



SOUTH VETERANS PARKWAY PROJECT OVERVIEW

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The section of new road from Cliff Avenue to Sycamore Avenue will be constructed in 2025 and 2026. Construction of the first segment was completed in 2024. Design of the remaining two segments is underway. As construction continues on the new South Veterans Parkway, traffic impacts will occur on Southeastern Avenue and Sycamore Avenue in 2025 and 2026.

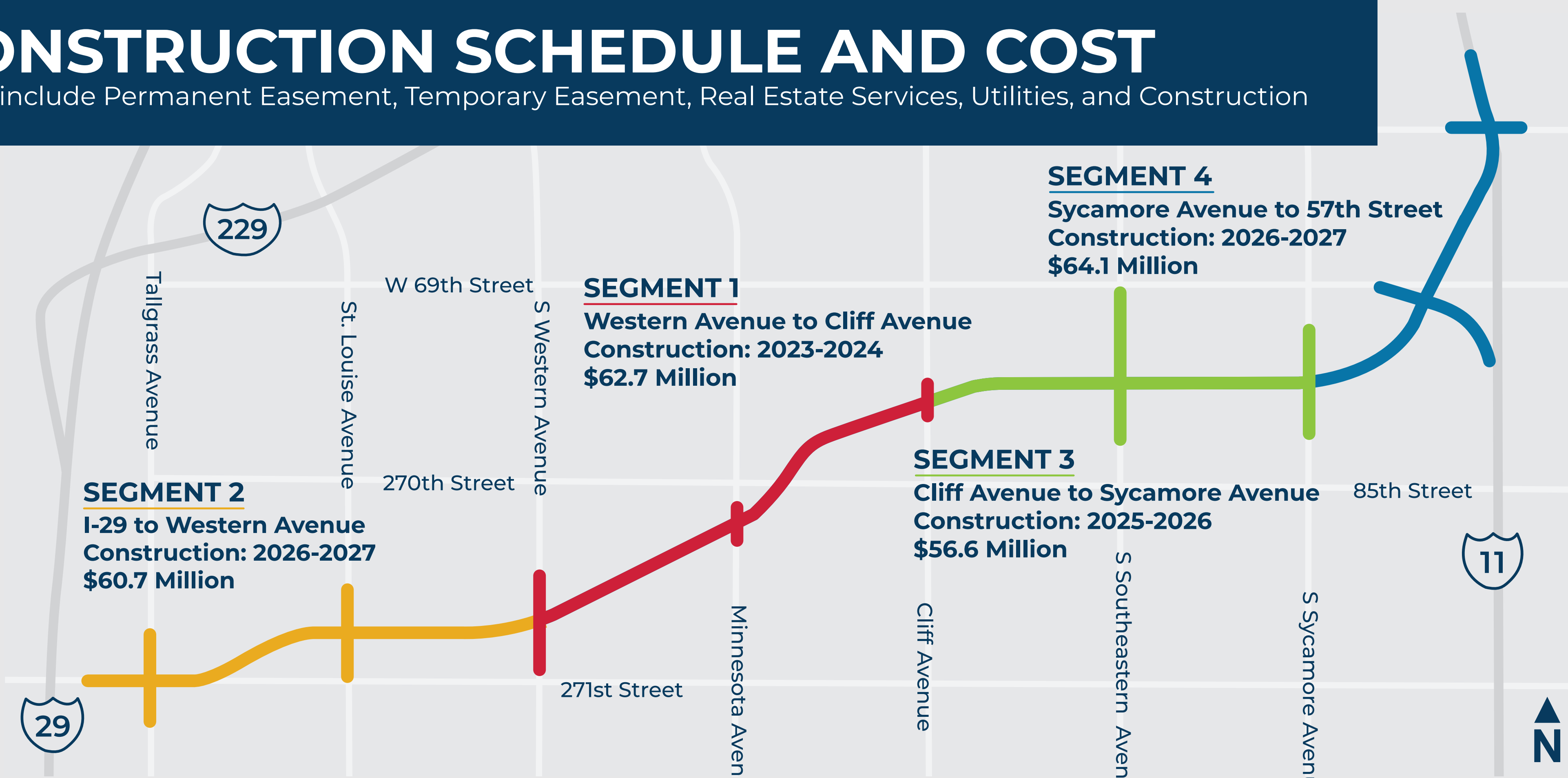
Project Overview

Design and construction for South Veterans Parkway is underway. In 2020, the South Dakota Transportation Commission approved the plans to complete construction of the remaining 8.7 miles that make up the southern section of Veterans Parkway from Interstate 29 to 57th Street.

