



Morrison Road (Mayo – Bullard)  
Street Improvements  
Conceptual Design Meeting

July 24, 2023

# Meeting Agenda

## ■ Meet the Team

Yvonne Martin, District E Neighborhood Senior Liaison,  
Neighborhood Engagement Office

## ■ Program Overview

Jennifer Ruley, PE  
Mobility & Safety Division Manager, Department of Public Works

## ■ Project Information

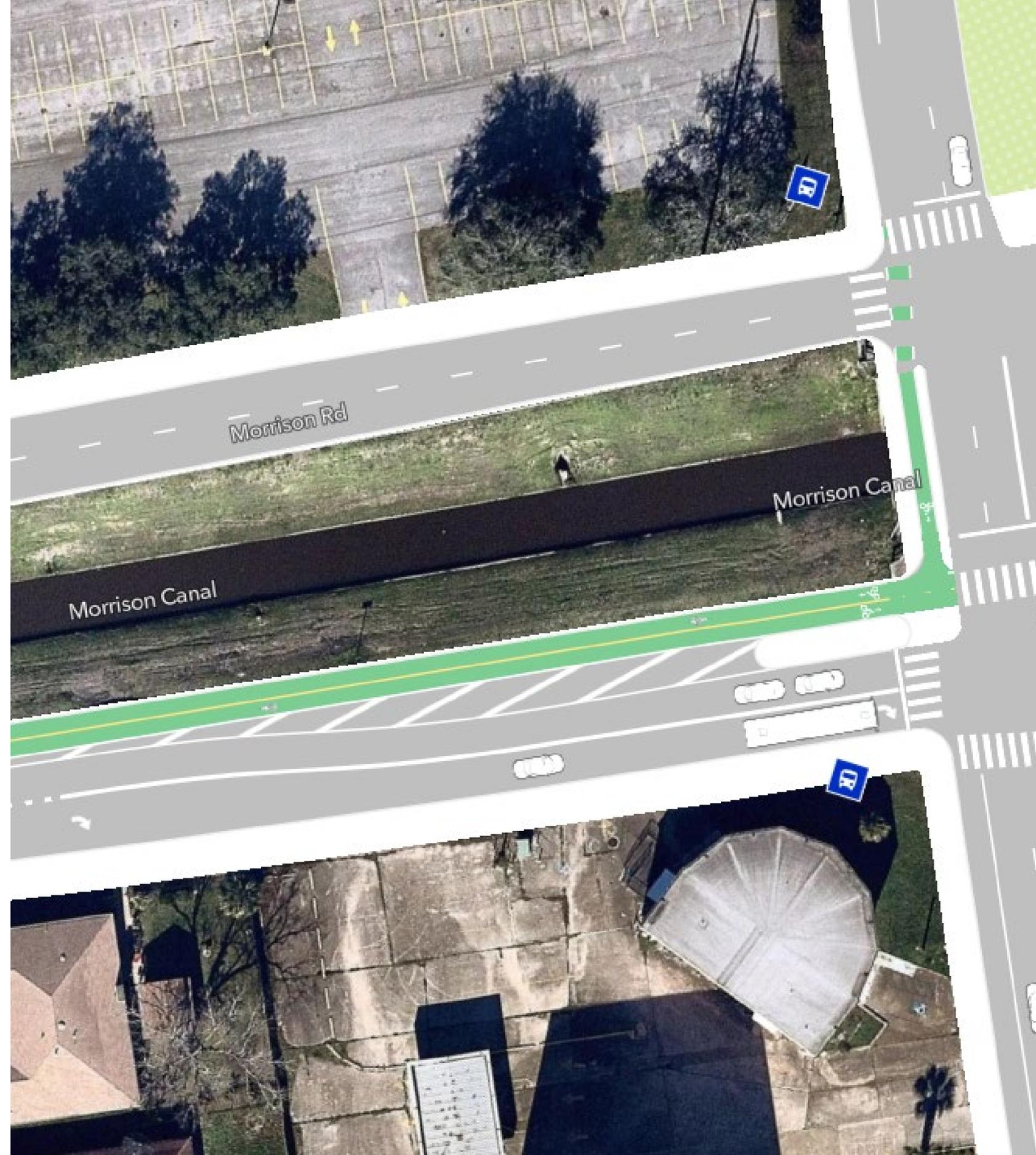
Louis Haywood  
Mobility and Safety Project Manager, Department of Public Works

