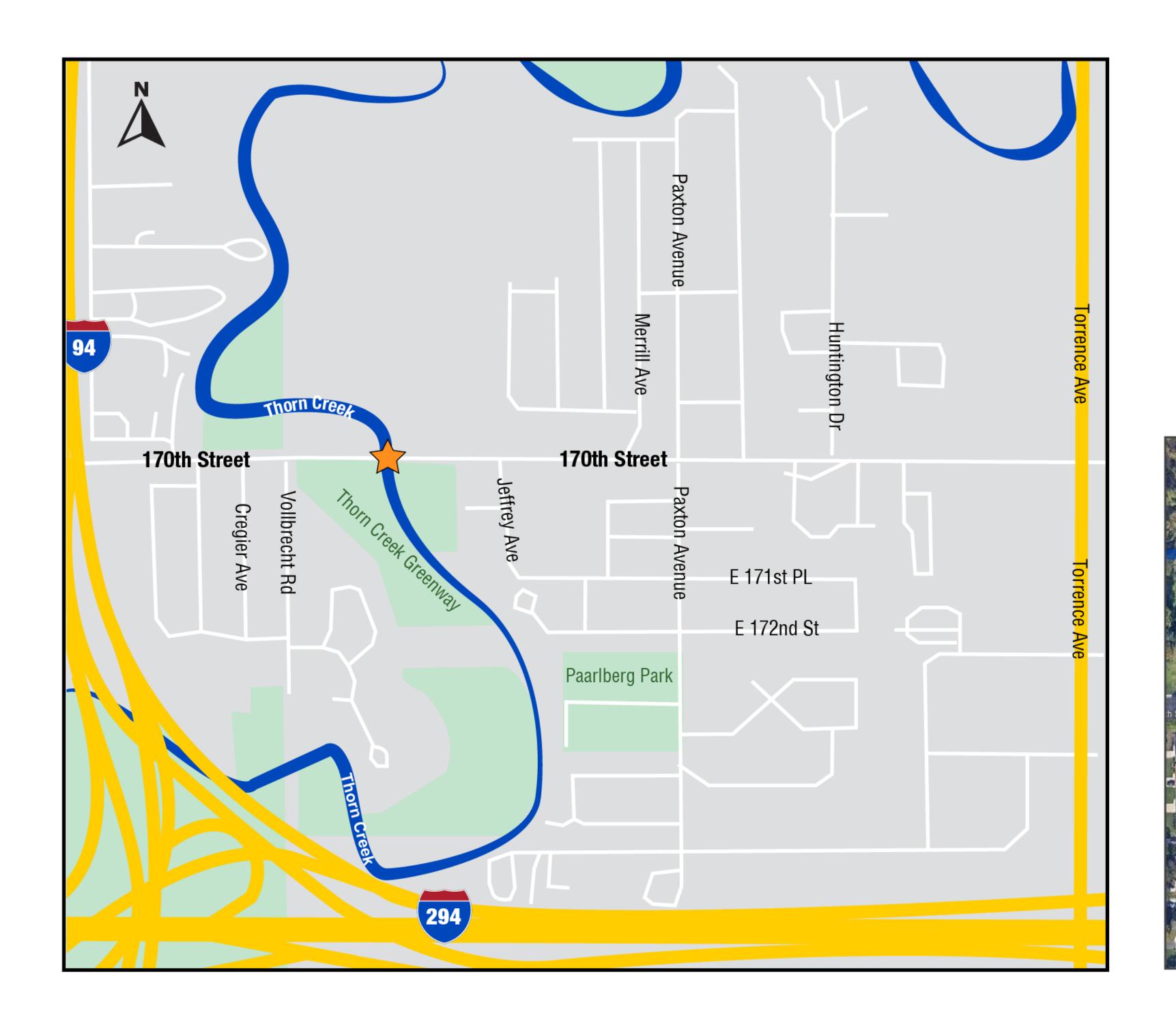
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