

Township of Millburn October 2017

#### **High Performance Streets: From Concept to Construction**

**NJ Complete Streets Summit 2017** 

#### **Complete Streets**

"A street in a modern city is more than a traffic way - it is used for dozens of other legitimate purposes...and the street should be designed with the idea always in mind of securing as perfect as possible adaptation of each of the features to all the others....."



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~Practical Street Construction" Municipal Journal, 1916





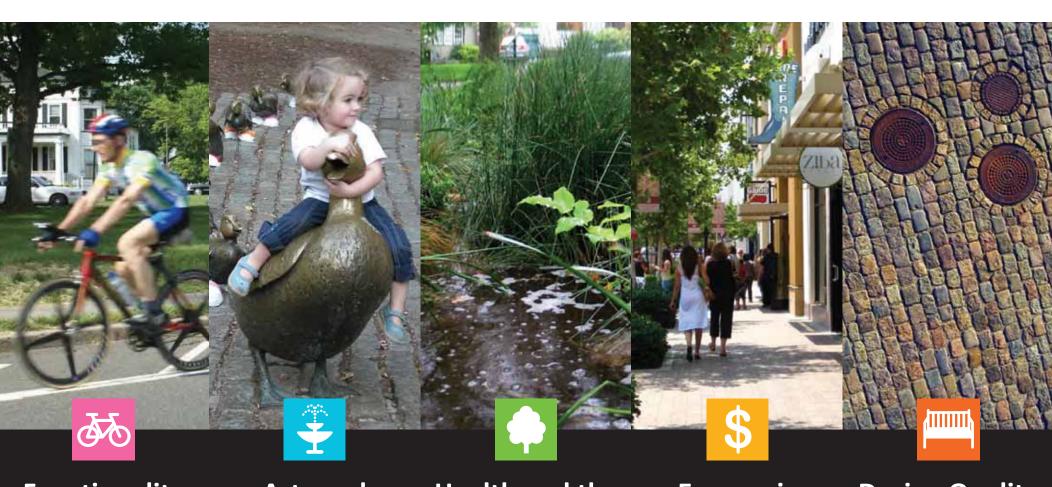


**Bringing life to our streets** 

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#### **High Performance Streets**



**Functionality** 

Arts and Culture

Health and the Environment

Economic Vitality

**Design Quality** 

#### **High Performance Streets Process (HPSP)**



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# **DRAW**

Schematics drawings layout the entire street design.



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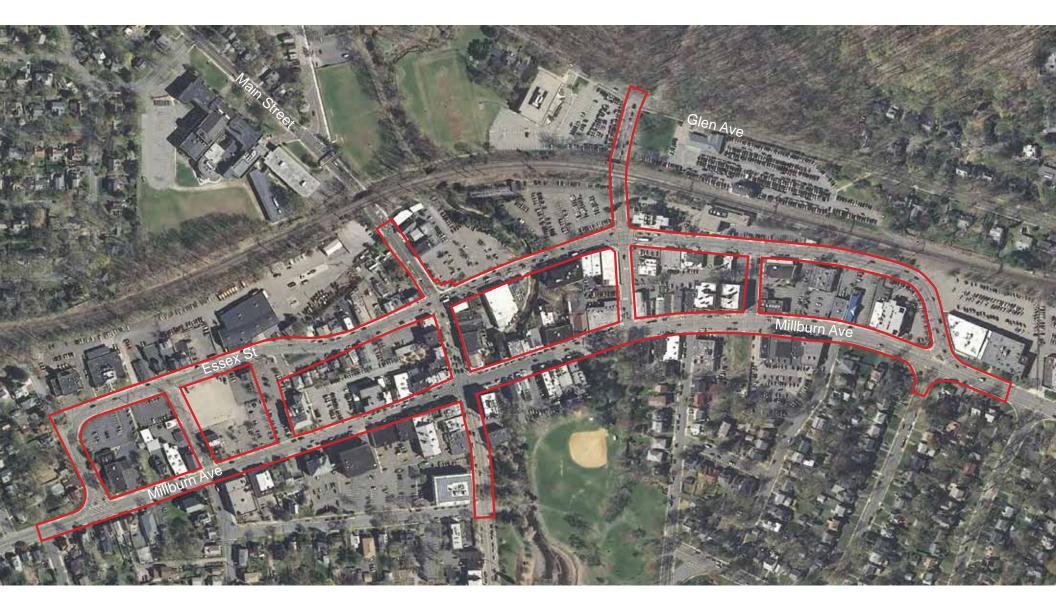
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## Millburn Complete Streets and Traffic Calming



