

Kendall
(Kalamazoo to
Kentridge)
Construction Preparation
Meeting
Tuesday, April 1



Introductions

City Staff

- Community Engagement – Sarah Itani & Juan Torres
- Engineering – Dan Siminski
- Mobile GR/Traffic Safety – Dan Nederhoed

Agenda

- Overview and Design
- Construction Details
- Discussion

STREETS ARE VITAL FOR



RESIDENTIAL

INCREASED PROPERTY VALUES AND
BETTER MOBILITY (CARS, BIKING, WALKING
AND BUSES)



SMALL BUSINESS

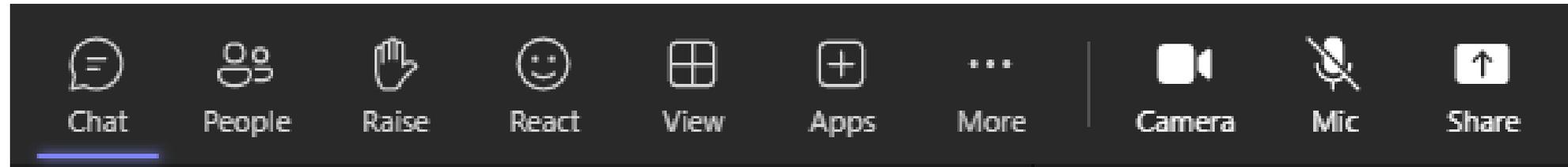
CUSTOMERS NEED TO SAFELY REACH
RETAILERS & RESTAURANTS IN THE AREA



BIG BUSINESS

STREETS ARE VITAL FOR MOVING GOODS
& PRODUCTS TO CONSUMERS

Microsoft Teams