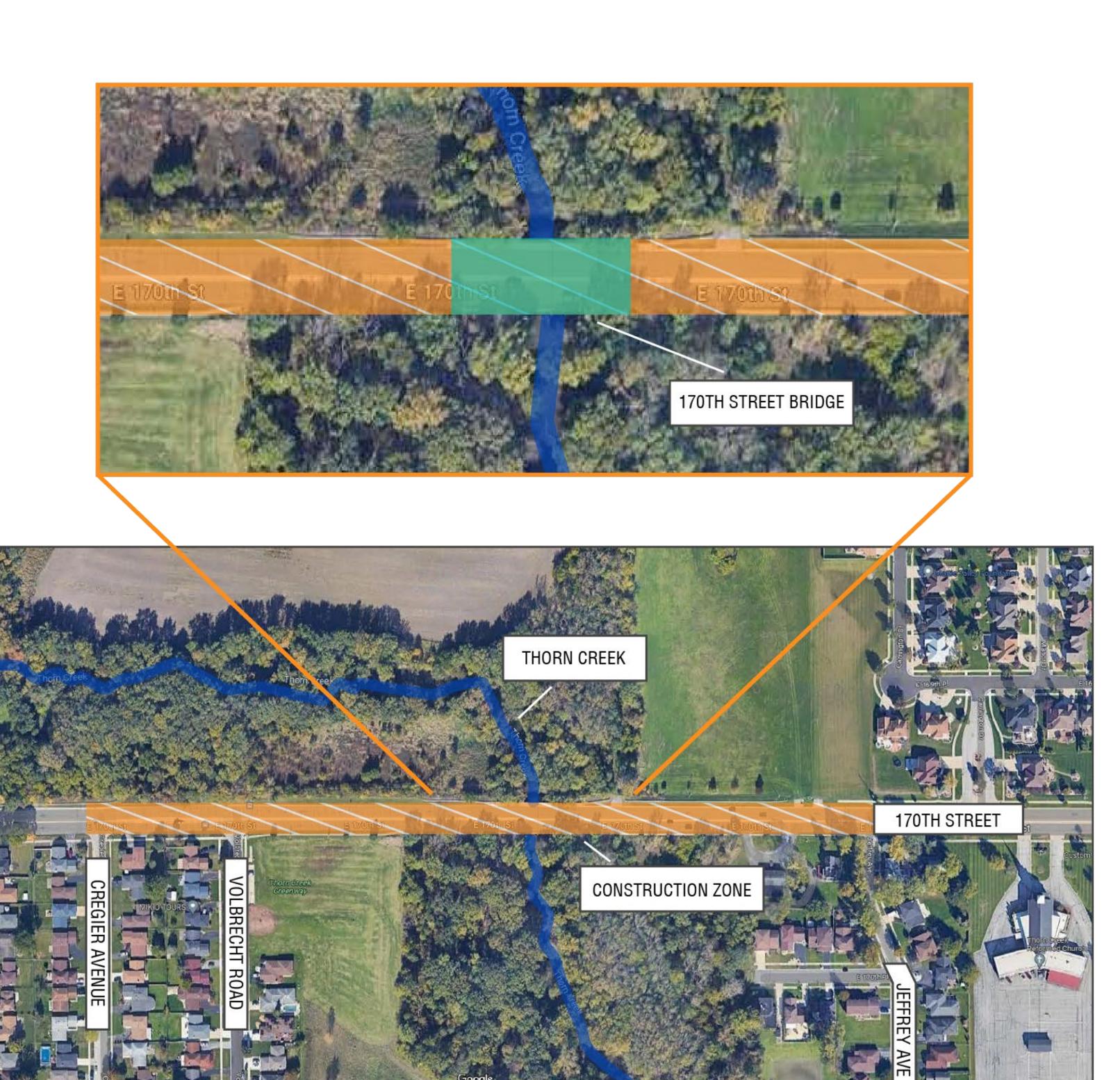
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July 12, 2023





