



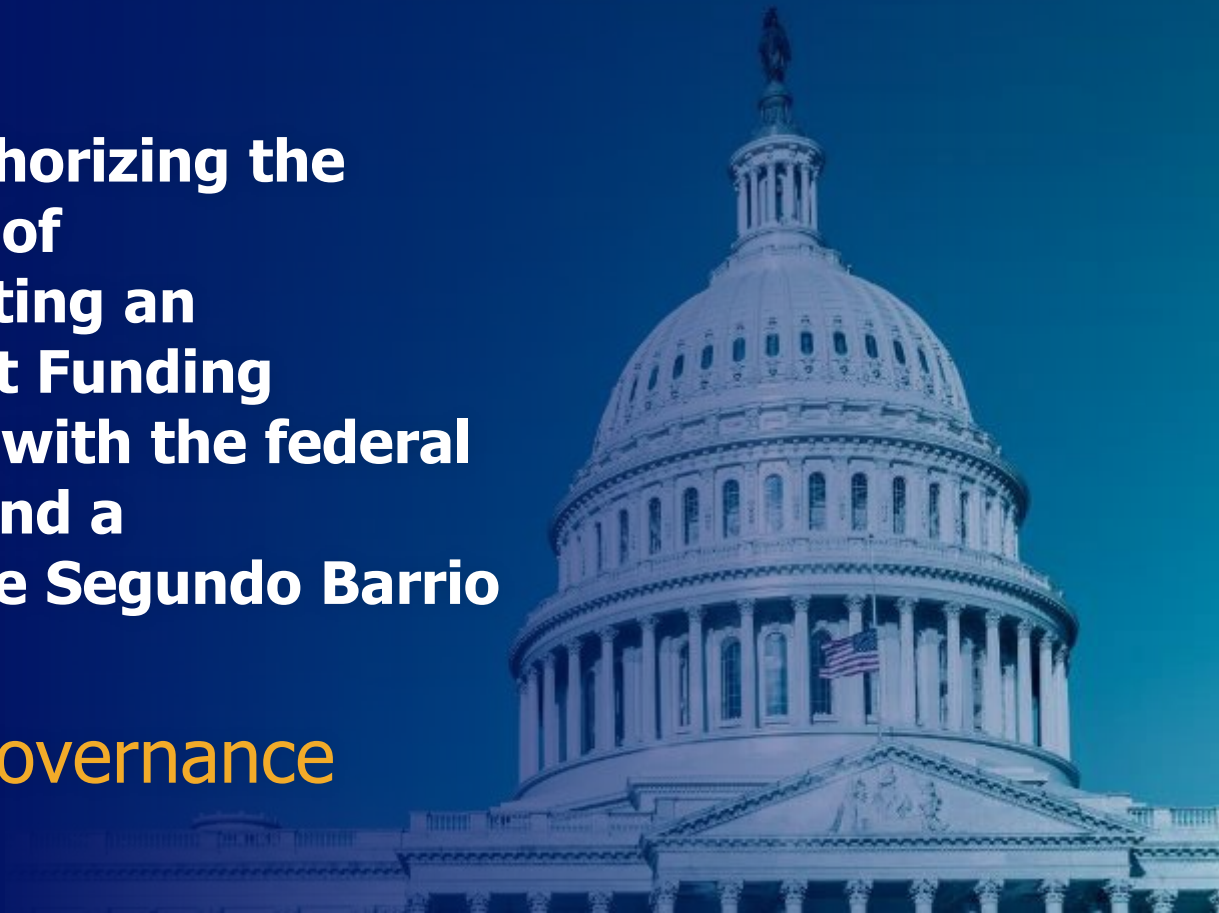
FY26 Community Project Funding (CPF) **Segundo Barrio Safe Streets**

Strategic and Legislative Affairs
May 13, 2025

Objective

Discussion and action on a Resolution authorizing the submission of an application to the Office of Congresswoman Veronica Escobar requesting an appropriation from the Community Project Funding program in the amount of \$5,000,000.00, with the federal government contributing \$4,000,000.00 and a \$1,000,000.00 match from the City, for the Segundo Barrio Safe Streets Project.

