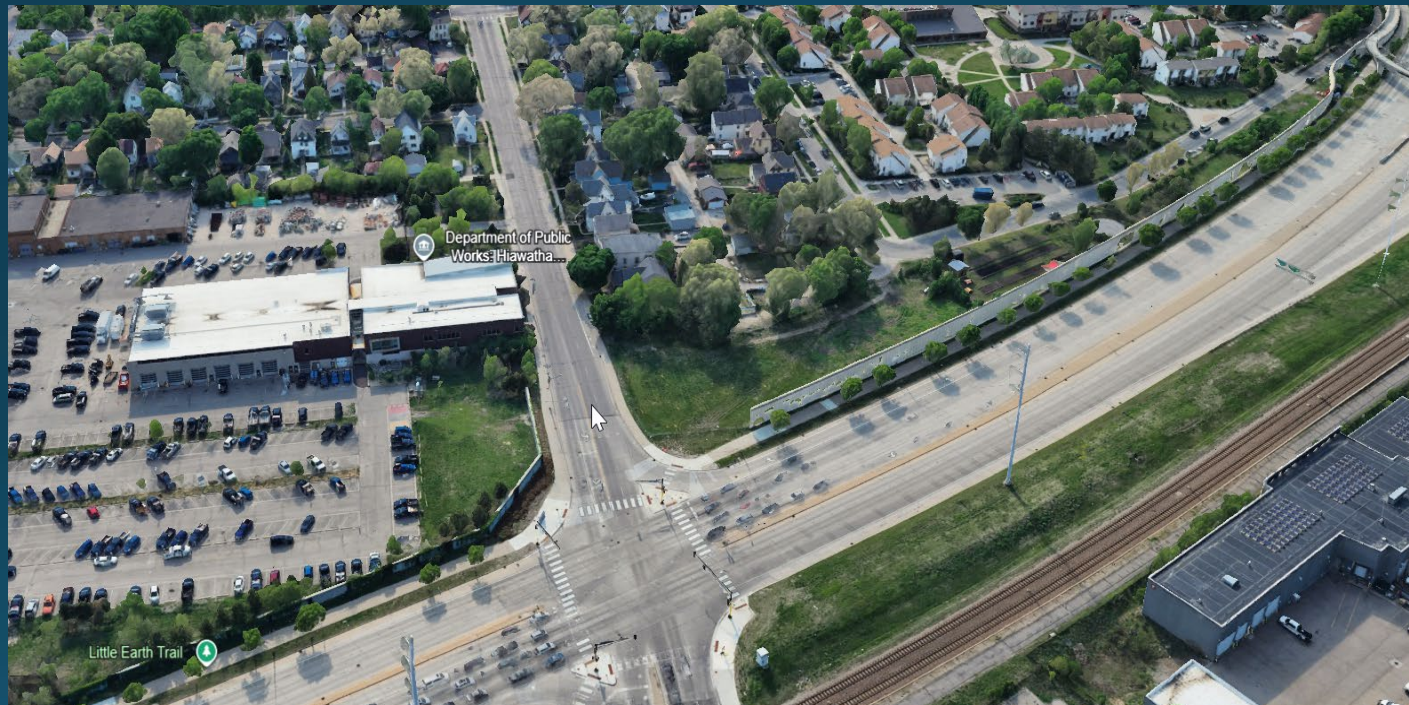


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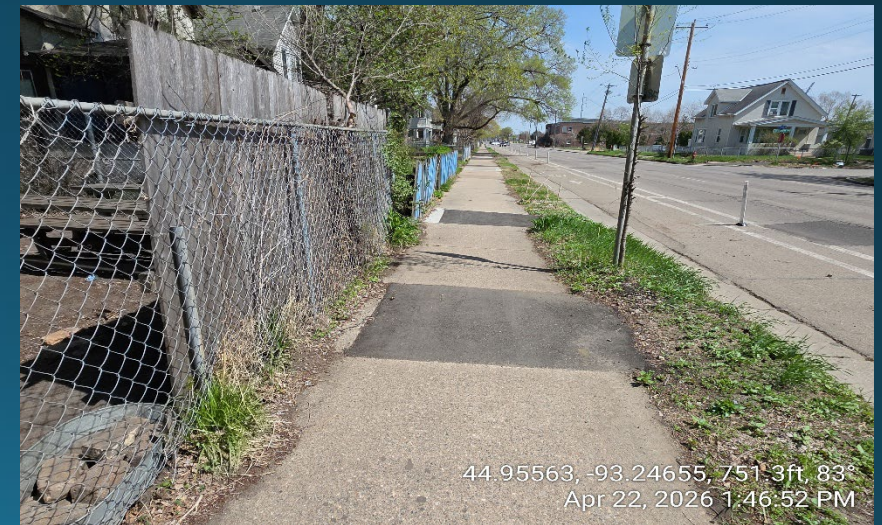
Neighborhood Pre-Construction Meeting – May 21, 2026