## ■ Stay Informed

Nakeila Polk  
Director, RoadworkNOLA

## ■ Questions & Answers

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# Meet the Team

## RoadworkNOLA Community Outreach Liaison Nakeila Polk, Director, RoadworkNOLA

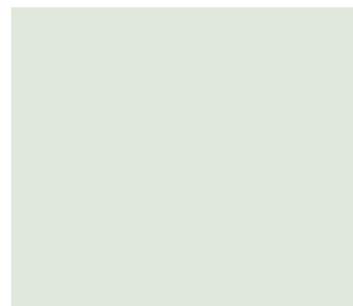
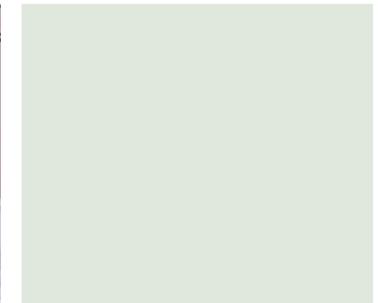
- Nakeila is here to advocate for you during construction. He works with our project team to provide you with construction updates and help resolve project-related issues.

## NEO Neighborhood Liaison Yvonne Martin, District E Neighborhood Liaison

- Yvonne is your Neighborhood Liaison for District E. She hosts Community Office Hours in your area and will be happy to provide her latest schedule. If you are facing any issues that affect your quality of life, please meet with her or reach out via e-mail/phone.

## DPW Project Managers Jennifer Ruley and Louis Haywood

- Jennifer and Louis are here to work with the contractors and engineers. They manage construction and ensure work is completed according to the plans and specifications.



# Infrastructure By the Numbers

- More than **\$2.3B** worth of DPW / SWBNO work across the City
  - Includes FEMA-funded roadwork work via the approximately **\$2B** Joint Infrastructure (JIRR) Program
  - City-funded bond project work
- Nearly **200** individual projects -- every neighborhood will feel this positive impact
- Project schedules coordinated to minimize construction-related impacts
- Economic opportunity for the City's small and disadvantaged businesses

**160** Completed Projects

Since May 2018, DPW has completed 160 projects with an estimated value of \$585 million.

**58** Under Construction

Today, 58 roadwork projects are under construction with an estimated value of nearly \$624 million.

