

VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING



MAIN STREET / MARKET STREET SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS



Thursday, March 18, 2021

Presentation at 5:30 p.m. followed by Question & Answer Session

To participate, go to:

[https://www.cityhall.lima.oh.us/DocumentCenter/View/6541/
Public-Involvement-Meeting](https://www.cityhall.lima.oh.us/DocumentCenter/View/6541/Public-Involvement-Meeting)

or call:

1-567-318-0684;
Code 316880734#

About the Project

The City of Lima, in cooperation with the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) and the Lima-Allen County Regional Planning Commission (LACRPC), is planning various safety improvements along Main Street and Market Street in Lima's Central Business District.

Project Purpose:

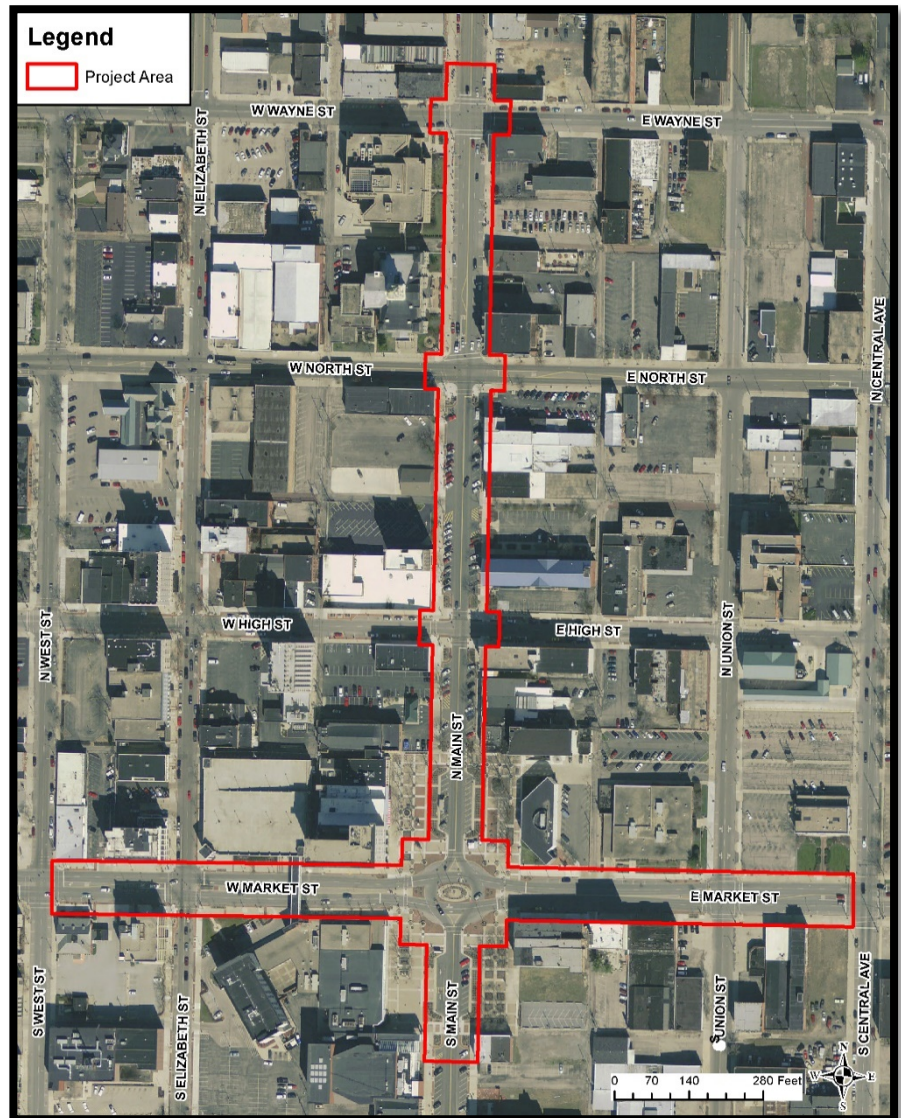
- Improve Mobility
- Reduce Crashes
- Improve Pedestrian Safety

Proposed Improvements Include:

- A modern single-lane roundabout at the Main Street/Market Street intersection
- Parking modifications along Main Street
- Crosswalk improvements along Main Street
- Lane striping and median island modifications along Market Street to accommodate the proposed roundabout
- ❖ *No new right-of-way will be required.*

Construction Information:

- Construction is expected to begin in Spring 2022 and take up to eight months to complete.
- During construction of the roundabout, Main Street will be closed to through traffic at Market Street. Detours will be required.
- Local traffic and access to parking and businesses will be maintained along Main Street during construction. All other streets in the project area will remain open to traffic.



[Additional information is included on the back of this page.](#)



About the Meeting

The purpose of this virtual public meeting is to discuss the project, proposed improvements, and alternatives with the community, answer questions, and gather input to assist in project decision-making. Due to COVID-19 concerns, this meeting will be held online via the website and phone number provided on the front page. **Click on the “Welcome” page on the website and follow the links and brief instructions.**

We welcome your comments and input on this important project. Issues you may wish to comment on may include, but are not limited to: the effect of the project on residents and businesses, the local economy, traffic and pedestrian mobility and safety, community resources and services, historic or cultural resources, air quality, potential regulated (hazardous) materials sites, and aesthetic treatments.

Within 48 hours after the March 18, 2021 virtual public meeting, a recording of the presentation and Question & Answer session, along with copies of the meeting materials, will be posted on the website. Hard copies of the meeting materials are available upon request using the contact information provided below. To assist with this stage of development of the proposed project, we are asking for comments to be received by **April 18, 2021**. Comments received by April 18, 2021 will be formally documented and posted on the website.

How to Provide Comments

There are several ways to provide your comments on this project:

- Visit the website below, click on the “Welcome” page, then click on the Questionnaire/Comment Form link
 - <https://www.cityhall.lima.oh.us/DocumentCenter/View/6541/Public-Involvement-Meeting>
- Email: Kirk.Niemeyer@cityhall.lima.oh.us
- Call: Kirk Niemeyer, City Engineer at 419-998-5508
- Mail: Kirk Niemeyer, City Engineer at the address listed below
 - Hard copies of the questionnaire/comment form are available upon request and can be mailed to the address listed below

PROJECT SCHEDULE

Virtual Public Involvement Meeting.....	March 18, 2021
Public Comment Period Ends.....	April 18, 2021
Selected Alternative Determined	Spring 2021
Environmental Complete	Summer 2021
Final Design Complete	Summer 2021
Begin Construction.....	Spring 2022
End Construction.....	Fall 2022

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