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Agenda

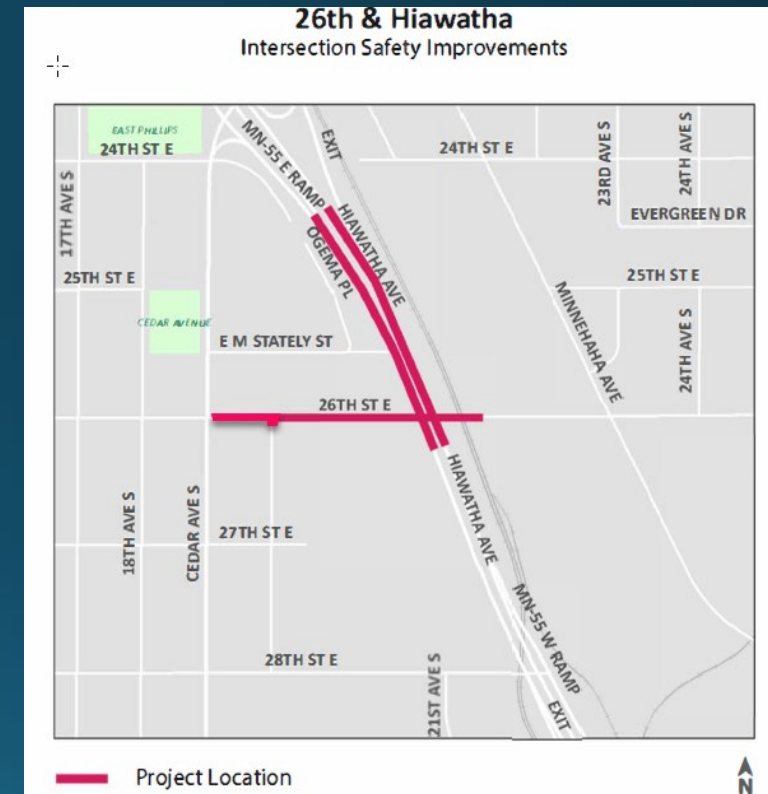
- Welcome & Introductions
- Project Description
- Project Overview
- Current Activities
- Construction -What to Expect
- Communications



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Project Description

- The City will rebuild the intersection at E 26th St and Hiawatha Ave. This project also includes improving part of E 26th St between Hiawatha Ave and Cedar Ave.
- The segment from Cedar Ave S and Hiawatha will include a new shared-use path that connects Cedar Avenue to the Hiawatha LRT trail
- Intersection improvements at E 26th Street and Hiawatha will include:
 - New pedestrian refuge medians to help people cross the street safely
 - New signals, ADA and lighting improvements