When connected to the northern segment of Veterans Parkway, the additional roadway will support a regional arterial road network around southeast Sioux Falls. This project — the final stage in connecting I-29 with I-90 — will accommodate growing transportation needs across the corridor and prepare the greater Sioux Falls area for continued vibrant growth and development.

CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE AND COST

Costs include Permanent Easement, Temporary Easement, Real Estate Services, Utilities, and Construction



2026-2027

2023-2024

2025-2026

2026-2027

Project Benefits



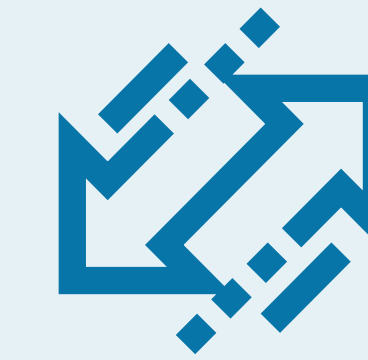
Reduces overall traffic congestion throughout the City of Sioux Falls



Helps meet future transportation needs resulting from regional growth



Accommodates public and private investments



Improves accessibility throughout the Sioux Falls regional transportation network, especially in southern and eastern Sioux Falls



Provides safer routes and crossings for pedestrians and bicyclists

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SOUTH VETERANS PARKWAY WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

Dirt Work

Construction projects like South Veterans Parkway are designed to be as efficient and cost-effective as possible, by including excavating dirt and other materials for the road bed in areas close to the project site. Benefits include:



Hauling trucks travel shorter distances, saving time and money while minimizing impacts to the traveling public and environment.



The excavated areas also serve as future detention ponds, which mitigate potential impacts to downstream properties by detaining storm water runoff and releasing it at a slower rate.

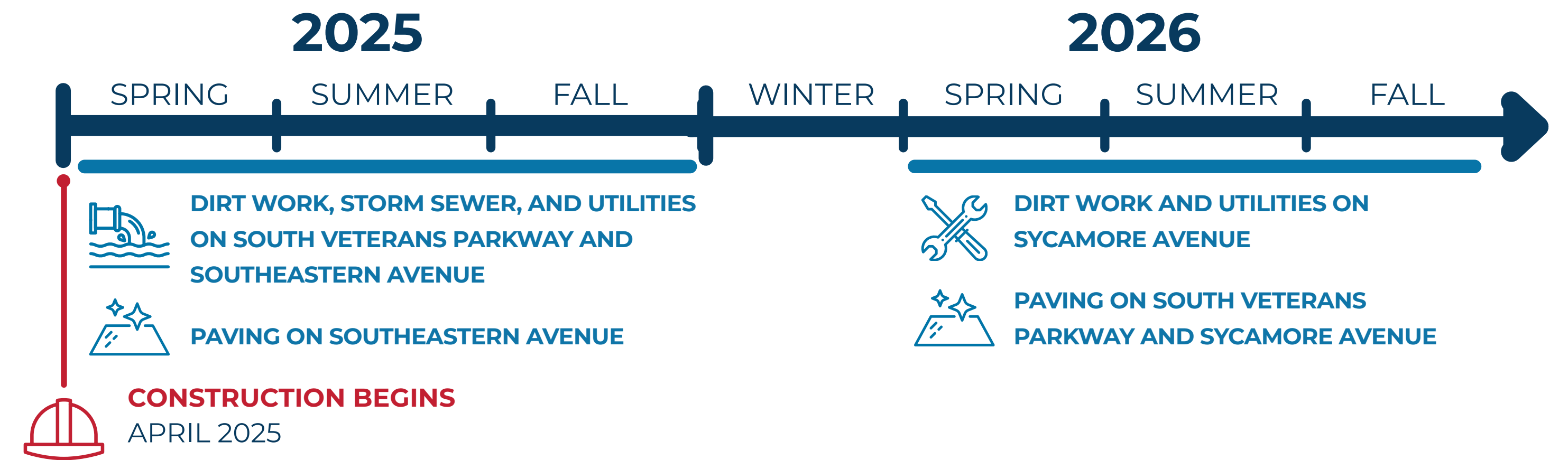


There are cost savings from purchasing land for excavation near the project area rather than relying on more expensive excavation areas that are further away.

