# Orange Avenue

Traffic Analysis Forum March 04, 2021

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#### Introductions

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- We ask that questions be relevant to the topics discussed in this
  presentation and that comments be kept brief so that all attendees have a
  chance to have their input heard.

#### Presentation Topics

- Orange Avenue Overlay District Description
- Relationship of land-use and transportation
- Summary of transportation analyses
- Primary transportation findings
- Potential transportation improvements

#### Next Steps

#### • Land-Use:

 Public Input then Citywide notice prior to P&Z and City Commission vote on the Overlay District

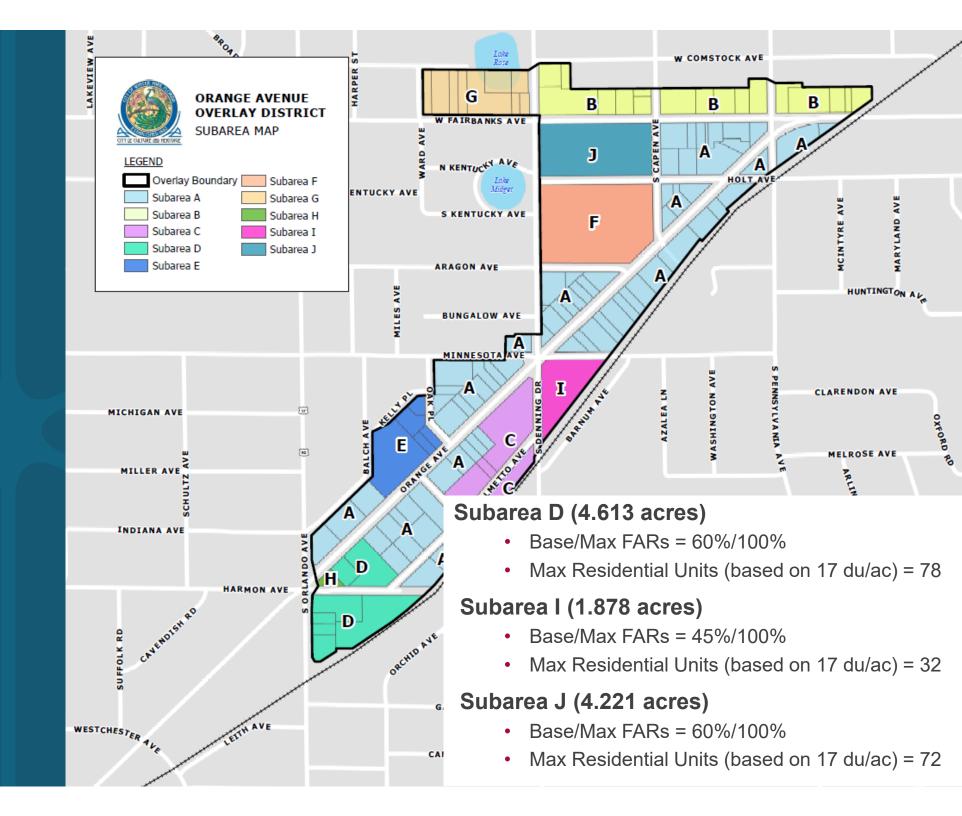
#### • Possible Next Steps for Transportation:

- Orange Avenue Corridor Improvement Plan a detailed transportation plan could be developed with public & stakeholder engagement
- Transportation Master Plan City is working toward an overall plan – Orange Ave could be a component

## Orange Avenue Overlay District Language

- Numerous levels of development have been considered as a part of this process
- Floor Area Ratios (FAR)
  - Various mixed-use programming scenarios have been considered.
- Without the parking spaces, smaller parcels can't meet parking requirements, so redevelopment may be prohibitive
- Progress Point will have a park, parking lot, and limited development
- Minimal amount of multi-family development is allowed

#### Current Maximums in the Overlay



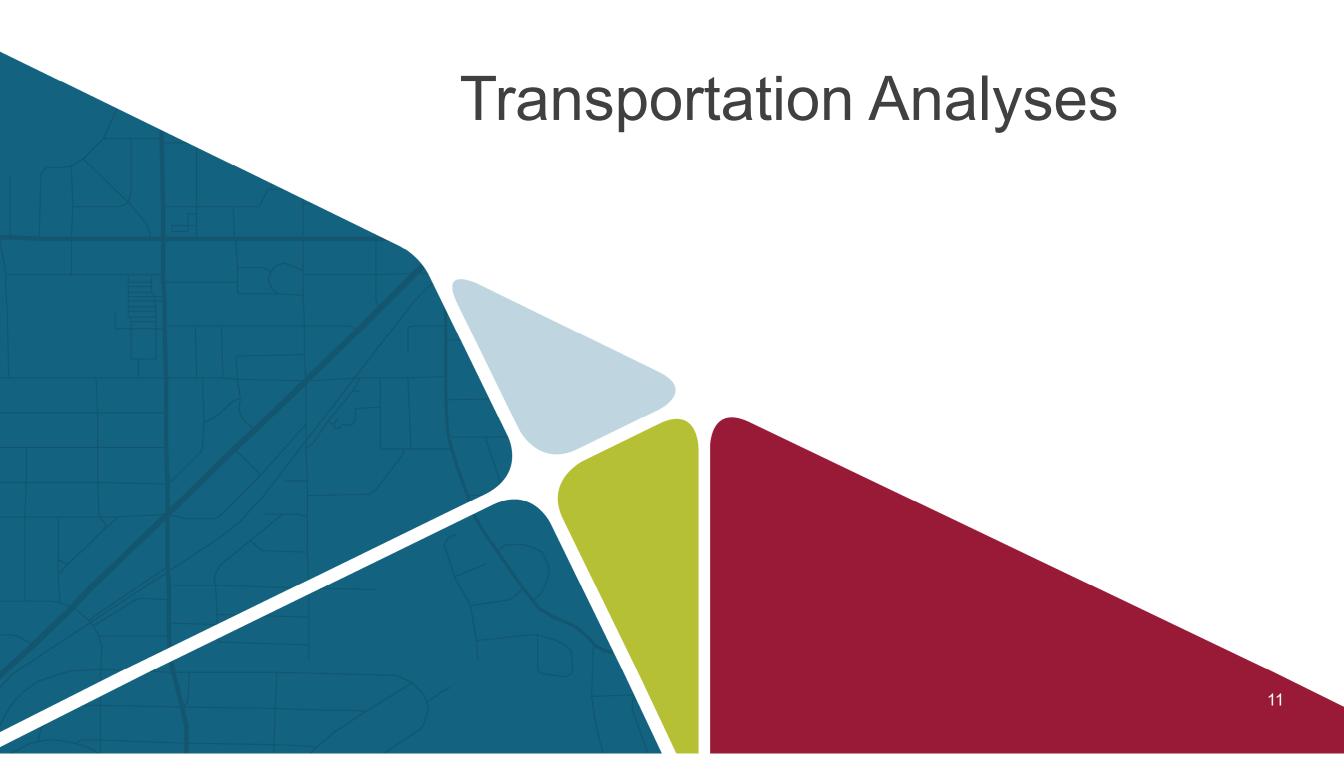
# Progress Point



# Land-Use and Transportation 9

#### Transportation and Land Use

- While they are related, policies and projects typically move through separate paths.
- Increases in density and intensity would make it <u>more</u> important to emphasize walkability and accommodate alternative modes.
- Roadway improvements are NOT specified or required in the OAO
- Potential roadway improvements could move forward with or without the OAO





