



43RD STREET SHARED STREET

Community Board 6

May 7th, 2018



Background:
Greater East Midtown Rezoning



GREATER EAST MIDTOWN REZONING APPROVED 8/9/17

Early Action Projects

2nd
57

53rd Street

Park Ave
Medians

43rd Street

Vanderbilt
Plaza

Pershing
Square Plaza

39
5th

43rd Street Event



September 29, 2017

What is a Shared Street?

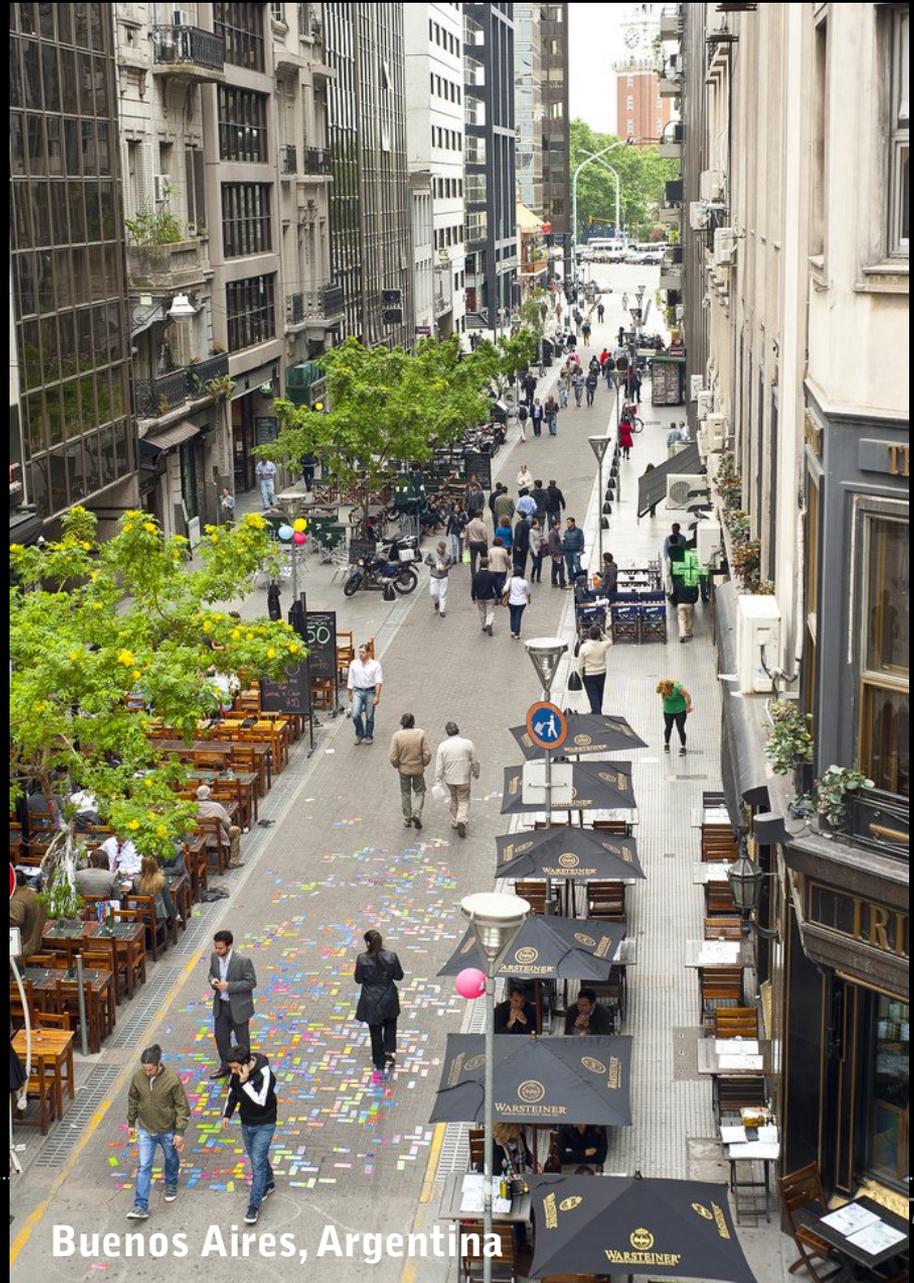
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Shared Street

A “**Shared Street**” is a roadway designed for slow travel speeds where pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists all share the right of way.