Project Overview/ Process Background

We are here



2022

2023

2024- 2025

2026



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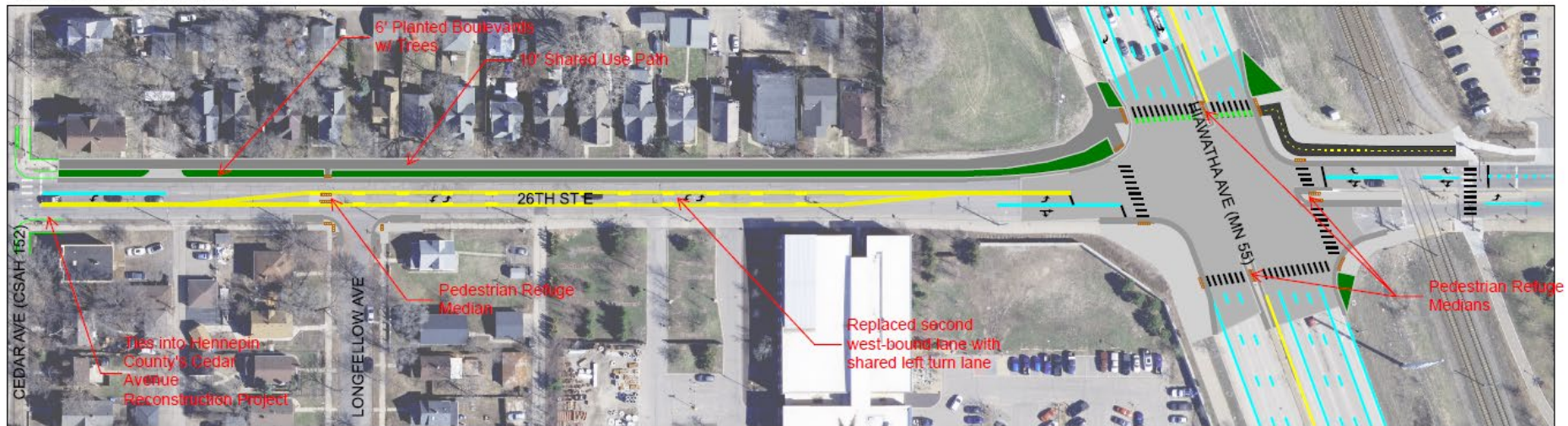
Proposed Changes to Roadway, Bike Lanes, and Sidewalks

26TH AND HIAWATHA SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS

EXISTING CONDITIONS



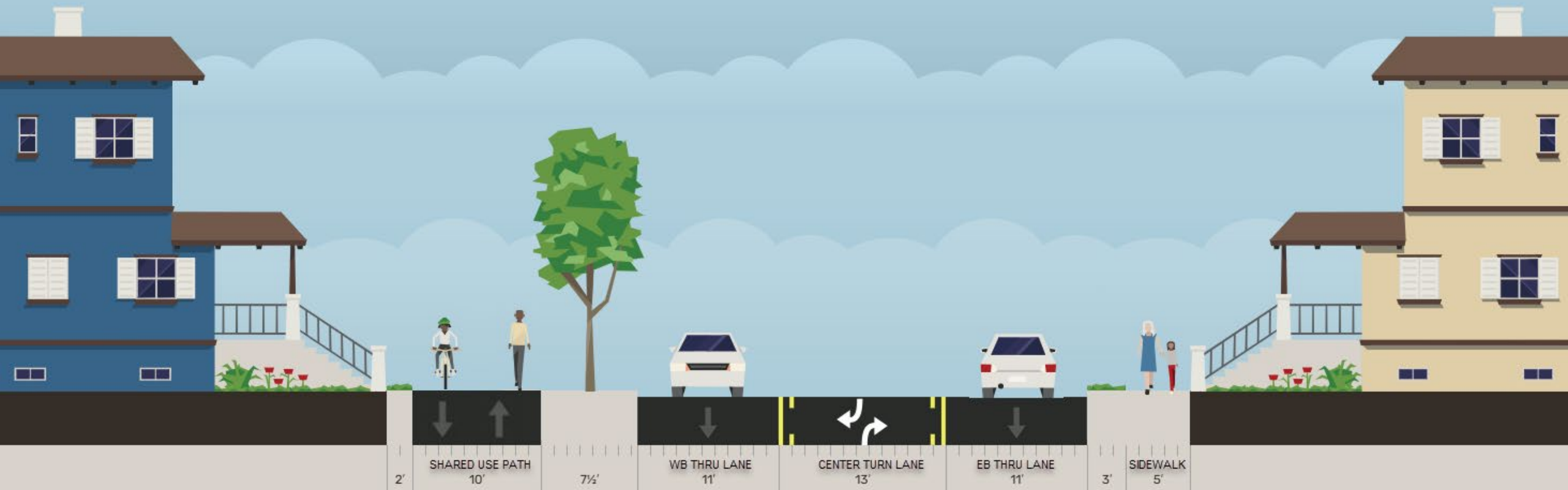
PROPOSED CONFIGURATION



IN-PLACE E 26TH STREET ON-STREET BIKE LANE TYPICAL SECTION



PROPOSED E 26TH STREET SHARED USE PATH TYPICAL SECTION



Pre-Construction Activities and other project coordination

- CenterPoint Energy – Gas main relocation on E 26th Street last fall
- Xcel Pole relocated last fall
- Verizon small Cell Tower removed this spring.
- Metro Transit “State of Good Repair” Blue Line project work
- LSL replacement on E 26th Street at two locations
- Hennepin County Cedar Ave S Reconstruction Project – Sept 2026