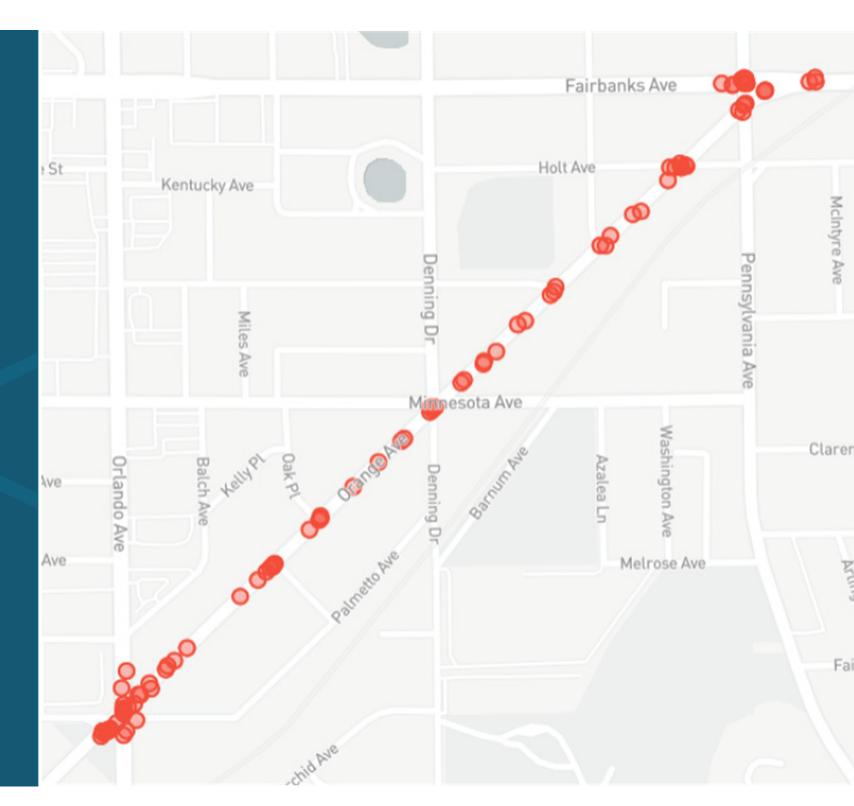
#### **Current Issues**

- Crashes
- Parking
- Traffic
- Difficult to walk across
- No biking opportunities

# What Types of Crashes?

- 33% attributed to Distracted Driving
- High rates of sideswipe / angle collisions 32% of the crashes
- 12% of crashes hit a parked car
- Bike crashes from bikes riding on sidewalk
- 37% are rear-end collisions at congested intersections
- Run-off-the-road crashes at Fairbanks / Pennsylvania

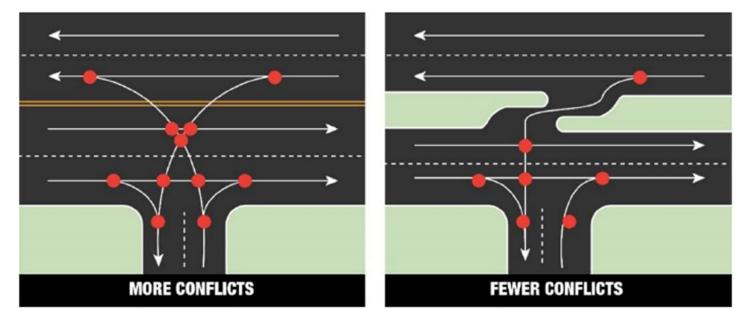
#### Location of Injury Crashes



#### Crashes: Underlying Causes

#### No median. Per FDOT:

"Additional conflict points that exist when a roadway has no median can lead to potential safety issues."



Source: FDOT

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#### Crashes: Underlying Causes

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#### Narrow Lanes:

Type of Lane	Standard Width	Width on Orange Ave
Travel Lanes	11'	~10-10.5'
Bike Lanes	7'	None
<b>On-Street Parking</b>	8'	~6.5'

Note: While there are several considerations where it is possible to reduce one or two of these widths, having ALL of them so narrow generally results in a more dangerous roadway.

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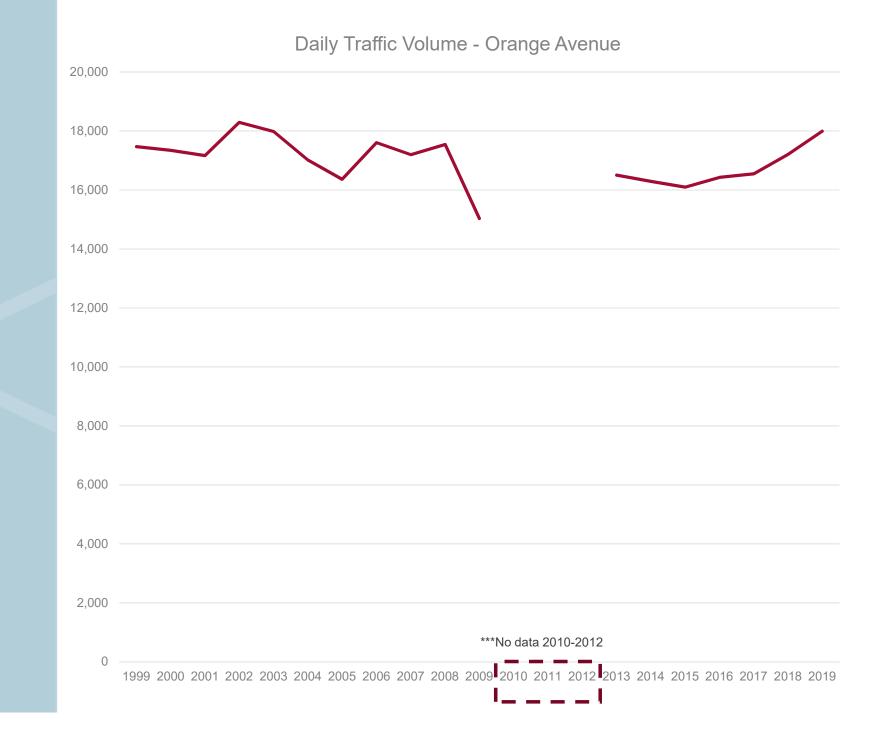
High Speeds:

- Posted speed limit is 30 MPH
- Comprehensive speed data are not available
- Comments from residents / owners indicate speeding
- Observations & spot measurements indicate speeding
  - Typical to see 37-40 MPH between platoons
  - Aggressive lane changes are common

#### Categories to Improve

- Crashes
- Bicycle facilities
  - Parking
  - Travel routes
- Pedestrian crossing opportunities
- Parking
- Left-turn lanes
- Travel speeds
- Inefficient operations at Minnesota / Denning
- Congestion?