Vehicles are advised to drive 5MPH and the roadway is flush from building line to building line without the typical curb line grade separation.

Shared streets can be designed and managed in a variety of different ways to balance the needs of all users while enhancing the safety, aesthetics, and overall experience of the street.



Buenos Aires, Argentina

43rd Street Design Considerations

Shared Street design considerations include:

- Overall circulation
- Transit connections
- Building and loading dock access
- Pick-up and drop-offs
- Parking
- Sanitation
- Deliveries
- ADA accessibility
- Emergency access



Interim Materials



Broadway between 24th & 25th Street



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Permanent Materials



Bell St. Seattle

Accessible Shared Streets

8.3 Shared Zone

» Designate a shared zone where users can expect to encounter each other, using treatments that communicate pedestrian priority.

- 1 Signs indicating pedestrian priority
- 2 Speed management measures (raised crossing)

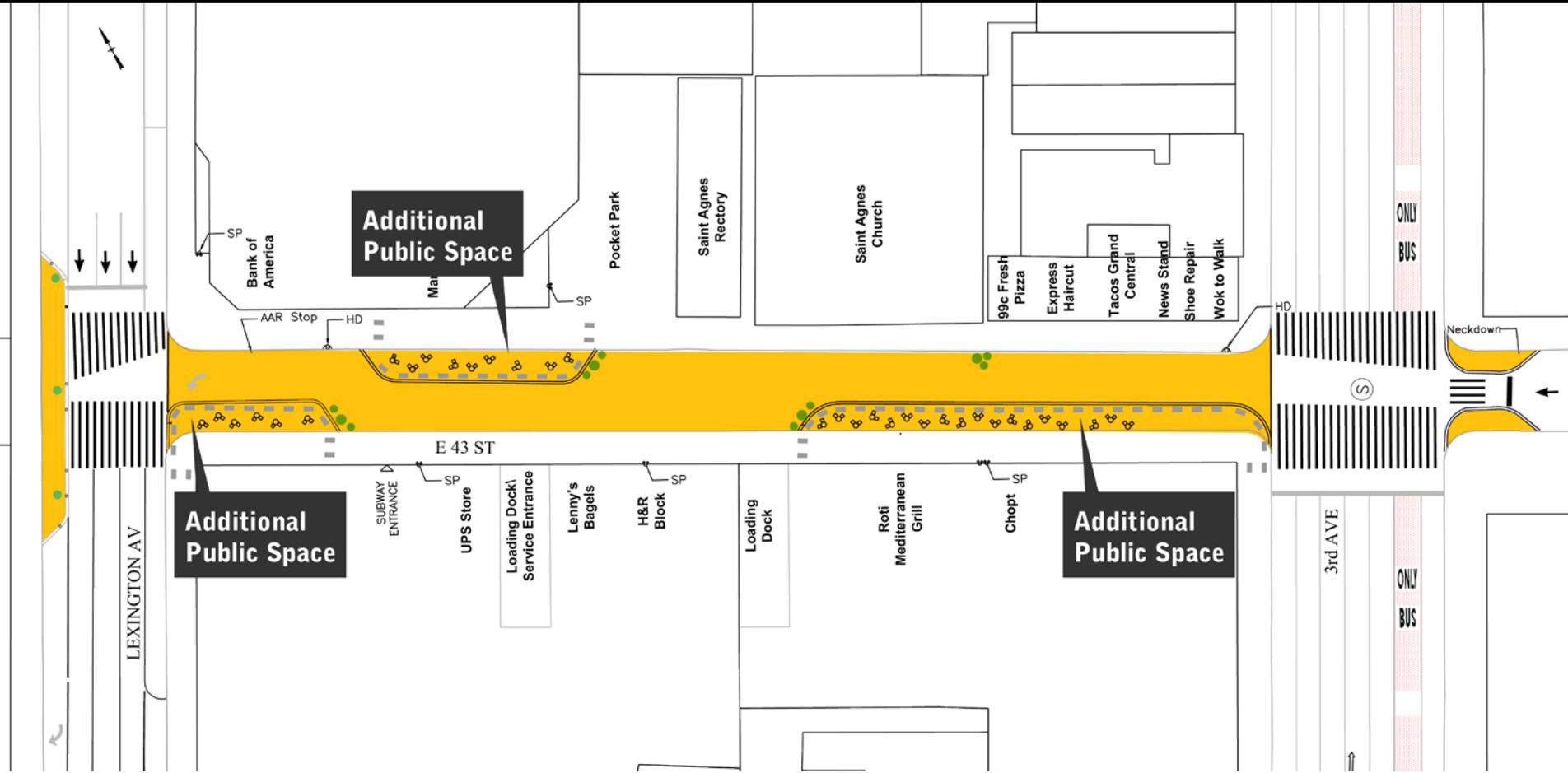


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Design Proposal

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43rd Street – Proposed Design



43rd Street Outreach

Stakeholders

- Grand Central Partnership
- Property Owners
- Merchants
- Public

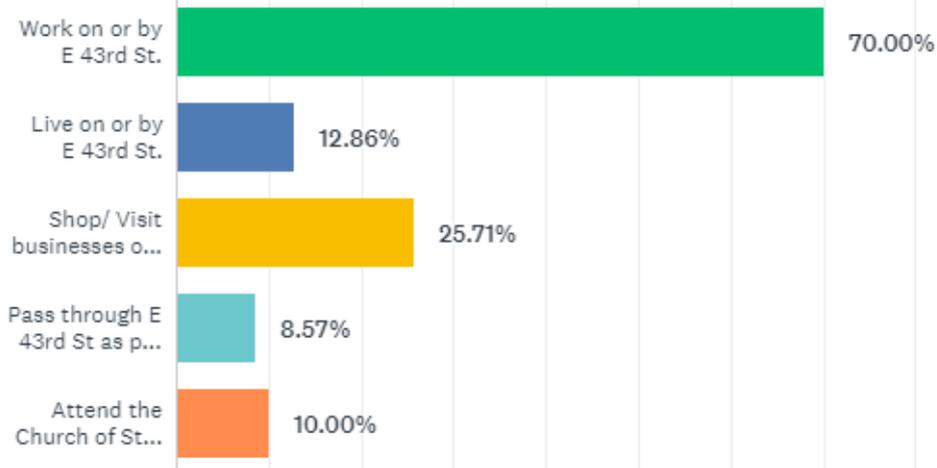
Information Collected

- Construction Plans
- Loading/Delivery Access
- Garbage Collection
- Feedback Portal
- User Surveys

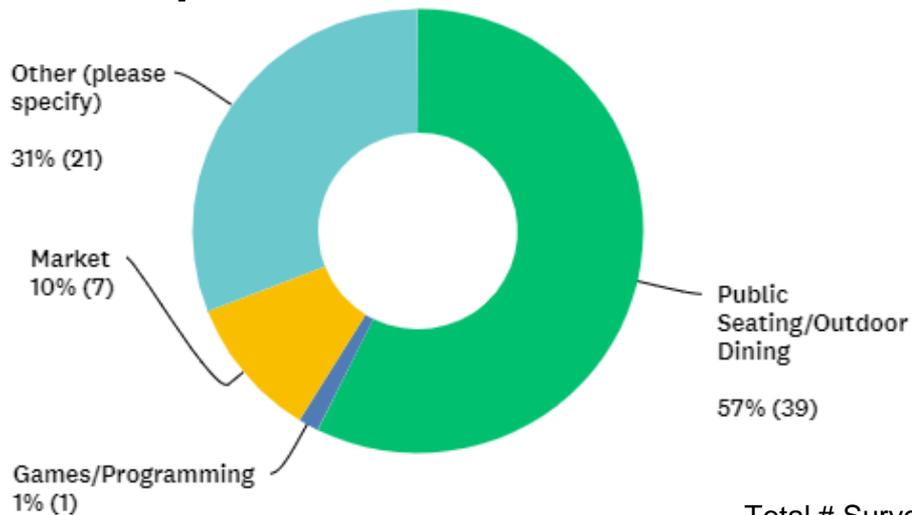


43rd Street User Surveys

What is your relationship to E 43rd St?