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Construction- What to Expect

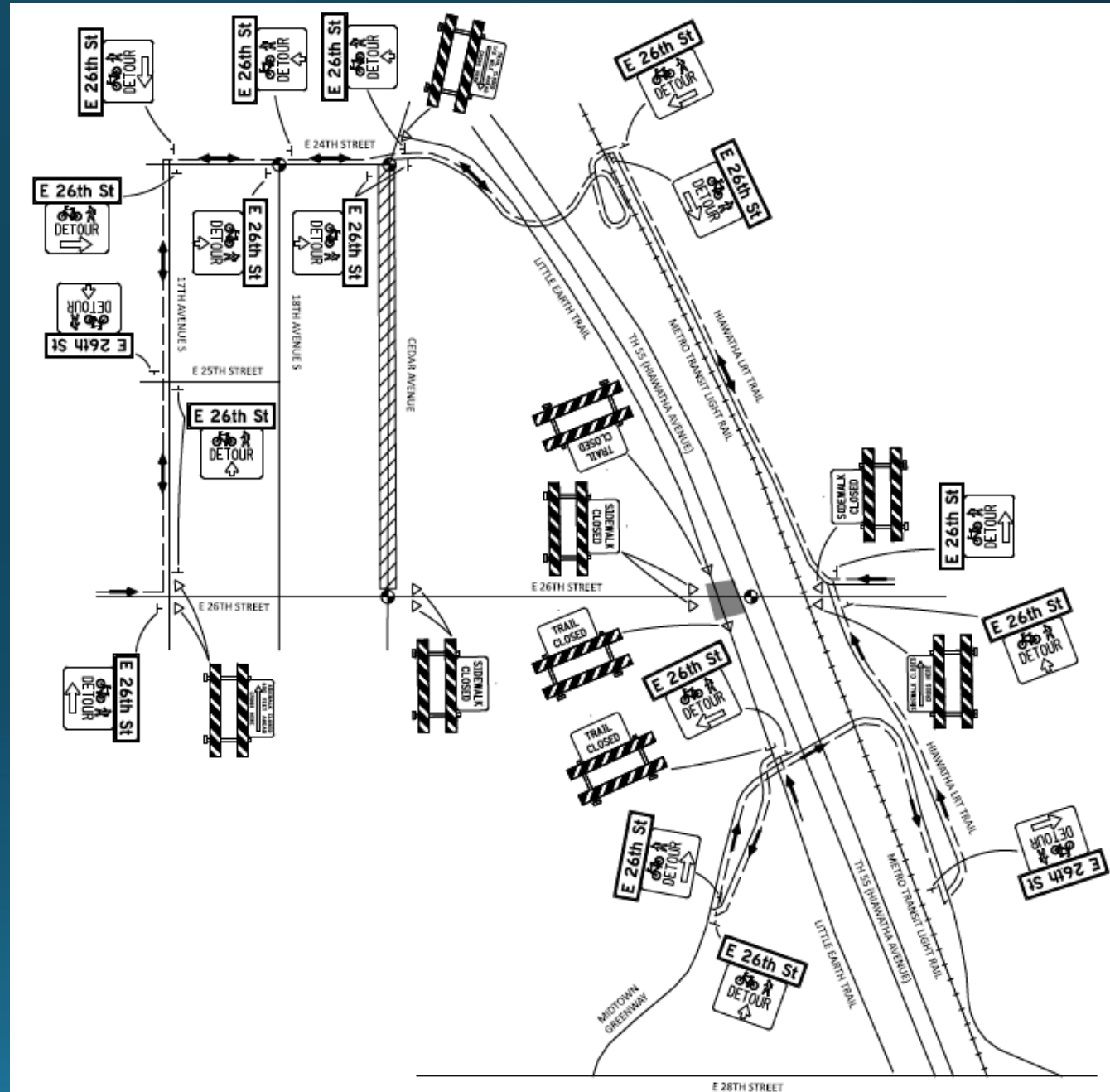
Roadway construction start date: **May 26, 2026**

- Large Construction Equipment
- Disruption
- Noise
- Dust
- Traffic Impacts
- Access to driveways