#### **Traffic Volumes**



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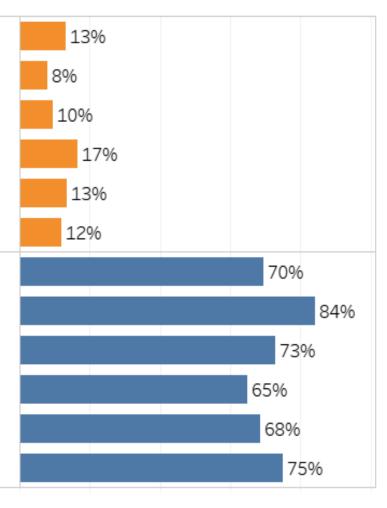
Roadway		First Year Available		Existing Volume	Historic Annual	
From:	То:	Year	Volume	(2020)	Growth	
Orange Ave						
Clay St	Mills Ave/Orlando Ave	1999	16,510	14,300	-1%	
Mills Ave/Orlando Ave	Denning Dr	1999	17,470	17,996	0%	
Denning Dr	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	1999	17,470	17,996	0%	
Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)						
Orlando Ave	Denning Dr	1999	30,501	23,500	-1%	
Denning Dr	Pennsylvania Ave	1999	37,991	33,000	-1%	
Pennsylvania Ave	Park Ave	1999	37,991	33,000	-1%	
Orlando Ave						
Princeton St	Orange Ave	2004	28,000	28,000	0%	
Orange Ave	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	1999	35,211	43,809	1%	
Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	Morse Blvd	1999	42,709	42,327	0%	
Morse Blvd	Canton Ave	1999	42,709	42,327	0%	
Canton Ave	Webster Ave	1999	42,709	42,327	0%	
Webster Ave	Lee Road (SR 423)	1999	42,709	42,327	0%	

#### Local Trips? (source Metroplan Orlando)

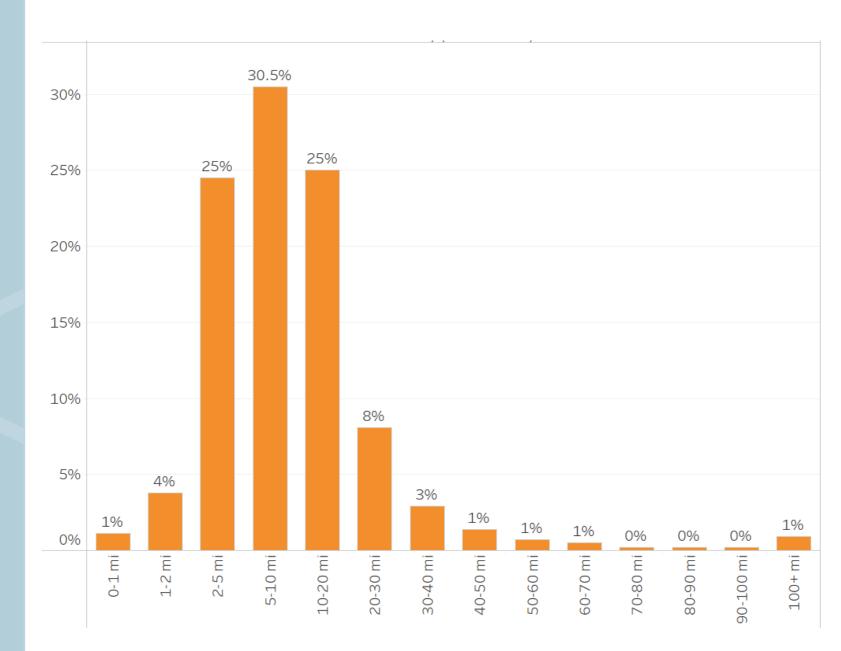
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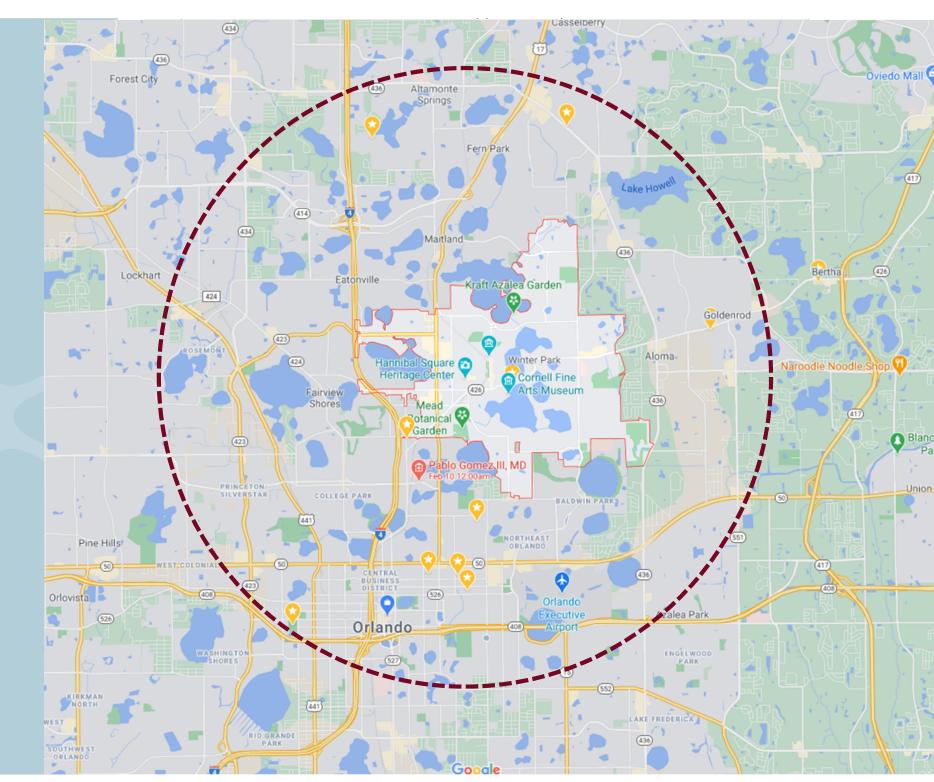
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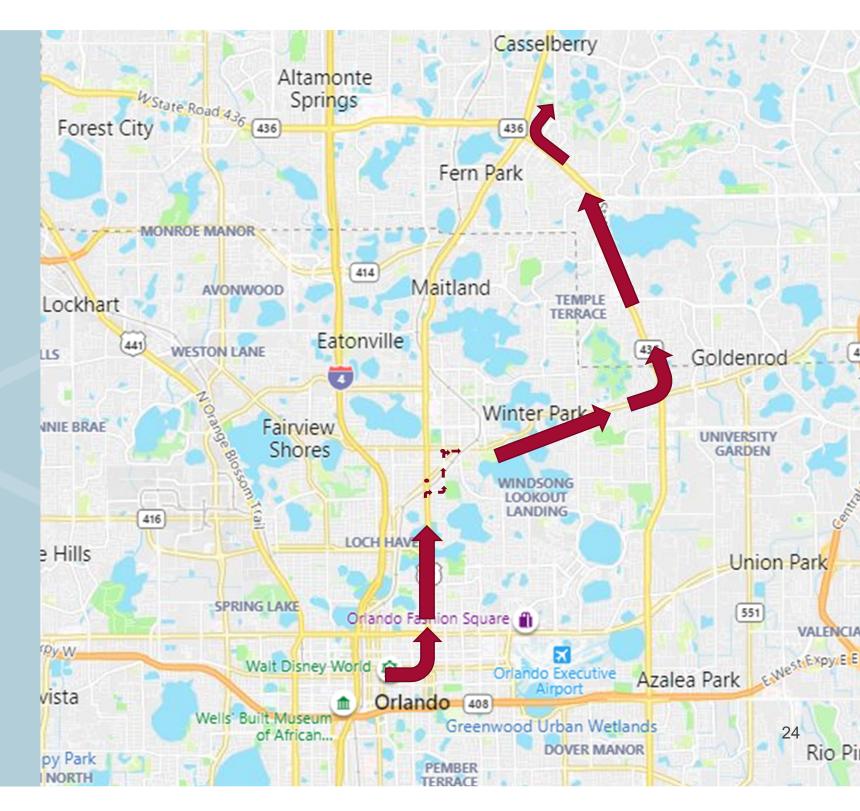
#### Trip Lengths (source Metroplan Orlando)



