



The Town of Meridian Hills

75th Street Path Project Feasibility Study Presentation



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WHY THIS PROJECT?

IMPROVE QUALITY OF LIFE

- Public Safety
- Connectivity and Access - Walkability
- Traffic Benefits
- Health Benefits
- Social Benefits
- Increased Property Values
- Lower Crime Rates

DESIRED AMENITY



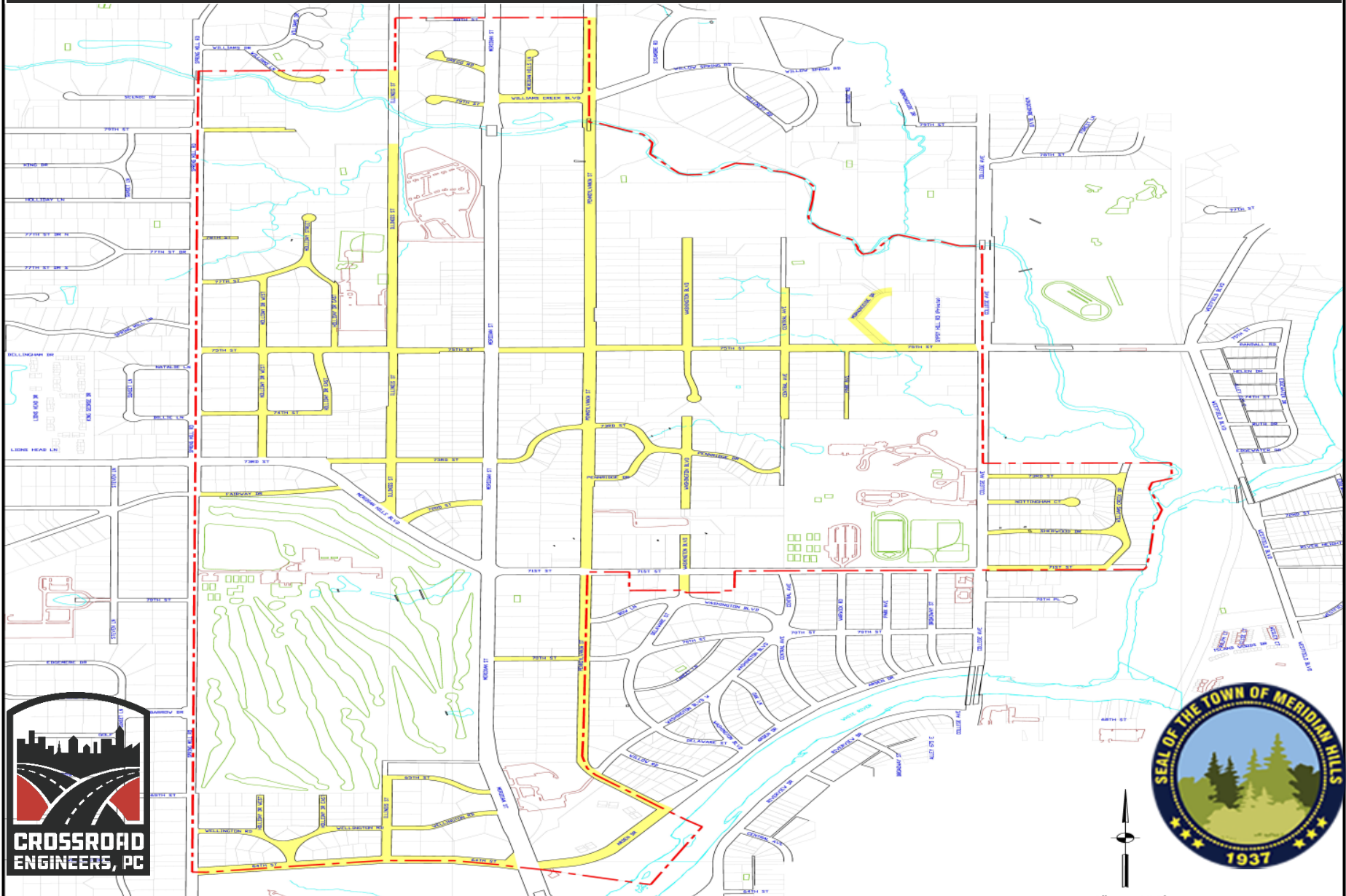
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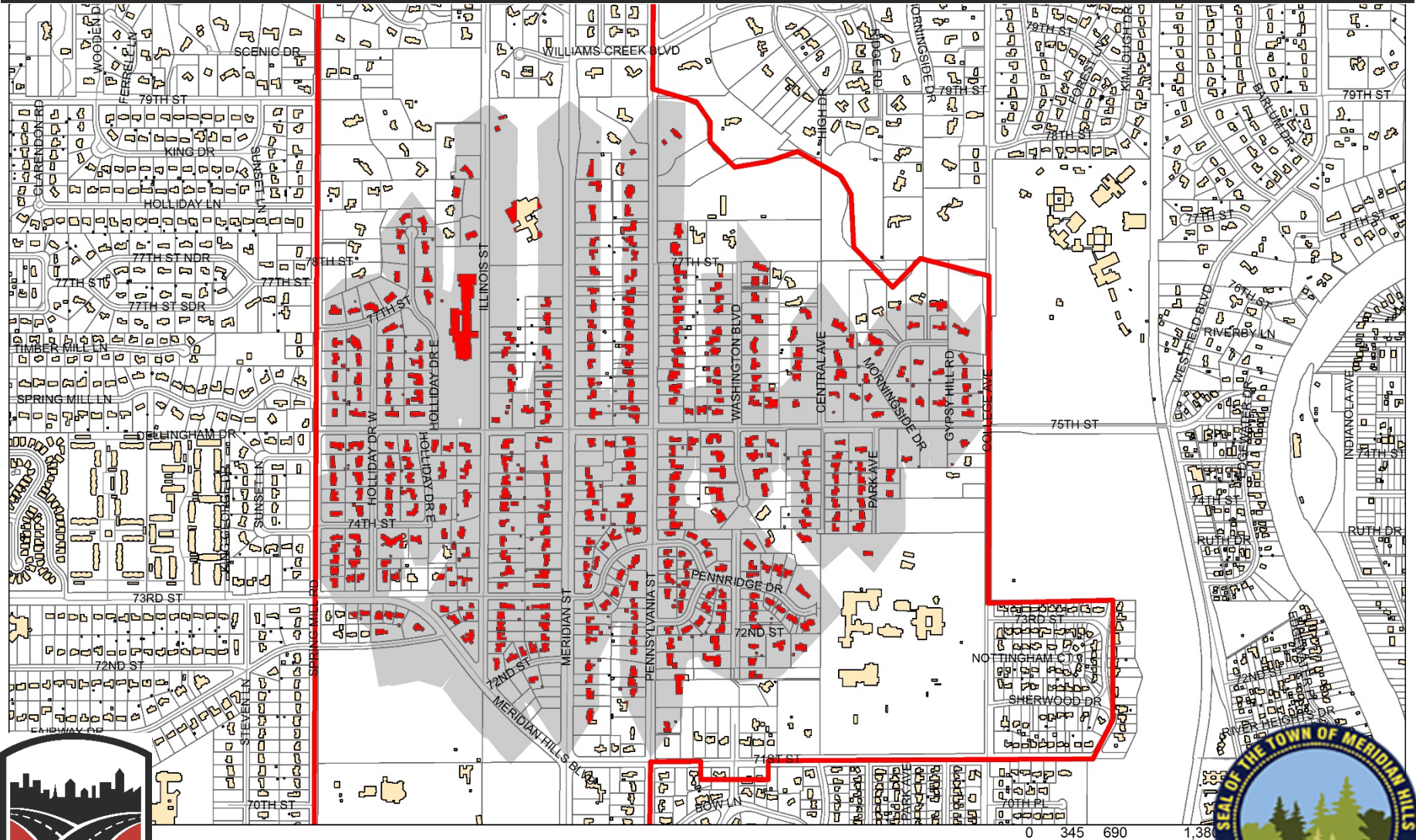
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 - Extend Across the Town's Boundaries



