

# Streets for All Update, Projects Near You, & Traffic Calming Updates

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# Kalamazoo & Michigan Ave

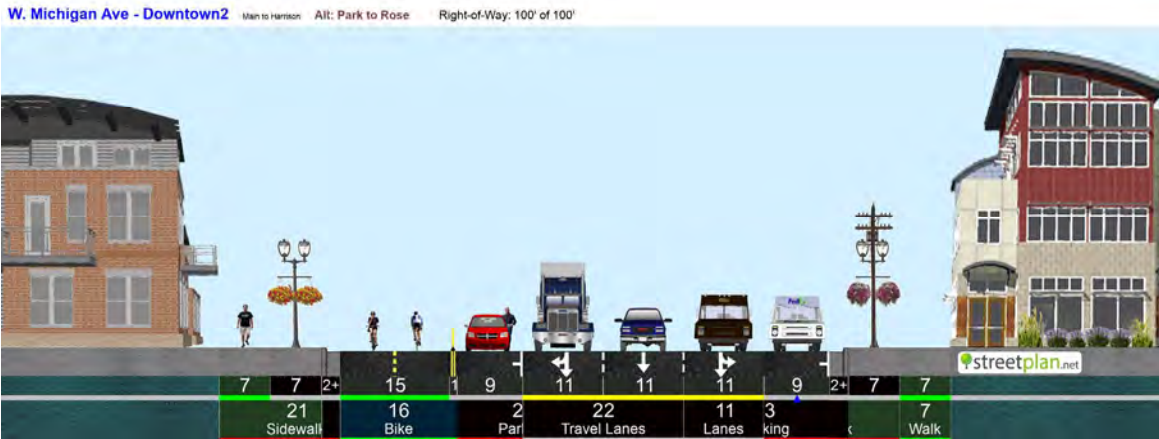


Orange – Kalamazoo Avenue project (2024-25) – 2 way conversion, updated Kzoo-Westnedge-Michikal intersection to direct thru traffic away from Stuart Nhood, West Main/West Michigan between Douglas & Michikal included. Michikal, which we considered for full closure will remain, but as a two-way street with a shared use pathway to continue the bicycle network/pedestrian network

Working with the design team – on track to release draft plans this spring for community review. Plan to be out to bid before end of year for construction in 2024-25

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# Michigan Ave Resurfacing & Traffic Calming



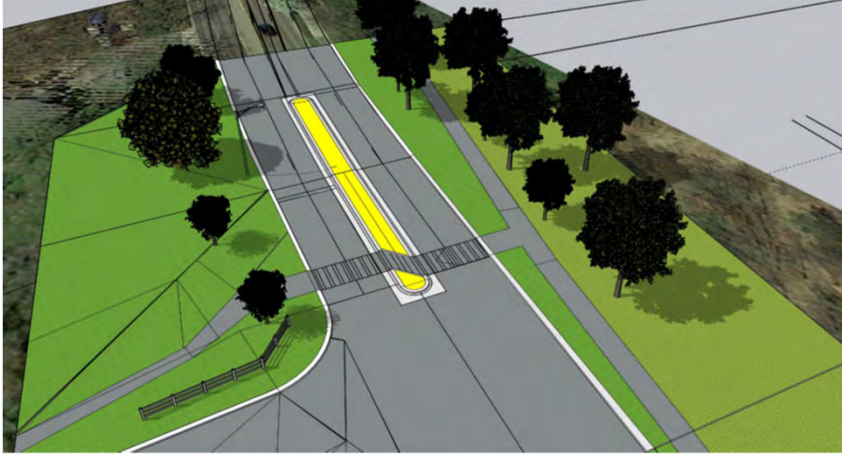
Michigan Ave 2023 – prepare street for additional traffic during construction – resurfacing in 2023. Will implement traffic calming, including right-size lanes, removal of vehicle lane, adding bike facility, and retaining on-street parking

Street section varies slightly as Michigan Ave ROW narrows moving to the east.



Info on streets for all

# Howard St Resurfacing: Oakland to Stadium



- Late Summer Start
- Pedestrian crossing @ Waite
- Pedestrian refuge island

Howard at Waite

Howard will be resurfaced between Oakland and Stadium

## **Whites Road: Water Main Replacement & Road Diet**

- 2023-2024, with bulk of work in 2024
- Full water main reconstruction on Parkview from Oakland Dr to Whites Rd (2023)
  - Work will be restored for winter months and fully completed in 2024
- Signal work in 2023, supply dependent
- Whites Road will have 1 travel lane in each direction & a center turn lane to match Parkview.

