



# Eliza Howell Park Road Re-Pavement Project

District 1 Meeting  
June 25, 2022



# Project Team:

*Coordination between:*

*General Services Department (GSD) & Department Public Works (DPW)*

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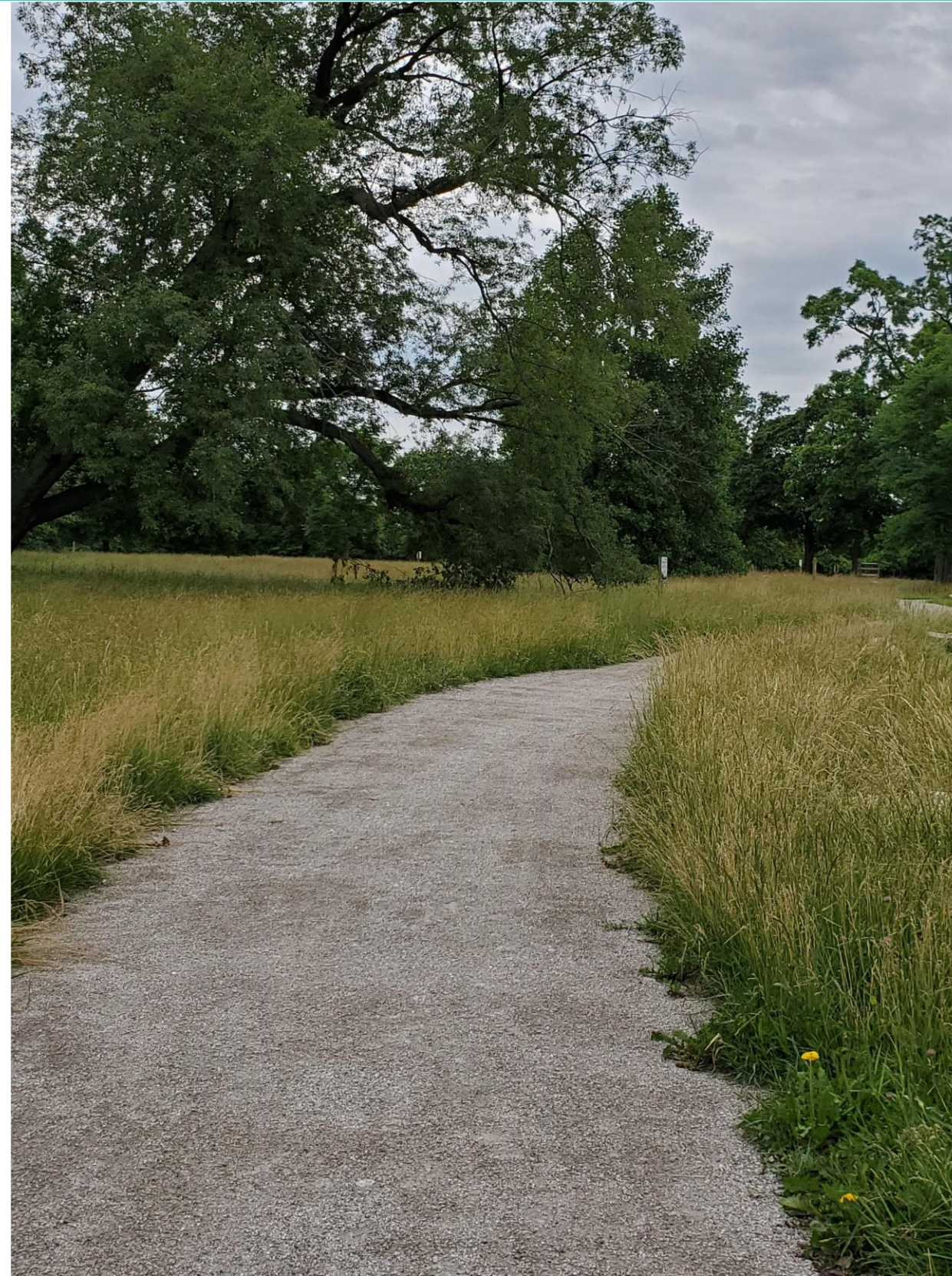
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Engineering Services  
Coordinator  
DPW



# Park Overview

- Eliza Howell park is the 4th largest park in the City at 251 acres
- The park has multiple miles of nature trails, including a trail connection to Brightmoor neighborhood
- The park is along the Rouge River, and is important for both nature and residents near the park for recreation



# Recent Park Projects

## Sidewalk Detroit NFWF Bio-habitats Restoration Project:

Improved pathways, restored habitat areas and created a rain garden to handle run off, grant funded through NFWF

## Sidewalk Detroit Patrick Dougherty Stick Sculpture:

Internationally acclaimed artist Patrick Dougherty installed an interactive stick sculpture in September 2021.