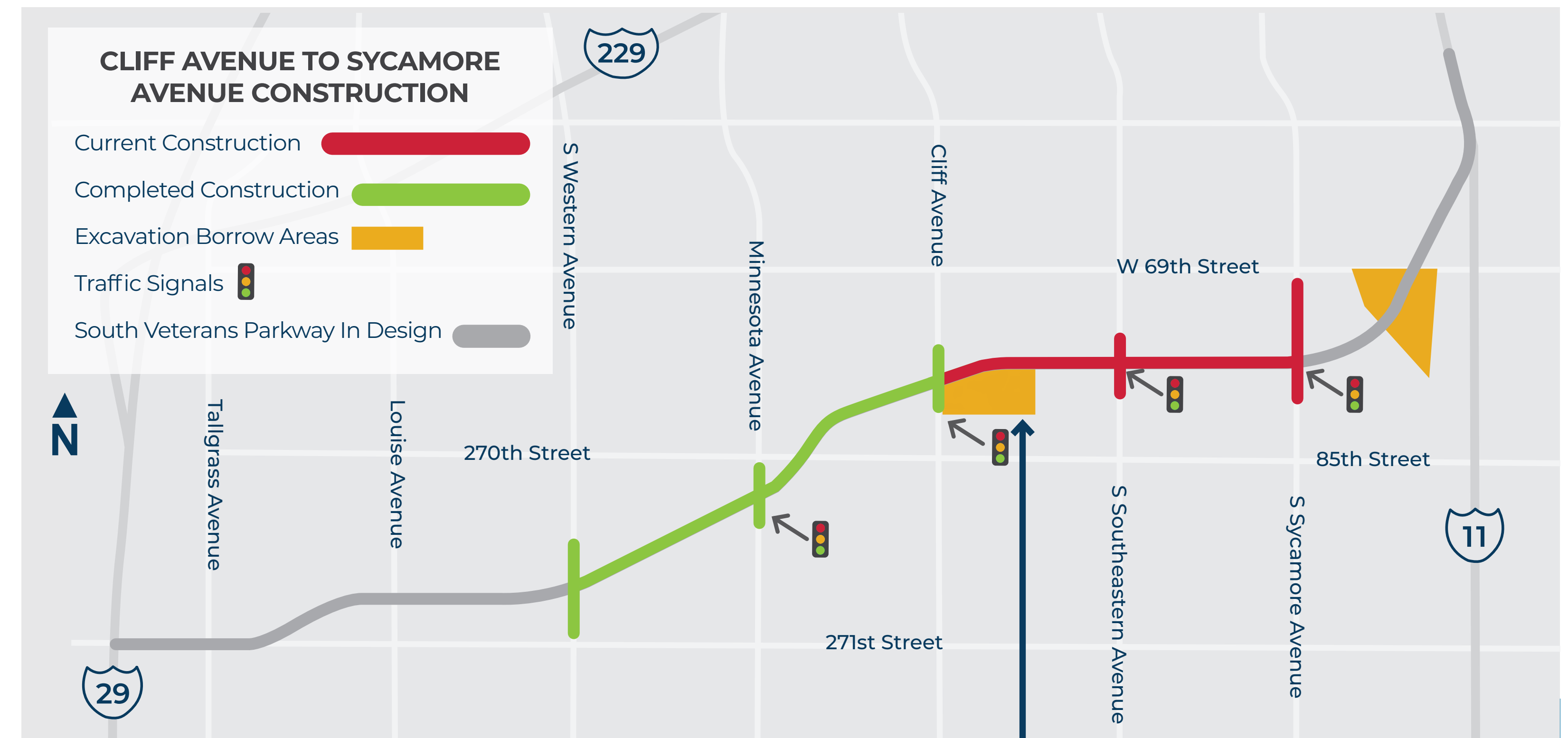
Traffic Impacts

Construction work with traffic impacts will occur on Southeastern Avenue and Sycamore Avenue in 2025 and 2026.

- Construction traffic consisting of trucks carrying gravel, concrete, and asphalt will occur throughout 2025 and 2026.
- Please be careful and remain vigilant to ensure safe driving. The construction traffic may be entering or exiting the roadway at odd times and from locations not expected. Please drive carefully.



WEATHER AND SCHEDULE PERMITTING





SOUTH VETERANS PARKWAY MAJOR TRAFFIC IMPACTS – ADJACENT INTERSECTIONS



2025 Intersection Closures



Traffic on Southeastern Avenue will be detoured to Sycamore Avenue.



