



Seattle Bike Advisory Board

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AGENDA



- Program overview
- Existing conditions on Bell St
- Outreach and feedback
- 10% concept design
- Questions



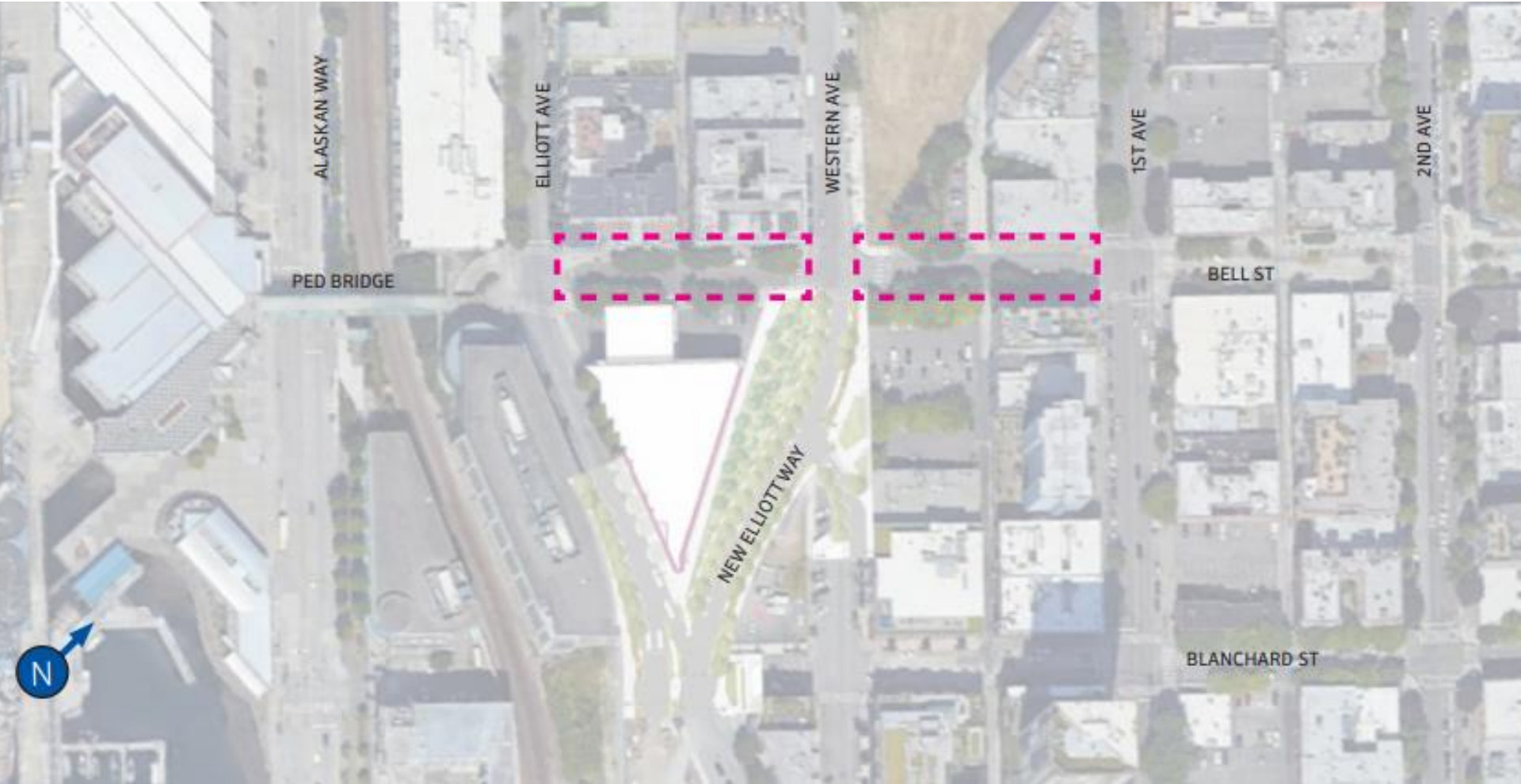