### **5-Mile Radius**



#### Local Cut-Through: What would it look like?



#### Potential Development in the OAO

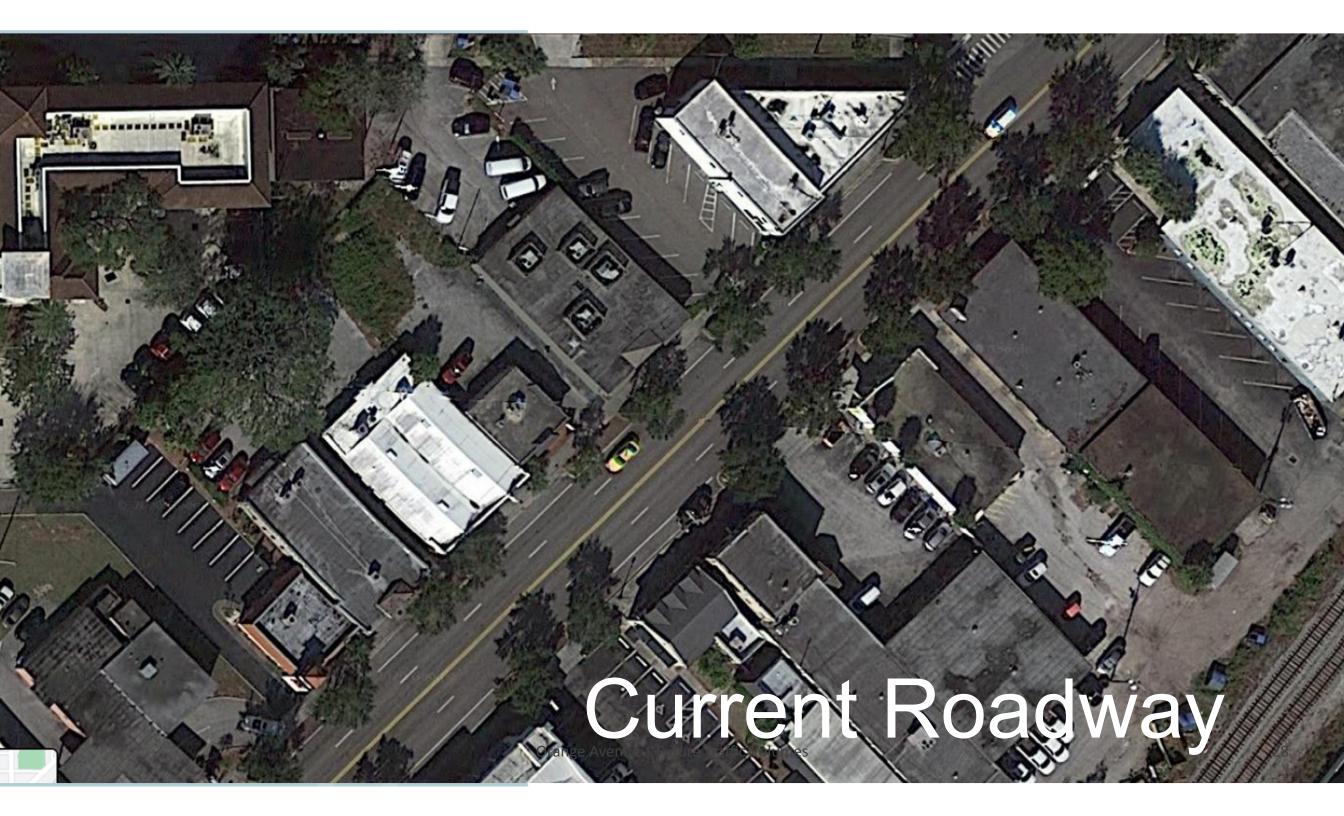
- Five development scenarios were initially considered.
- The City Commission is considering the effects of limitations on density and intensity.
- Current OAO language allows development amounts that were considered in two of the scenarios.

#### **Future Volumes**

	Roadway		Existing	Base Condition	Year 2040			
					60% FAR		130% FAR	
	From:	То:	Daily Volume	2040 Daily Volume	Change (%)	Volume	Change (%)	Volume
	Orange Ave							
	Clay St	Mills Ave/Orlando Ave	14,300	14,900	1%	15,123	3%	15,335
	Mills Ave/Orlando Ave	Denning Dr	17,996	19,400	4%	20,256	6%	20,630
	Denning Dr	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	17,996	19,400	1%	19,521	2%	19,741
	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)							
	Orlando Ave	Denning Dr	23,500	25,400	2%	25,852	7%	27,163
	Denning Dr	Pennsylvania Ave	33,000	35,600	1%	35,983	4%	37,126
	Pennsylvania Ave	Park Ave	33,000	35,600	1%	35,878	1%	35,804
	Morse Blvd							
	Orlando Ave	Denning Dr	7,700	10,800	6%	11,458	24%	13,415
	Denning Dr	Pennsylvania Ave	7,700	10,800	6%	11,426	15%	12,458
	Pennsylvania Ave	New York Ave	7,700	10,800	2%	10,998	7%	11,585
	New York Ave	Park Ave	7,700	10,800	3%	11,164	7%	11,576
	Clay St							
	Orange Ave	Par St	8,086	11,300	3%	11,661	15%	13,011
	Par St	Westchester Ave	12,400	14,900	0%	14,905	4%	15,552
	Westchester Ave	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	12,400	14,900	1%	14,977	2%	15,160
	Orlando Ave							
	Princeton St	Orange Ave	28,000	30,800	1%	30,984	3%	31,597
	Orange Ave	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	43,809	48,200	1%	48,618	1%	48,897
	Fairbanks Ave (SR 426)	Morse Blvd	42,327	46,600	-1%	46,225	0%	46,430
	Morse Blvd	Canton Ave	42,327	46,600	-1%	46,277	0%	46,426
	Canton Ave	Webster Ave	42,327	46,600	0%	46,495	0%	46,470
	Webster Ave	Lee Road (SR 423)	42,327	46,600	0%	46,419	2%	47,711