Southeastern Avenue closure at Veterans Parkway could occur as early as April 2025.



Every effort will be made to minimize travel impacts to motorists.



Access to adjacent businesses and residences will be maintained during construction.

Southeastern Avenue

- Contract No. 08DG
- Construction will begin in April 2025 (weather permitting) and will include a full closure.
- Construction will be completed in 2025

Summary of work: Utility improvements and road work, including paving and turn lanes.

Sycamore Avenue

- Contract No. 08DH.
- Construction may begin August 2025 (weather permitting) and will include a full closure.

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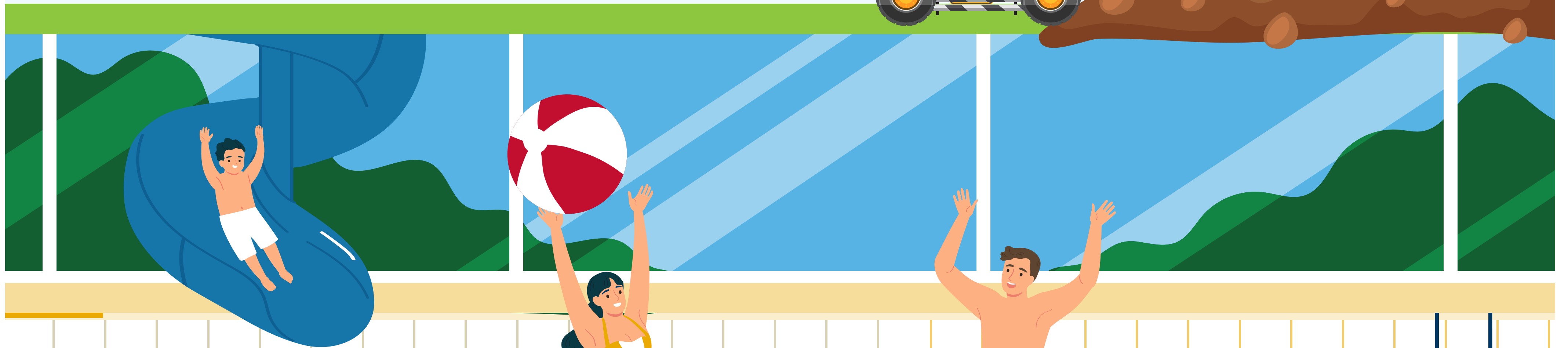
SOUTH VETERANS PARKWAY CLIFF AVENUE TO SYCAMORE AVENUE

Building a new road requires a lot of materials. Construction of South Veterans Parkway in 2025- 2026 from **Cliff Avenue to Sycamore Avenue** will use:

1.5 MILLION CUBIC YARDS

of earthwork (moving/placing dirt), which will require

120,000 dump trucks



14 lane miles of concrete or **84,000 cubic yards of concrete pavement**, which would fill the pool at the Midco Aquatic Center 17 times

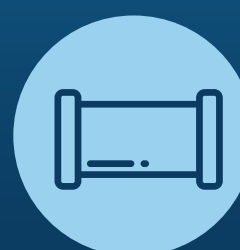
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POLES**



