# **Complete Streets** Checklist **GUIDE**



## A. Project Overview

Project Name: Green Central Safe Routes to School

Improvement Type: Pedestrian and bicycle

City Project ID: BP001

Facility Jurisdiction: City of Minneapolis

External Agencies: Minneapolis Park & Recreation

Board, Hennepin County Project Length: 1.3 miles Project Limits: E 34<sup>th</sup> St @ 3rd Ave – 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> Ave @

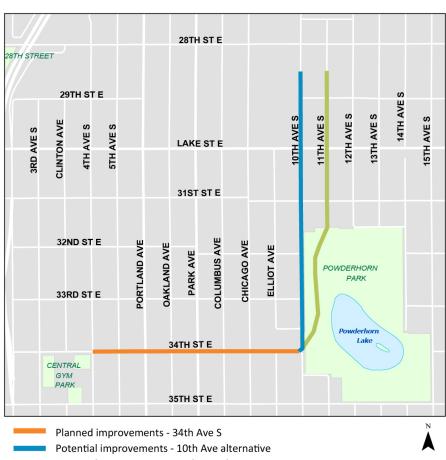
E 28<sup>th</sup> St

Date Completed: 2/16/2022

TPP Project Manager: Jasna Hadzic-Stanek

**TED Project Manager: TBD** 

#### **Project Location Map**





Description:	The project will implement pedestrian and bicycle-related improvements along E 34 <sup>th</sup> St and 10 <sup>th</sup> /11 <sup>th</sup> Avenues for travelers of all ages and abilities by establishing a safe and comfortable connection to Green Central Elementary School, other bikeway facilities, parks, and key destinations in the area.		
Project Elements:	Improvements may include crossing improvements to narrow the road (e.g., intersection bump outs, bicycle/pedestrian median islands); Installation of ADA-compliant curb ramps to enhance pedestrian safety and comfort; Upgraded traffic control device with APS push buttons to provide pedestrian crossing priority; Additional roadway traffic calming features (e.g., traffic circle, traffic diverter) to promote safety and air quality; Additional lighting to improve bicycle and pedestrian visibility and security; and Installation of multiuse trail or bikeway to close existing gaps in the bicycle network.		
Context Considerations:	The <u>Green Central Safe Routes to School</u> (SRTS) project is being implemented consistent with the city's adopted policies and goals, outlined in the <u>Transportation Action Plan</u> (TAP), <u>Vision Zero</u> , <u>Minneapolis Walking Routes for Youth</u> , <u>All Ages and Abilities</u> (AAA) Network, and the Richard Green Central Park Elementary Safe Routes to School plan. This project will also coordinate with Metro Transit's B and D Line BRT, four <u>high injury streets</u> (E Lake St, E 31 <sup>st</sup> St, and Park and Portland Avenues), as identified in the Vision Zero Action Plan, and the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board's master plan process for Powderhorn Park.		
Ward(s):	9	Neighborhood(s):	Central, Powderhorn Park, Midtown Phillips
Budget:	\$2,000,000	Funding Sources:	Federal
Schedule:	Data collection, public engagement and concept development will begin in 2021 and conclude by end of 2022. The project design will take place in 2023 and construction will begin in 2024.		

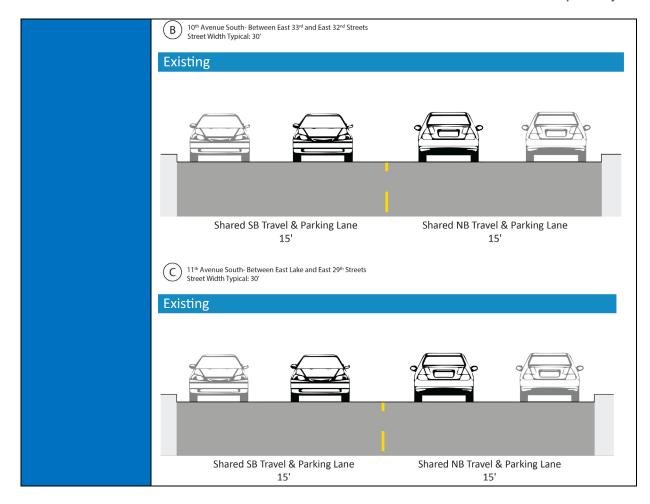
#### ALIGNMENT WITH TAP PRIORITY NETWORKS