Project Location









Project Background

- Bridge originally constructed in 1935.
- Bridge last reconstructed in 1985.
- Bridge inspection confirmed that the current bridge is in poor condition and needs to be replaced.
- Data was collected and analyzed, including flooding records and year 2050 projected traffic volumes.
- Preferred alternative was developed to support the future travel demand.





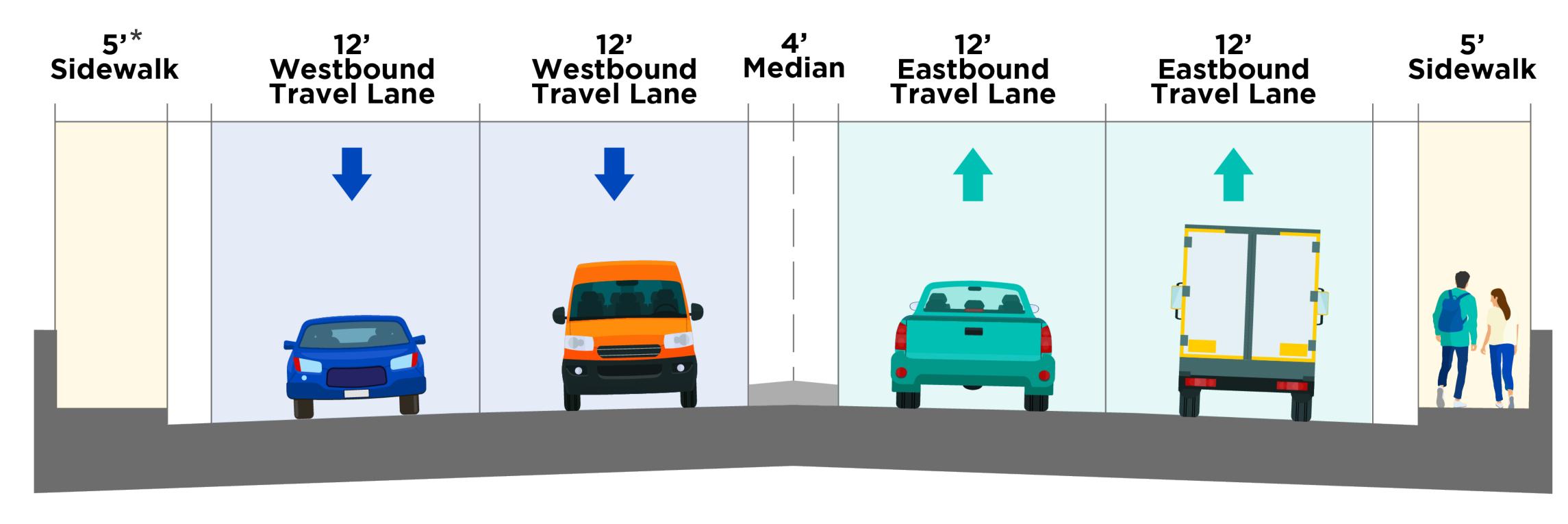
Exposed rebar at underside of beams