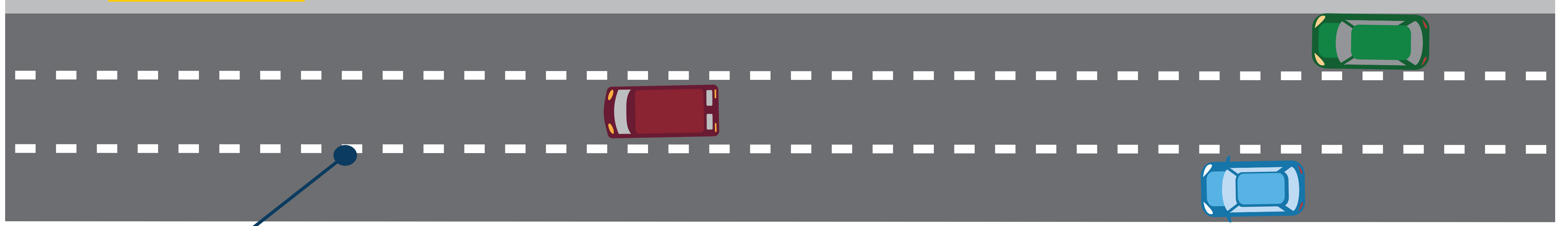
4 miles of fiber-optic cable



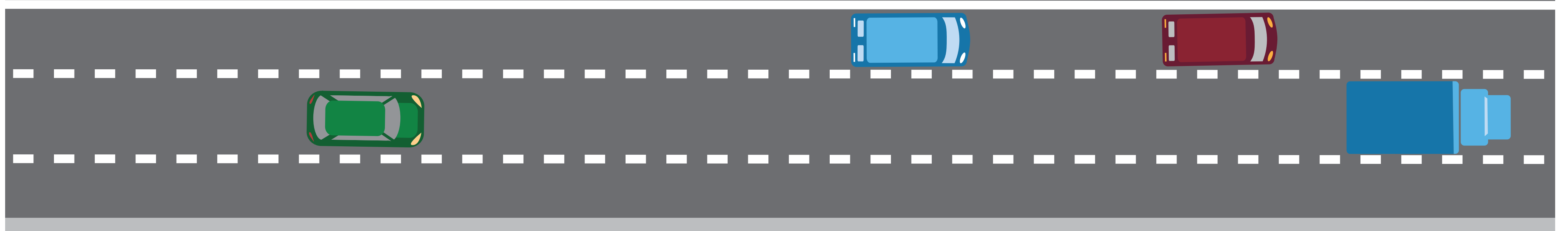
6.5 miles of wire



3.4 miles of storm sewer pipe



15 miles of pavement markings



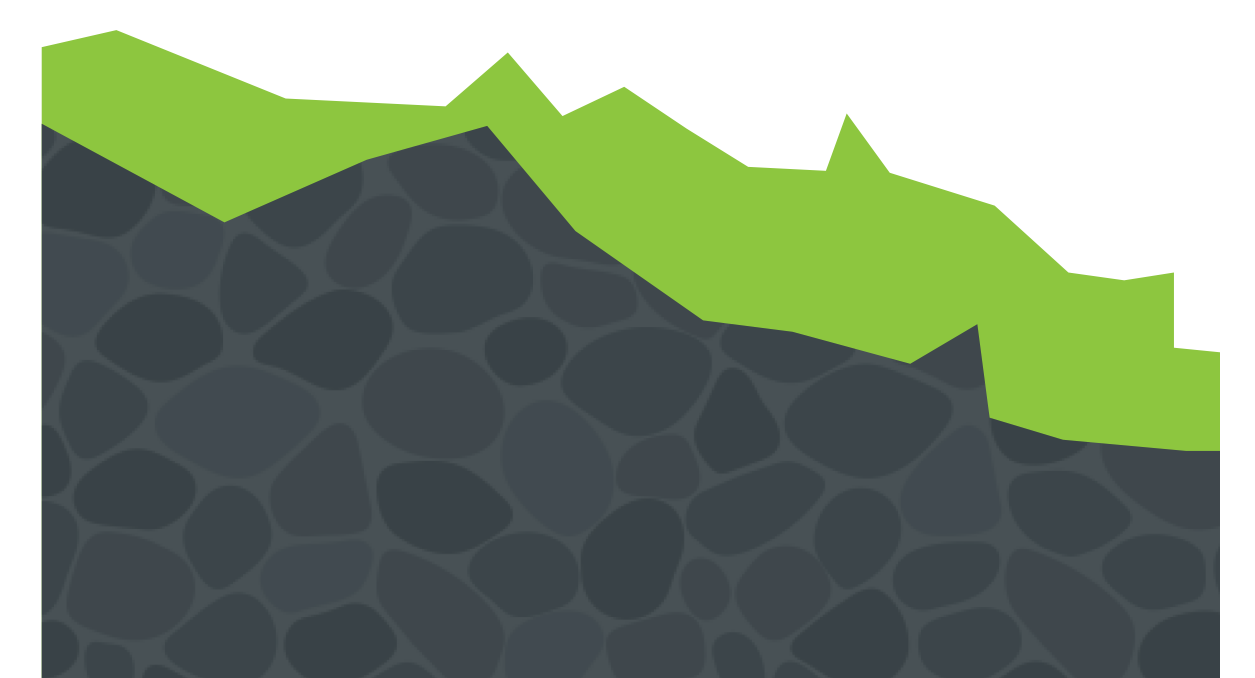
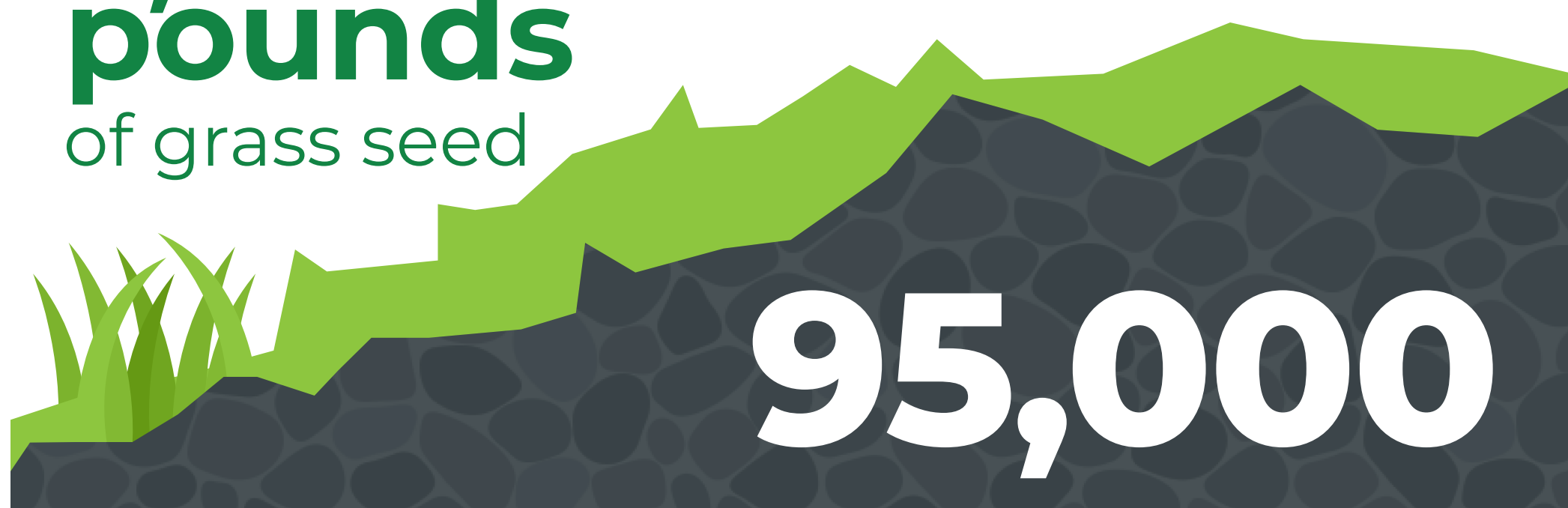
9,100 pounds
of grass seed