## Greening of Detroit GSI Project :

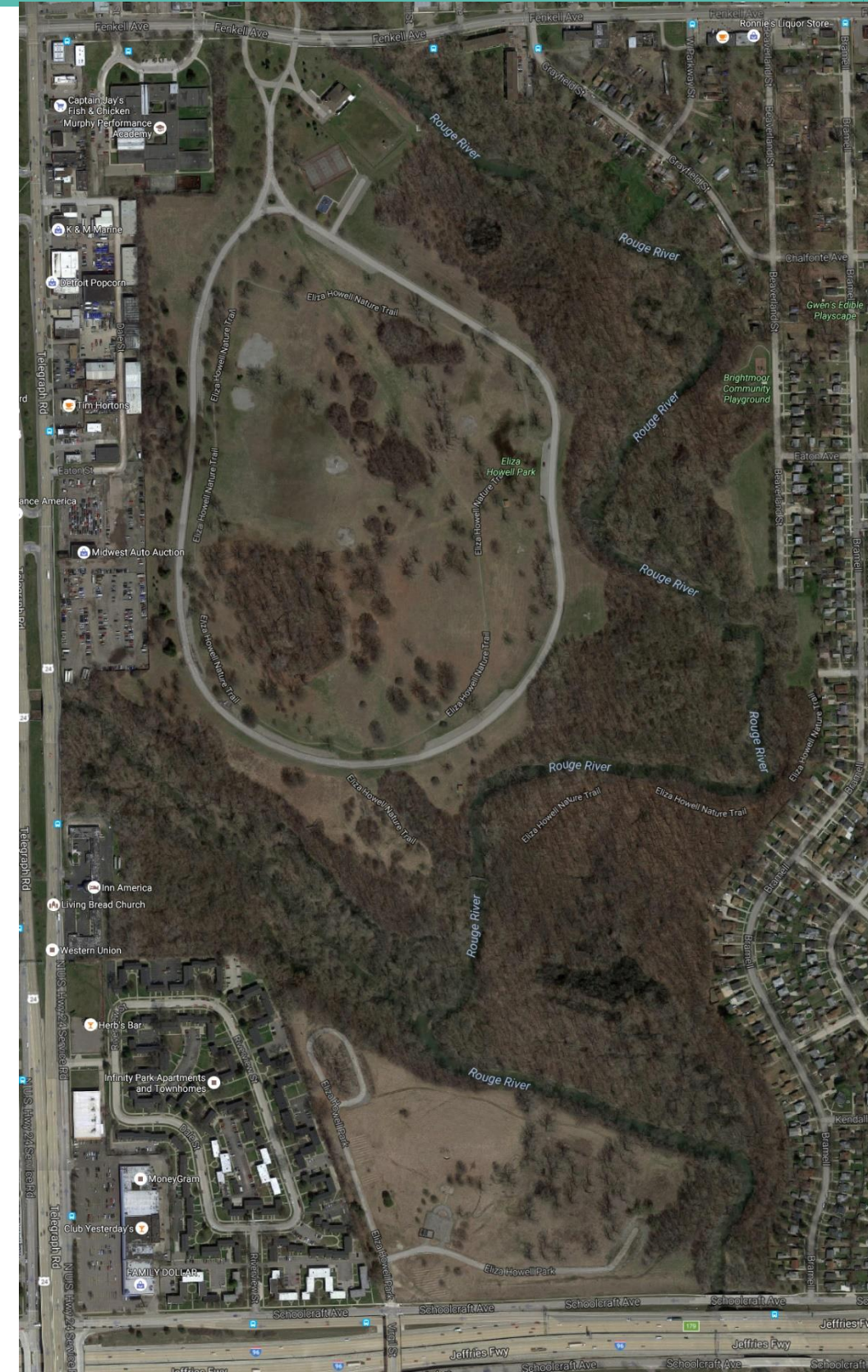
Greening of Detroit through an EPA grant created a stormwater infiltration basin at South side of Eliza Howell to collect and reduce highway pollution run off