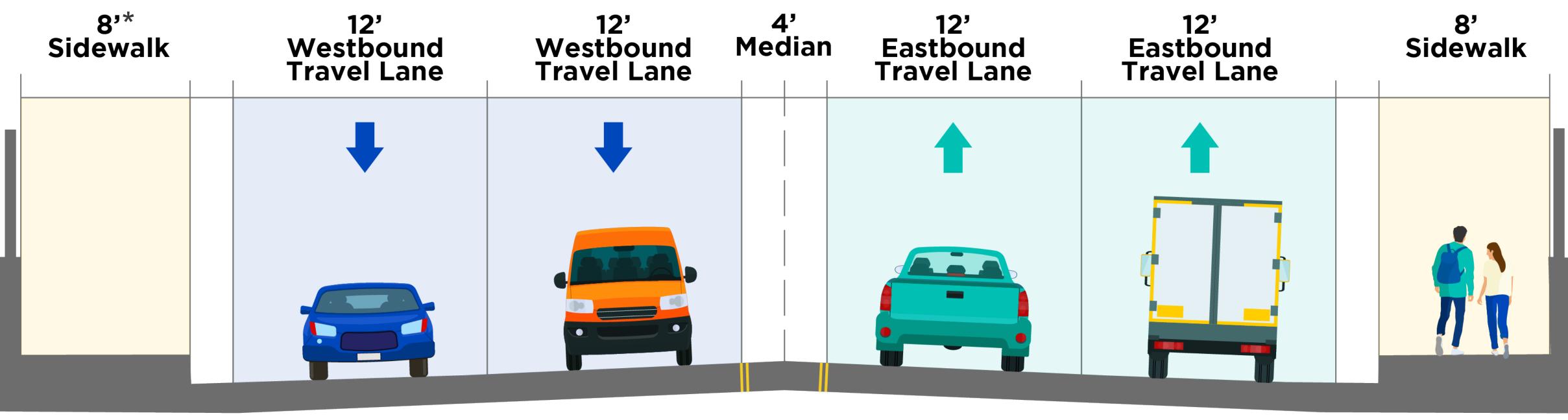


Roadway Cross Sections

Existing Conditions



Preferred Alternative

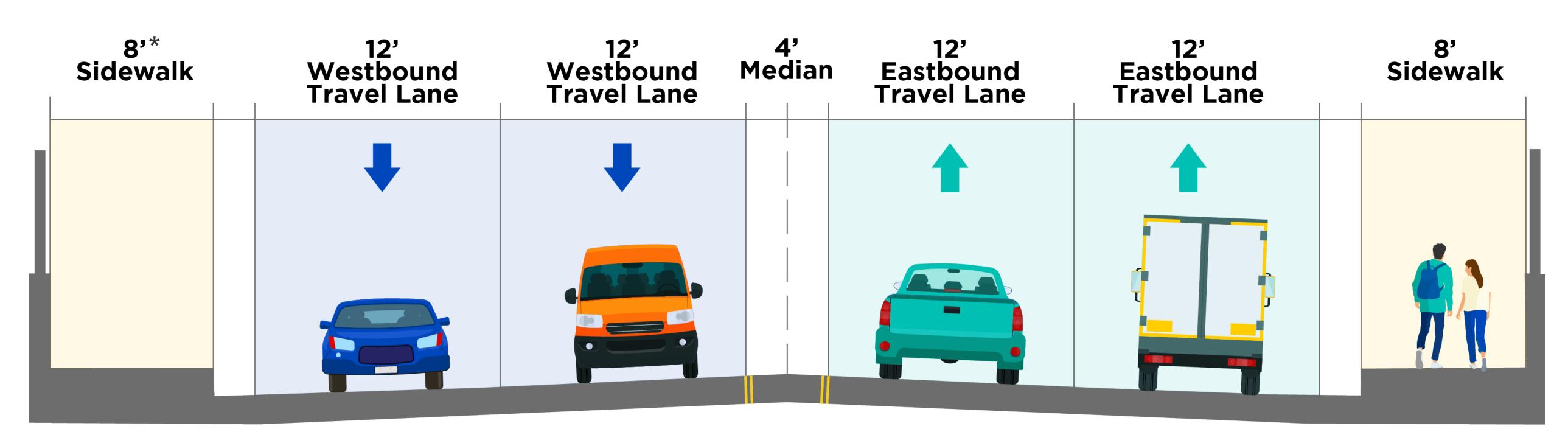


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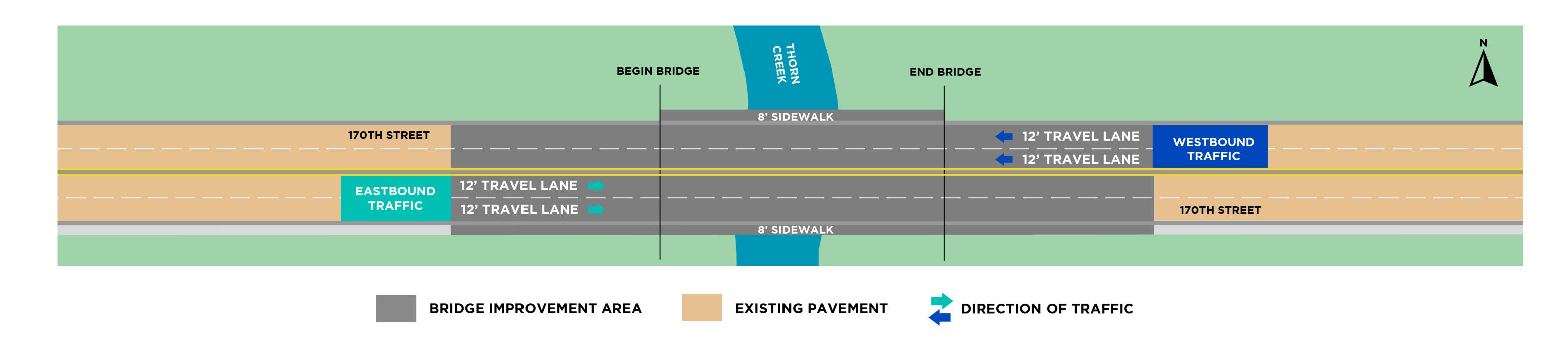