#### Changes To Address Concerns

- Medians
- Left-turn Lanes (as needed)
- Bike Lanes / Facilities
- Wider Sidewalks
- Wider Parking Spaces / Angled Parking
- Mid-Block Crossings
- Speed Control:
  - Roundabout
  - Crosswalks
  - Larger bulb-outs



There is not much available space



### Example Concept – Planning Level



# **Example Planning – Level Concept**

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#### Mid-Block Crossings

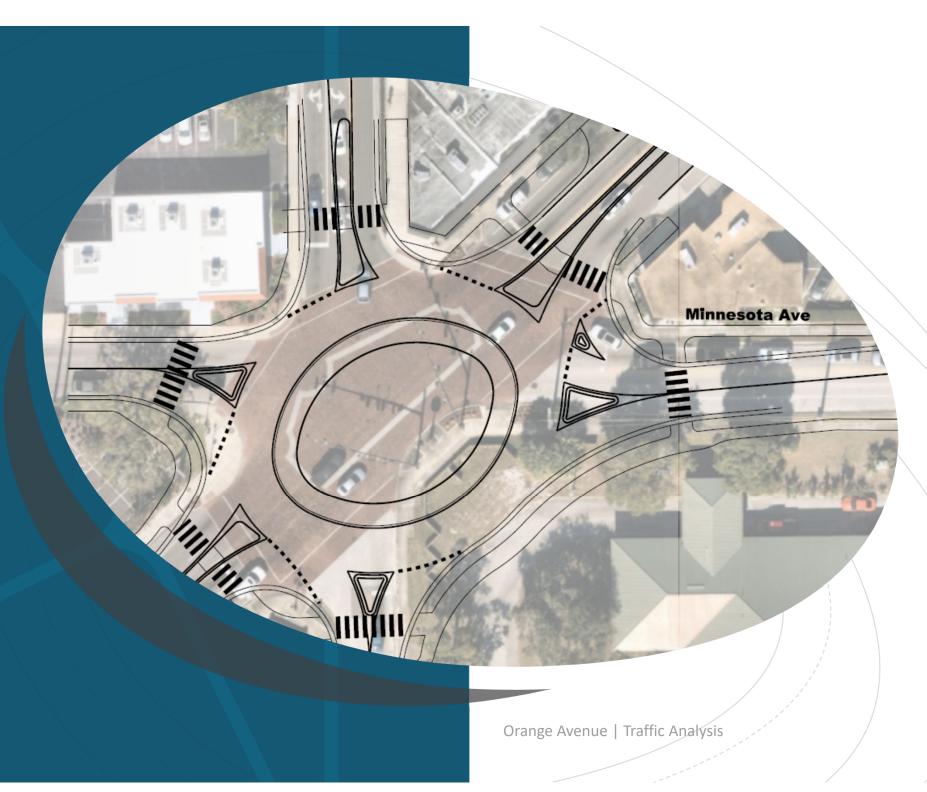
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- Much easier on two-lane roads
- Complex on multi-lane roads
- Best on low-speed roads



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#### Orange at Minnesota / Denning:

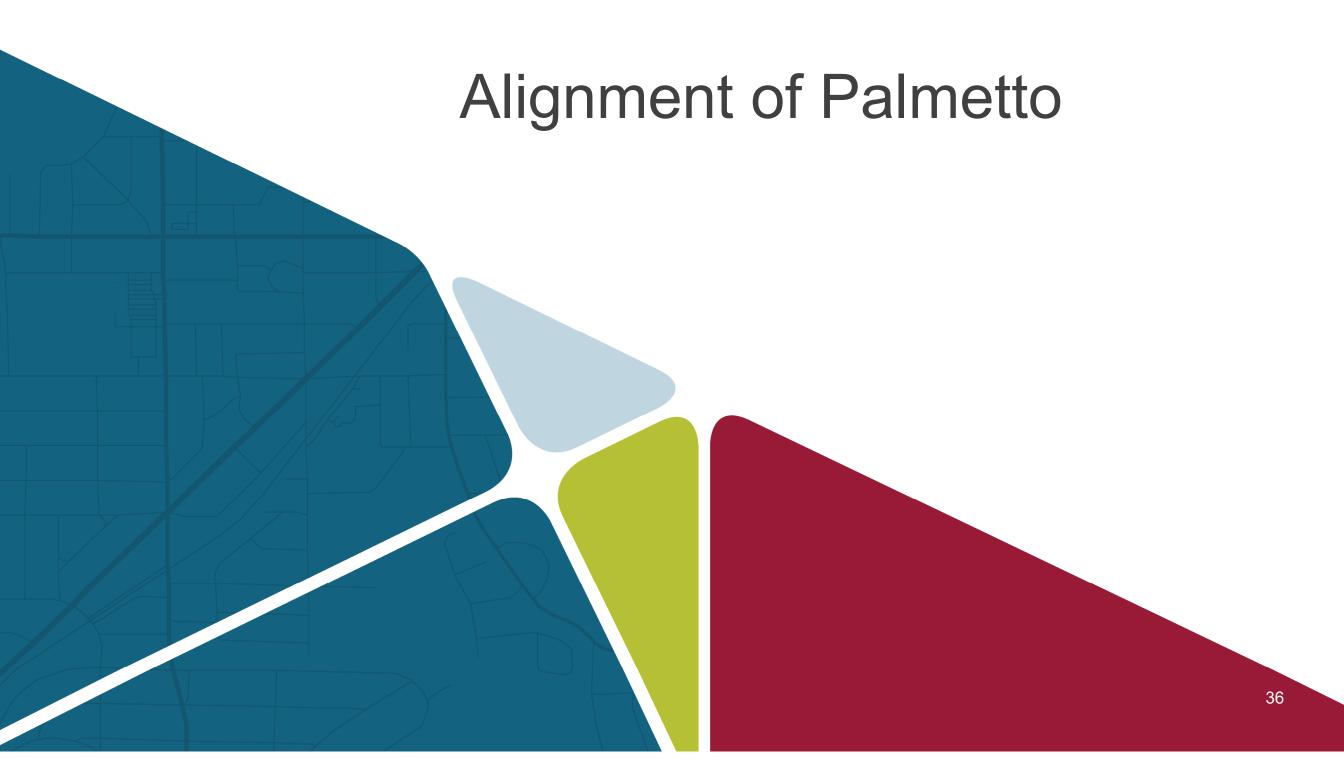
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Cuts delay in half, improves capacity

