## Rehabilitation for Eastern Avenue, NE

(from New Hampshire Avenue, N.E. to Whittier Street, N.W.)


District Department of Transportation



## VISION

SAFE STREETS FOR WASHINGTON, DC
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## CENTURY <br> ENGINEERING

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## Project Location Map

## LIMIT OF WORK

 DCKA-2013-T-0067 EASTERN AVENUE NW Whittier street nw
> Roadway Classification/ Geometrics/ Condition

- Inadequate lane transition (4-lane minor arterial to 2-lane)
- Significant crest/ sag vertical curves
- Concealed driveways; deteriorating pavement and curbs
> Traffic Operations/ Speed
- Steep grades/ high speeds
- Improper lane use; queuing; no left-turn lane
> Pedestrian/ Bicycle Facilities and Operations
- Unsafe unsignalized Ped. Crossing; limited sight distance
- No sidewalks or Ped. access to bus stops; non-ADA ramps
- Vision Zero Initiative
> Traffic Control Devices
- Deteriorated signs; sign clutter; improper sign placement
- Poor lane markings; inadequate intersection lighting
> Drainage
- Damaged/ clogged inlets (sediment, debris)
- No Stormwater management
> Landscaping/ Visual Appeal/ Neighborhood Appearance
- Unhealthy trees; improper pruning/ maintenance.
- Substandard street lighting.


Roadway Improvement Objectives
$>$ Reduce vehicle speeds.
> Improve pedestrian movements and safety.
> Provide a safer roadway for bicyclists.
> Reconstruct non-ADA compliant features.
$>$ Reconstruct deteriorating roadway infrastructure.

> Use pavement markings/ signs to reduce vehicle speed to closer match the posted speed and facilitate safe travel for bicyclists and pedestrians.


EXISTING TYPICAL SECTION
NOT TO SCALE


PROPOSED TYPICAL SECTION
FROM KANSAS AVENUE N.E. TO SLIGO MILL ROAD

Use curb extensions/ bump-outs at intersections
$>$ To reduce vehicle speed.
$>$ To reduce pedestrian crossing distance.
$>$ To increase pedestrian visibility to drivers.


> Upgrade existing curb ramps, sidewalks and bus stops to meet ADA standards.
> Relocate bus stops due to new sidewalks.
> Rehabilitate deteriorating landscape/retaining walls.
> Upgrade deteriorating curb and gutter with granite curb.
> Upgrade street lighting.
> Replace/ add guiderail.


## Construction Phasing




## Intersection Improvements



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## Retaining Wall Rehabilitation


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GRANITE BLOCKS REPLACED


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BRICK WALLS REPOINTED


LOW BRICK WALLS REPLACED IN-KIND


BRICK WALL REBUILT AS NEEDED

## Identify Opportunities for LID’s

$>$ Replace dead or missing trees.
> Preserve existing healthy trees.
> Introduce new trees and planting areas.
$>$ Reduce paving.
> Introduce bioretention facilities


Current Project Schedule:
> Design Completion: December 2017
> Construction Begins: Summer 2018
> Construction Completion: Summer 2019