Pedestrian Priority Network:	No
All Ages and Abilities Network:	East 34 <sup>th</sup> Street and 10 <sup>th</sup> Avenue S is identified in the Transportation Action Plan All Ages and Abilities (AAA) as a low-stress bicycle network.
Transit Priority Project:	No
Truck Route Network:	No

# **B.** Existing Conditions

Street Typology:	Urban Neighborhood	Special Roadway Designations:	Local
Nearby Traffic Generators:	Green Central Elementary School, Joyce Preschool, Wellstone International Highschool, MPS New Families Center, Early Childhood and Special Education, Midtown Global Market, Allina Health, Abbott Northwestern Health Campus, and business corridor on Lake St.	Nearby Destinations:	Powderhorn Park, Green Central Elementary School, Joyce Preschool, Wellstone International Highschool, MPS New Families Center, Early Childhood and Special Education, Midtown Global Market, Allina Health, Abbott Northwestern Health Campus, and business corridor on Lake St.
Zoning District(s):	R2B, R5, R1A, C3A, C1 11 <sup>th</sup> Ave only: R4, C2	Place Type and Land Use(s):	Urban Neighborhood, Community Mixed Use, Parks and Open Space  10 <sup>th</sup> Ave only: Public, Office, and Institutional  11 <sup>th</sup> Ave only: Production Mixed Use, Corridor Mixed Use
Existing R/W Width:	34 <sup>th</sup> St- 80' 10 <sup>th</sup> Ave- 66' 11 <sup>th</sup> Ave- 60'	Functional Classification:	Local street
Year Built and Last Project:	E 34 <sup>th</sup> St (3 <sup>rd</sup> Ave S – Chicago Ave)- built in 1975; mill and overlay in 2015  E 34 <sup>th</sup> St (Chicago Ave – 10 <sup>th</sup> Ave S)- built in 1976; sealcoat in 2006  10 <sup>th</sup> Ave S (E 34 <sup>th</sup> St – south of Lake St [cul-desac])- built in 1976; sealcoat in 2006; mill and overlay scheduled 2022	Pavement Condition Index and Year Inspected:	E 34 <sup>th</sup> St- PCI ranging between 47 – 92 with an average PCI score of 82. Roadway was last inspected in 2017.  10 <sup>th</sup> Ave S- PCI ranging between 35 – 100 with an average PCI score of 65. Roadway was last inspected in 2017.  11 <sup>th</sup> Ave S- PCI ranging between 50 – 59 with an average PCI score of 57. Roadway was last inspected in 2017.

	10 <sup>th</sup> Ave S (south of Lake St
	[cul-de-sac] – Lake St)- 2007
	10 <sup>th</sup> Ave S (Lake St – E 28 <sup>th</sup>
	St)- built in 1974; sealcoat in 1999
	11 <sup>th</sup> Ave S (Powderhorn Park – Lake St)- built in 1976; mill and overlay in 2021
	11 <sup>th</sup> Ave S (Lake St – E 28 <sup>th</sup> St)- 1974; sealcoat 1999
Relevant Plans and/or Studies:	N/A
Planned Development(s):	N/A
Relevant Programmed Improvements:	BRT METRO D Line BRT, B Line BRT, 10 <sup>th</sup> Ave bridge over the Midtown Greenway
	A East 34th Street- Between Portland and Park Avenues Street Width Typical: 38'
	Existing
Existing Cross- Section	
	Shared WB Travel & Parking Lane Shared EB Travel & Parking Lane 19' 19'



#### **PEDESTRIAN ELEMENTS**

Sidewalks: Yes Sidewalk Gaps: No

Other Nearby Multi-Use Trails: Powderhorn Park Conflict Points: Multiple driveways and alleys. High injury streets at Portland and Park Avenues, and 31<sup>st</sup> and Lake Streets.