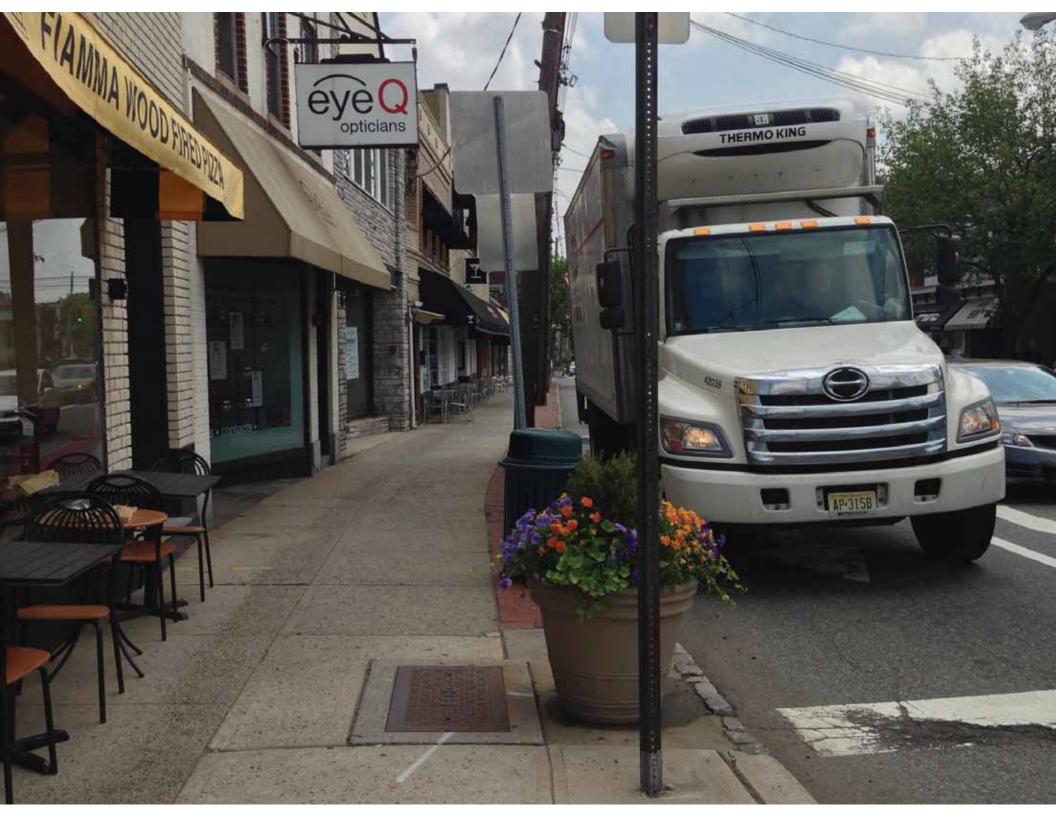
## Millburn Complete Streets and Traffic Calming

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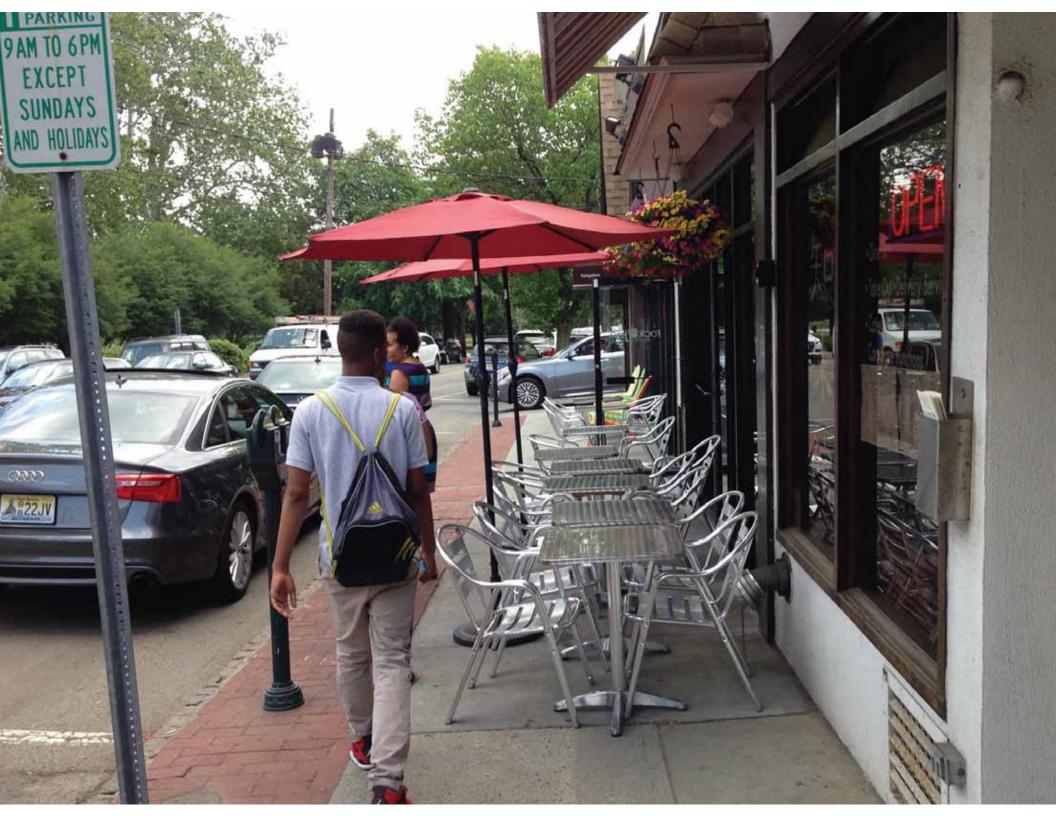


