WALKING TOUR ROUTE





Introduction

The tour of Harry Hines Blvd is one of many ways to gather community input for the transformation of the Southwestern Medical District Urban Streetscape. This tour provides opportunities for stakeholders to engage with the streetscape, identify challenges and opportunities, and explore potential alternative scenarios.

Using the Tour Guidebook

This guidebook is the place for you to record and share written comments with the Texas Trees Foundation (the project lead). This pedestrian tour covers about 1 mile and 5 stops along Harry Hines Blvd. Please take a moment to familiarize yourself with the guidebook before beginning the tour. You can return your guidebook and comment form by using the online walking tour option or by turning in your print guidebook at the end to the tour leader. Please refer to our online educational resource page to learn more about key environmental and streetscape concepts.

Safety First

Please exercise safety when taking the tour. Obey all traffic signals and laws and use caution when crossing streets for safety. This tour will require stopping and gathering as a group. Your safety is your responsibility.

- Inclusive Intersection Improvements
- Environmental Health Improvements
- 2 Safety Improvements
- 5 Connectivity Improvements
- Identity Improvements
- Walking Route

Inclusive Intersection Improvements	Safety Improvements	Identity Improvements	Environmental Health Improvements	Connectivity Improvements	Additional Comments & Ideas
Think about all of the different users of this intersection: patients, ER visitors, medical professionals, staff, students, etc. Does it feel safe crossing the intersection as a pedestrian? Would all of these users feel the same?	How accurately do the following statements reflect your experience? Mark the numbered box in the position that best reflects your experience. I feel safe walking along this stretch of the corridor. (1-Very Unsafe; 2-Unsafe; 3-Average; 4-Safe; 5-Very Safe)	What features would make the streetscape feel more memorable and attractive to you?	Does the District feel like a peaceful and healing area for residents, patients, visitors and employees? Why?	Do you feel that different destinations in the District are well-connected? Mark the numbered box in the position that best reflects your experience. The connectivity between destinations in the District is: (1-Very Poor; 2-Poor; 3-Average; 4-Good; 5-Excellent)	
How can this intersection and others in the District be more inclusive for all users? (Select all that apply) O Longer Crossing Signal Time	What types of improvements would invite more walking? (Select all that apply) O Protected Sidewalks O SlowerTraffic Speeds	What would better celebrate and promote the identity of the Southwestern Medical District? (Select all that apply) O Public Art and Sculptures	What are some ways we can better integrate nature into the corridor? (Select all that apply) O MoreTrees and Plants O Healing Gardens	How could we better connect this area for all users? Select all that apply Bike Facilities Shuttle Service Mid-block Crossings Between Signals Wayfinding Signage Other (write responses in the "Additional Comments" section)	Name (if desired):
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					Email:
 Walk Signal Before Cars Have a Green Light Shade at Corners Improved ADA Ramps Audible Pedestrian Signals Automated Pedestrian Signals Other (write responses in the "Additional Comments" section) 	 Trees for Shade Pedestrian Lighting Crosswalk Flashing Lights Resting Areas with Seating Other (write responses in the "Additional Comments" section) Removing free right turn lane 	 Gateway Signs Outdoor Exercise Stations Gathering Space for Community Events Linear Park Other (write responses in the "Additional Comments" section) 	 Decorative Water Features Bioswales Other (write responses in the "Additional Comments" section) 		Please return your guidebook to the tour leader or scan and email the guidebook to Emily Fitzgerald by September 31, 2021. If you are taking a self-guided tour then you can download and print the guidebook from the project website at: swmdtransformation.com Additional Comments or Questions? Contact Emily Fitzgerald,
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