PROGRAM OVERVIEW



BELL STREET



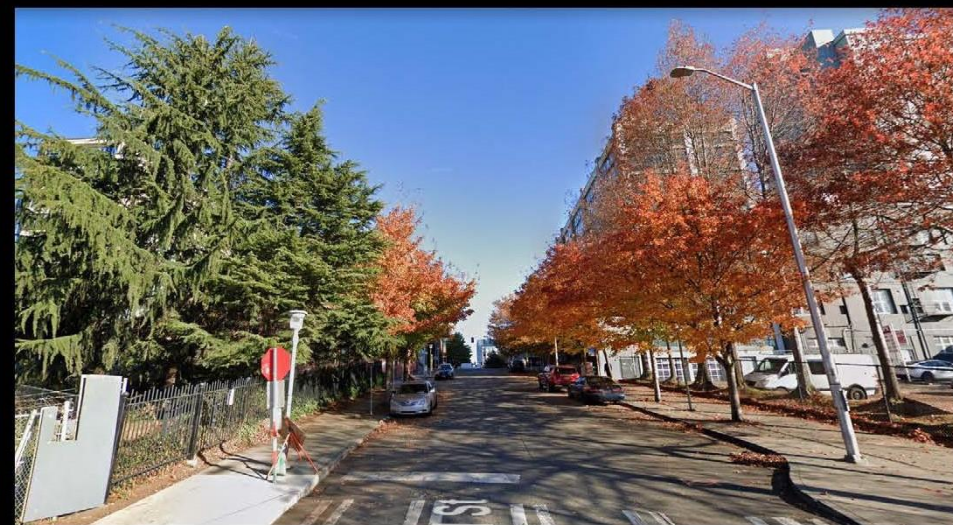
PROJECT BOUNDARIES



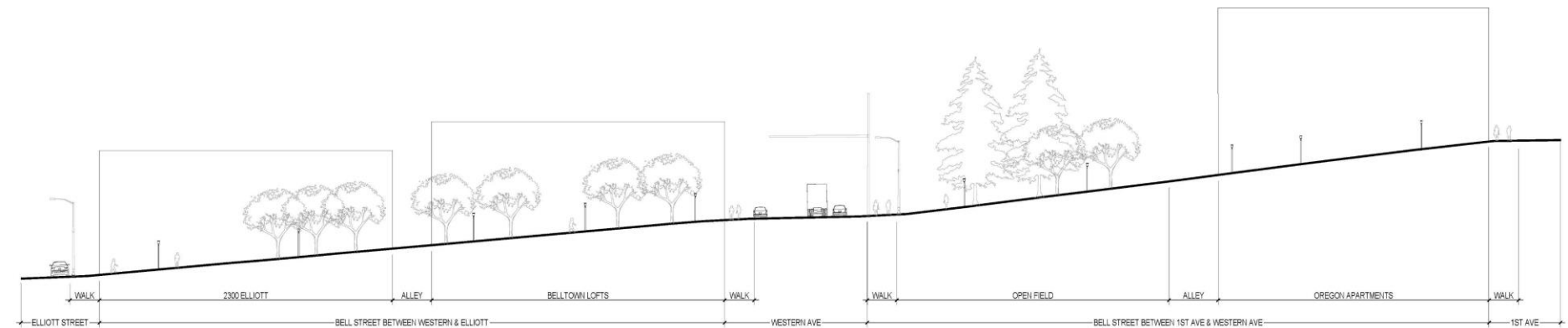
BELL STREET TODAY



View West from 1st and Bell St.



View East from Western Ave and Bell St.