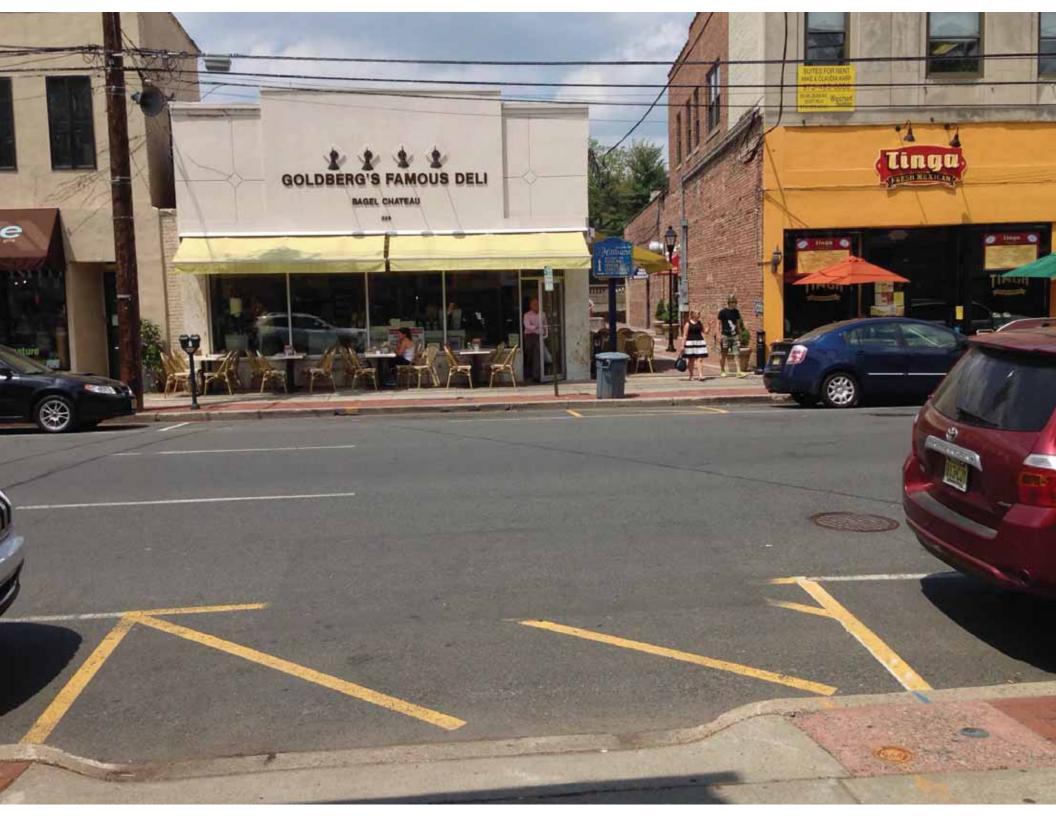
















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#### **Integrated Design Process**

#### **Complete Streets Working Group**

#### **Core Group**

Committee Representatives (2)

Business Administrator (1)

Township Engineer (1)

Police Department - Traffic Division (2)

#### Expanded Group

Department of Public Works

Fire Department

Downtown Millburn organization (DMDA)