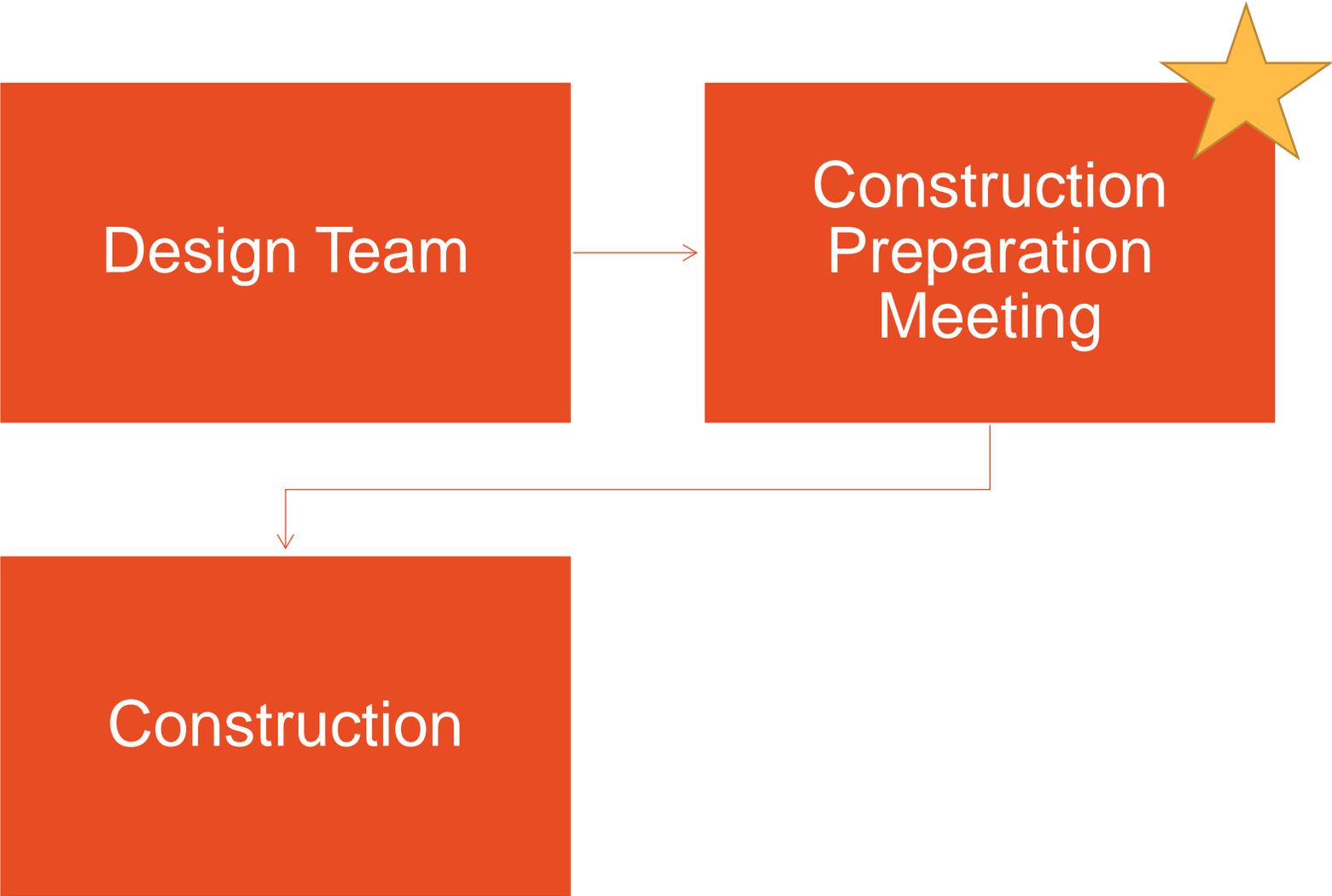




Overview and Design

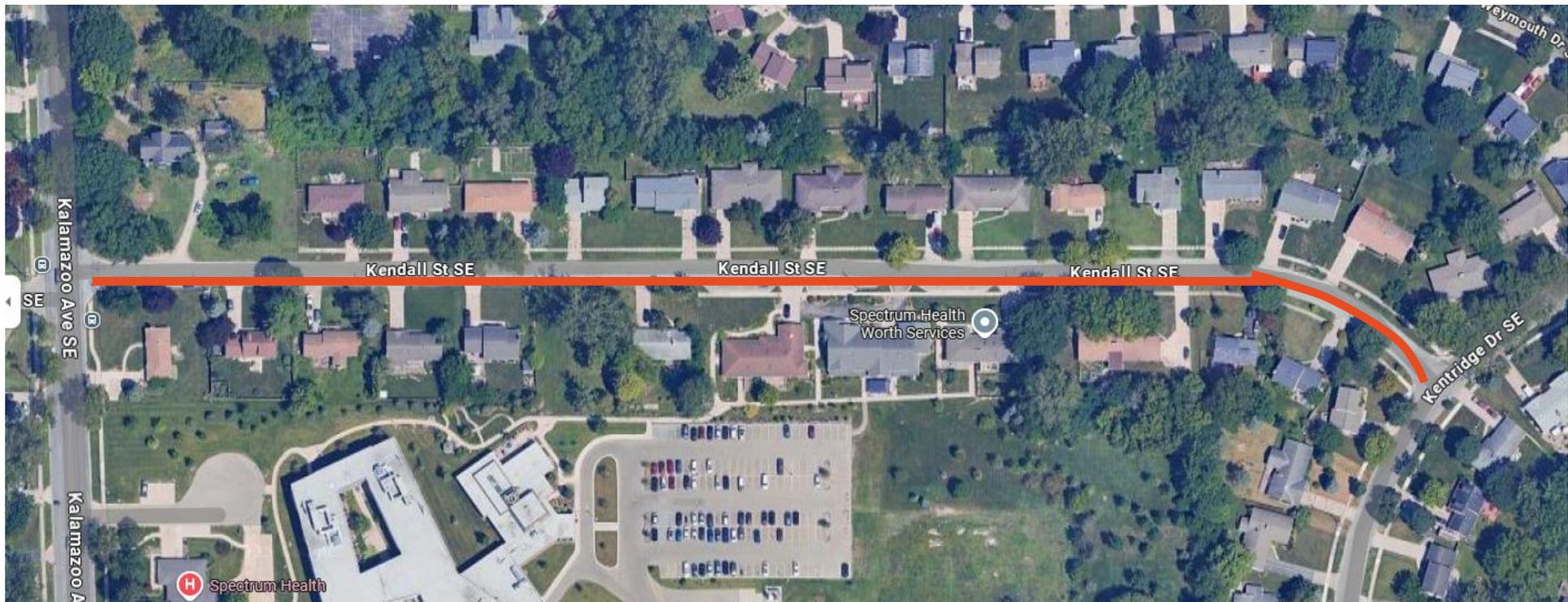


Road Design and Construction Process



Project Area and Tentative Schedule

- Kendall from Kalamazoo to Kentridge
- April 14 – July 2025



Project Details

Reconstruction project

- Replace the water main
- Replace some sidewalks and driveway approaches
- New asphalt pavement



Construction Details



Street Reconstruction

- Reconstruct full width



Water Main

- Replace water main
- Two to three water shutdowns
 - Contractor will provide notice
- Potential for water main break
- Run faucets and clean screens to clear pipe deposits
 - Outside first