8 miles of curb and gutter

95,000

tons

of gravel





SOUTH VETERANS PARKWAY

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT AFTER CONSTRUCTION

South Veterans Parkway will look similar to the roadway north of Arrowhead Parkway. In general, the new parkway will consist of:



Three lanes per direction



A 32-foot raised median separating the travel lanes



Shared use path along the south side of the parkway



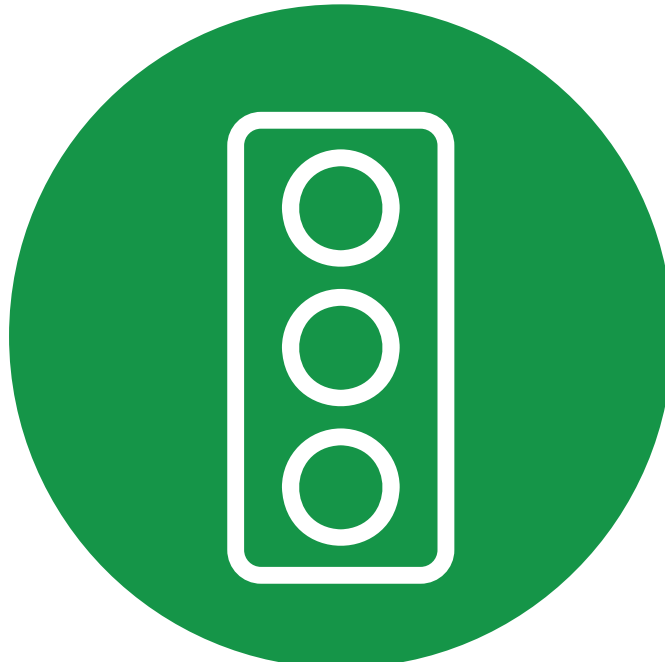
Grass boulevard separating the path from the roadway



