

Ferris Road Improvements

Project Information Sheet

FRA-CR172-0.28 (PID 119514)

July 24, 2025

Project Description:

The Franklin County Engineer is planning improvements on Ferris Rd (County Route 172) from Karl Road to Cleveland Avenue in the City of Columbus and Clinton Township. Resurfacing will occur between Karl Rd and Minnie Ave and widening will occur between Minnie Ave and Cleveland Ave.

Project Cost:

- » Estimated construction cost: \$7.9 million

Potential Impacts:

Environmental

- » No impacts to streams, rivers, habitat, cultural resources, regulated materials, or park facilities

Drainage & Utilities

- » Full replacement of storm sewer infrastructure within project limits
- » Utility relocations needed

Right-of-Way

- » Temporary right-of-way required for driveway reconstruction and grading.
- » Permanent right-of-way required for roadway widening.
- » If right-of-way acquisition is necessary from your property, a real estate representative will contact you directly at a later date to discuss the right-of-way needs, the acquisition process, and your rights under that process.

Comment Submissions:

Submit a comment in-person to the public meeting comment box or use one of the following methods!

Email:
mrehfus@franklincountyengineer.org

Mail:
Franklin County Engineer's Office
Attn: Matt Rehfus, PE, SI
970 Dublin Road
Columbus, OH 43215

Please submit all comments by **Friday, August 25, 2025**



Project Schedule:

July 24, 2025
Public Meeting

August 25, 2025
Comment Period Ends

Fall 2025
Respond to public
comments, potential
design updates

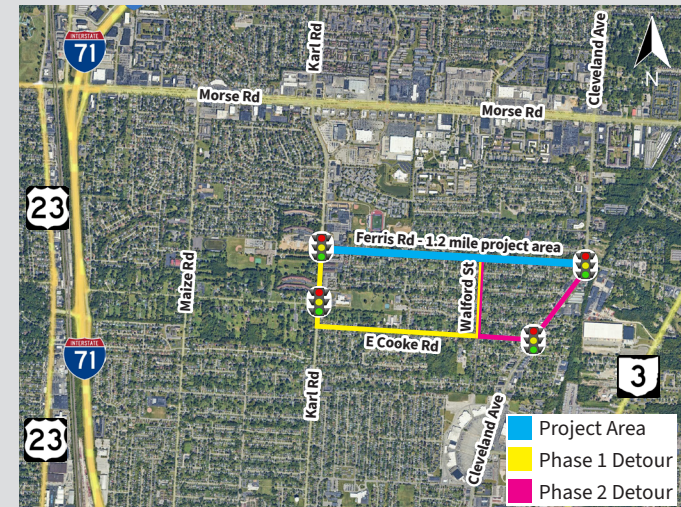
Fall 2025
Right-of-Way Acquisition

Early 2026
Design Complete

Beginning Spring 2026
Utility Relocations

March 2027 - November 2027
Construction

Project Location and Detour Routes



Proposed Improvements:

- » Two 10' through lanes of traffic
- » 5'-6' sidewalk on both sides of Ferris Rd
- » 5' bike lanes with curb on both sides
- » 8' street parking on north side of Ferris Rd in select areas
- » New curb ramps and crosswalks at all intersections
- » Full storm sewer replacement
- » New signage and improved intersection street lighting

Maintenance of Traffic:

Local access to properties within the work area will be maintained at all times through existing, permanent, or temporary means.

Phase 1 Detour:

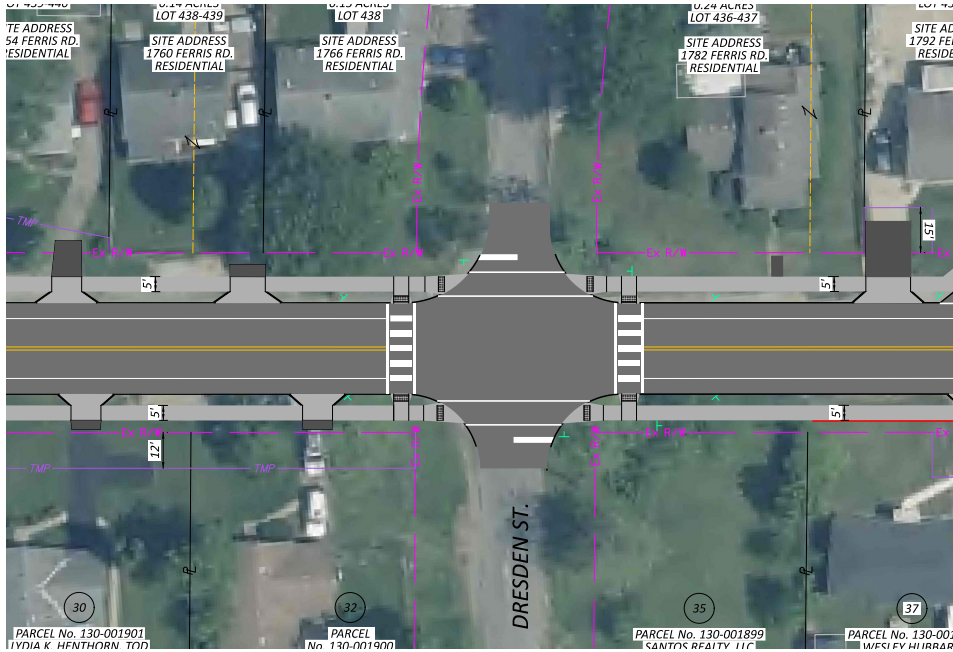
- » Closure of Ferris Rd from Minnie Ave to Walford St
- » Detour onto Karl Rd, E Cooke Rd, and Walford St