**Pedestrian Volumes:** 34<sup>th</sup> St/Portland Ave: 233 (12/27/21); 10<sup>th</sup> Ave midblock (between Lake and 29<sup>th</sup> Sts): 1,512 (2/1/22); 11<sup>th</sup> Ave/31<sup>st</sup> St: 558

(2/1/22)

**Traffic Buffer?** Yes **Type:** Planted boulevard

Dimensions: 5'

 $\textbf{Marked Crosswalks?} \ \ Yes. \ \ 34^{th}/4^{th}; \ \ 34^{th}/Portland; \ \ 34^{th}/Park; \ \ 34^{th}/Chicago; \ \ 10^{th}/31^{st}; \ \ 10^{th}/Lake; \ \ 10^{th}/28^{th}; \ \ 11^{th}/31^{st}; \ \ 10^{th}/28^{th}; \ \ 10^{th}/28^{th}/28^{th}; \ \ 10^{th}/28^{th}/28^{th}; \ \ 10^{th}/28^{th}/28^{th}$ 

11<sup>th</sup>/Lake; 11<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> **Type:** Zebra

Other Features? Signal crossings at 28<sup>th</sup> St, Lake St, 31<sup>st</sup> St, Chicago Ave, Park Ave, and Portland Ave

**ADA Transition Plan:** 

High Priority Intersection(s): 34<sup>th</sup>/Clinton; 34<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>; 34<sup>th</sup>/Elliot; 34<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>; 10<sup>th</sup>/33<sup>rd</sup> 1/2; 10<sup>th</sup>/32<sup>nd</sup>; 10<sup>th</sup>/29th

Pedestrian Collisions in the last 10 years:

E 34<sup>th</sup> St: 1; 10<sup>th</sup> Ave S: 13; 11<sup>th</sup> Ave S: 1

Average Intersection Crossing Distance:
E 34<sup>th</sup> St: 38'; 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Ave S: 30'

Safe Routes to School Route: Yes

Level Driveway Crossings: Yes

**Non-Compliant Intersection(s):** 34<sup>th</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>; 34<sup>th</sup>/Oakland; 34<sup>th</sup>/Columbus; 34<sup>th</sup>/Chicago; 10<sup>th</sup>/33<sup>rd</sup>; 10<sup>th</sup>/31<sup>st</sup>; 10<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>; 11<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>; 11<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup>; 11<sup>th</sup>/31st

#### **BICYCLE AND MICROMOBILITY ELEMENTS**

On-Street Bicycle Facility: N/A

Dimensions: N/A

Existing or Future AAA network facility? Future near-term low stress bikeway on E 34<sup>th</sup> St and 10<sup>th</sup>

Ave S

**Bicycle Volumes:** 34<sup>th</sup> St/Portland Ave: 331 (12/27/21); 10<sup>th</sup> Ave midblock (between Lake and 29<sup>th</sup> Sts): 258 (2/1/22); 11<sup>th</sup> Ave/31<sup>st</sup> St: 263 (2/1/22) **Bicycle Collisions in the last 10 years:** E 34<sup>th</sup> St: 2;

10<sup>th</sup> Ave S: 5; 11<sup>th</sup> Ave S: 3

Type: Multi-use path Dimensions: 8-10' Other Features? N/A

**Conflict Points:** Multiple driveways and alleys. High injury streets at Portland and Park Avenues, and 31<sup>st</sup> and Lake Streets.