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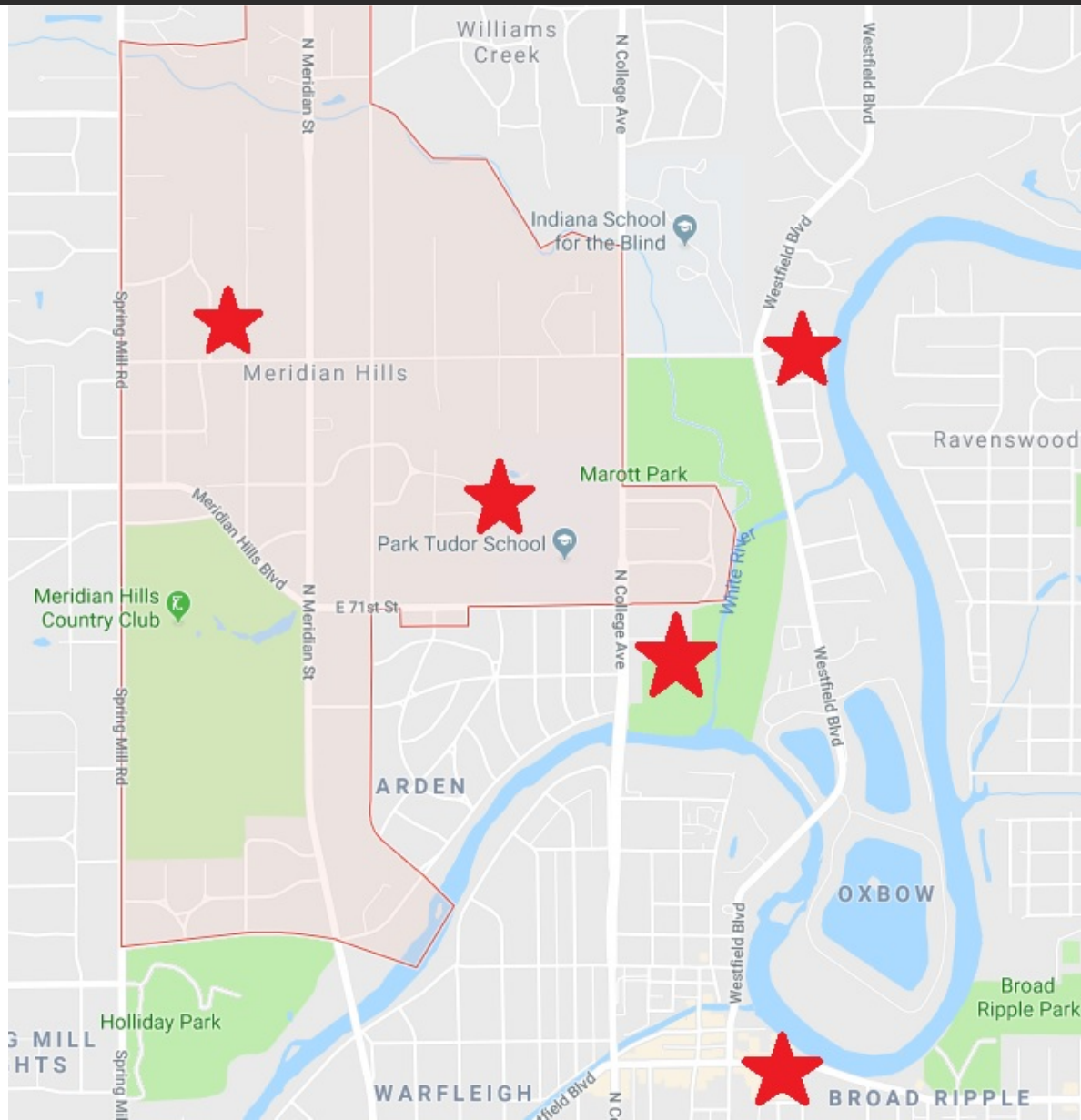
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- Maximize Service Area
- Connectivity and Access
- Supplement Existing 75th Street Bike Lanes