Phase 2 Detour:

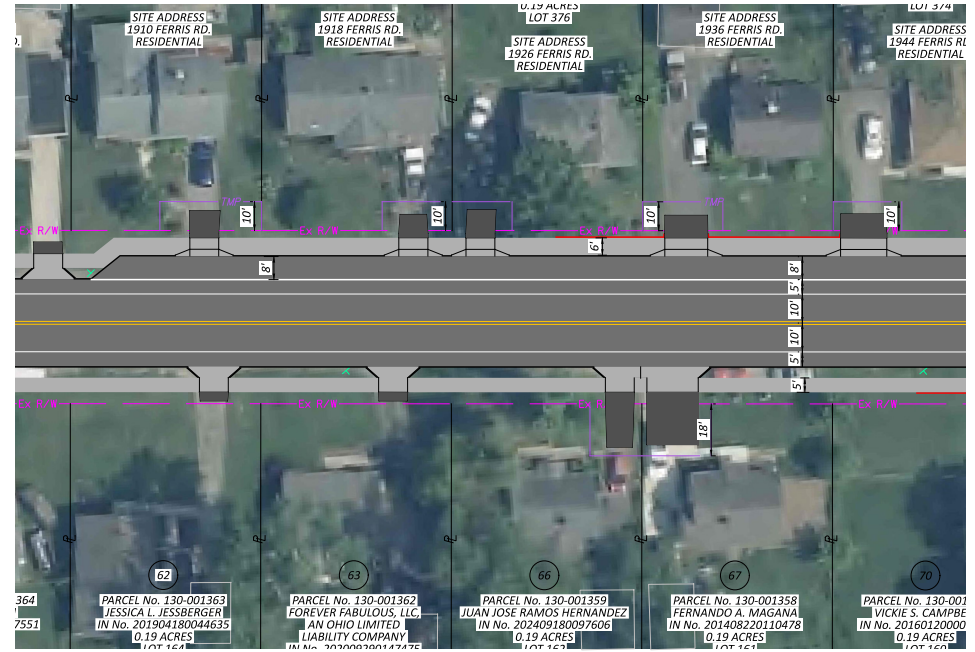
- » Closure of Ferris Rd from Walford St to Cleveland Ave
- » Detour onto Walford St, E Cooke Rd, Cleveland Ave, and Karl Rd

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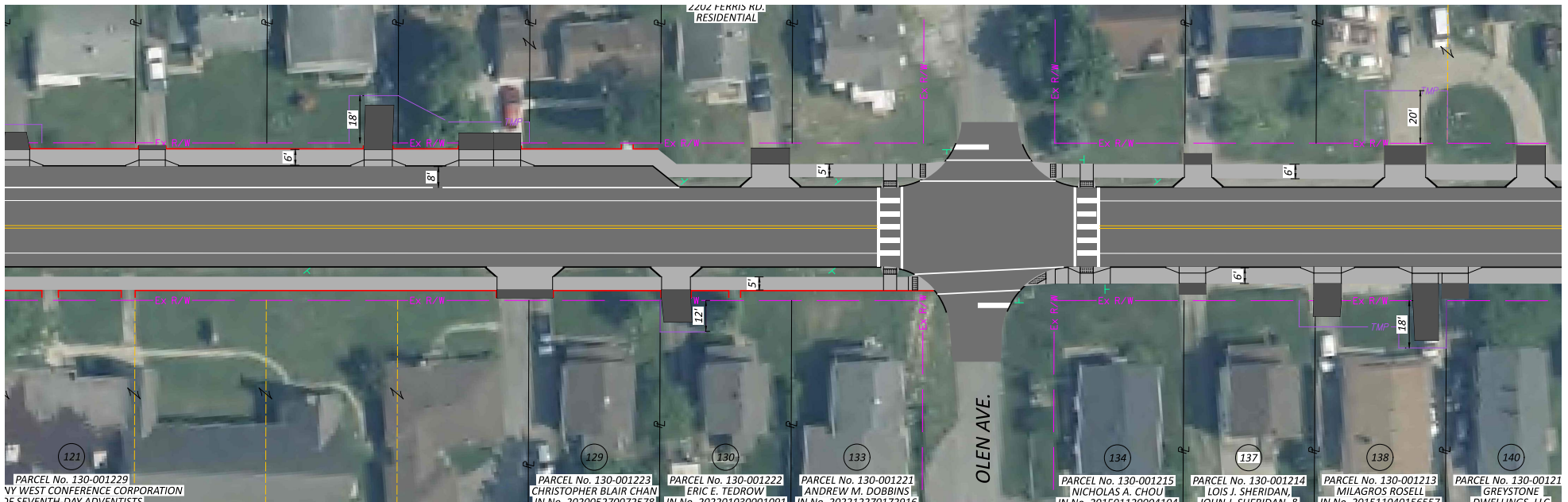
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Typical Intersection Example
(Dresden St. intersection)



Typical Widening for On-Street Parking and Bike Lane Example
(between Manor Rd. and Walford St.)



Transition from Sidewalk with Treelawn to Sidewalk Off Curb
(Olen Ave. Area)