# Types of Construction *in the program*



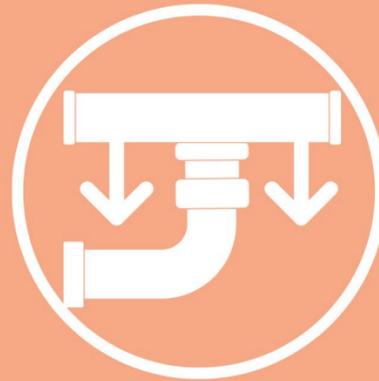
## Surface Repairs

- Minor repairs (patching)
- Complete Resurfacing



## Streetscape Improvements

- Sidewalk
- Sidewalk Ramps
- High Visibility Crosswalks
- Bike Lanes



## Subsurface Repairs

- Drainage Lines
- Sewer Line
- Water Lines

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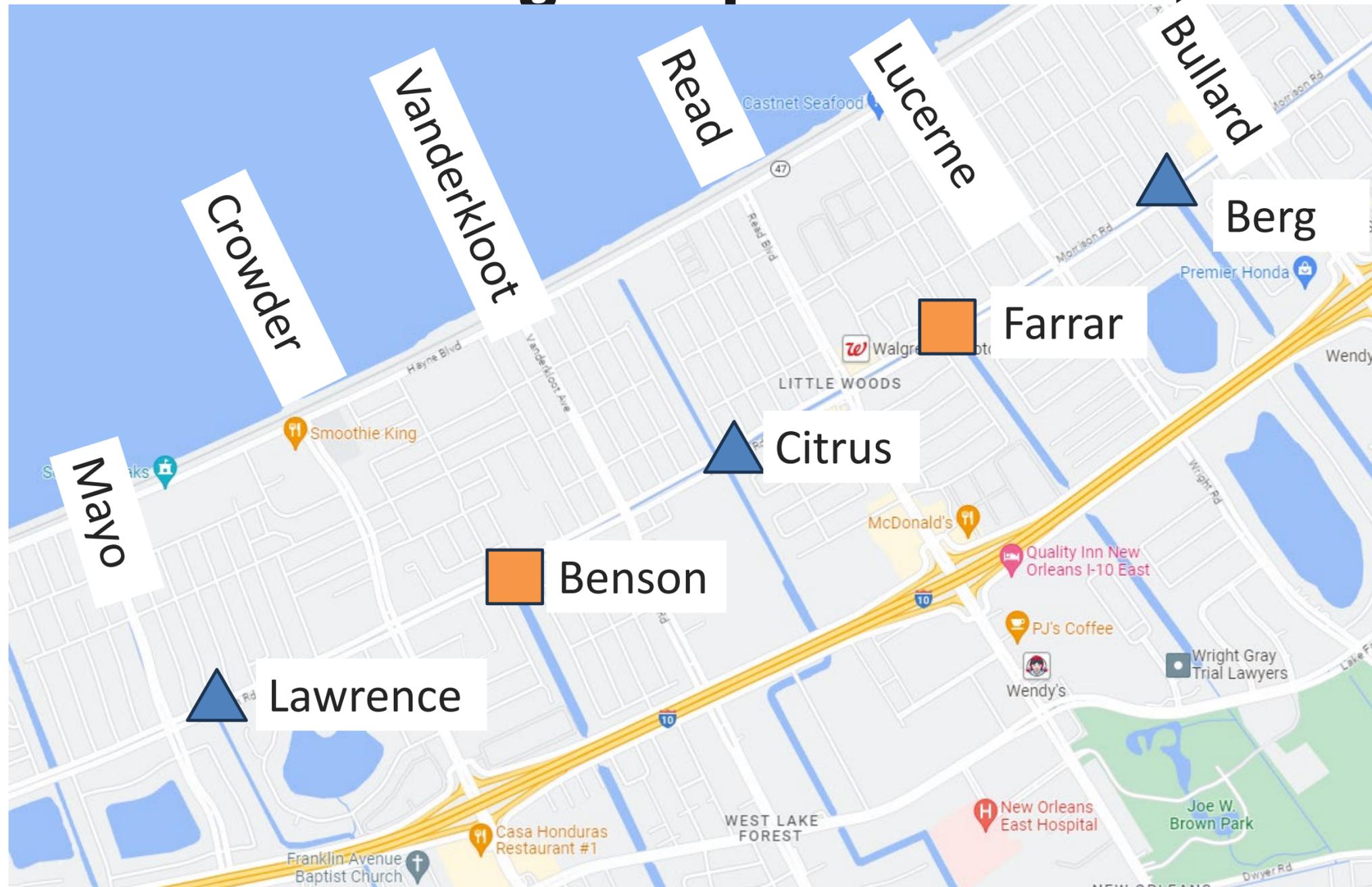
## Project Overview: At-A-Glance

Start Date	TBD
End Date	TBD
Construction Cost	\$10.2M
Funding Source	Federal, Bonds
Contractor	TBD
Design Engineer	HNTB, Inc.
Blocks Improved	62 blocks
City Contact	Nakeila Polk

Type of Construction	Streetscape Improvements	
 <p>Surface Repairs Anew, smooth roadway</p>	 <p>Streetscape Improvements Bike Lanes and high visibility crosswalks</p>	 <p>Bridges</p>

DPW 574 Morrison Road (Mayo – Bullard)

# Bridge Repairs and Replacements



- ▲ Repairs
- Replacements

# Why Streetscape Improvements on Morrison Road?

- City of New Orleans Complete Streets Policy (CAO Policy 134)
- Moving New Orleans Bicycle Blueprint (2020)
- Benefits include multimodal access, improved safety, connectivity, and equity, and less speeding
- This project includes high visibility crosswalks, protected bike lanes, and a travel lane reduction in the downriver direction.