FEBRUARY COMMUNITY OUTREACH



BY THE NUMBERS

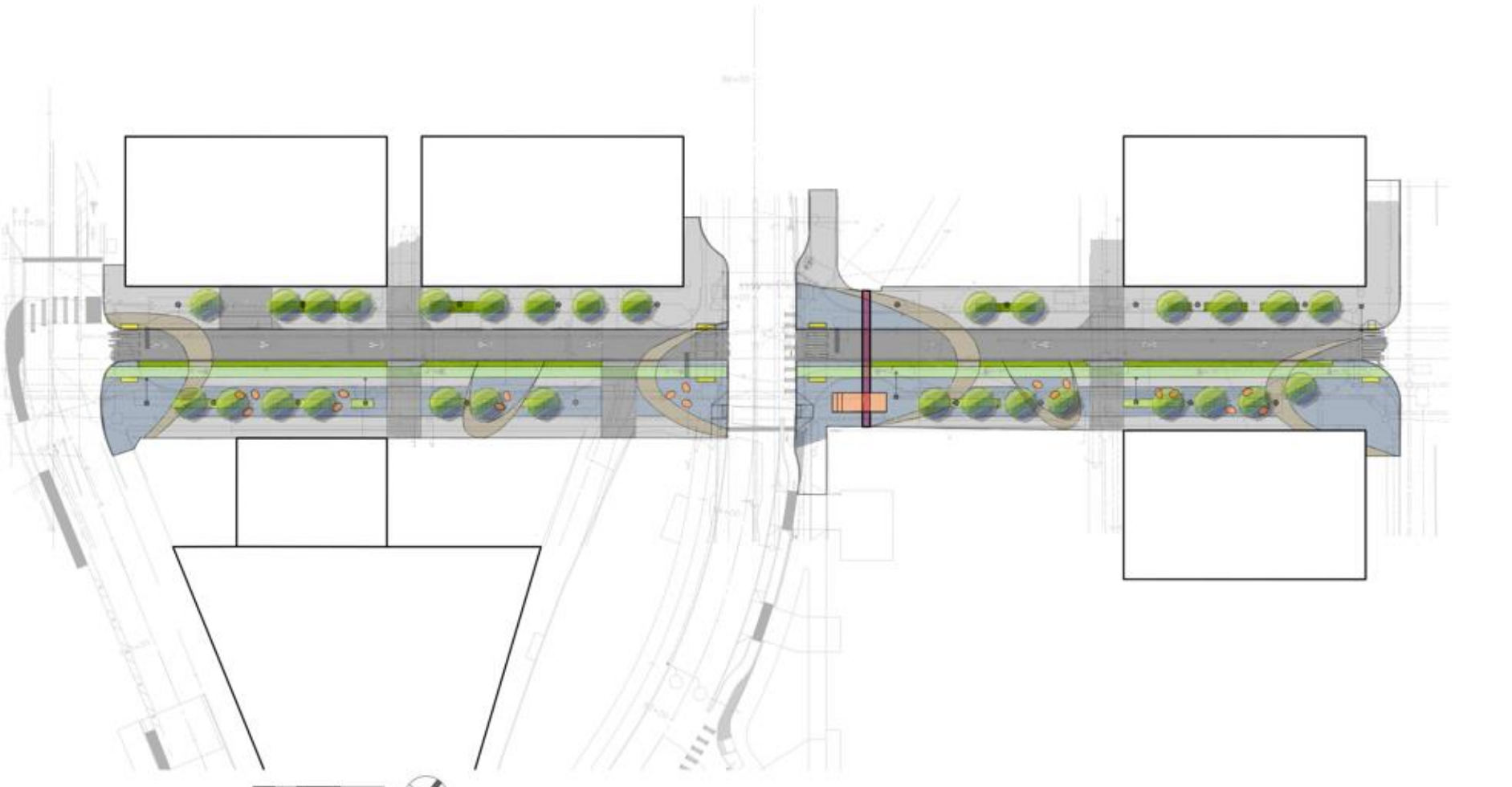
- More than 500 participants in the online open house
- 51 attendees at the Belltown Community Council

WHAT WE HEARD

- Respondents overwhelmingly want this stretch of Bell St to prioritize pedestrians and cyclists over cars, with 68.9% choosing walking/rolling, 25.8% choosing biking/scooters and 5.3% choosing driving as the mode of travel they want these improvements to focus on.
- There was a desire to create a safe, clean and enjoyable space for people to gather.
- A desire for increased signage and wayfinding to guide visitors from the waterfront towards Belltown.