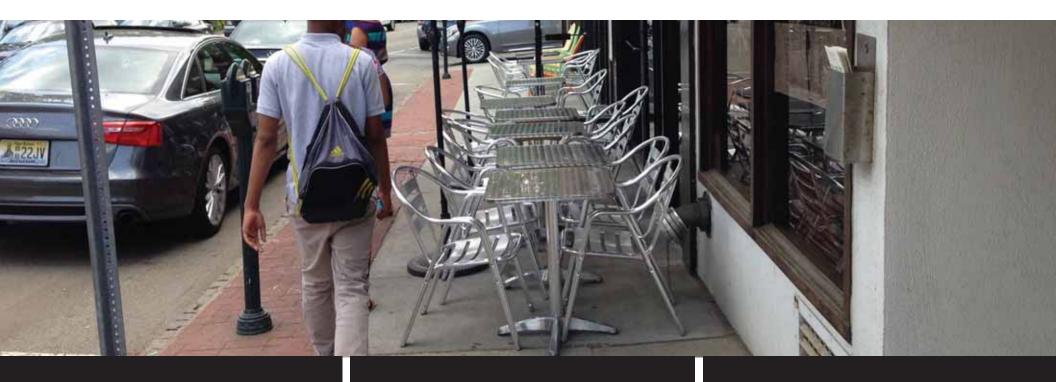
#### Stakeholder Group

Business Representatives Residents Emergency Services

#### **Public Engagement**

#### The Complete Streets Initiative

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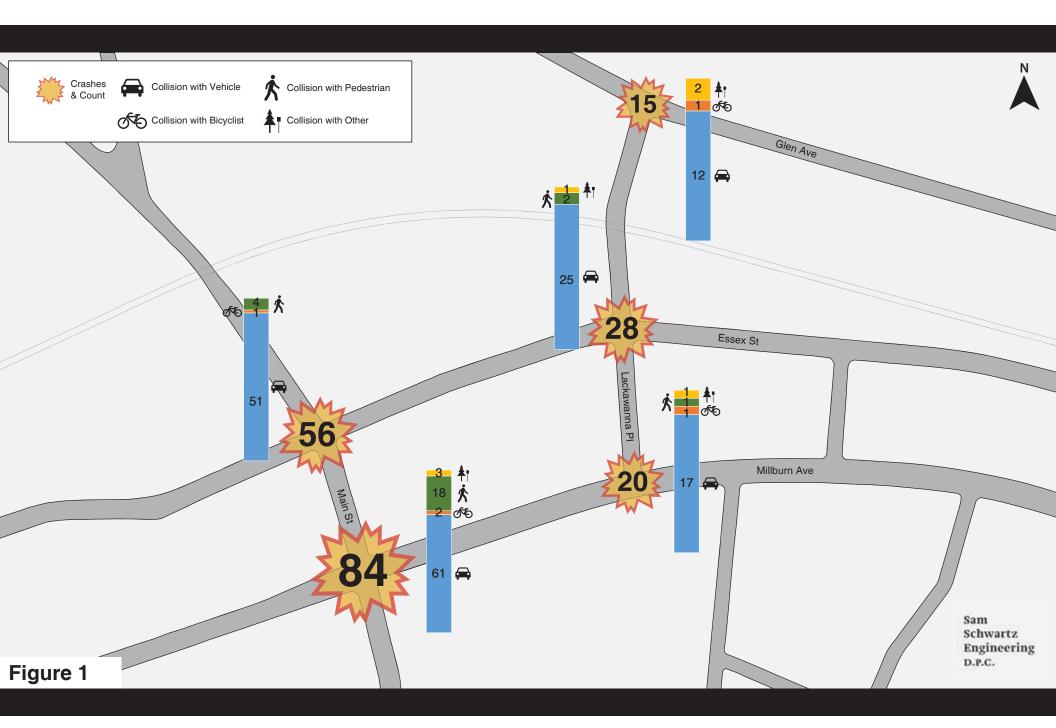


Create a safe environment for pedestrians

Improve vehicular circulation & access

Support the needs of adjacent stores & restaurants

#### **Data Collection and Traffic Study (2012-2015)**



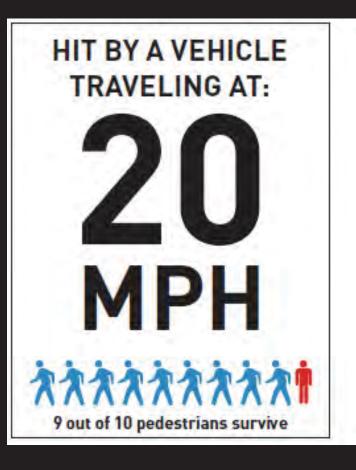
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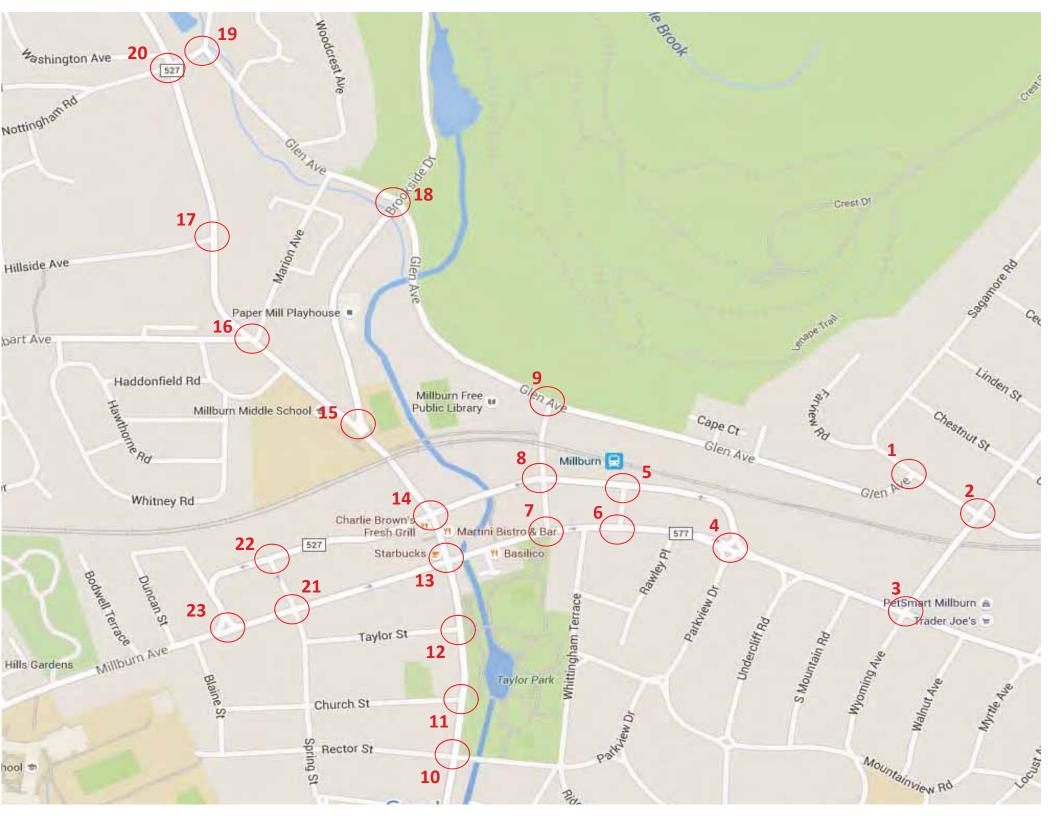