# Road Project Overview

## PROJECT SCOPE:

- Approx. 1.3 Mile Road Loop
- Budget – \$3,000,000
- Improve Stormwater System
- Reconstruct Sections & Resurface
- Pavement Markings/Bike Lanes
- Gates



# Project Updates

## DRAINAGE CONTRACTOR:

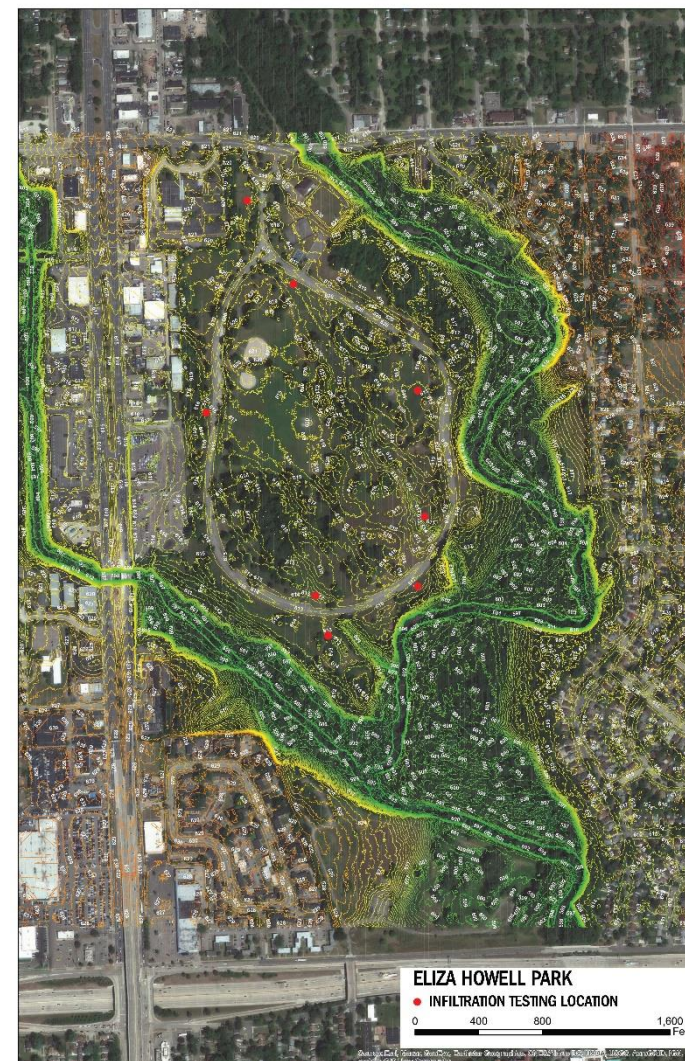
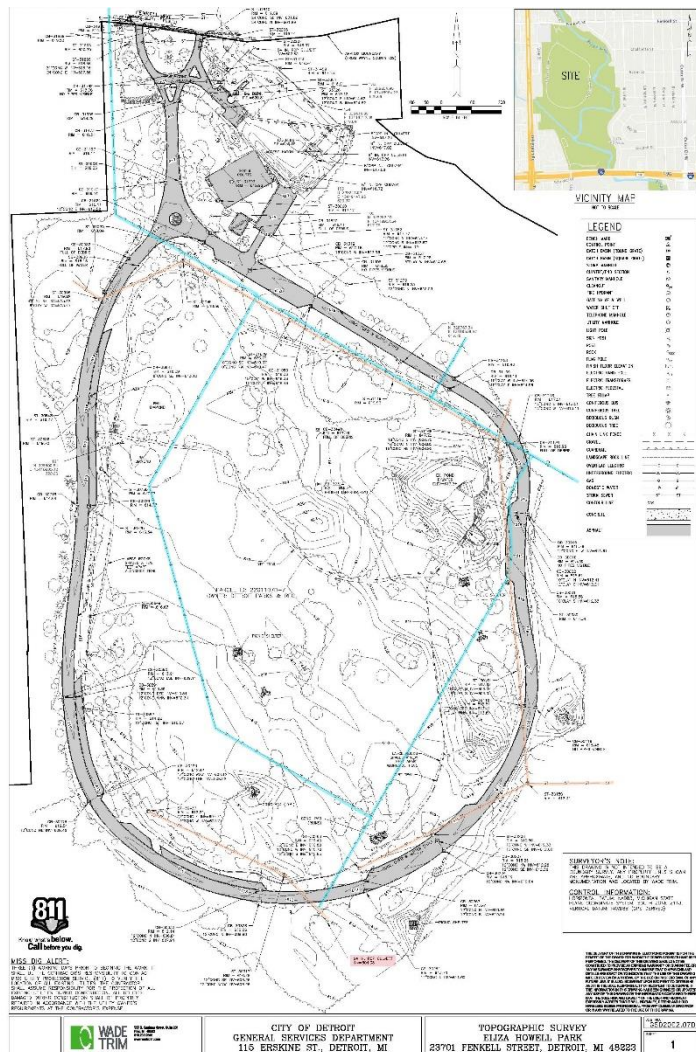
- Drainage Investigation & Clean up Completed; 32 CB, 22 MH cleaned, approximately 2,800 LF (a little over ½ mile) of sewer lines were cleaned.
- Problem Areas Identified/Recommended Repairs
- Status: Investigation Report and Map received