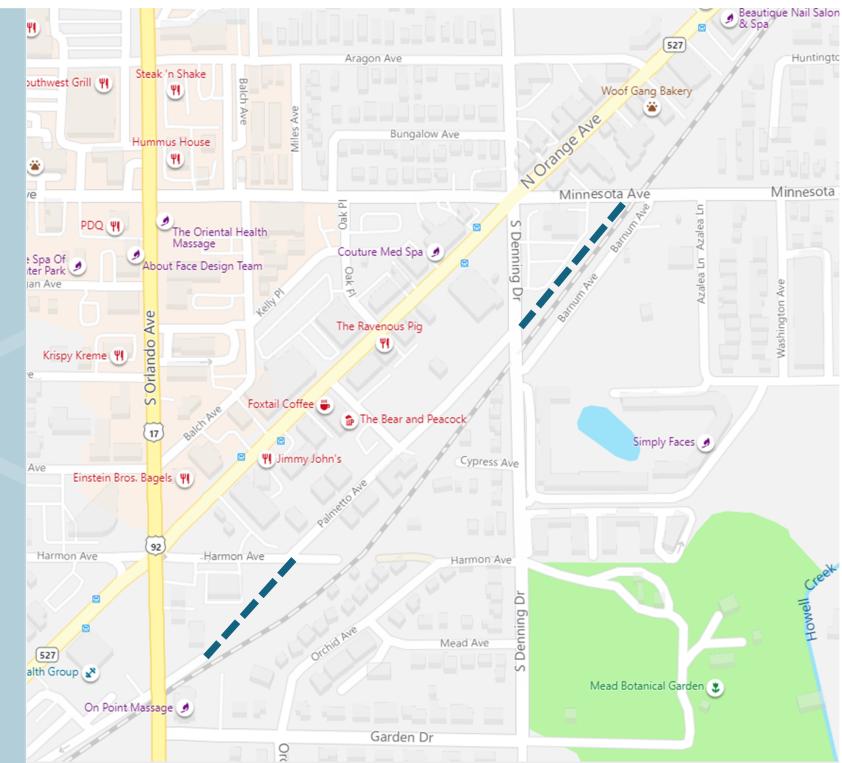
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# What about bikes?

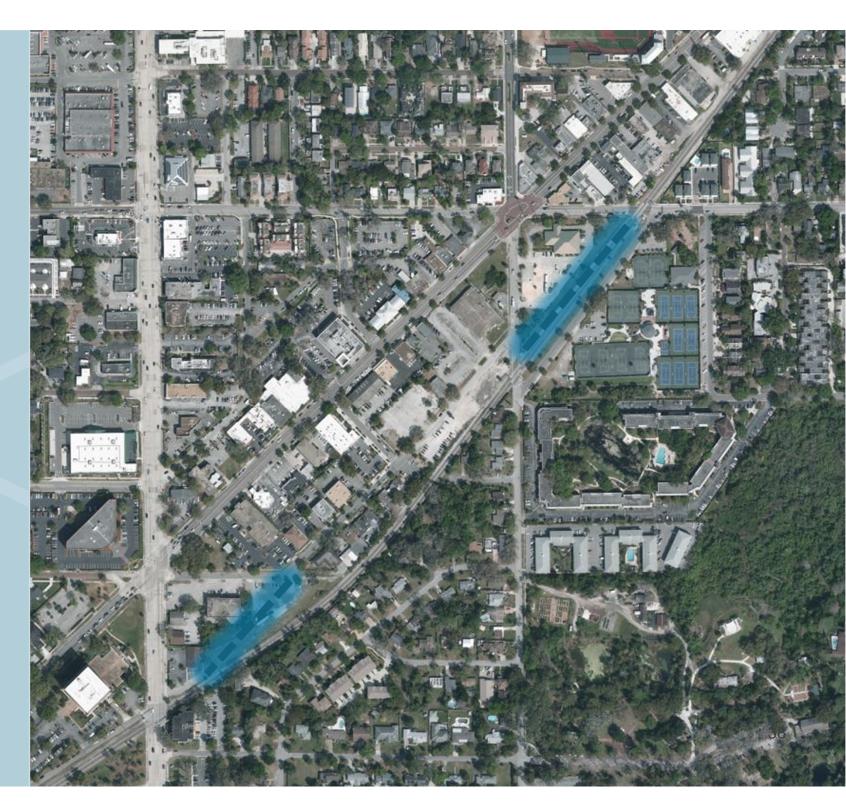




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# Connection to Orlando Avenue