WHY THE NORTH SIDE?

PROMOTE USER SAFETY

- Minimize Conflict between Users and Vehicles

MINIMIZE COST

- R/W Needs - Utility Relocations - Topography/Drainage Impacts

DATA DRIVEN ANALYSIS

- Parcel Feasibility:
 - NW Quad = 88%
 - NE Quad = 63%
 - SW Quad = 11%
 - SE Quad = 13%



WHAT WILL IT LOOK LIKE?

RECOMMENDED DESIGN BASED ON:

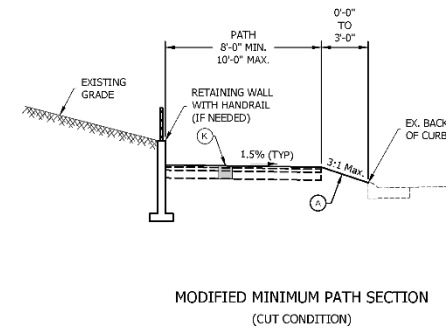
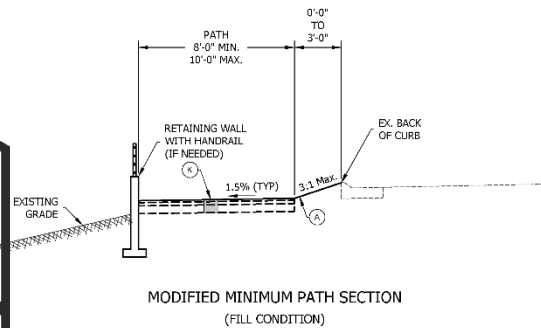
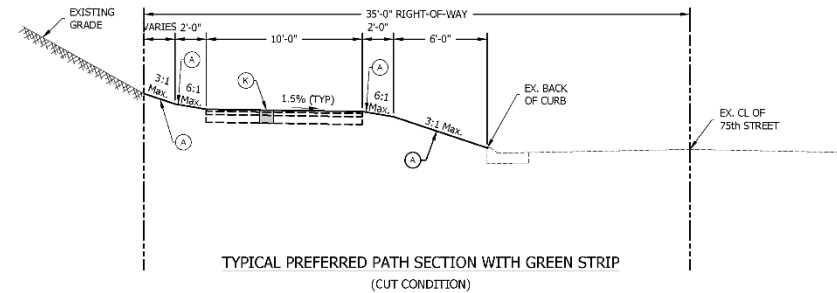
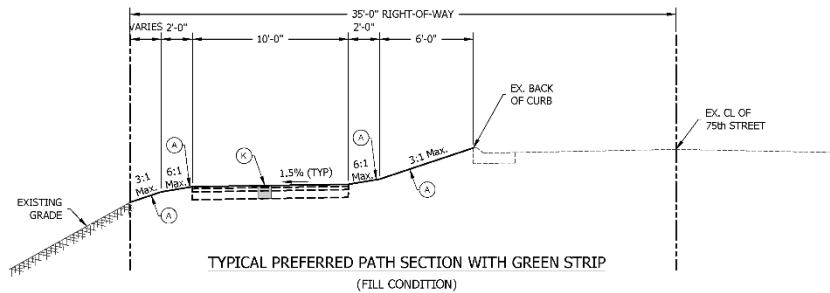
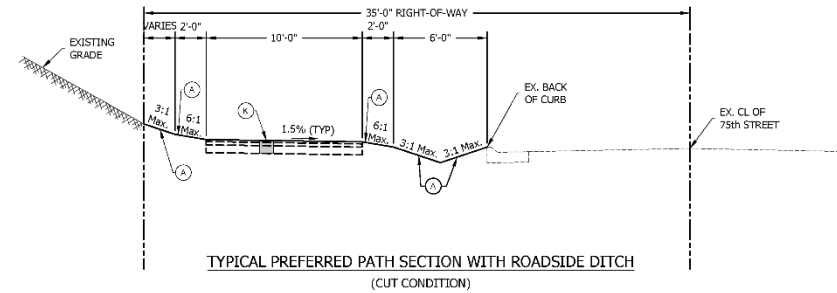
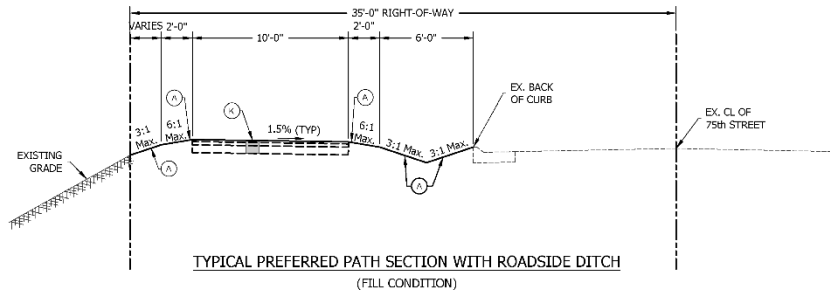
- National Design Guidelines
- Anticipated Users and Town Needs
- Best Engineering Practice

RECOMMENDED DESIGN ELEMENTS:

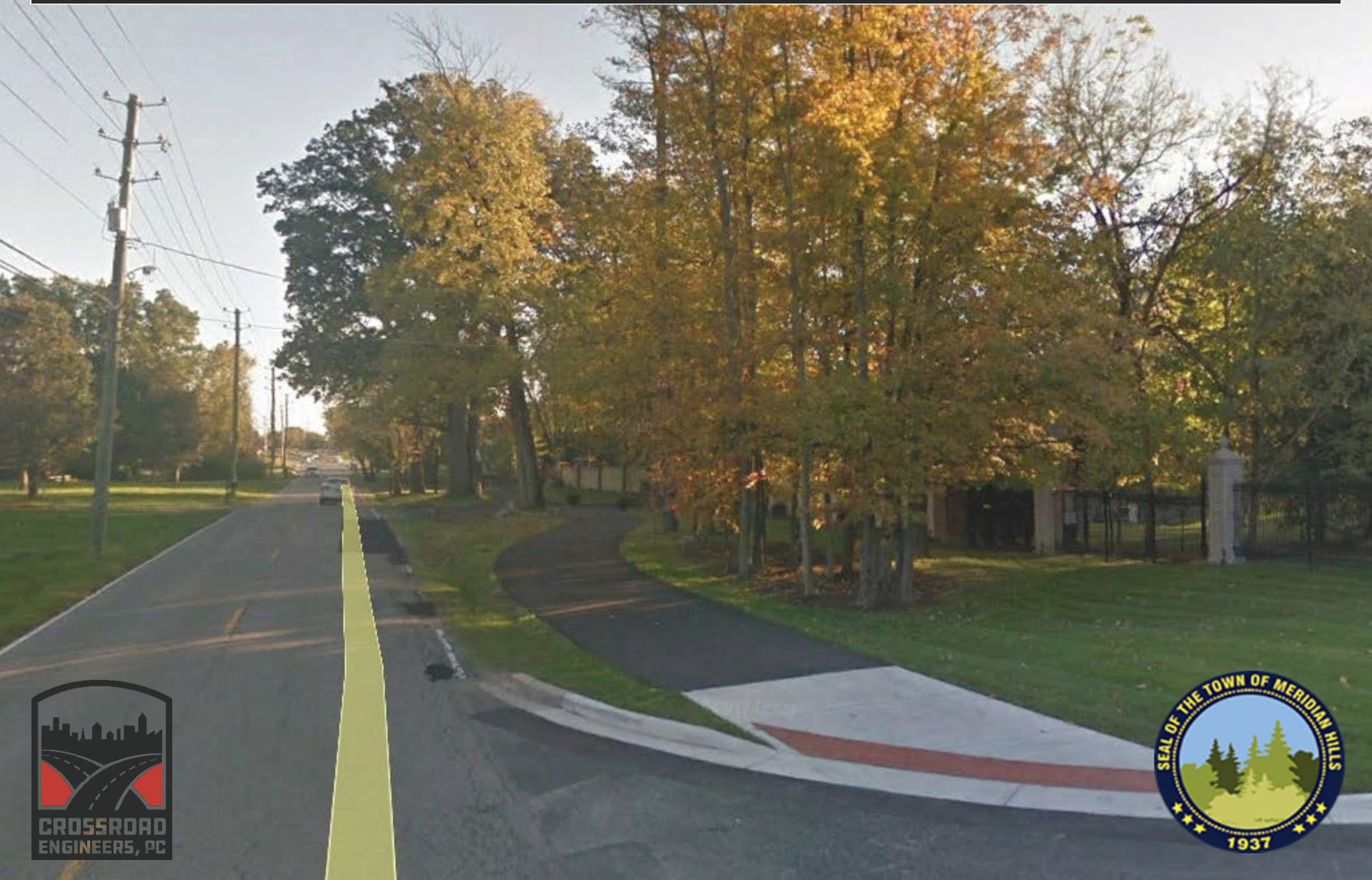
- Path Material: Asphalt
- Path Width: 10 ft. (desired) / 8 ft. (minimum)
- Path Separation: 6 ft. (desired)
- Path Shoulder: 3-5 ft. (desired) / 2 ft. (minimum)
- Half R/W Width: 35 ft. (desired)



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75TH STREET PATH STUDY

PRELIMINARY PROJECTED BUDGET:

- \$1,700,000 +
 - Based on Estimated Construction, Survey, Design, and Inspection Costs

ANTICIPATED PROJECT FUNDING:

- State and Local Grant Funding
- Resident Donations
- Town Budget

EXPECTED LIFE-CYCLE:

- 15 – 20 Years



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QUESTIONS?