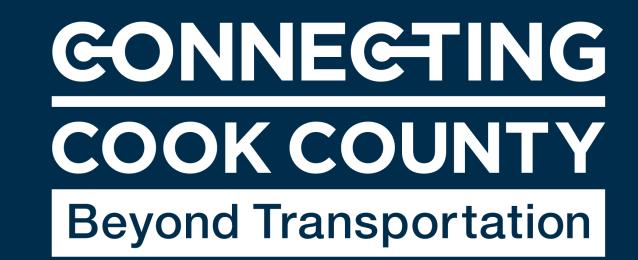


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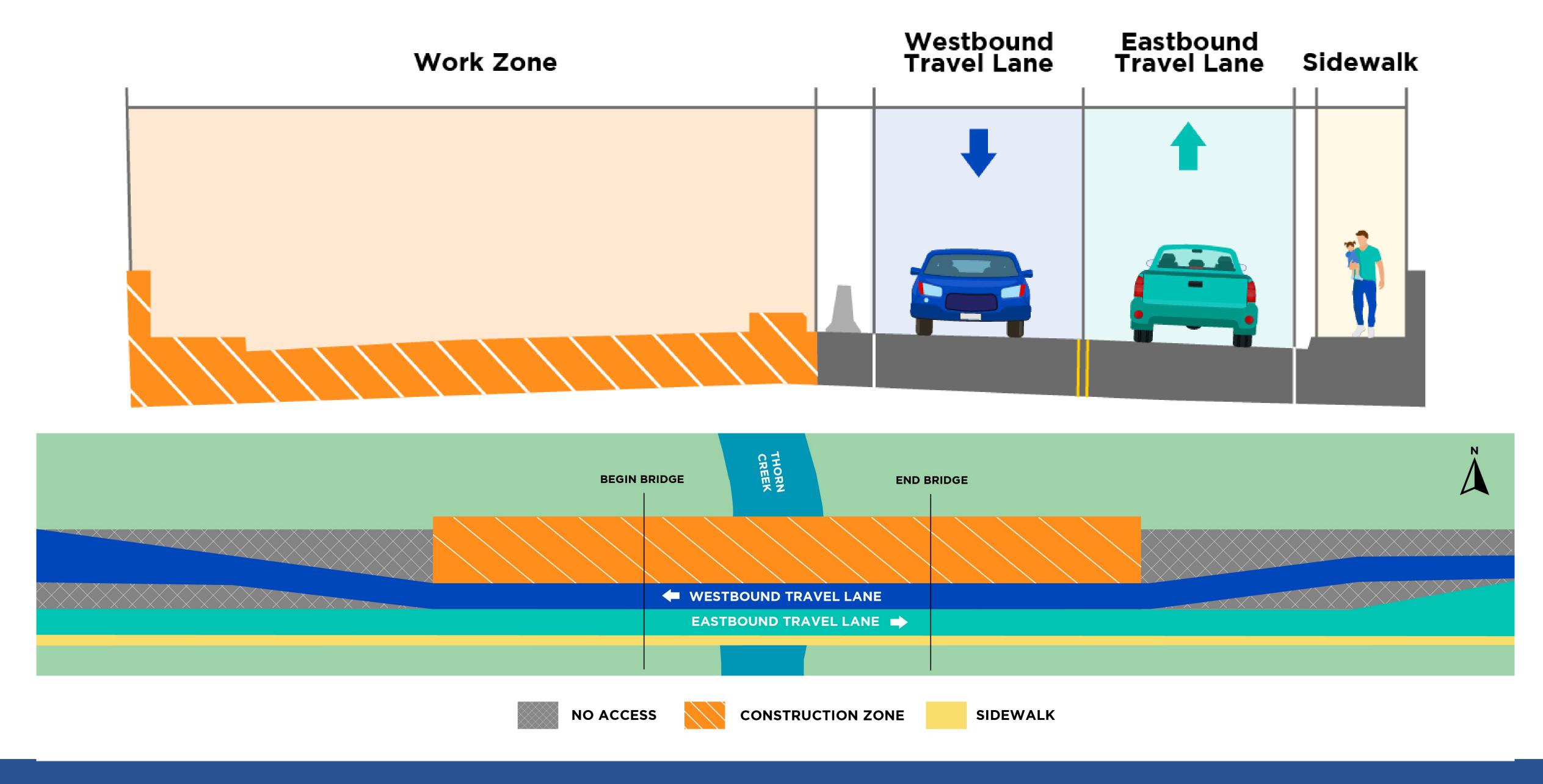




Construction Stage 1

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Estimated duration: 3 months