**Existing Bikeway Connections:** 28<sup>th</sup> St, Midtown Greenway, Park Ave, Portland Ave, Chicago Ave **Planned Bikeway Connections:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, 34<sup>th</sup> St, 10<sup>th</sup>

Ave, 31st St

**Low-stress bikeways:** Midtown Greenway

Other Nearby Bikeways: N/A
Other multimodal facilities: N/A

#### TRANSIT ELEMENTS

Transit Service: Yes

High-Frequency Transit Network: Lake St, Chicago Ave, 4th Ave

**Existing or Planned Transitway: N/A** 

TAP Transit Priority Projects: Midtown Greenway, B\_Line BRT, D\_Line BRT

**Stop Types:** Near side **Other Features?** N/A

#### **CURBSIDE MANAGEMENT ELEMENTS**

**On-Street Parking:** Yes

Delivery/Loading Zones: No Valet/Taxi Zones: No

#### PUBLIC REALM FURNISHINGS, GREENING, AND LIGHTING

Street Furnishings: N/A

**Greening Features (either decorative or green stormwater infrastructure):** 

Street Lighting: Yes

Street Type: Urban Neighborhood

Land Uses: Urban Neighborhood, Community Mixed Use, Parks and Open Space

10<sup>th</sup> Ave only: Public, Office, and Institutional

11<sup>th</sup> Ave only: Production Mixed Use, Corridor Mixed Use

#### MOTORIZED VEHICLE ELEMENTS

Existing Traffic Volumes: 34th St/Portland Ave:

12,220 (12/27/21); 10<sup>th</sup> Ave midblock (between Lake

and  $29^{th}$  Sts): 2,585 (2/1/22);  $11^{th}$  Ave/ $31^{st}$  St: 16,899

(2/1/22)

**Existing Truck Volumes (if available):** 

34<sup>th</sup> St/Portland Ave: 186 (12/27/21); 10<sup>th</sup> Ave midblock (between Lake and 29<sup>th</sup> Sts): 48 (2/1/22);

11<sup>th</sup> Ave/31<sup>st</sup> St: 289 (2/1/22) Projected Traffic Volumes: N/A Motor Vehicle Collisions:

E 34 $^{th}$  St: 106; 10 $^{th}$  Ave S: 112; 11 $^{th}$  Ave S: 74

Critical Crash Rates (if available): N/A

If yes describe: N/A

**Modal Conflict Point(s):** Multiple driveways and alleys. High injury streets at Portland and Park

Avenues, and 31st and Lake Streets.

Intersection Controls: 28th St, Lake St, 31st St,

Chicago Ave, Park Ave, and Portland Ave

Truck Route: No

**Prohibited Movement(s):** No right turn from 33<sup>rd</sup> St

to 10<sup>th</sup> Ave

**Skewed or Atypical Intersection(s):** Cul-de-sac south

of Lake St. Dead end street on 11th Ave at

Powderhorn Pk.

Roadway Restrictions: Midtown greenway bridge

weight restrictions.

Known Drainage Issues: N/A Sight Distance Issues: N/A

Bridges: 10th and 11th Avenues over midtown

greenway

Rail Crossings: N/A

**Origins and Destinations:** Powderhorn Park, Green Central Elementary School, Joyce Preschool, Wellstone International Highschool, MPS New Families Center, Early Childhood and Special Education, Midtown Global Market, Allina Health, Abbott Northwestern Health Campus, and business corridor on Lake St.

Is this corridor identified as a High Injury Street? No

**Non-Intersection Access:** Multiple driveways and alleys. Midtown Exchange parking ramp, access to 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Avenues.

Other Features? No

## C. Preliminary Design: 0%

#### **CORE TEAM**

Transportation Planning and Programming: Jasna Hadzic-Stanek and Kristian Zimmerman

Traffic Engineering and Design: Adam Hayow Traffic and Parking Services: Nic Racek

Surface Water and Sewers: Jeremy Strehlo, Allison Bell Transportation Maintenance and Repair: Steve Collin Community Planning and Economic Development: N/A

#### SITE VISIT(S)

Date: 11/2/2021

**Observations:** Observed school dismissal at 3:15PM, which mainly happened on 4<sup>th</sup> Ave S. Observed a bike train in motion on the side of E 34<sup>th</sup> Street, as well as parents pick up for parents who were walking and biking to pick up their kids.