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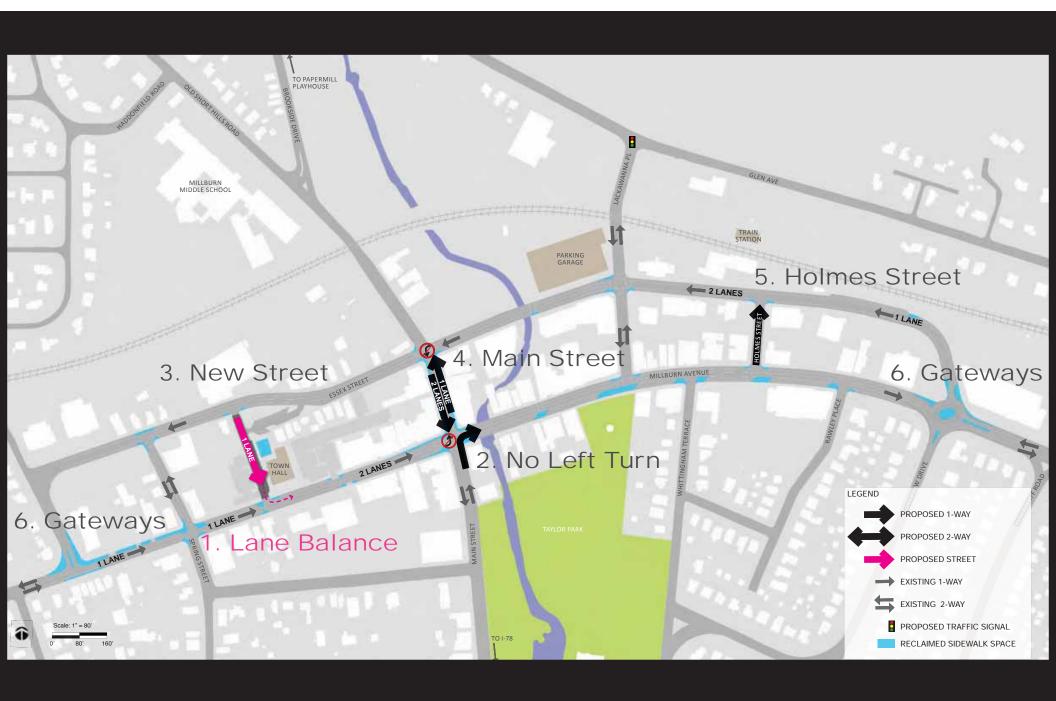
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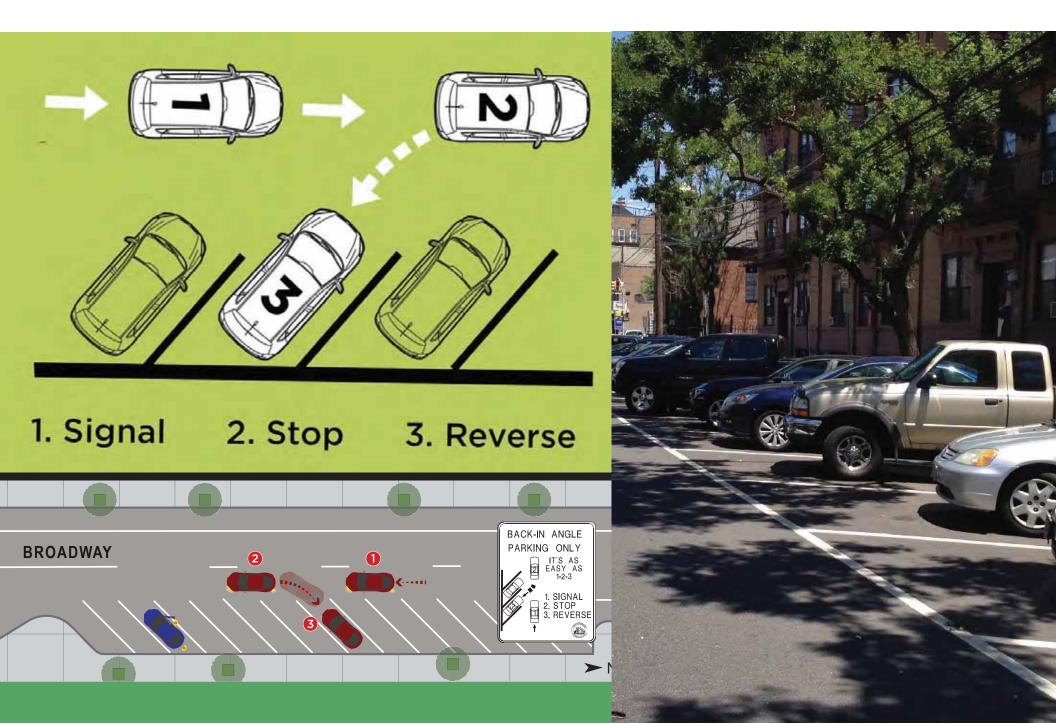
## **Pedestrian Safety**