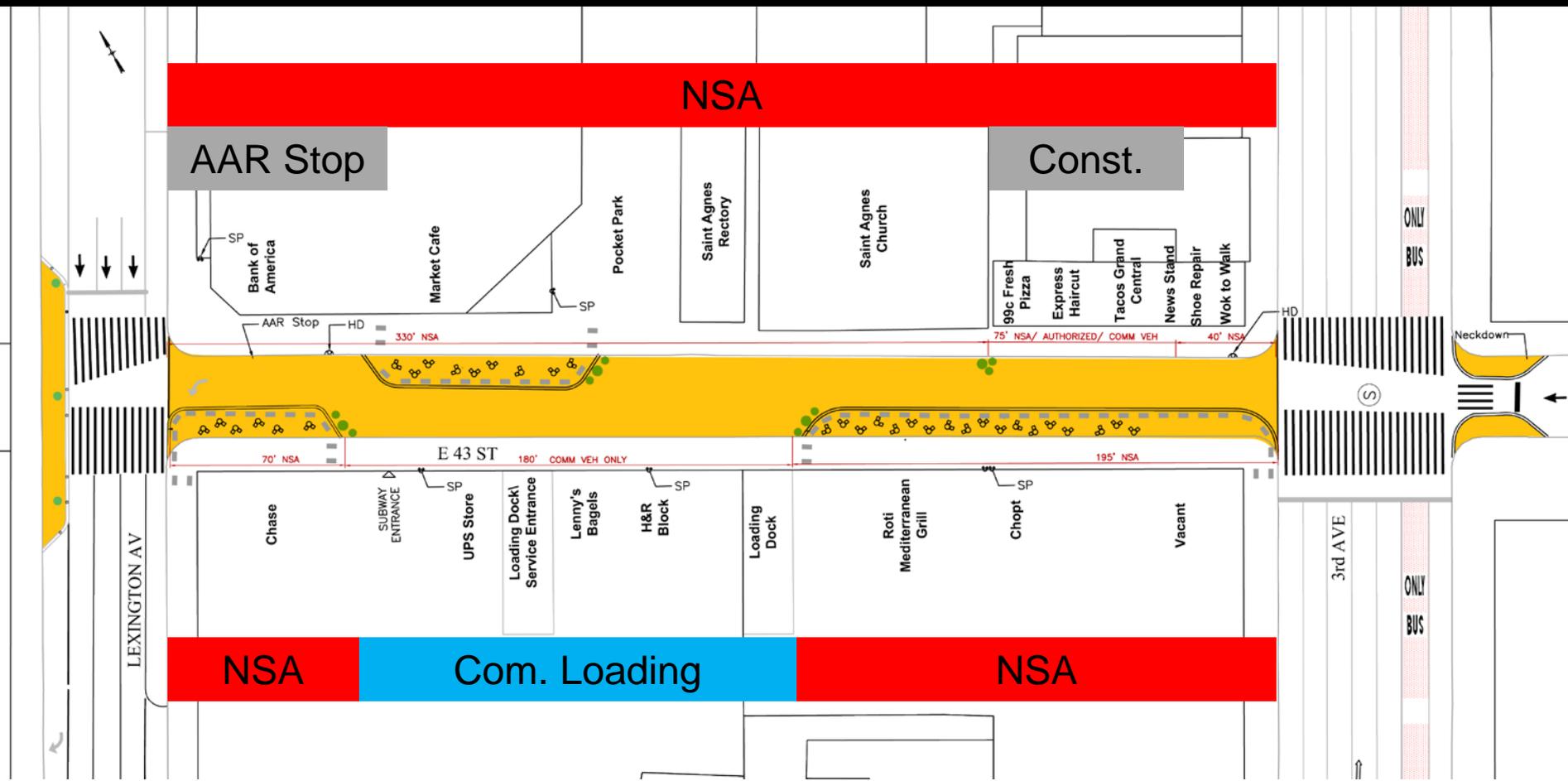
How would you like to see Additional Public Space used?