**\*\*\* We are still experiencing 9-12 month lead times from the point pipe is ordered causing delays in all water main projects. \*\*\***

Westnedge from Whites to into the Vine neighborhood also has planned water work that has been shifted to 2024

# Neighborhood Traffic Calming Updates

2022 Projects

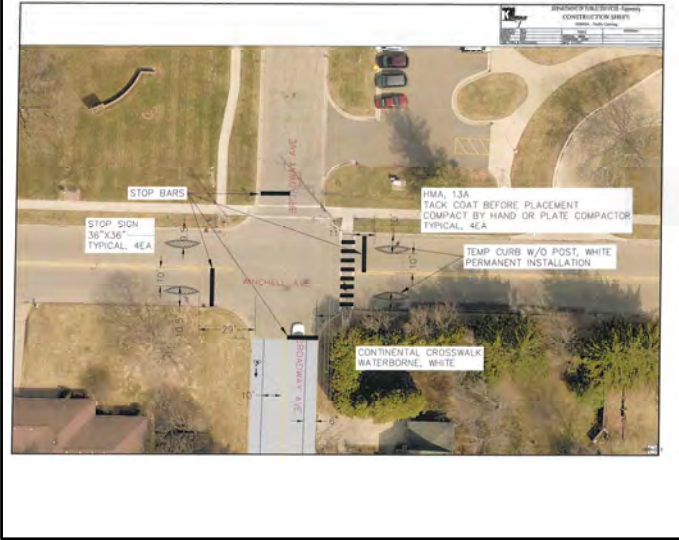


- Curb bump extensions @ Rambling, Aberdeen, & Broadway to be replaced with a new design.
- Finish/refresh the paint in lanes
- Update mini traffic circles

Federal government supporting cities like Kalamazoo in piloting traffic calming tools like those we have used in here.

Kalamazoo was just awarded \$750k to do this work in other locations around the City in 2023 and 2024 in neighborhoods.

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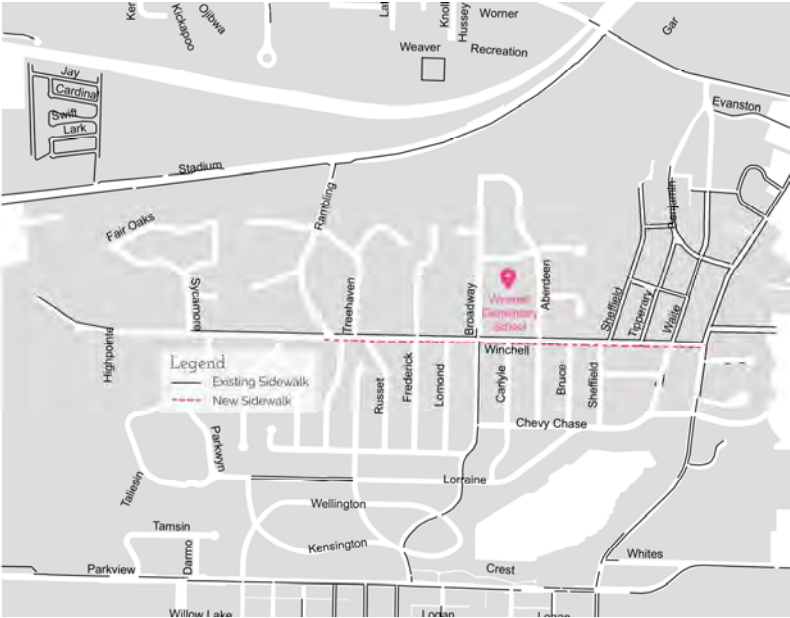
Opportunity for neighborhood art in roundabouts. Adjust size, and paint markings as you approach,



Maple between Oakland and Maple middle school to see traffic calming. City is working with residents on these blocks

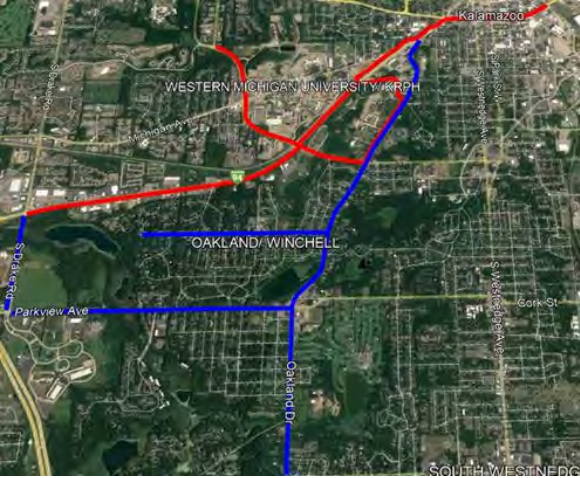
SRTS pedestrian crossing on Howard coming in 2024, timed with Howard street resurfacing project

# Sidewalk Network



SRTS sidewalk coming in 2024 on the south side of Winchell

# Bike Network



Coming 2024 – bike lane on Cork Street for connection to east

Blue are on-street facilities and red are shared-use paths adjacent to the travel lanes

# 2023 Streets Open House

## Informational Webinar

February 21<sup>st</sup>  
3:30 to 4:45pm

<https://www.kalamazocity.org/Community/Events-Meetings/2023-Streets-Informational-Webinar>



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