

Authorization for Crossing Improvements Agreement with Union Pacific Railroad Company: West Commerce Street (Frio Street to Colorado Street)
City Council A Session Item 19
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Project Background

Location: District 5

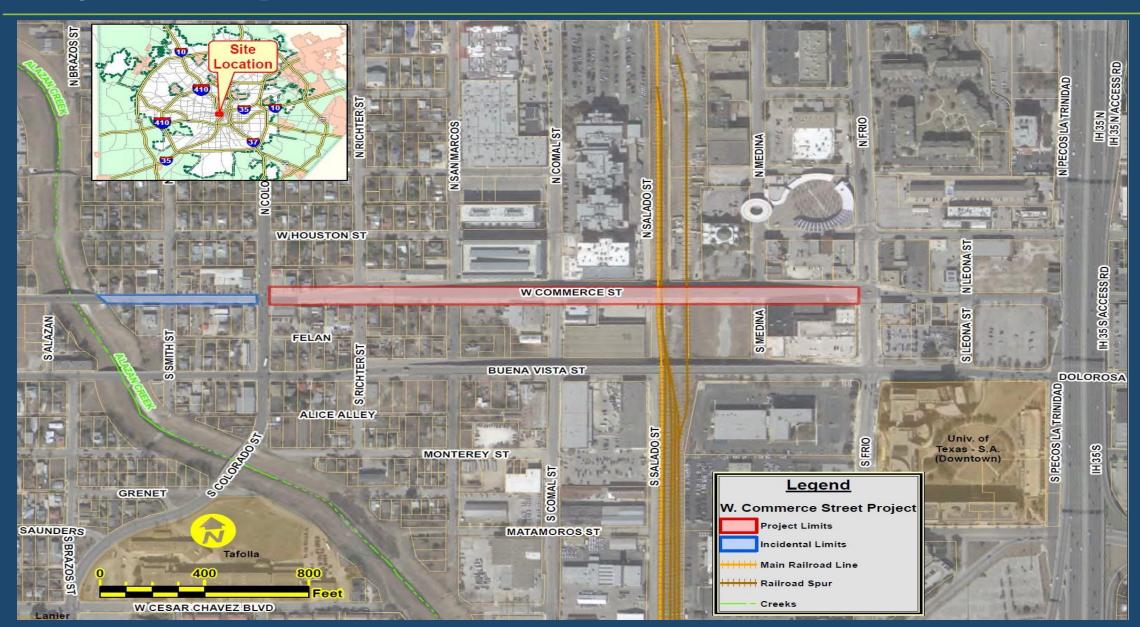
Funding: 2017 Bond

Project includes reconstruction of West Commerce Street from Frio Street to Colorado Street, including:

- Bike Facilities
- Pedestrian Lighting
- Drainage
- Bridge structural improvements of West Commerce, Buena Vista and Guadalupe Street bridges



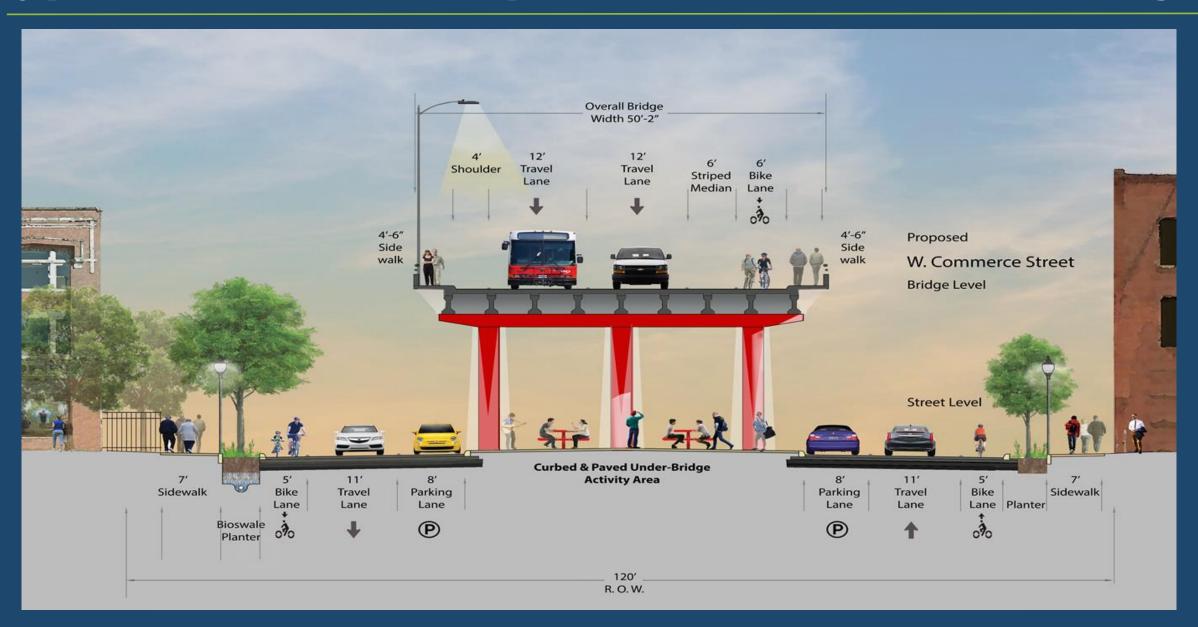
Project Map



Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) Crossing Improvements Agreement

- Improvements to railroad crossings on West Commerce frontage roads
 between N. Medina and N. Comal Street and will include:
 - Improvements to existing at-grade crossing
 - Replacement of double-track crossing surfaces and railroad ties
 - Roadway improvements to either side of existing tracks
- Total Cost of Improvements: \$325,335.00
- City will reimburse UPRR for 50% of total cost in amount not to exceed \$162,667.50

Typical Section Concept of W. Commerce St. Bridge



Project Schedule

Project Construction

January 2021 – April 2023

UPRR Work

January 2022



Recommendation

Approval to execute Agreement with UPRR and authorizes a one-time capital improvement expenditure in an amount not to exceed \$162,667.50 payable to Union Pacific Railroad (UPPR) Company.





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