Goal 6: Set the Standard for Sound Governance and Fiscal Management



Overview

- FY26 CPF Program Overview
- Project Description
- Scope of Work and Budget
- Implementation Timeline
- Council Action



FY26 Community Project Funding

- **Earmarks to Moratorium (1970s – 2011):** Congress used “earmarks” to steer discretionary dollars to district projects
- **House Revival as *Community Project Funding* (2021):** Earmarks restart for FY 2022 under the new “Community Project Funding” label with transparency and accountability measures
- **Scale Since Reinstatement (FY 2022-23):** Congress approved roughly **\$24 billion** across more than **12,000** CPF/Congressionally Directed Spending projects nationwide
 - \$9.1 billion for about 5,000 projects in FY 2022
 - \$15.3 billion for 7,200 projects in FY 2023
- **FY25 CPF projects were not funded by Congress**

FY26 Community Project Funding

April 8, 2025: Congresswoman Veronica Escobar (TX-16) issued a request for proposals for FY26 CPF

- Projects selected for FY25 CPF will need to resubmit
- Requires updates to cost estimates, letters of support, and other technical and administrative materials
- Projects must comply with updated guidance [fy26-thud-hip-guidance.pdf](#)
- New project submissions are allowed



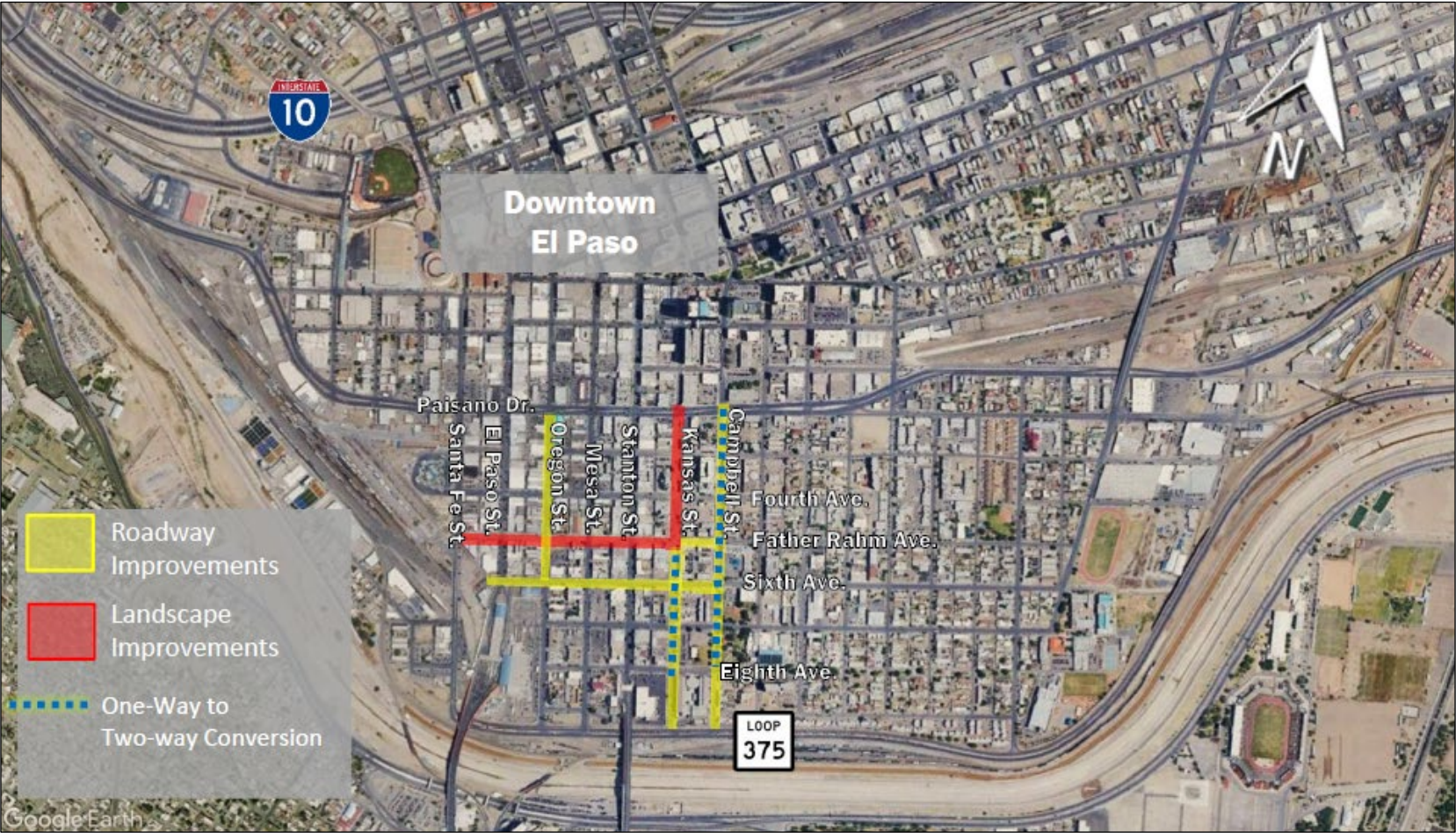
Project Description

Segundo Barrio Safe Streets Project

The Segundo Barrio Safe Streets Project includes roadway and crossing improvements intended to protect pedestrians and cyclists from motorized vehicles

- Implements strategies with 2023 Vision Zero Plan
- Helps reduce traffic incidents
- Indirectly improves traffic efficiency for southbound vehicles using the Stanton Port of Entry