#### **Circulation & Access**



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## **Flexible Parking**













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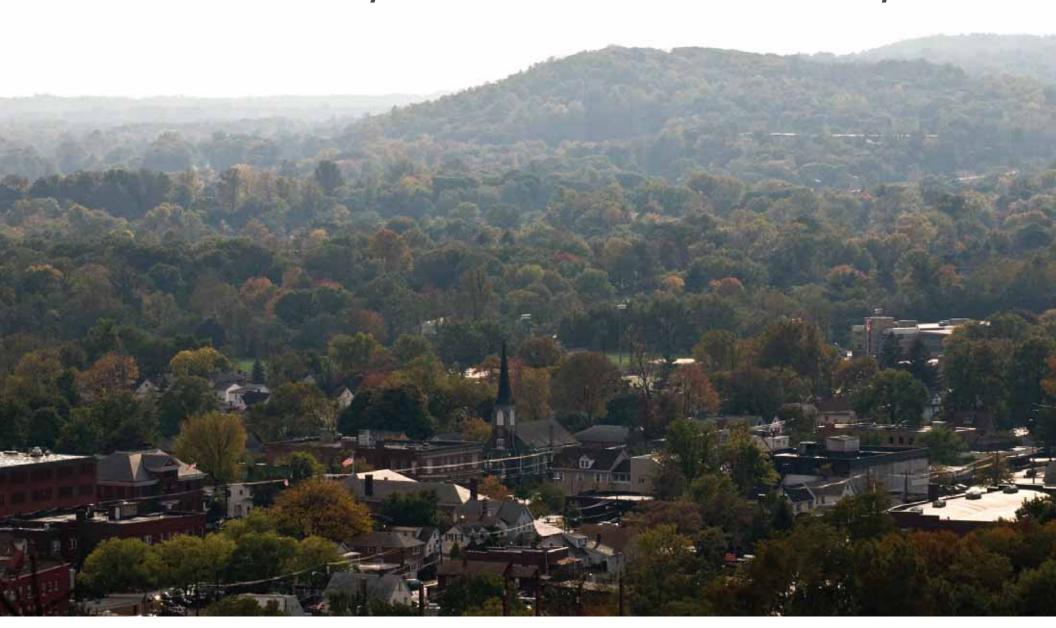
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# Downtown Millburn

"An Interpretive Landscape"