Posted speed limit of 55 mph



Pedestrian underpass



ADA-accessible intersections


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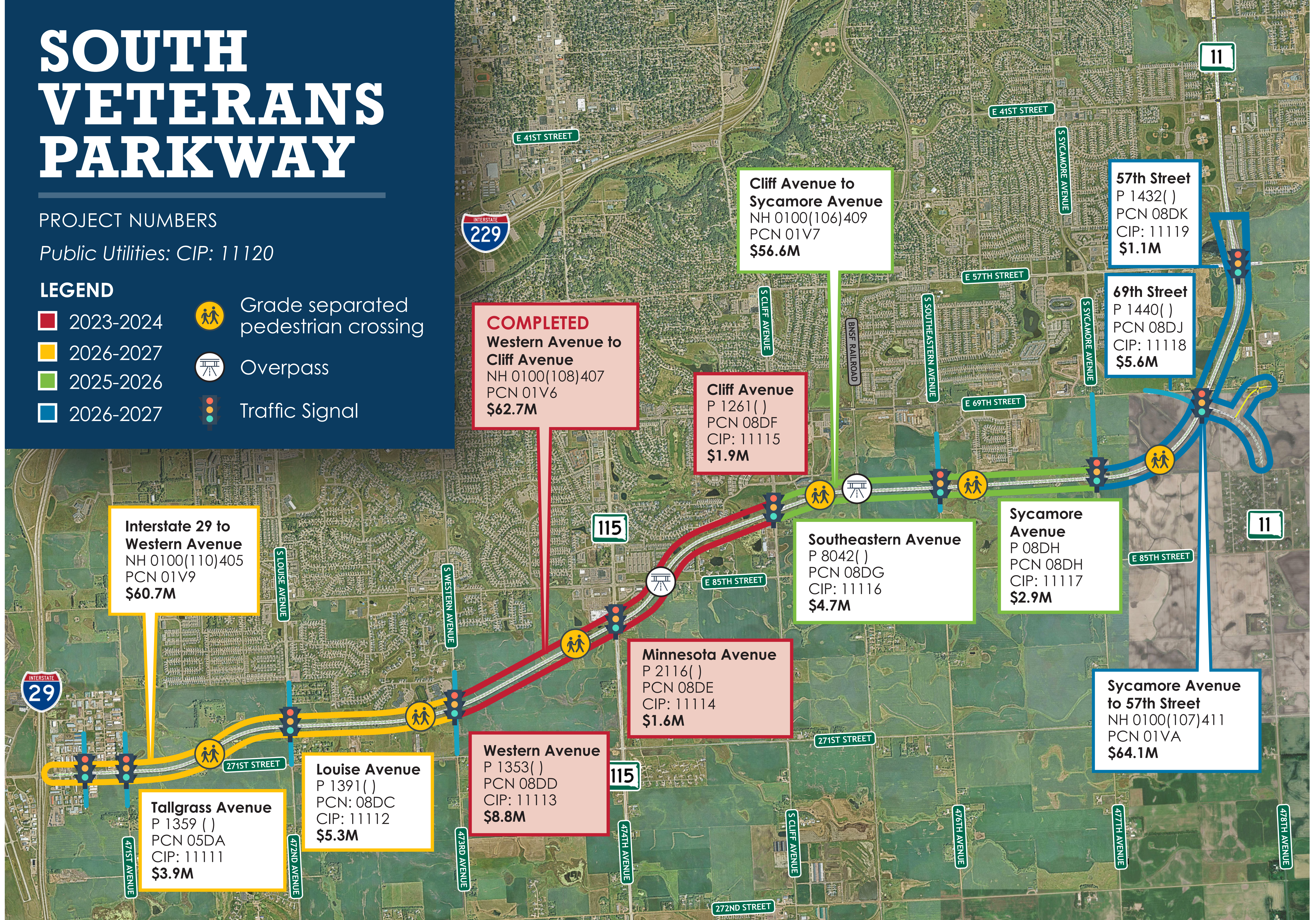
PROJECT NUMBERS