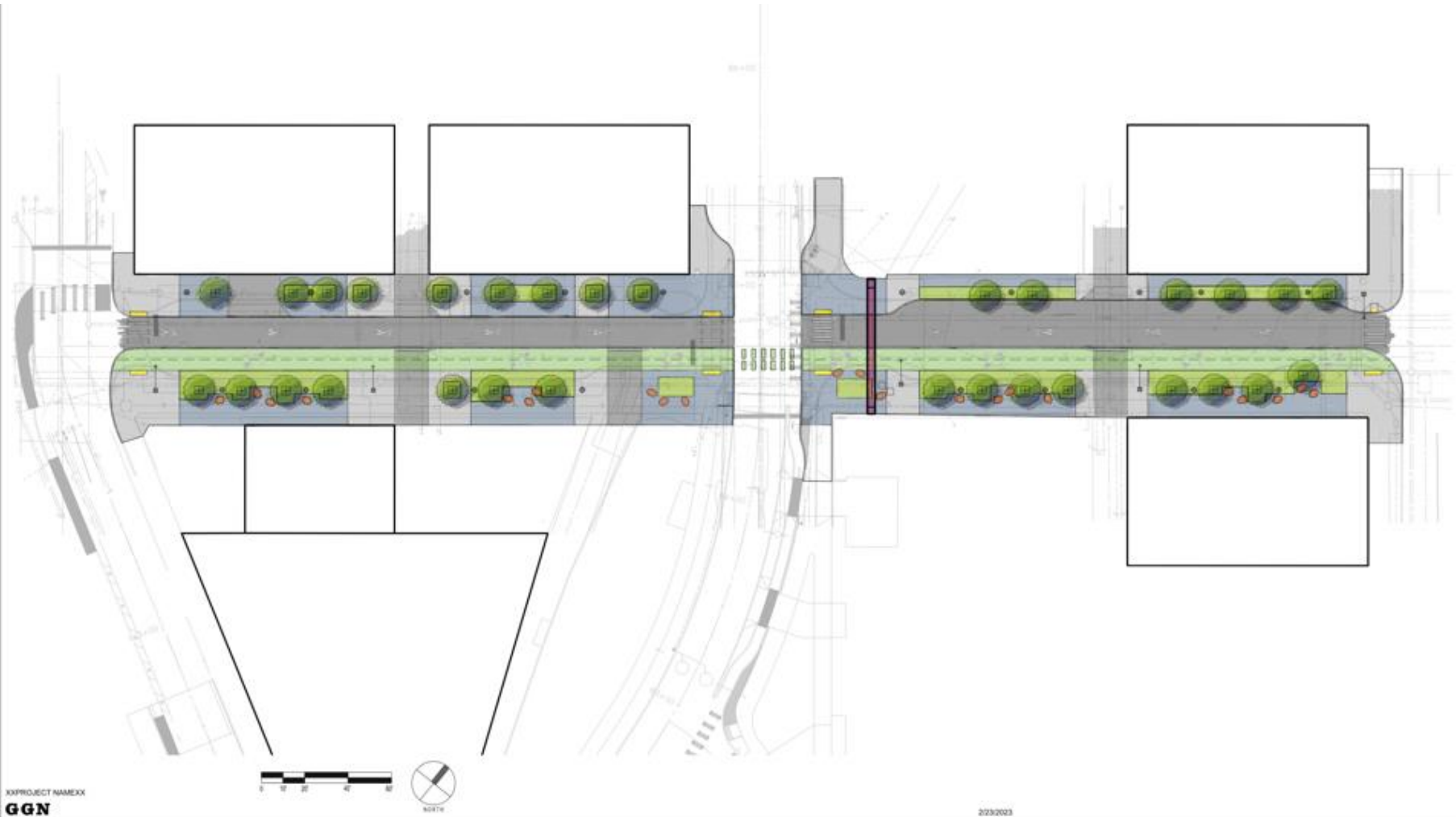
CONCEPT DESIGNS

Concept Option 1: Rooms



CONCEPT DESIGNS

Concept Option 2: Pockets



MARCH COMMUNITY OUTREACH



BY THE NUMBERS

- Over 300 participants on the online open house
- Over 30 attendees at the Belltown Community Council

WHAT WE HEARD

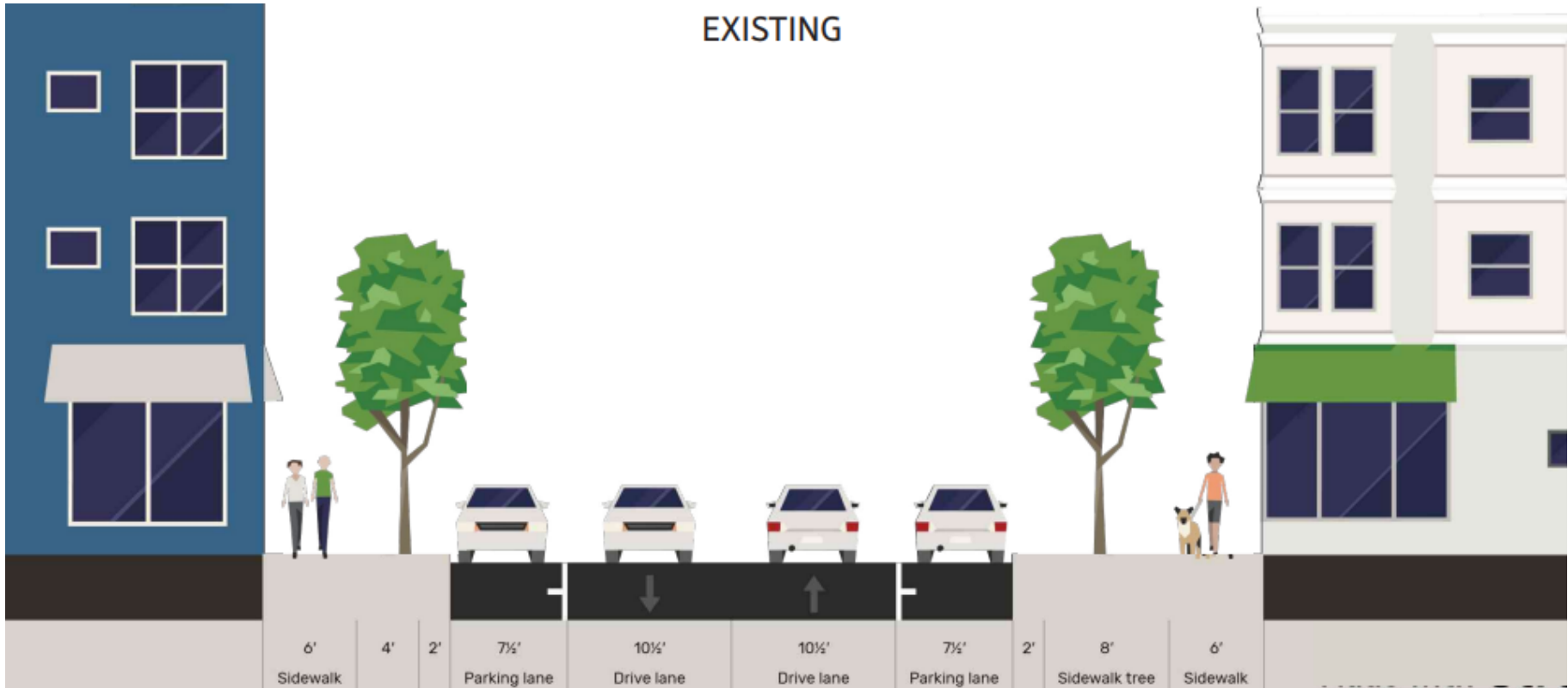
- 65% of respondents wanted the design to prioritize pedestrians and cyclists.
- A majority of respondents wanted to see more greenery and gathering spaces.
- Preference for a two-way bike lane.
- Concerns about the scope desired not being able to fit within the allotted budget (\$3.3 million) for this project.