#### **Design Aesthetics**



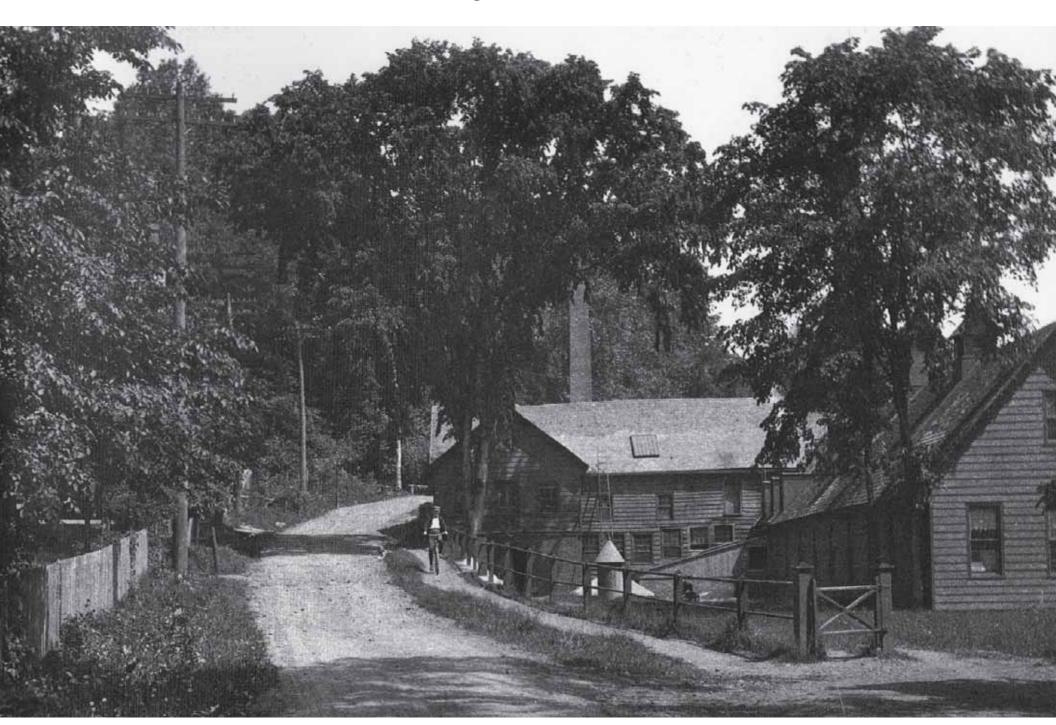
#### **Scenic Beauty**



## The Foot of the Watchung Mountains

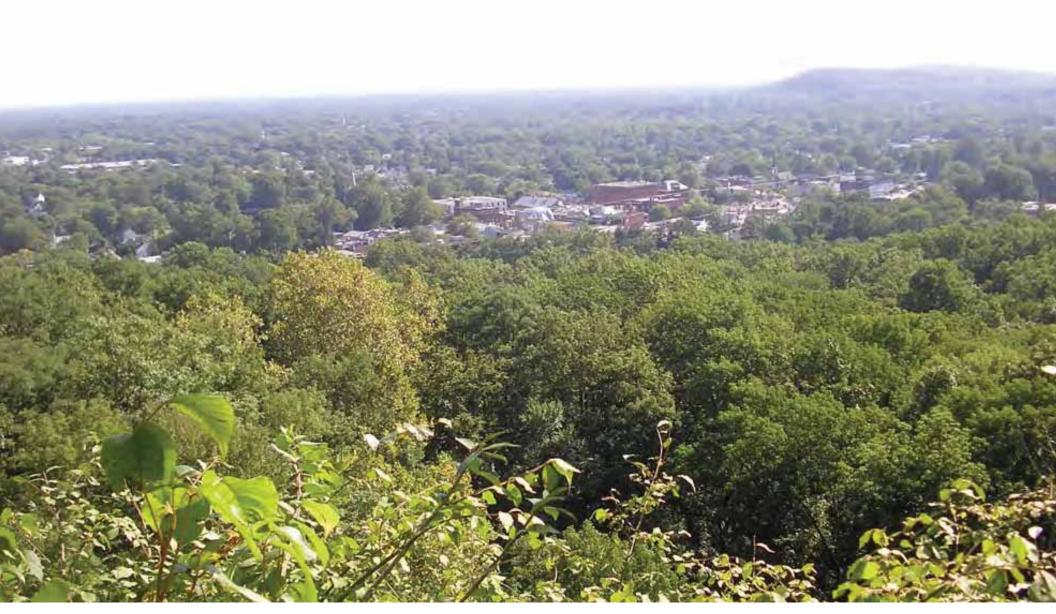


# Paper Mills





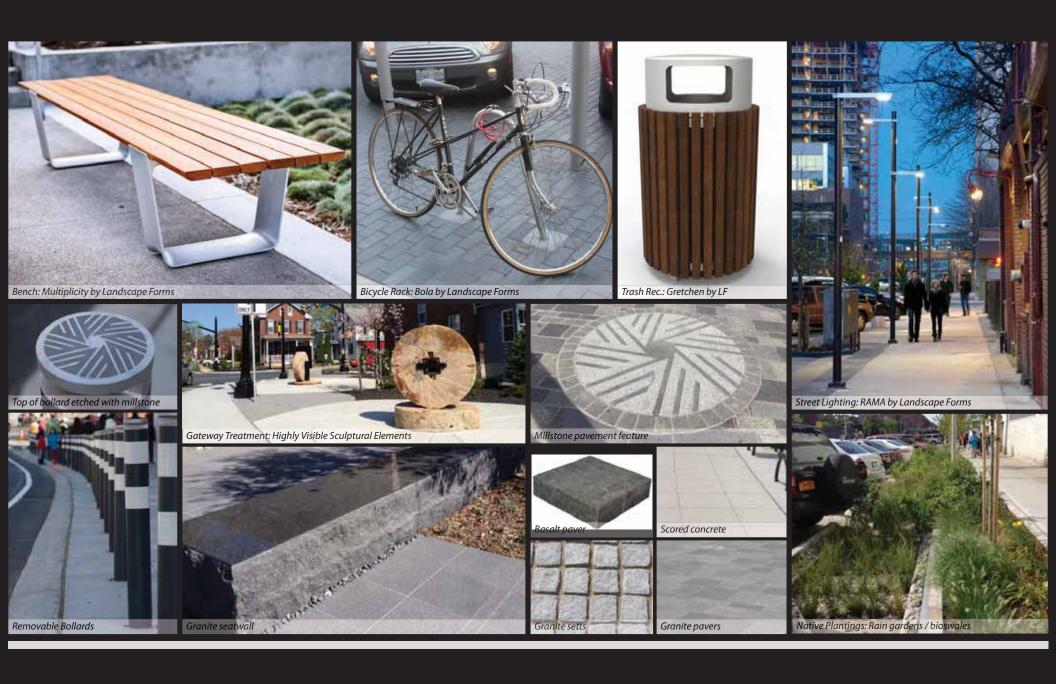
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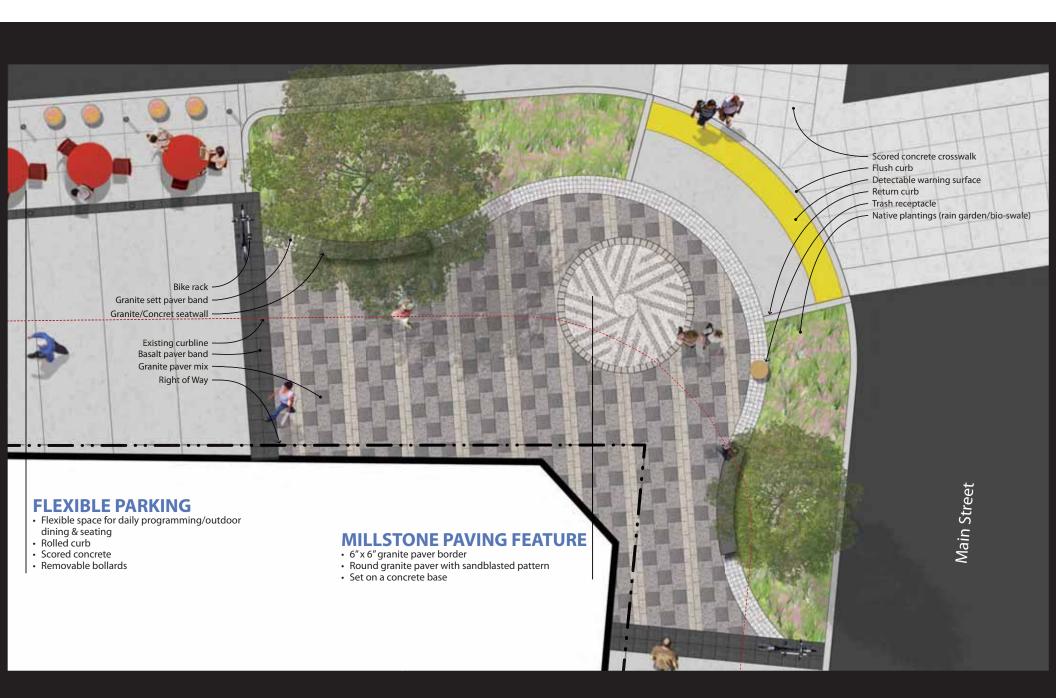


# **Lighthipe Quarry**



### **Materials & Furniture Palette**







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## **Construction: Key Considerations**

