

NASHVILLE DEPARTMENT of TRANSPORTATION
& MULTIMODAL INFRASTRUCTURE

# NDOT 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue South Complete and Green Street Project Update

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### Presentation Overview

- —Project overview
- —Final design
- —Construction schedule
- —Next steps



View of 12th Ave S complete and green street project at Lawrence Avenue, looking north

## Project Overview

#### INITIAL VISION

- —2017 WalknBike update to the 2008 Strategic Plan for Sidewalks and Bikeways
- —12<sup>th</sup> Avenue S between the Gulch & Ashwood Avenue ranked as #1 priority for bikeways
- Existing conventional striped bike lanes do not feel safe and comfortable
- Proposed design
  - Protected, physically separated bike lanes
  - Stormwater management
  - Improved transit stops
  - Enhanced pedestrian crossings
- Implemented in conjunction with paving project funded with state aid

#### PROJECT TRANSITIONS

- Metro Water Services proposed revisions to stormwater design
- Community leaders preferred to complete project in single phase
- Transition between bikeway program management consultants
- Design remains the same with the exception of enhanced stormwater management
- Implemented in conjunction with paving project (no state funding)—so repaving, restriping included
- Opportunities to coordinate with development, coordinate with water line replacement

## Final Design



#### Construction Schedule

- Note all timing is weather-dependent
- Construction begins May 23
- Preparation activities (metal plates, barrels, etc.)
   begin prior to May 23
- Driving lanes reduced to one lane in each direction plus center turn lane for duration of project
- —Bike route detour (likely to use South Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. S, 16th Ave. S/17<sup>th</sup> Ave. S), localized sidewalk detours for sidewalk repair/replacement
- —Temporary bus stops
- Construction complete by end of 2022, pending weather/other unforeseen circumstances



Metro contractor Roy T. Goodwin at work on a different project in town (Source: Roy T. Goodwin)

### Next Steps

- Finalize planting and maintenance plans for bioswale areas
- Additional community meetings to provide information on the project
- Social media, other communications to provide updates on the project
- Updates to nearby neighbors on upcoming construction activity and impacts (detours, work hours, etc.)—look out for doorhangers



View of 12th Ave S complete and green street project at Acklen Avenue, looking south from above street level

### Thank You & Questions

#### —Project website:

https://www.nashville.gov/departments/trans portation/projects/bikeways/12th-avenuesouth

- NDOT social media
  - —Facebook & Twitter: @NashvilleDOT
  - —Instagram: @nashvilledot



View of 12th Ave S complete and green street project at Caldwell Avenue, looking south