# Downbound (Eastbound) Morrison Road (Mayo – Read)



Future safety  
improvements planned  
on St. Bernard Avenue

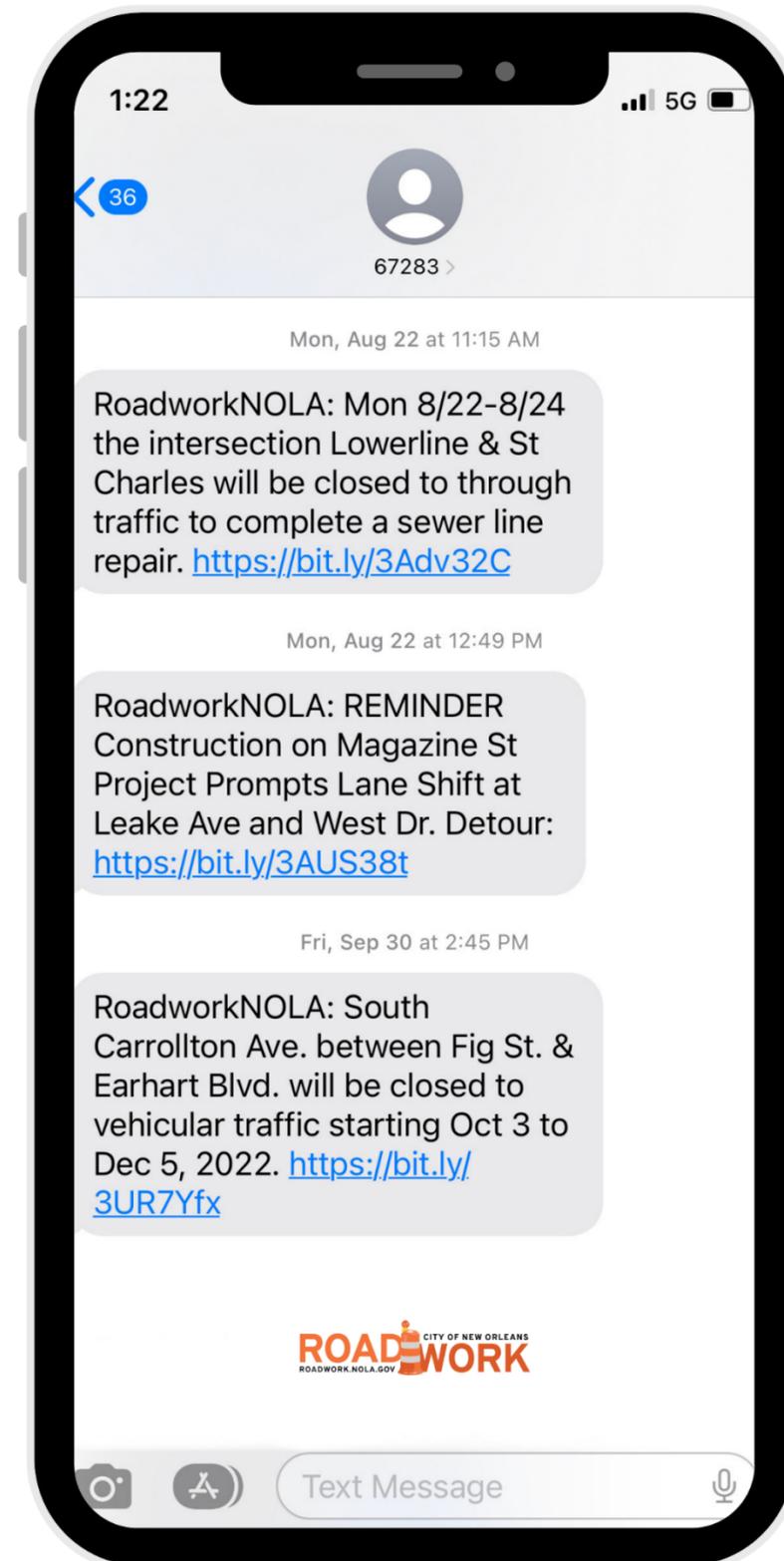
# Morrison Road at Crowder Blvd



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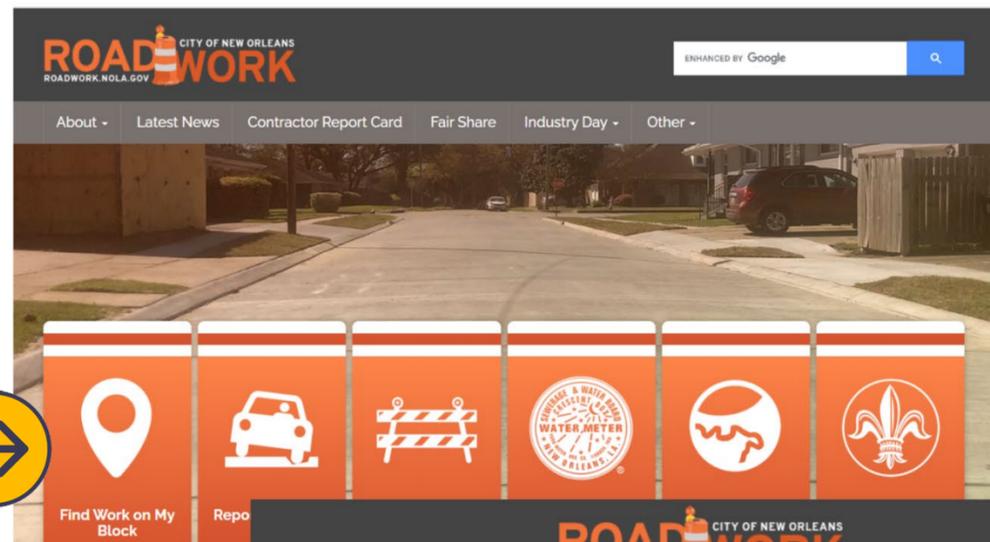
Sign up to be notified when work will require major road closures, emergency water shutoffs, or other significant impacts via text or email.

To sign up for RoadworkNOLA text alerts, text **ROADWORK** to **77295** or go to [ready.nola.gov/alerts](https://ready.nola.gov/alerts) to create a whole profile and select the “roadwork” alert list.



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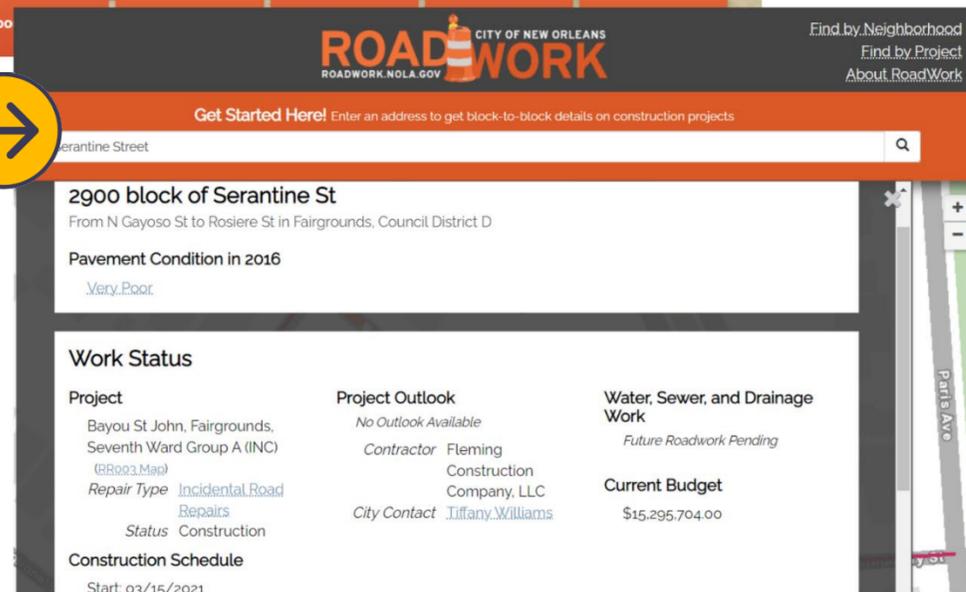
about work on your block



Visit <https://roadwork.nola.gov/home> to find work on your block.



Click "Find Work on My Block".



Type in your address on the search bar and click the search icon.

- A drop-down box will list any City or FEMA-funded roadwork that is planned, in construction or completed on your block.

# Contact Us

The Community Outreach Specialist assigned to this project is Nakeila Polk. Nakeila will be your point of contact for questions and concerns throughout the duration of construction.



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# Questions

This meeting is to keep you informed with key details about the construction operations that will be happening in your area. Here are examples of on-topic and off-topic questions:

## On-Topic

How will I be impacted?

What's the timeline for this project?

How do I get more information on projects in my area?

## Off-Topic

Can I suggest a route changed route?

When will 1234 Main Street be repaired?

Can the contractor cut down my tree?