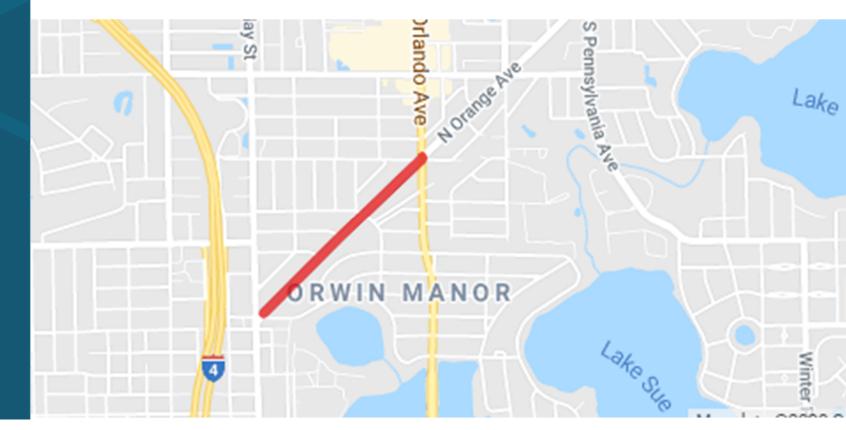
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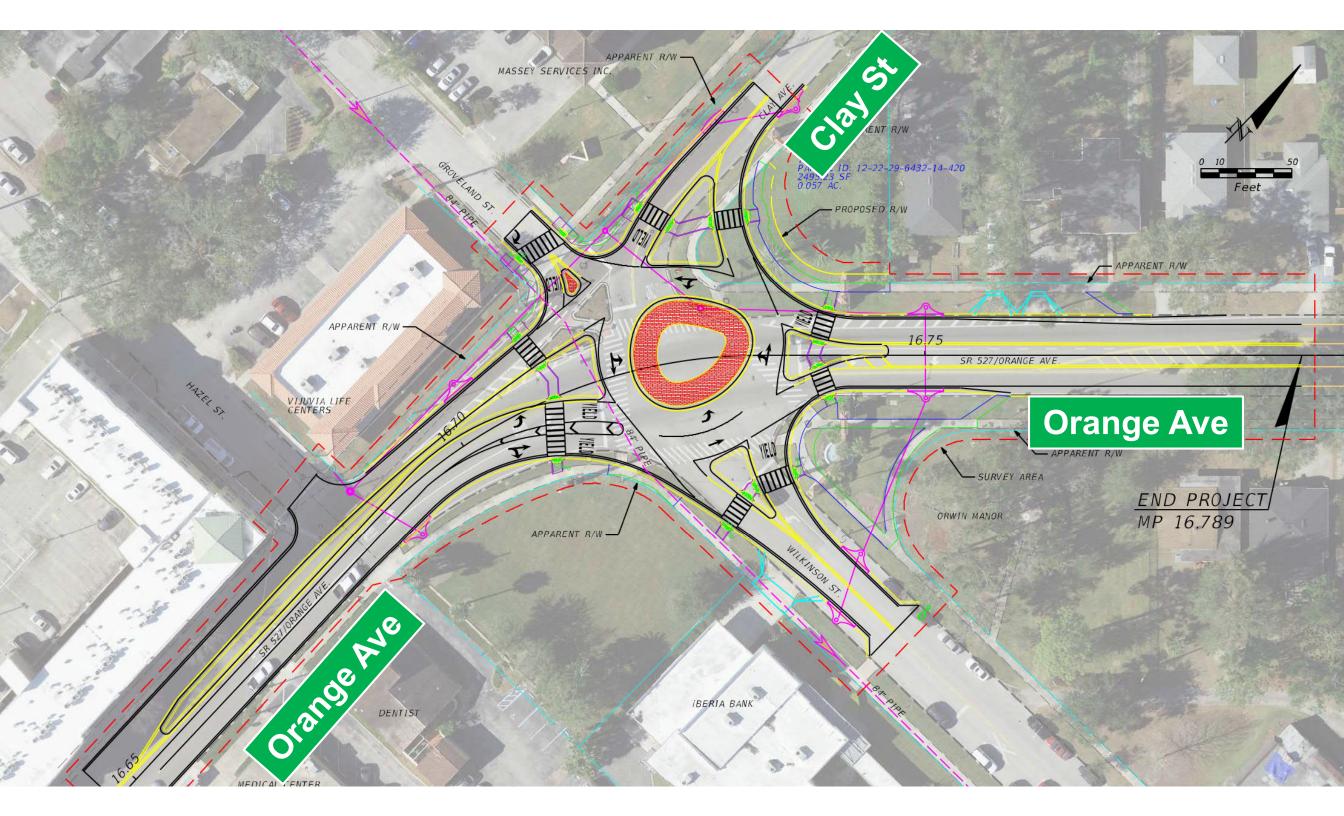


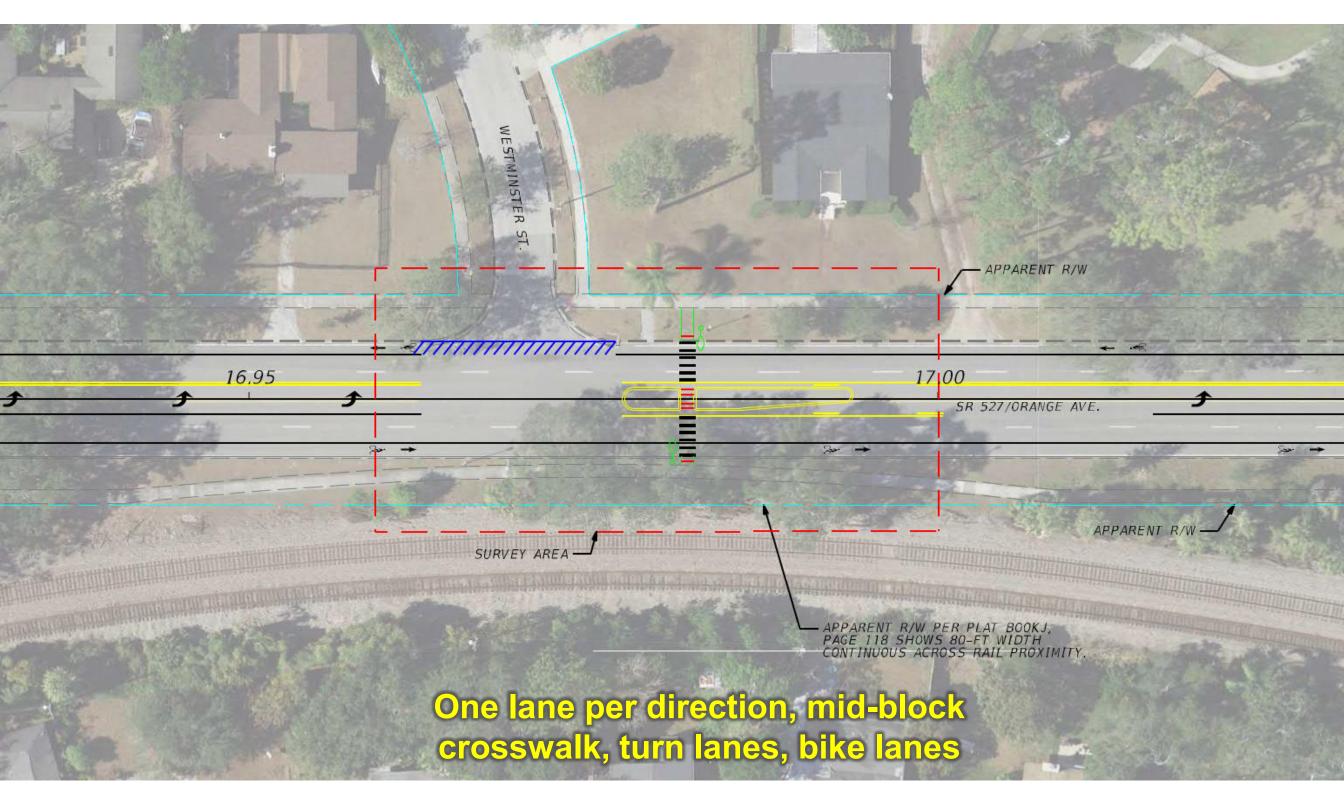
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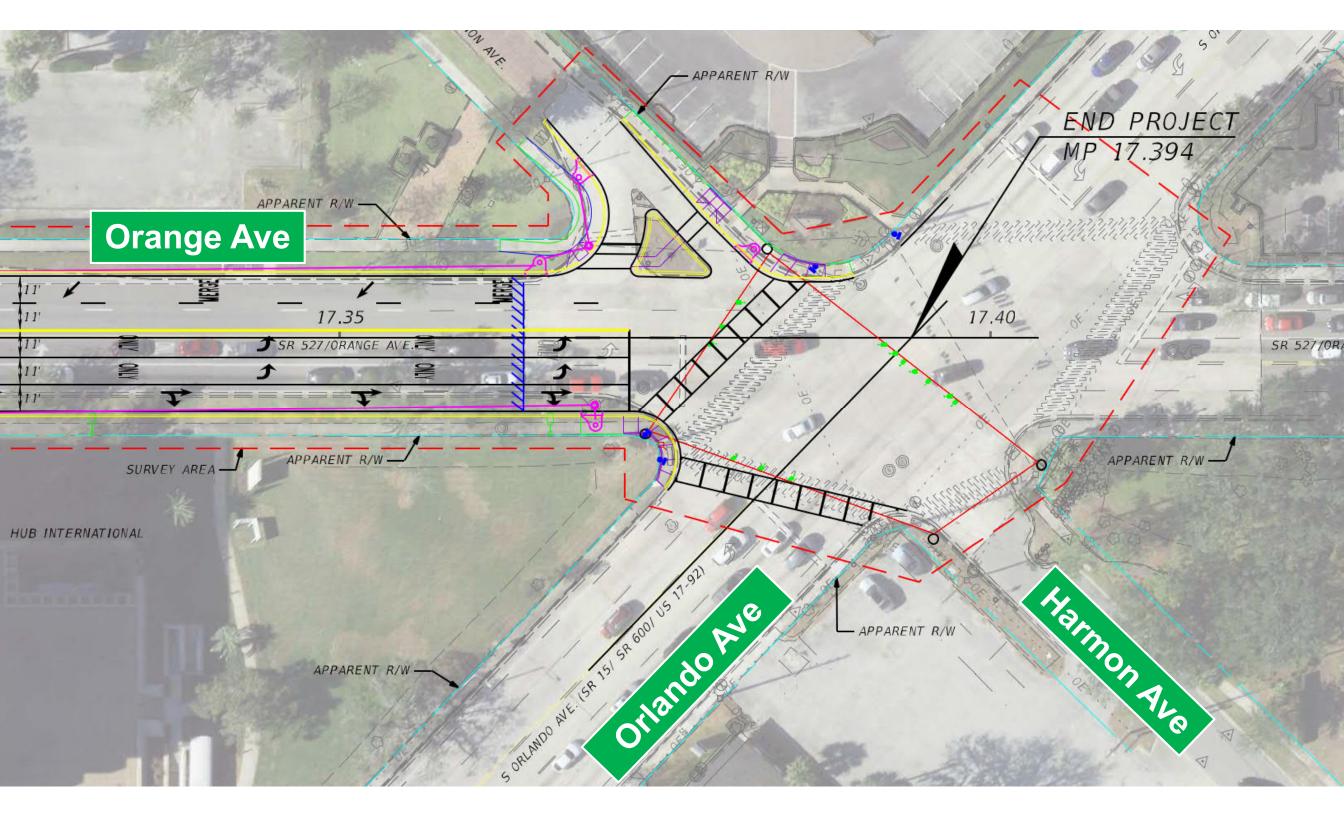
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- Design to begin early 2021
- Design to finish June 2022
- Scheduled for Construction in FY 2023