Storm Sewer

- Upgrades to the storm sewer system



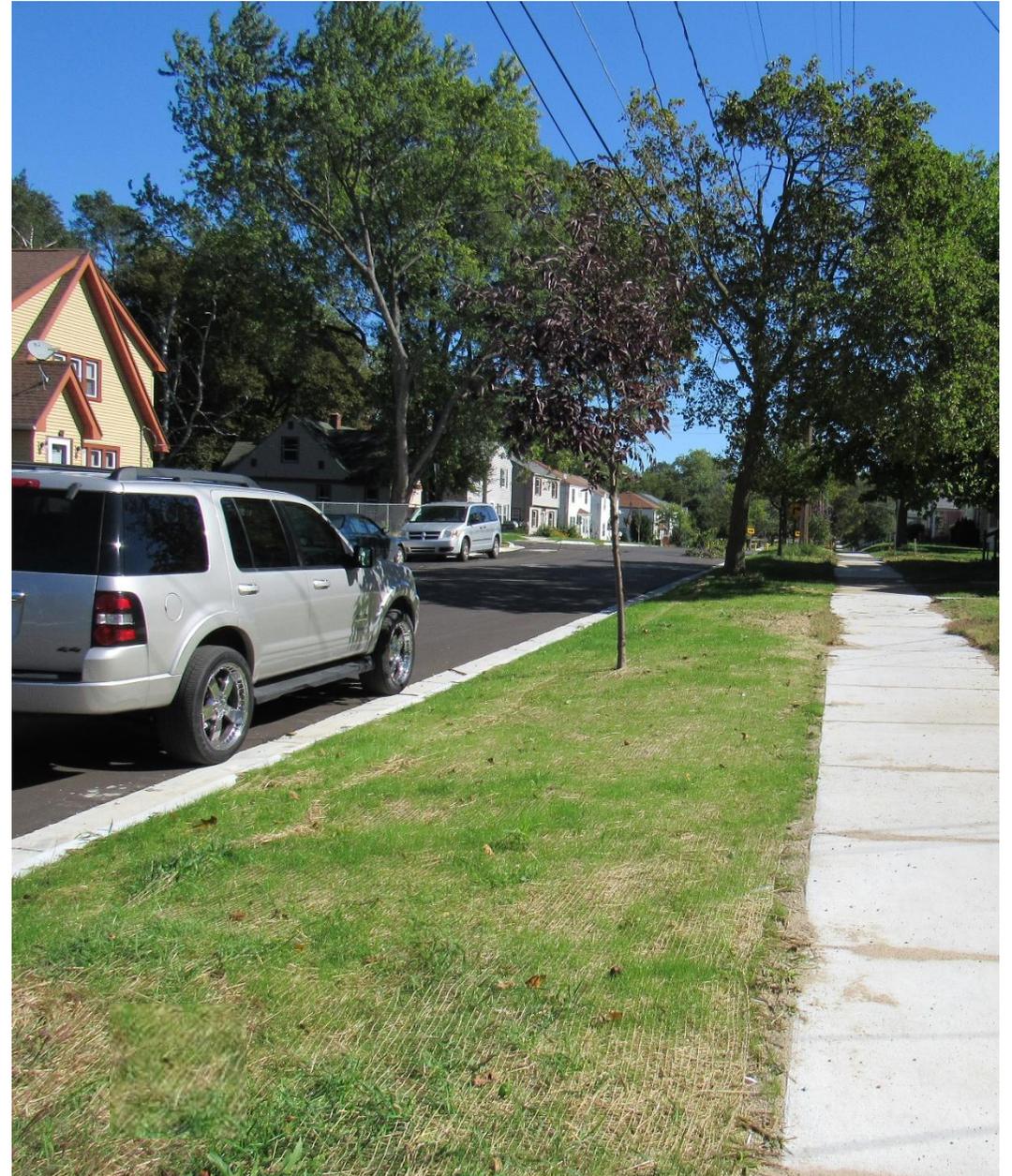
Driveway Approaches and Sidewalk

- Replace some driveway approaches and sidewalk squares
- Close driveways for 5-7 days while concrete cures
- Restrict driveway access when work is directly in front



Parkways

- Restore grass
- Property owners should remove plantings they want to save
- Property owners should mark sprinkler heads



Access and Parking

- Street closed to through traffic
- Maintain only local and emergency vehicle access
- On-street parking prohibited during construction hours 7am-7pm



Mail and Trash/Recycling

- Maintain mail delivery
- Maintain trash and recycling pick-up



Construction Hours

- Typically 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
 - Monday through Saturday
 - Occasionally Sunday work
 - Work depends on weather and contractor's schedule





Discussion



Contact Information

- Road construction website:
grandrapidsmi.gov/roadconstruction
- City phone number: 311 or 456-3000
- Email: communityengagement@grcity.us