Public Utilities: CIP: 11120

LEGEND

- 2023-2024
- 2026-2027
- 2025-2026
- 2026-2027

-  Grade separated pedestrian crossing
-  Overpass
-  Traffic Signal



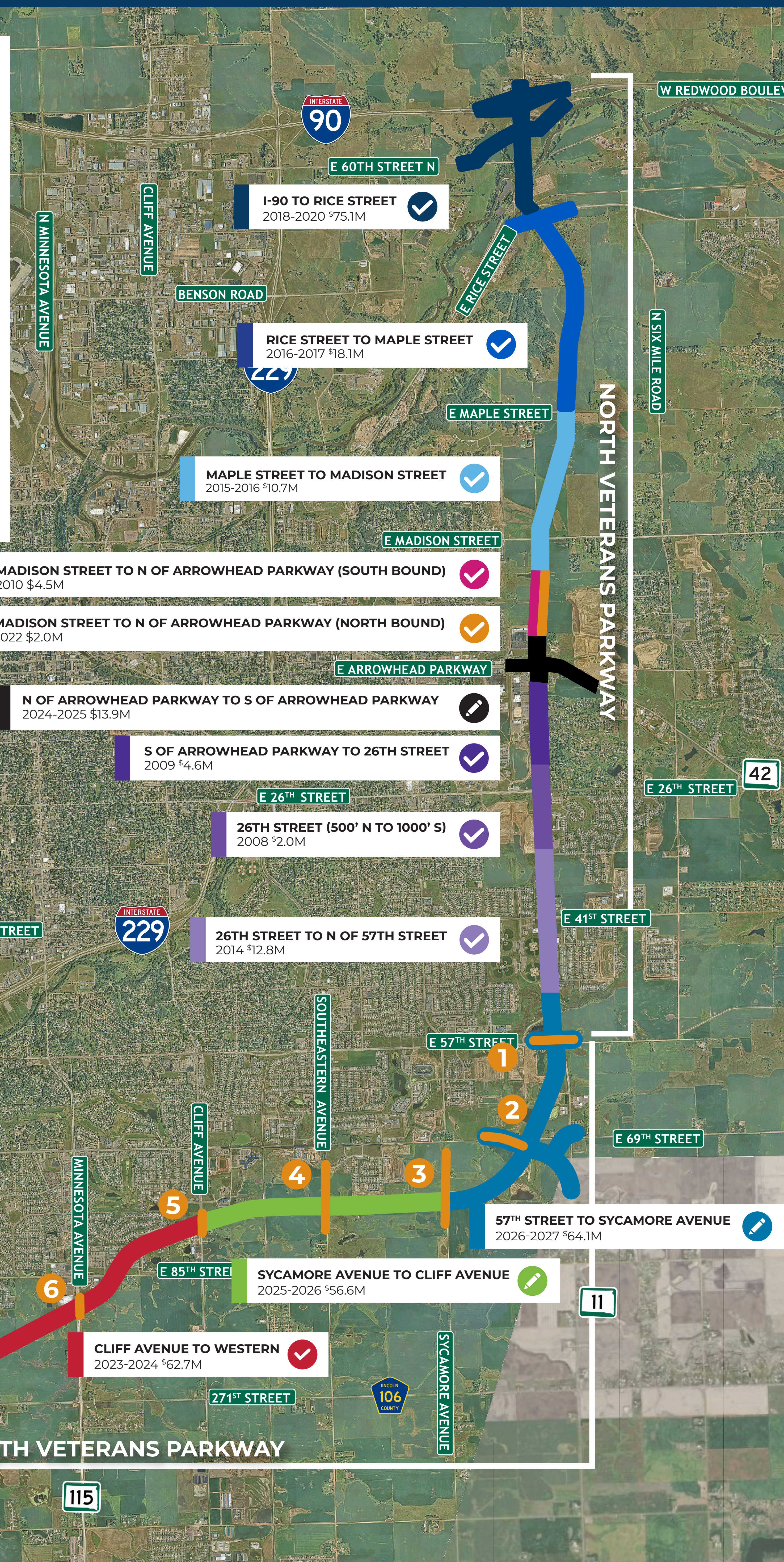
VETERANS PARKWAY

COMPLETED PROJECTS ✓

PLANNED PROJECTS 📅

CITY LED PROJECTS

- 1 57TH STREET \$1.1M
- 2 69TH STREET \$5.6M
- 3 SYCAMORE AVENUE \$2.9M
- 4 SOUTHEASTERN AVENUE \$4.7M
- 5 CLIFF AVENUE \$1.9M
- 6 MINNESOTA AVENUE \$1.6M
- 7 WESTERN AVENUE \$8.8M
- 8 LOUISE AVENUE \$5.3M
- 9 TALLGRASS AVENUE \$3.9M





SOUTH VETERANS PARKWAY

COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION

WESTERN AVENUE TO CLIFF AVENUE



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