Date: 2/8/2022

**Observations:** Conducted a parking study on two weekdays (2/8 and 2/10) and one weekend day (2/12). On average, parking utilization was 38% on E 34<sup>th</sup> St, 35% on 10<sup>th</sup> Ave S, and 46% on 11<sup>th</sup> Ave S. The parking study was conducted three times daily (7:00am, 12:00pm, and 7:30pm) to fully capture the communities current parking needs.

Date:
Observations:
Date:
Observations:
PEDESTRIAN AND PUBLIC REALM ELEMENTS/FURNISHINGS
Included in Project: ☐Yes ☐No
<b>Identified in Pedestrian Priority Network:</b> ☐Yes ☐No
<b>Additional Technical Analysis:</b> $\square$ Yes $\square$ No, if yes list (provide in appendix):
Street Type:

#### **Pedestrian and Public Realm Guidelines**

	Existing	Guidelines		Design	
	LAISTING	Acceptable	Recommended	Concept(s)	
Boulevard/Furnishing Zone					
Pedestrian clear zone					
Frontage zone					

Greening Elements: ☐Yes ☐No (Refer to DPRF and PRG), if yes describe:  Maintenance Considerations:								
		BILITY ELEMENTS						
	r <b>oject</b> : □Yes □							
	AAA Network: [							
	chnical Analysis	<b>s:</b> $\square$ Yes $\square$ No, if ye	es list (provide ii	n appe	ndix):			
Street Type:								
Bicycle Facilit	у:							
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1			cycle Guidelines idelines	<u>,                                    </u>	Design			
	Existing	Acceptable	Recommen	nded	Concept(	s)		
Bike Lane								
Buffer								
Protected Bike Lane								
If design recommendation is less than recommended, provide explanation:  Design Impact:   Improved   Unchanged   Degraded  Easements Required:   Yes   No  If identified in AAA Network and not incorporated, provide explanation:  Maintenance Considerations:  CURBSIDE MANAGEMENT ELEMENTS  Included in Project:   Yes   No  Additional Technical Analysis:   Yes   No, if yes list (provide in appendix):  Street Type:  Curbside Street Guidelines								
		Establism	Guid	lelines		Des	sign	
		Existing	Acceptable	Rec	ommended		ept(s)	
Parking Lane								
Delivery/ Lo								_
Transit Load	•							
Other mobil	•							
treatment (e.g. scooter								
station, etc.)	parking, Nice Ride							
station, etc.,								
On-Street Par	king Recomme	ndations (if applica	able): 🗆 Remov	e ⊠M	aintain □N/A	<u>l</u>		
On-Street Loading/Un-Loading Recommendations (if applicable): Remove Maintain N/A								
Curb Extensions Recommended: ☐Yes ☐No Describe here if not included:								
	Other curbside design elements included or under consideration (see list above):							
	If design recommendation is given priority consideration over pedestrian, bicycle, or transit facilities provide							
_	explanation:							
Maintenance Considerations:								

#### **Checklist for Capital Projects** PUBLIC REALM FURNISHINGS AND URBAN LANDSCAPING **Street Furnishings: Greening Features:** MOTOR VEHICLE ELEMENTS **Additional Technical Analysis:** $\square$ Yes $\square$ No, if yes list (provide in appendix): **Street Type: Speed Limit: Design Guidelines, Standards, and Plans: Design Vehicle: Design Speed: Control Vehicle: Street Guidelines** Guidelines Design **Existing** Acceptable Recommended Concept(s) Median Curb and Gutter Zone Other Design Considerations: Variance or Design Exception Required: ☐Yes ☐No **Maintain Emergency Vehicle Access:** □Yes □No **Maintain Freight Access:** □Yes □No □N/A What Freight Data Were Collected (e.g. tube counts, observational, engagement with freight users): N/A **Capacity Recommendations:** □ Reduction □ Maintain □ Expansion □ Other: Other vehicle design elements included or under consideration (see list above): If design recommendation affords motor vehicle elements priority consideration over pedestrian, bicycle, urban landscaping, or transit elements provide explanation: **Maintenance Considerations:** INTERSECTION AND CROSSING ELEMENTS Features could include curb extensions, raised crossings, and others. Included in Project: $\square$ Yes $\square$ No **Identified in Pedestrian Priority Network:** □Yes □No **Additional Technical Analysis:** $\square$ Yes $\square$ No, if yes list (provide in appendix): **Street Type: Design Guidelines: Design Vehicle: Signalized Intersections** Location Description Concept(s) Does design address the following: **Reduce non-motorized crossing distances:** □Yes □No □N/A