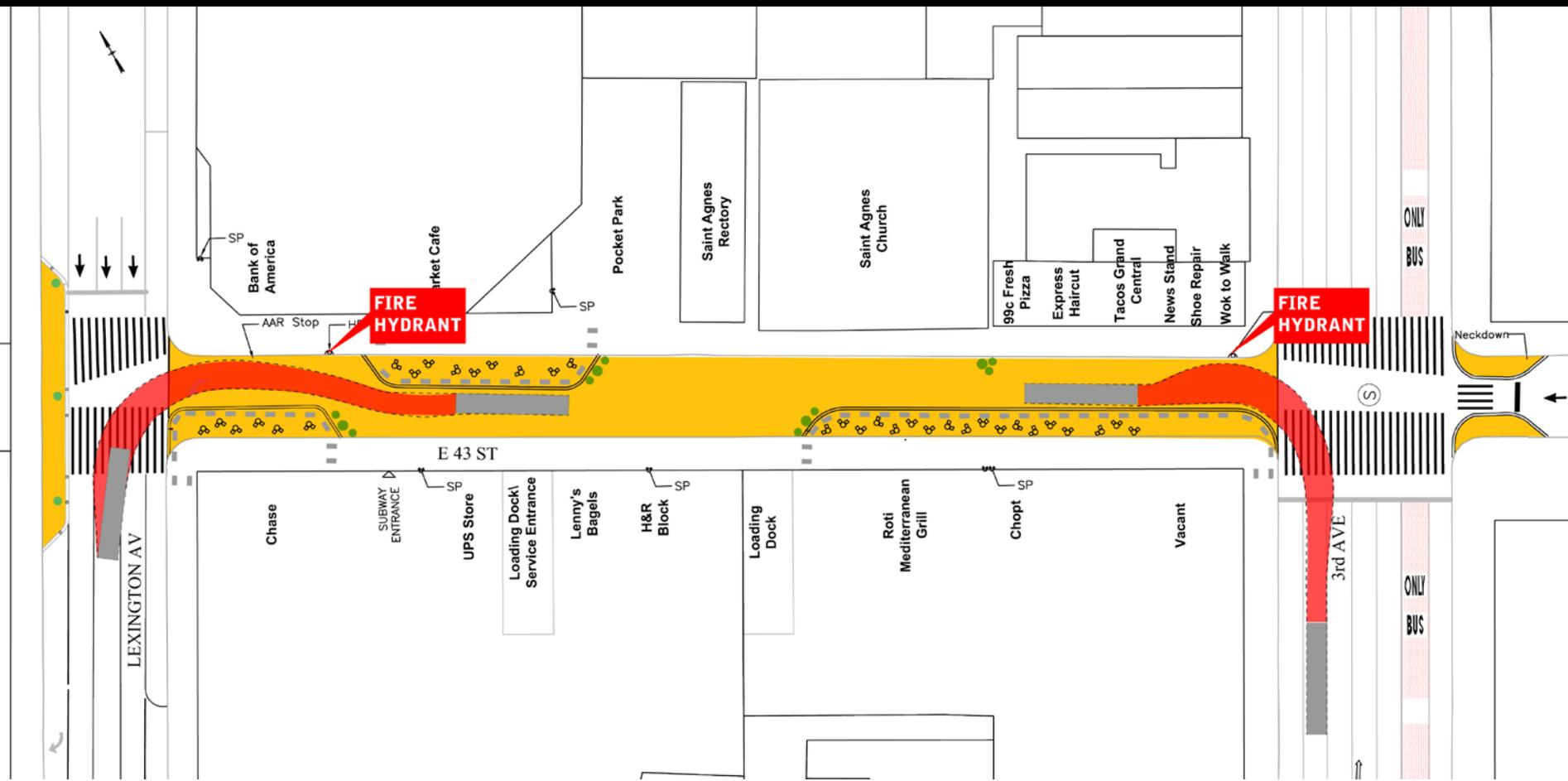
Total # Surveys- 70



43rd Street Curb Management



43rd Street Access



Timeline & Next Steps

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43rd Street Timeline

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- **Sep. 8th 2017** Greater East Midtown Rezoning Approved
 - **Nov. 6th 2017** CB6 Transportation Committee Presentation
 - **2017 / 2018** Ongoing Stakeholder Outreach
 - **Feb. 15th 2018** Governing Group Vote on Funding Projects
 - **May 7th 2018** CB6 Transportation Committee Presentation
 - **Spring 2018** CB6 Full Board
 - **Summer 2018** DOT installs Shared Street in interim material (Pending CB6 vote)
 - **2018 / 2019** DOT monitors the Shared Street, gathers feedback, and begins permanent design process

THANK YOU!

Questions?



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