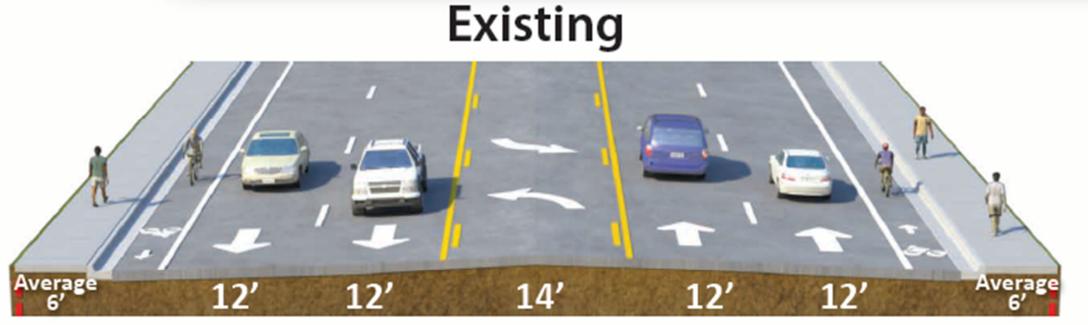


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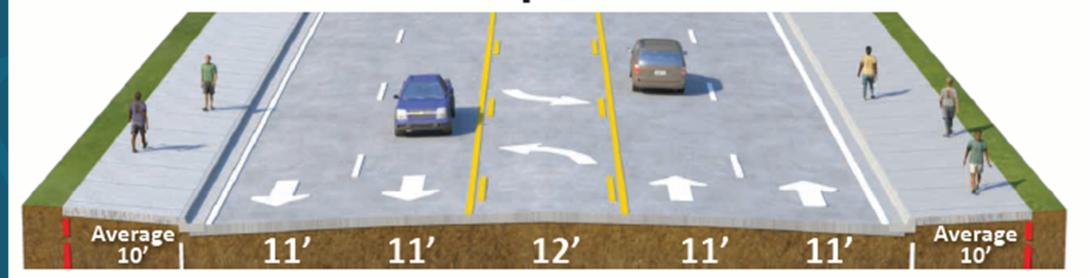
- Through City Limits (from Nottingham St to Monroe Avenue)
- Design is underway
- Purpose:
  - Repaving
  - Widen sidewalks
  - Upgrade storm sewer
  - Upgrade signals
  - Landscaping





#### Orlando Ave

#### Proposed



#### Orlando Avenue (Kimley-Horn Intersection Study)

- 1. Orlando Avenue & Minnesota Avenue
- 2. Orlando Avenue & Fairbanks Avenue
- 3. Orlando Avenue & Morse Boulevard
- 4. Orlando Avenue & Gay Road
- 5. Orlando Avenue & Webster Avenue
- 6. Orlando Avenue & Lee Road
- 7. Orlando Avenue & Park Avenue
- 8. Lee Road & Bennett Avenue / Executive Drive
- 9. Clay Street & Par Street
- 10. Clay Street & Minnesota Avenue
- 11. Clay Street & Fairbanks Avenue
- 12. Webster Avenue & Lee Road
- 13. Denning Drive & Morse Boulevard
- 14. Denning Drive & Canton Avenue
- 15. Denning Drive & Webster Avenue

Orlando Avenue Recommendations (Kimley-Horn Intersection Study)

- Turn lane extensions
- Additional turn lanes
- Signal timing changes
- Lane marking / striping changes

### Reminders

- The Orange Avenue Overlay District does not specify roadway improvements.
- Roadway improvements can be made with or without changes to development potential.

# Summary

- Current overlay district language (under consideration) allows less development than previous language.
- Future development does not have a significant impact on Orange Ave traffic volumes.
- Safety is a priority.
- There isn't enough room to accommodate all transportation needs under existing conditions.
- Projects are underway on adjacent roads / sections.
- Improvements in the study area need to be analyzed further, with public involvement, prior to moving forward.

# Questions & Comments

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