EXISTING BELL STREET



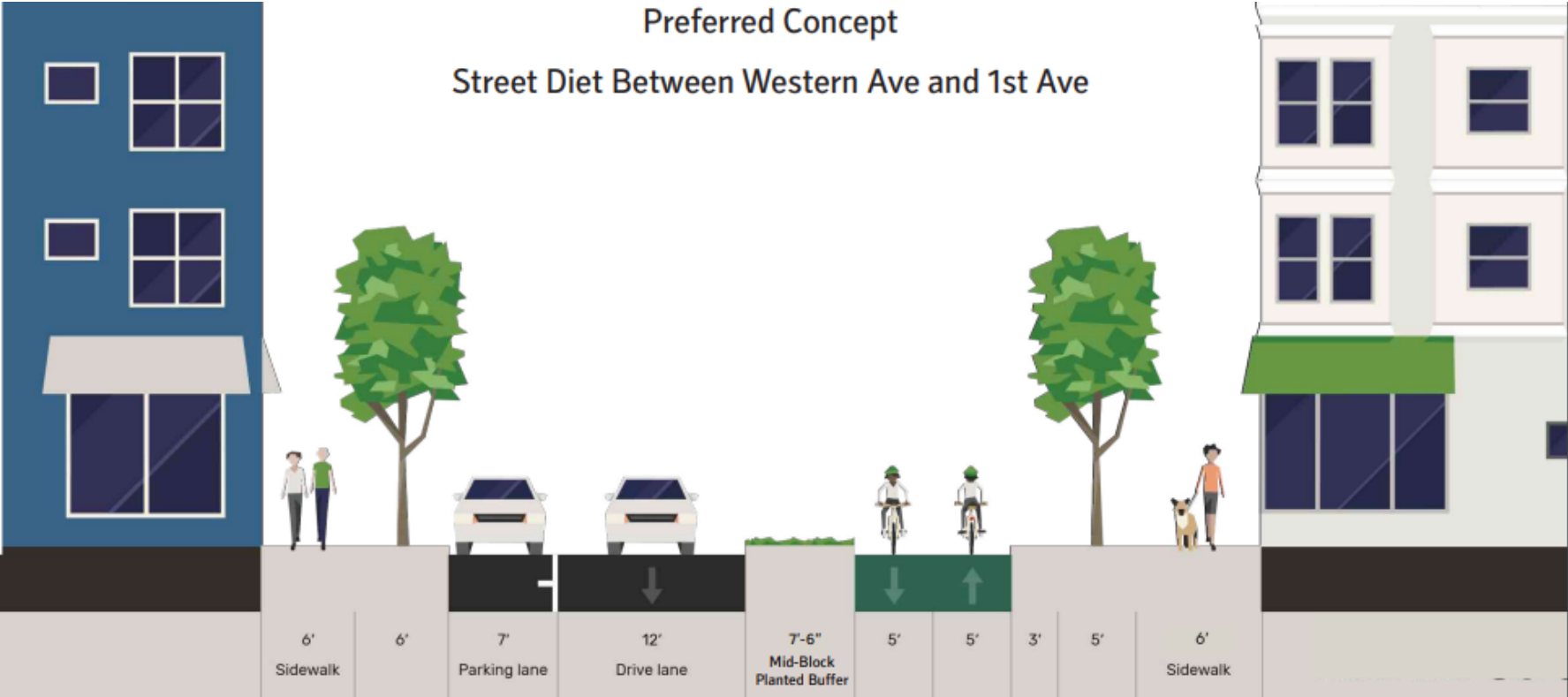
EXISTING



PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS



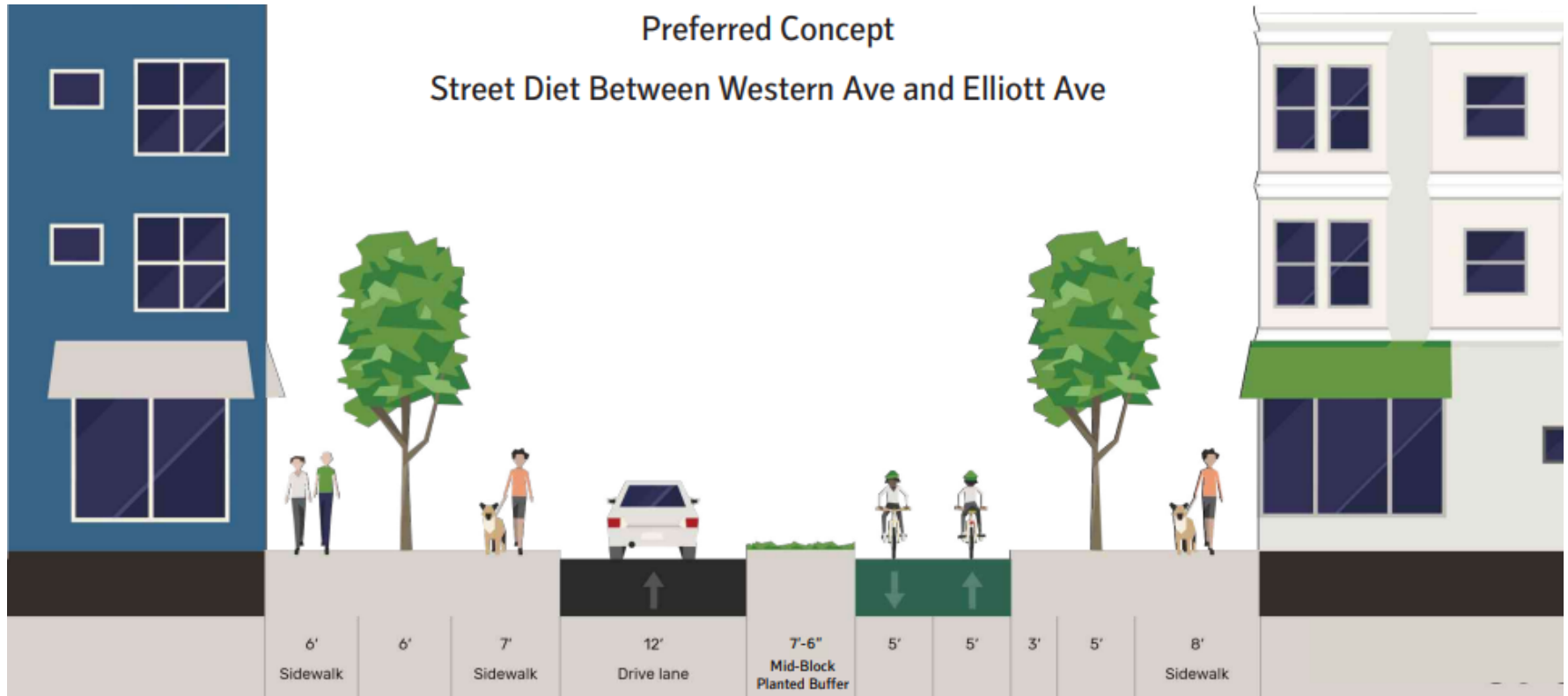
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Street Diet Between Western Ave and 1st Ave



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Preferred Concept
Street Diet Between Western Ave and Elliott Ave



AERIAL VIEW



VIEW FROM ELLIOTT AVE



VIEW FROM WESTERN AVE





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