# **Near South**

## **Blueprint Design Update**

#### Overview

Blueprint Columbus is the City's plan to eliminate sanitary sewer overflows and create cleaner streams and rivers. Learn more at blueprintneighborhoods.com.

## **Green Infrastructure Design**

Green infrastructure design has been on hold since late 2018 to allow sanitary sewer work to happen before green infrastructure (like rain gardens, pervious pavement, bioswales) is built in Near South. There are two sub-areas in the Near South Blueprint project area: Morrill/Ann and Champion/Roberts. The map below shows the boundaries for each area. Before being put on hold, both areas had completed storm sewer surveys as well as field data acquisition. Plans are to resume design in the third quarter of 2022.

## Gray Infrastructure Work: Unique to Near South

Most Blueprint work includes some storm sewer upgrades along with green infrastructure installations. Near South, however, includes three sanitary sewer fixes within the Blueprint project. In order for the pieces of our project to work together, the sanitary sewer upgrades will occur first, followed by the green infrastructure work.



## When can residents get involved?

- Public input on Green Infrastructure Design Proposals begins first quarter 2023 (continues through Q1 2025)
- Public meetings/active outreach in Q1 2023; Summer 2024; Q1 2025



## Near South Timeline

## Mainline Sanitary Sewer Lining

#### In Construction now

- You may see lining trucks and tubes in the streets
- Crews will be working in public right of way
- No major digging

## Sanitary Sewer Work

#### **SPRING 2023**

- Consists of pipe fixes or upgrades on three streets:
  - Smith Rd. (Lockbourne Rd. to Weiler Ave.)
  - Champion Ave (Marion Rd. to Lawrence Ave.)
  - Stanaford Pl. and 6th St. (north of Innis and west of Bruck)
- Expect digging and some lane or full road closures

## Green Infrastructure Design

#### 3rd QTR 2022

- Resume surveying and field work
- Draft 30% design report

#### 1st QTR 2023

- Public input on green infrastructure plans begins
- 30% Public Meeting

#### **SUMMER 2024**

• Sump pump installations begin

#### **SPRING 2026**

• Green infrastructure construction begins







