



# CITY OF PROVIDENCE

## MAYOR BRETT P. SMILEY

### GREEN AND COMPLETE STREETS ADVISORY COUNCIL

**Staff Report:** Sidewalk Maintenance 2023-24: Conceptual Review (*For Action*)  
*Presented at 8/21/2023 GCSC meeting*

#### **Project Background**

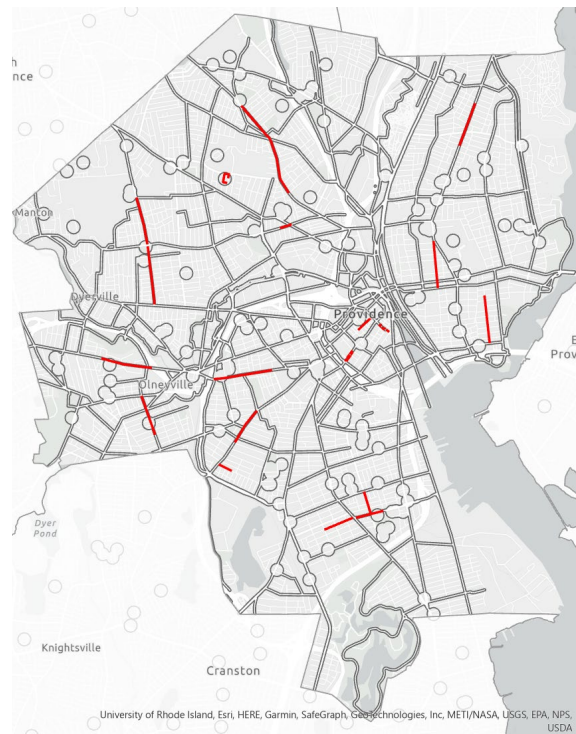
The City of Providence seeks comments from the GCSC regarding conceptual plans for sidewalk maintenance funded by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). [An online map of planned improvements is available at this link.](#) The planned scope for these improvements is primarily elimination of trip hazards and bringing ramps into ADA compliance, replacing entire sidewalk panels where necessary to achieve these goals.

GCSC has advisory review authority for projects on an arterial or collector, in a location identified for improvements in the Great Streets Plan, or within 300 ft of a school or rec center, for projects that change the curb line, change curb cuts, change traffic geometry, restriping traffic geometry, or involve new construction or improvement of off-road shared-use paths.

The planned sidewalk projects are mostly within GCSC jurisdiction:

- Douglas Ave from Chad Brown St to Stansbury St
- Chalkstone Ave from Young Ave to Camden Ave
- Roslyn Ave, Eaton St, Elmhurst Ave, and Fairoaks Ave on the one block around St Pius V Elementary School
- Hope St from 6<sup>th</sup> St to Lewis St
- Mt Pleasant Ave from Whitford Ave to Atwells Ave
- Hartford Ave from US-6 / RI-10 to Ida St
- Webster Ave from Plainfield St to Progress Ave
- Westminster St from US-6 / RI-10 to Bridgham St
- Cranston St from Parade St to Althea St
- Thurbers Ave from Broad St to Burnside St
- Broad St from Dave Gavitt Way to Greene St
- Dorrance St from Weybosset St to Friendship St

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