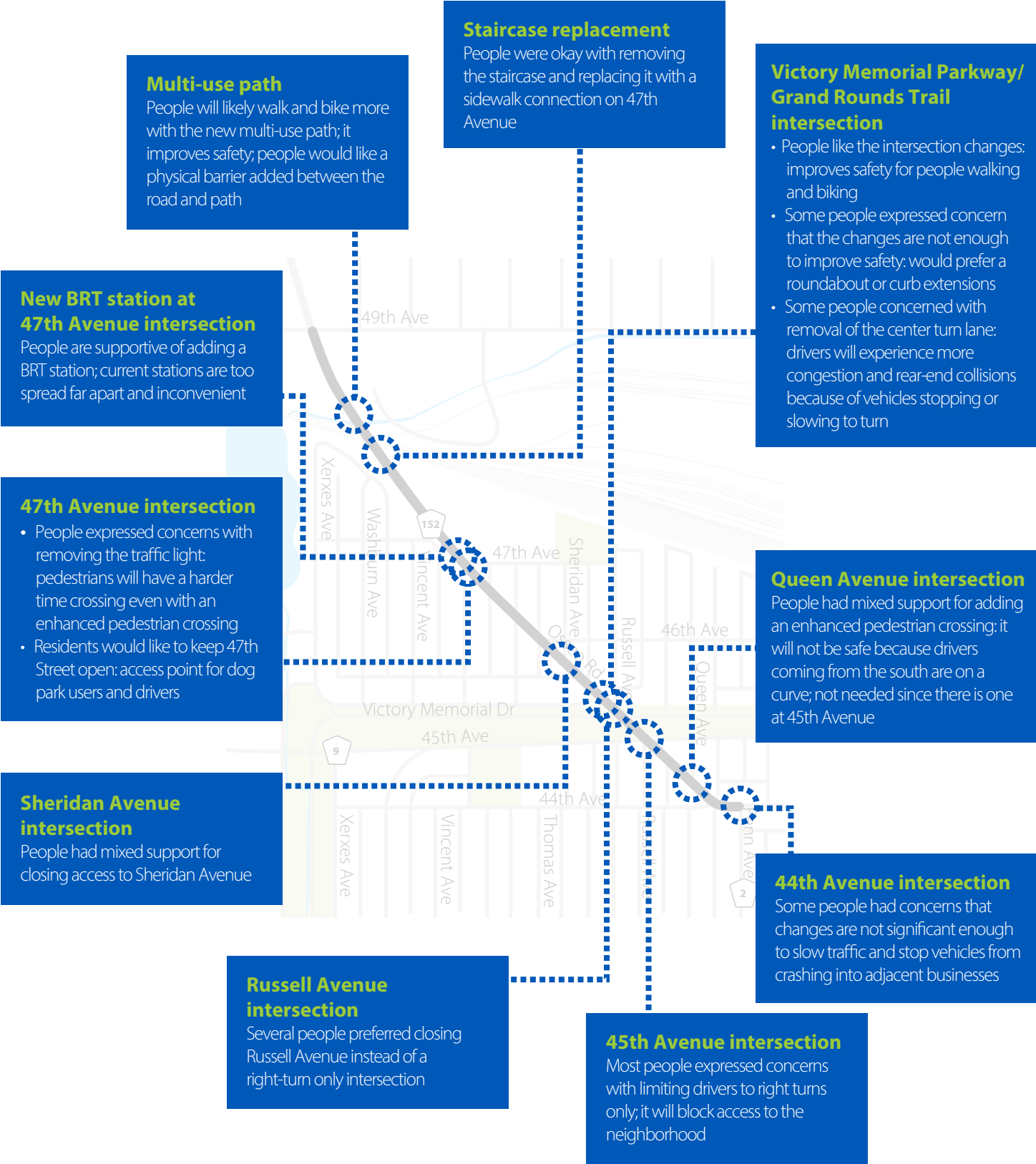


Osseo Road reconstruction

Community engagement summary | July-August 2020



Multi-use path
People will likely walk and bike more with the new multi-use path; it improves safety; people would like a physical barrier added between the road and path

Staircase replacement
People were okay with removing the staircase and replacing it with a sidewalk connection on 47th Avenue

Victory Memorial Parkway/Grand Rounds Trail intersection

- People like the intersection changes: improves safety for people walking and biking
- Some people expressed concern that the changes are not enough to improve safety: would prefer a roundabout or curb extensions
- Some people concerned with removal of the center turn lane: drivers will experience more congestion and rear-end collisions because of vehicles stopping or slowing to turn

New BRT station at 47th Avenue intersection
People are supportive of adding a BRT station; current stations are too spread far apart and inconvenient

47th Avenue intersection

- People expressed concerns with removing the traffic light: pedestrians will have a harder time crossing even with an enhanced pedestrian crossing
- Residents would like to keep 47th Street open: access point for dog park users and drivers

Queen Avenue intersection
People had mixed support for adding an enhanced pedestrian crossing: it will not be safe because drivers coming from the south are on a curve; not needed since there is one at 45th Avenue

Sheridan Avenue intersection
People had mixed support for closing access to Sheridan Avenue

Russell Avenue intersection
Several people preferred closing Russell Avenue instead of a right-turn only intersection

45th Avenue intersection
Most people expressed concerns with limiting drivers to right turns only; it will block access to the neighborhood

44th Avenue intersection
Some people had concerns that changes are not significant enough to slow traffic and stop vehicles from crashing into adjacent businesses

Online
open
house



23
attendees

Online
survey



24
participants

Social
media



102
interactions

Online
engagement
site



44
comments



210

Who took the survey

People identified their relationship to
Osseo Road (County Road 152)

Live near



88%

Drive on



83%

Walk along



50%

Bike along



29%

Ride transit



17%

Mailed postcard

600
residents &
businesses

Email update

mailed to
2,494
people

Businesses & neighborhood associations

6 notified

Lawn signs

on Ground
Rounds Trail