Project Location



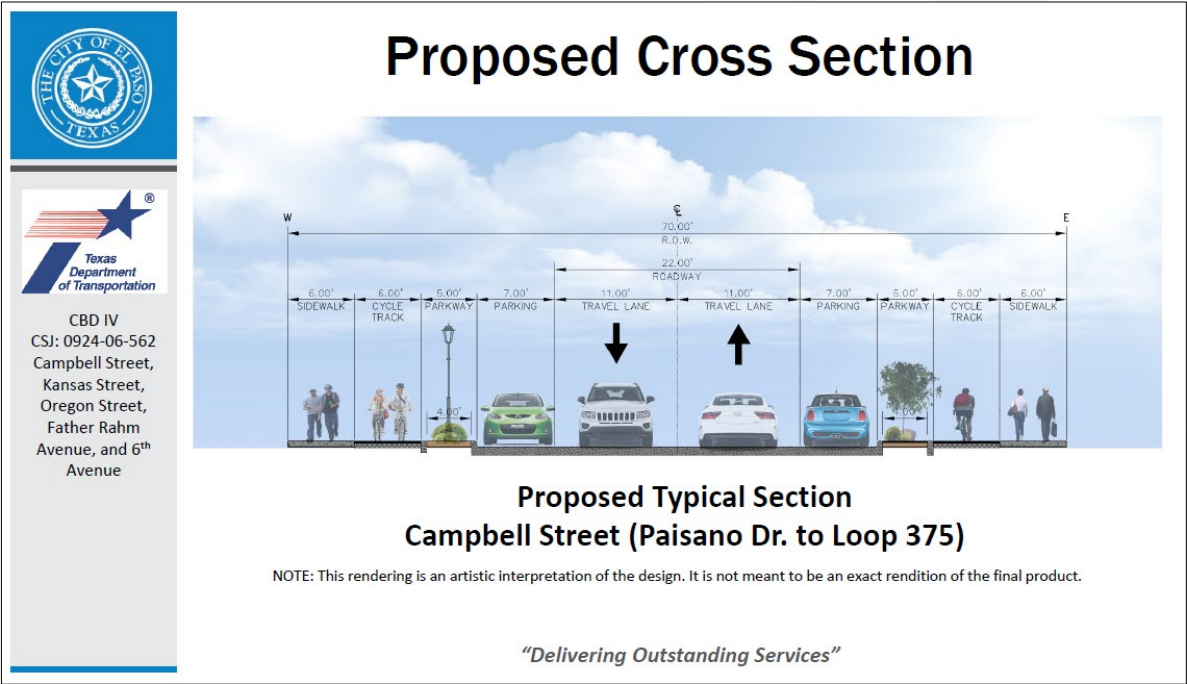
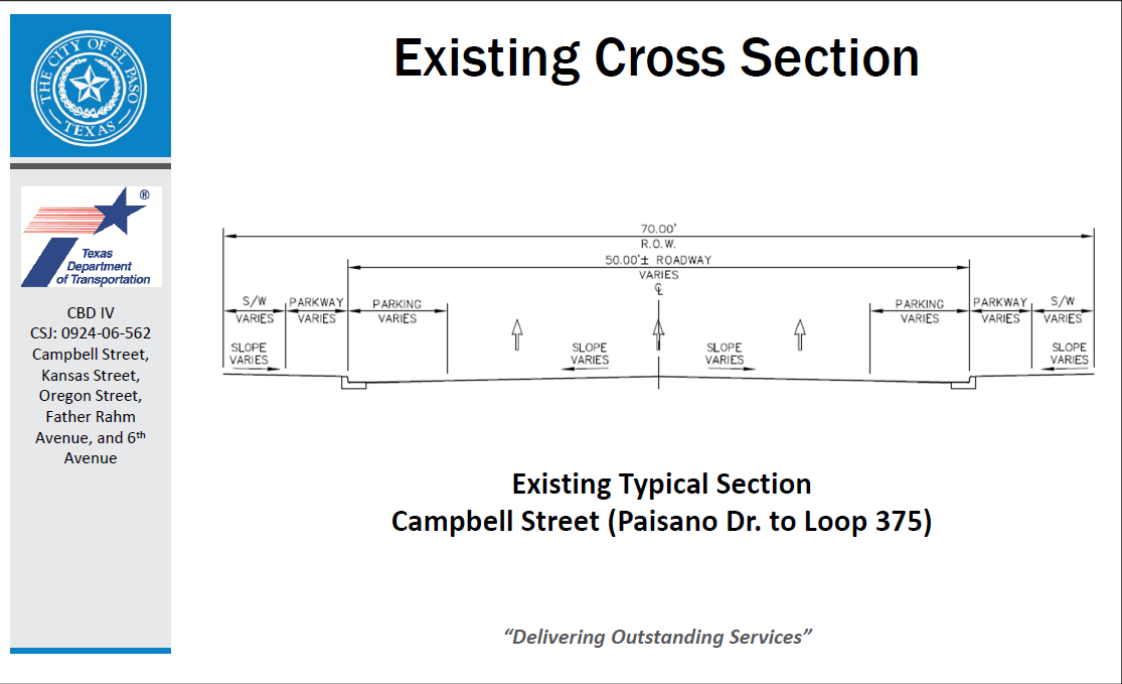
Scope of Work

Funding will be utilized for roadway reconstruction and parkway improvements.

Construction includes:

- ADA improvements
- Bicycle improvements
- Driveway improvements
- Traffic signals, lighting, and signage
- Striping, landscaping and irrigation improvements

Safe Pedestrian Crossings



Indirect Benefits to Port of Entry



Stanton Port of Entry
Traffic at Intersection
of Paisano and
Stanton

Budget

Source	Amount	%
Federal	\$4,000,000	(80%)
City	\$1,000,000	(20%)
Total	\$5,000,000	(100%)

*City match from Capital Proceeds Fund

Implementation Timeline

Appropriations Process

1. Project Submission by Members (15) (May 2025)
2. Committee vetting and selections (June 2025)
3. Inclusion in Appropriations Bill (September 2025)
4. Post-enactment funding (March 2026)
5. Agreement with FHWA (July 2026)
6. Project Start (September 2026)

Requested Action

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MISSION

Deliver exceptional services to support a high quality of life & place for our community.



VISION

Develop a vibrant regional economy, safe & beautiful neighborhoods, & exceptional recreational, cultural & educational opportunities



VALUES

Integrity, Respect, Excellence, Accountability, People