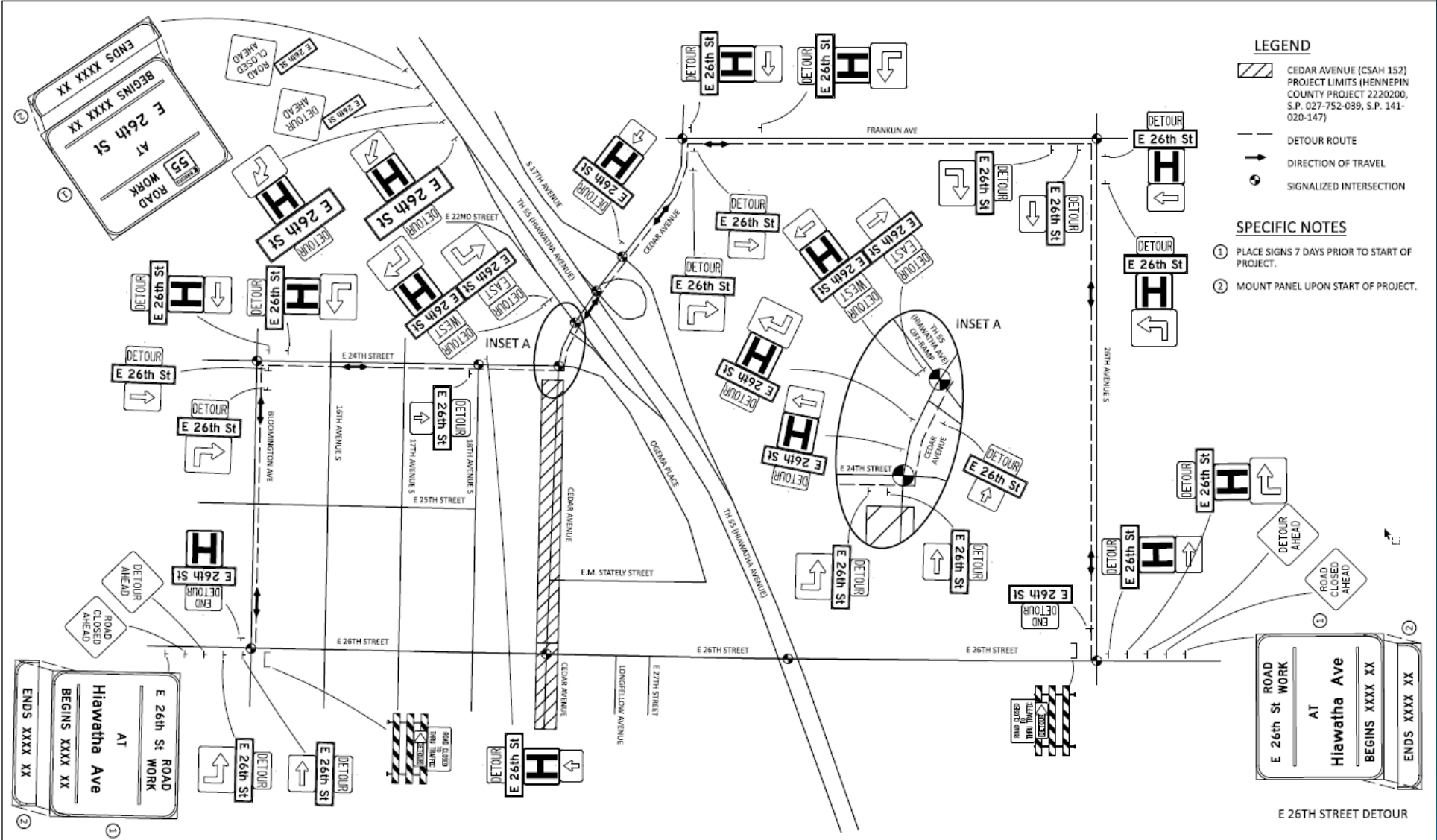
Construction Substantial Completion: **October 12, 2026**

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Pedestrian and Bike Detour Route Phase I



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Stakeholder Communications

- Weekly Email Updates (GovDelivery)
 - Sign up on project webpage (Scan QR Code)
- Neighborhood Meetings (Day and Time, TBD)
- One-on-One Site Visits
- Webpage – Project Manager & Chief Field Inspector - Contact information

<https://www.minneapolismn.gov/government/projects/26th-hiawatha-safety/>



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Questions & Answers