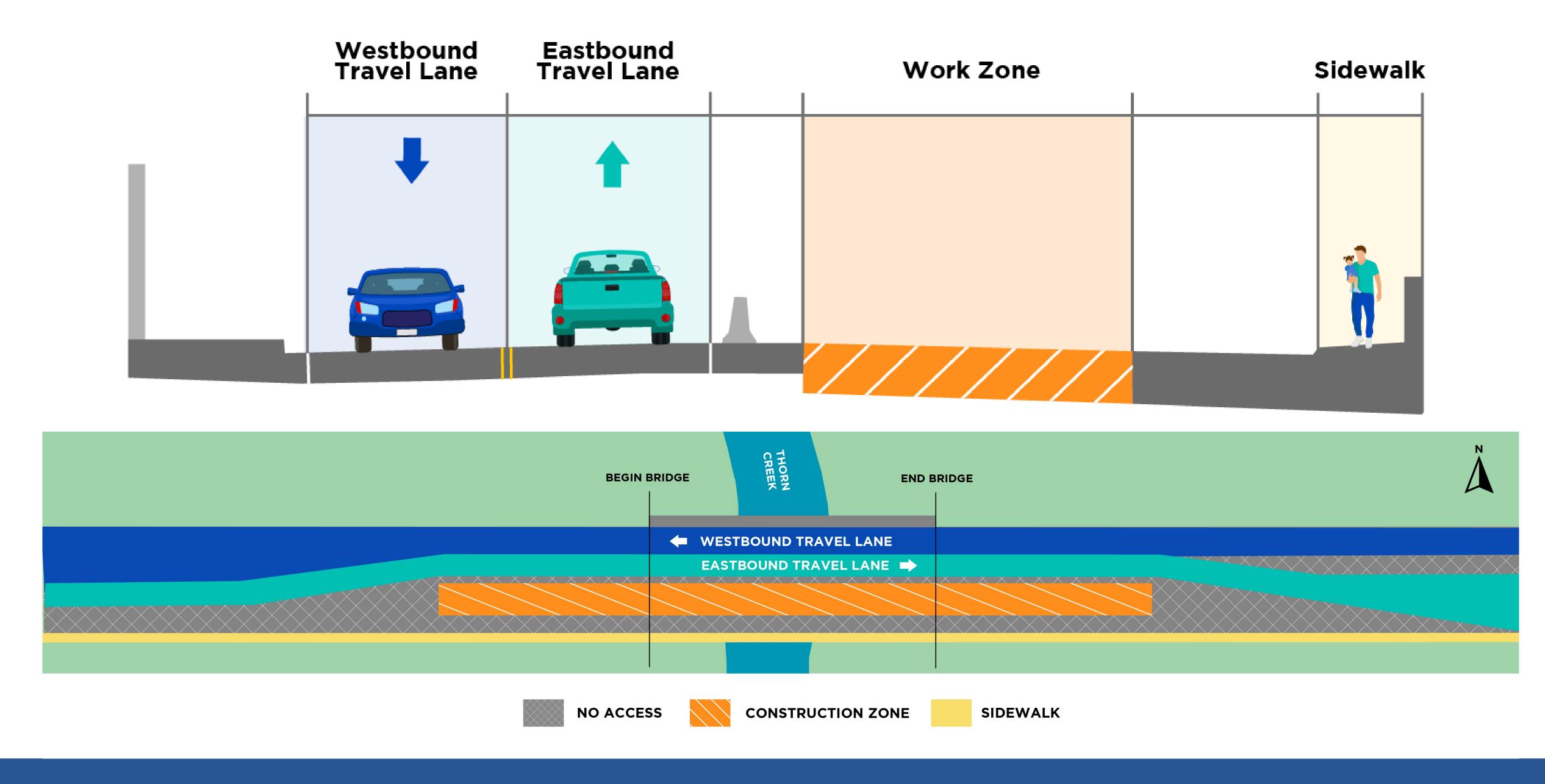


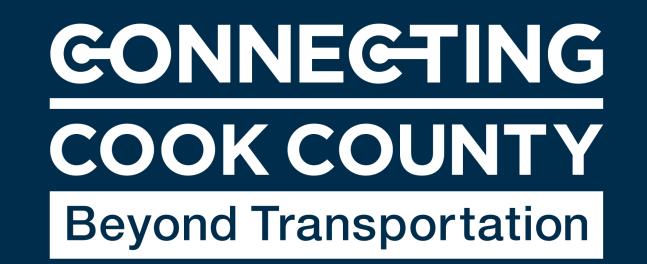


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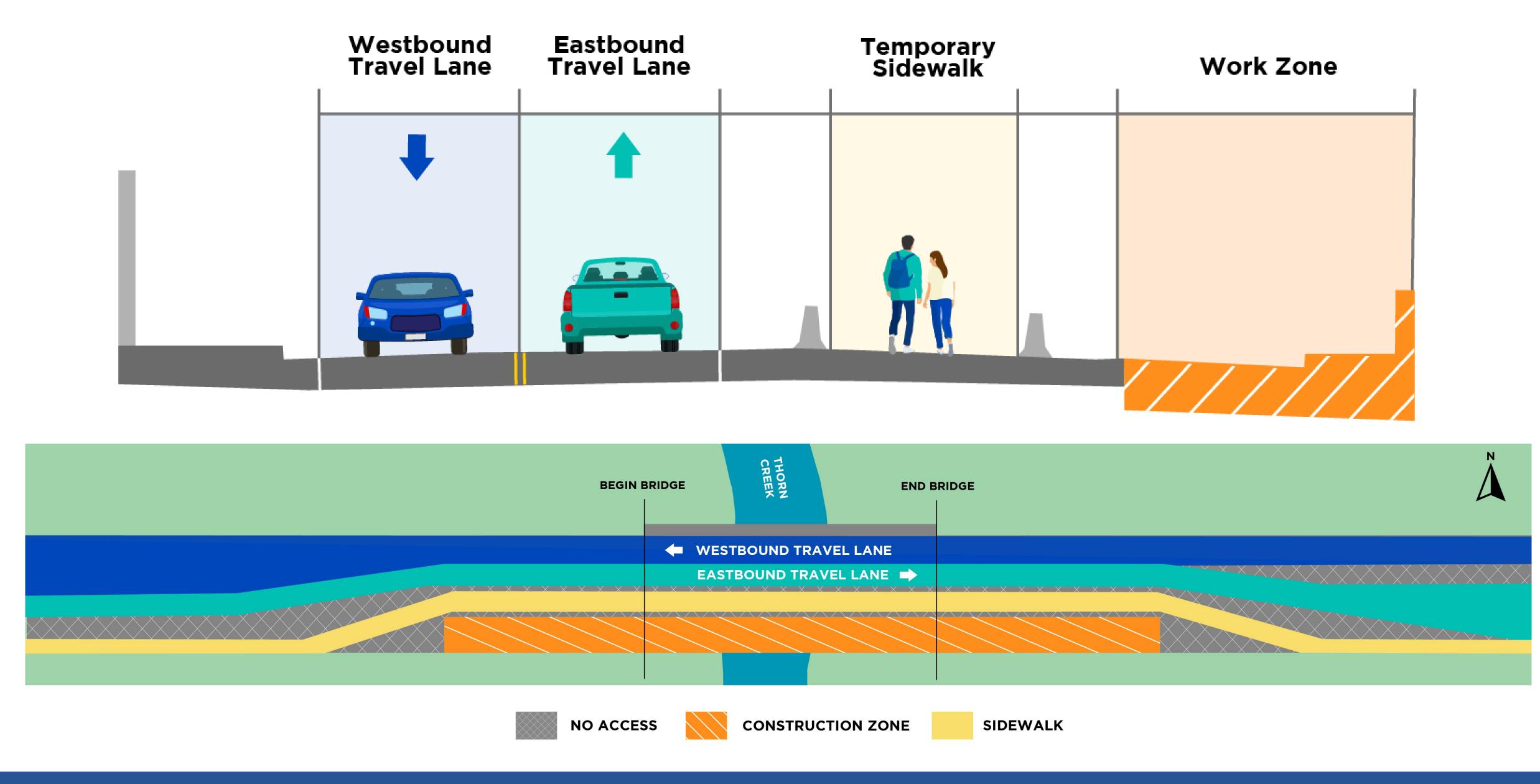




Construction Stage 3

One lane in each direction will be maintained for vehicular traffic. Existing pedestrian access is maintained on the south side. Eastbound and westbound access to 170th Street will be maintained from all intersections and driveways throughout construction.

Estimated duration: 3 months







Project Timeline







Preliminary Engineering April 2022 - June 2023

Public Information Meeting
July 2023

Conclusion of Preliminary Engineering Activities August 2023 Design Anticipated to Begin Summer 2023

Design Anticipated to End Fall 2024 Construction Anticipated to Begin 2025





Questions or Comments?

There are many ways to get in touch and/or provide comments. Submit your comments in-person at this meeting or you may reach out to the project team with any comments at the contact information below.



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The comment period is open through August 12, 2023.





