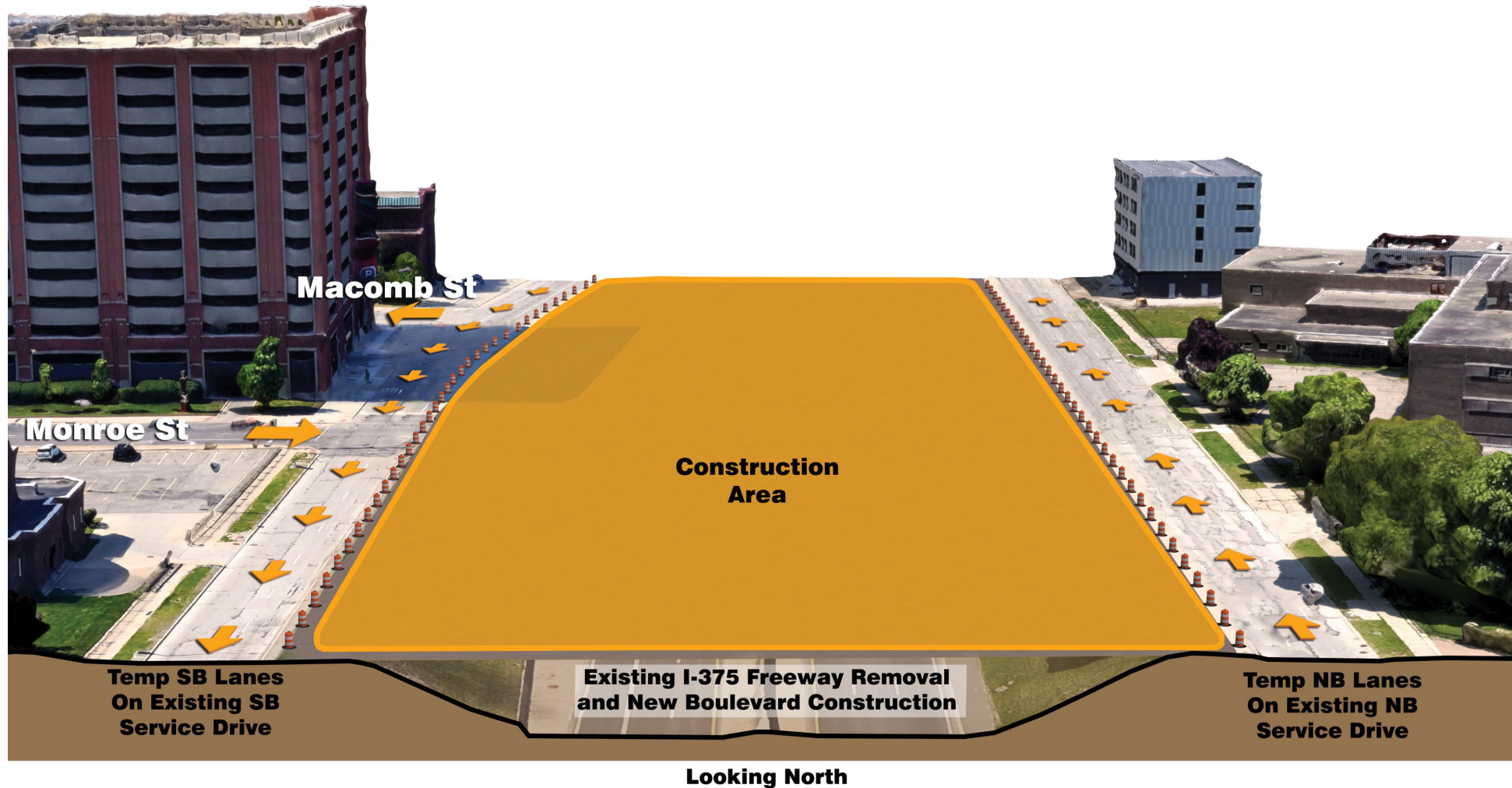
**Existing SB
Service Drive**

Existing I-375 Freeway

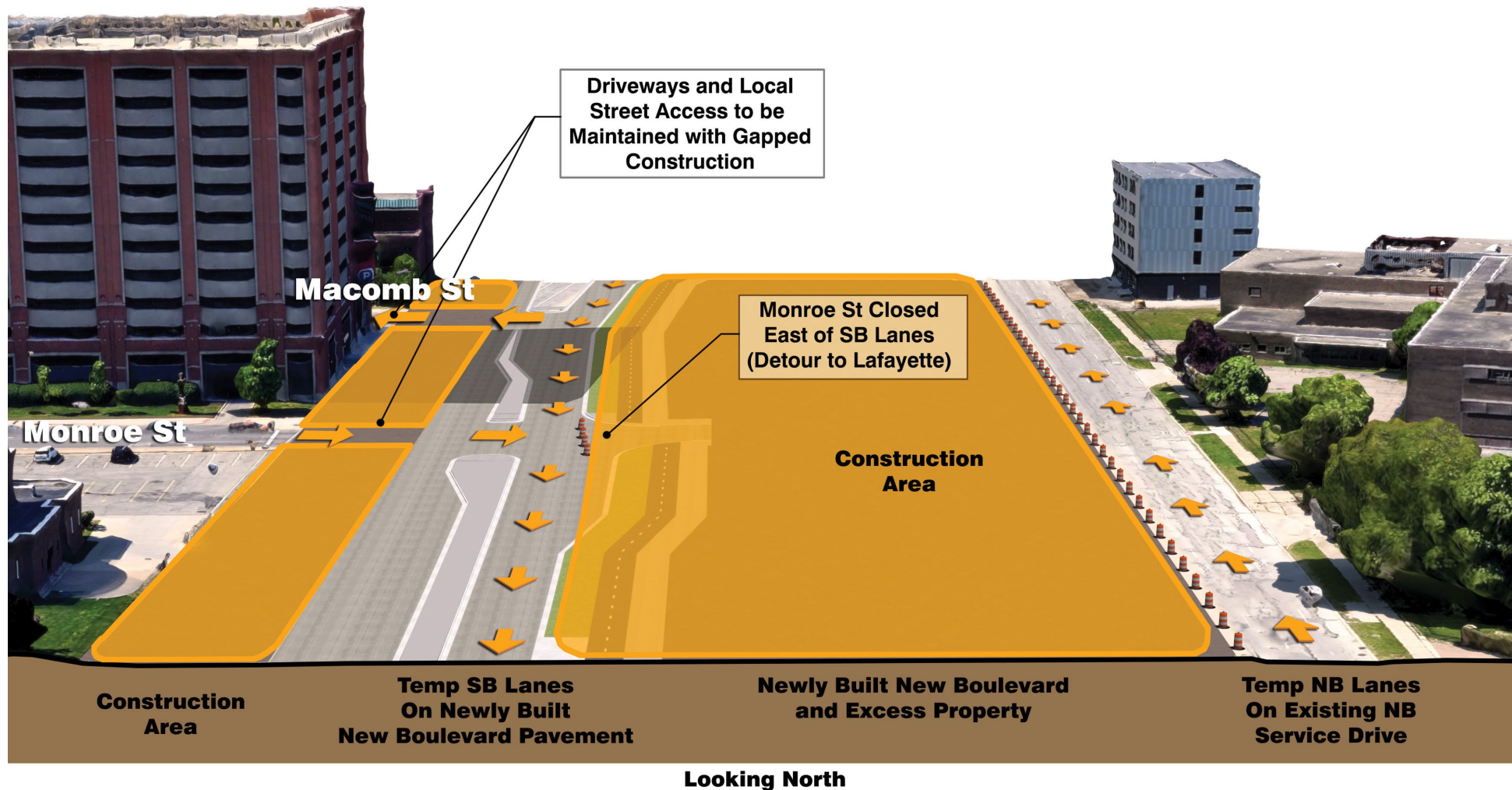
**Existing NB
Service Drive**

Looking North

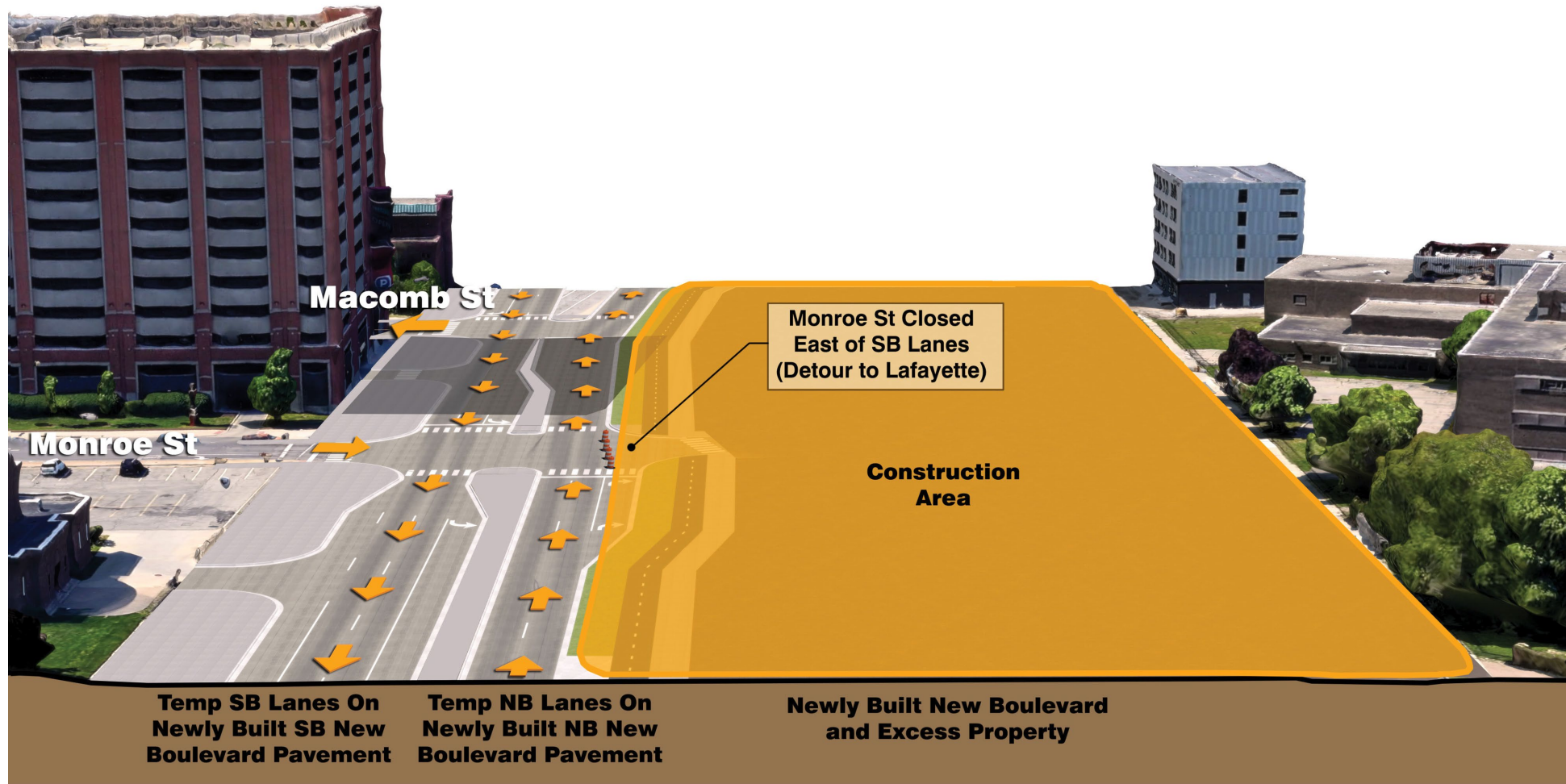
Building the New Boulevard Pt. 2



Building the New Boulevard Pt. 3



Building the New Boulevard Pt. 4



Looking North

Building the New Boulevard Pt. 5



**Newly Built 375
Boulevard and Excess Property**

Looking North

Maintaining Lafayette Bridge Pt. 1



Maintaining Lafayette Bridge Pt. 2



Maintaining Lafayette Bridge Pt. 3



Delivering the Project From South to North & Modeling



Construction Years Not Finalized

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

Exact dates are tentative

Date	Meeting/Event	Topics
April 22, 2025	Community Meeting - Neighborhood Framework	Challenges + Opportunities: Early Land Use Scenarios
June 5, 2025	Community Meeting - Design and Construction	Draft Traffic Operations During Construction scenarios, Design Updates (Boulevard and Interchange)
June 26, 2025	Community Meeting - Neighborhood Framework	Emerging Ideas for Land Use, Draft Neighborhood Framework Plan
July 23, 2025	LAC Meeting - Design and Construction	Updated Traffic Operations During Construction Scenarios Design refinements
August 6, 2025	Community Meeting - Design and Construction	Updated Traffic Operations During Construction Scenarios Design refinements
August 21, 2025	Community Meeting - Final Framework	Present the final 375 Framework
October 2025	Final Framework Document Release	Final Framework Document will be posted on the city's website.

Questions

www.Michigan.gov/I375Study

