# Draft CTF-Recommended 6-Lanes Including Transit Baseline Alignment

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**SPECIAL NOTES**

1. This is the CTF baseline alignment that, if approved by Mayor and Council, will be the starting point for developing the actual alignment. It generally indicates the approaches to be followed in developing the final design and alignment.
2. The line work shown is not indicative of whether or not full or partial acquisition from a particular parcel will be needed. Further design and property acquisition negotiations are needed to determine the extent of acquisitions resulting from any alignment.
3. The fact that the improvements do not directly impact a particular structure does not ensure that the structure will not be acquired and/or demolished.
4. State statutes* preclude directly providing parking and access measures to benefit private property. The schemes shown here are included only to indicate that space may be available for such improvements. Such improvements could be incorporated as part of a transaction for partial acquisition, provided the applicable agreements among property owners can be secured.

*including: Arizona Revised Statues (ARS) § 28-7092, ARS § 28-7093, Federal Highway Administration 49 CFR Part 24 Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition.

*Strategic Parameters for Design Development*

**1. CTF-Recommended Baseline Alignment**

The directions and guidelines to be followed in developing the Broadway design going forward are to:

(1) Minimize the number of buildings needing to be acquired and demolished.
(2) Maintain access and as much parking as possible for existing development.
(3) Reduce construction and acquisition costs.

The line work on this drawing indicates the "best case" scenario for minimizing the number of buildings directly impacted. Changes in both the alignment and width will likely result during further design and through the acquisition process. This may change the number of buildings directly impacted.

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**2. Street Element Widths**

The widths of street elements generally are:

- 11' Travel Lane
- 10' Single Left Turn Lane
- 11'/10' Combination for Double Left Turn Lanes
- 10' Right Turn Lane
- 8' Median
- 6' Bike Lane
- 6' Sidewalk, 8' at transit stops per ADA requirements
- 5' Drop a 28' Long Bus Shelter

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**3. Excess Right-of-Way Widths**

When design refinements and acquisition results in additional right-of-way width, it will be allocated in the following order:

1. Widen bike lane up to 7' and provide elevated cycle track where uninterrupted stretches of sufficient length exist.
2. Widen sidewalk to as much as 8'.
3. Provide a landscaped buffer between the bike land and sidewalk of up to 8' width.

The width of excess property available will be determined during the design/acquisition process, and will depend on decisions by property owners as well as the project design.

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**4. Directly Impacted Buildings**

Buildings that would extend into the footprint of the proposed improvements are referred to here as "directly impacted" in the CTF-Recommended Base Alignment drawing, those buildings are highlighted in red. Buildings that are not directly impacted, but are close to the sidewalk. Because the street element widths are already minimal, resulting from direct impacts can only happen by shifting the alignment.

***While the intent of the CTF-Recommended Baseline Alignment is to retain as many existing structures as possible, it is recognized that even if a building is not directly impacted by the improvements, that does not ensure it will not ultimately be acquired and demolished.*** That determination will be made during the design/acquisition process, depending on:

1. Engineering factors such as loss of access and parking, ability to provide ADA-compliant access, provisions for utilities, grade differential, drainage and constructability.
2. Economic factors of acquisition negotiations such as cost of cure vs. total acquisition, and,
3. Building code and public safety issues.

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**5. Parking and Access Approach**

Parking and access to existing buildings will be maintained where practicable. The priority of parking approaches will be as follows:

1. Maintain public access to existing parking. This provides the least chance of acquisition occurring.
2. Maintain sufficient space between the buildings and street such that adjacent property owners are able to establish joint access/parking facilities, if they choose.

***Any improvements provided to the private property owners cannot, by state statute, be included as part of a public project outright, but could be included in a transaction for partial acquisition.***

3. Access to properties will generally be governed by the City's access management ordinance

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Intersection design to be coordinated with Downtown Links and HAWK project

Mountable curb for trucks

Reworking of loading & refuse/garbage areas to be developed during final

EL RIO CLINIC

AZTECA 14

MADARAS GALLERY

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

STARBUCKS

LERUA'S

VOLVO SITE

MILES ELC

See Special Note 4 regarding plausible parking schemes

SAFEWAY

CARL'S JR.

Euclid Ave
Tyndall Ave
Park Ave
Fremont Ave
Santa Rita Ave
Mountain Ave
Highland Ave
Vine Ave
Cherry Ave
Warren Ave
Martin Ave
Campbell Ave
Norris Ave

Legend

Key to Historic Status

- Contributing
- Eligible as Contributor
- Eligible Individually
- Architecturally Significant (Future Individually Eligible)
- Agricultural Intersection
- Pedestrian Activity
- Pedestrian and Bike Activity
- Current Use/Style
- Bank of Sabbeck
- Existing Property Lines
- Water Harvesting Opportunity
- City Owned Property

0' 50' 100' 200'

1"=50'