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## TOPOGRAPHIC SURVEY AND GEOTECH ANALYSIS:

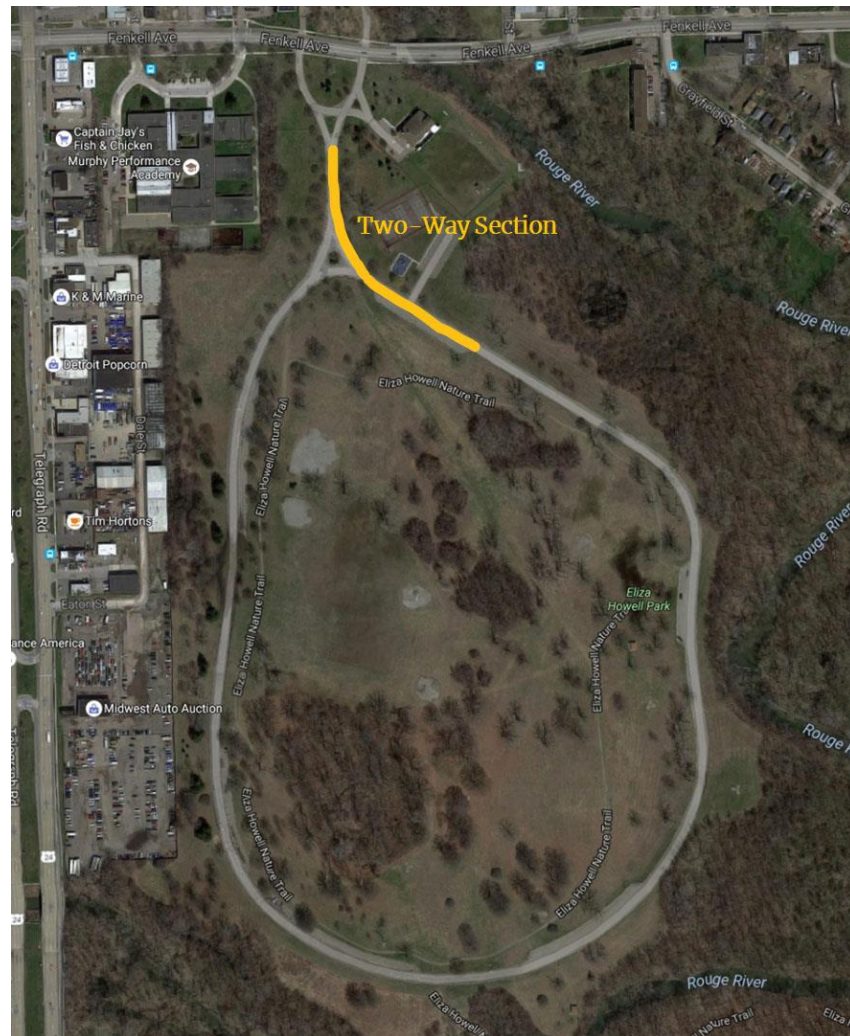
- Site Topographic Survey / Soil Borings & Geotech Analysis
- Status: Complete & Final reports received



# Next Steps

## Propose Design:

- One-Way Vs. Two Way – Two way to main parking lot near playground/tennis – One way for the loop for securing the site
- Bike Lanes





# Next Steps

## Timeline

- Design & engineering: Jun – Sept 2022
  - Bidding process: Oct – Nov 2022
  - Construction prep: Jan – Feb 2023
  - Construction: Mar – Jul 2023
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- Cold Patch Asphalt (Temporary Fix for Summer 2022)
  - **Construction groundbreaking: March or April 2023** (depending on the frost laws)
  - **Construction Completion: June or July 2023** (weather dependent)

Questions?