Allow for adequate clearance time for non-motorized users:  $\square$ Yes  $\square$ No  $\square$ N/A

Reduce non-motorized wait times: ☐Yes ☐No ☐N/A
Simplify intersection complexity: ☐Yes ☐No ☐N/A
Increase visibility of non-motorized users:   Yes   No   N/A
Reduce conflicts between modes to enhance safety: ☐Yes ☐No ☐N/A
Other traffic signal components included or under consideration:
Other intersection design elements included or under consideration:
If design recommendation affords motor vehicle elements priority consideration over pedestrian, bicycle, or
transit elements provide explanation: N/A
Maintenance Considerations:
MITIGATING FACTORS AND OPERATIONAL CONSTRAINTS
Were any modes excluded from the design? Explain.
Was there a documented lack of current or future need that excluded a particular mode or design element? (e.g higher quality parallel route in close proximity) Describe below.
Walking:
Biking/Micromobility:
Transit:
Green stormwater infrastructure:
Small freight:
Driving:
Large freight:
Parking:
Explain any constraints related to physical space or right of way acquisition:
Explain any constraints related to emergency vehicle clearance:
Are any modes prohibited by law from using the street?
Pedestrians:
Bicyclists/Micromobility:
Buses:
Cars:
Trucks:

**OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT** 

What other limiting factors influenced the design choices in this project?

□ Council Members: Linea Palmisano	
$\square$ Other: Kenny Elementary School: Back-to-School Night	
Stakeholder Outreach	
☐ Residents	$\square$ Business Associations
☐ Neighborhoods: Kenny	$\square$ Private Property Owners
$\square$ Advisory Committees: Bicycle Advisory	$\square$ Other
Committee (BAC)	
Approach and Summary:	

RECOMMENDED CROSS-SECTION

## D. Preliminary Design: 30%

#### **RECOMMENDED CROSS-SECTION**

#### **RECOMMENDED LAYOUT**

#### **Project Meetings**

#### CORE TEAM MEETINGS:

Date:

Meeting Summary:

#### CAPITAL PROJECT TASK FORCE 0%:

Date:

Meeting Summary:

#### **NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY MEETINGS:**

Date:

Meeting Summary:

#### **NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY MEETINGS:**

Date:

Meeting Summary:

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETINGS:**

Date:

Meeting Summary:

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETINGS: Date: Meeting Summary:		
NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY MEETINGS: Date: Meeting Summary:		
CORE TEAM MEETINGS: Date: Meeting Summary:		
CAPITAL PROJECT TASK FORCE 30%: Date: Meeting Summary:		
CONCEPT APPROVAL: 0%		
Transportation Planning and Programming	Date	-
Transportation Maintenance and Repair	Date	-
Traffic & Parking Services	Date	
LAYOUT APPROVAL: 30%		
Core Team Area: TPP	Date	-
Core Team Area: TMR	Date	-
Core Team Area: TPS	Date	-

DESIGN APPROVAL: 90%	
Core Team Area: TPP	Date
Core Team Area: TED	Date
Core Team Area: TPS	Date
Core Team Area: TMR	Date

(Note: Provide final signed copies to the Project Sponsor, Customers, and Division Director.)

Concept and Design Changes

Design Benchmark	Date	Design Change(s)	Rationale	Core Team Member
30				
30				
60				
90				
100				

**Summary of Non-Motorized Complete Streets Elements** 

Mode	New/Modified Elements
Walking/Rolling	
Bicycles and Micromobility	
Transit	
Public Realm Elements/Furnishings	

# Appendix: Supplemental Information and Analysis