#### **Budget and Construction Costs**

- Know your numbers

#### **ADA Compliance**

- Understanding the new regulations

### **Acceptable Level of Disruption**

- Store Owners, School, Township Events
- Seasonality and timing

#### **Public / Storeowner Coordination**

- Prior to and during construction

#### **Unforeseen Issues**

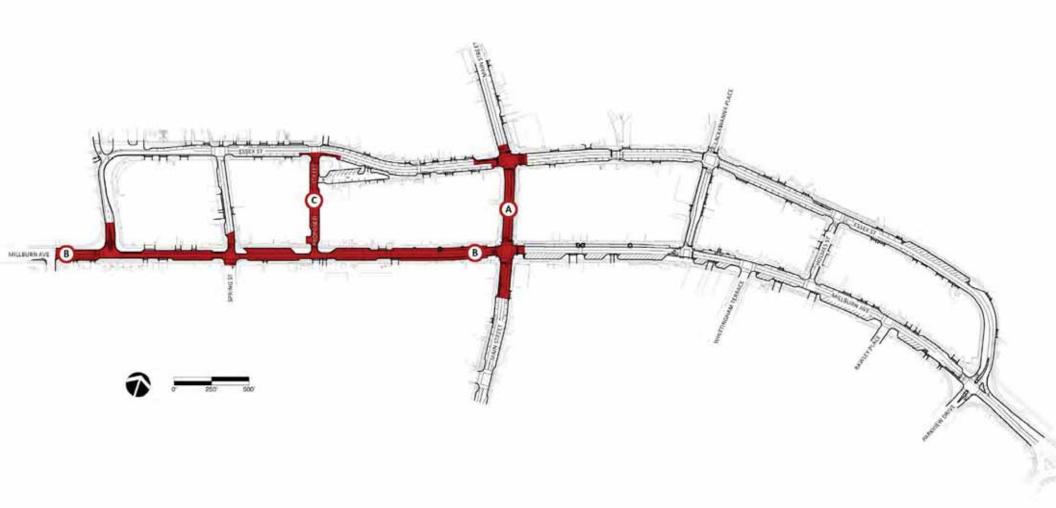
- Below grade conditions
- Weather

### **Overdue Utility Upgrades**

- Water, gas, sewer







Phase 1: Summer / Fall 2016





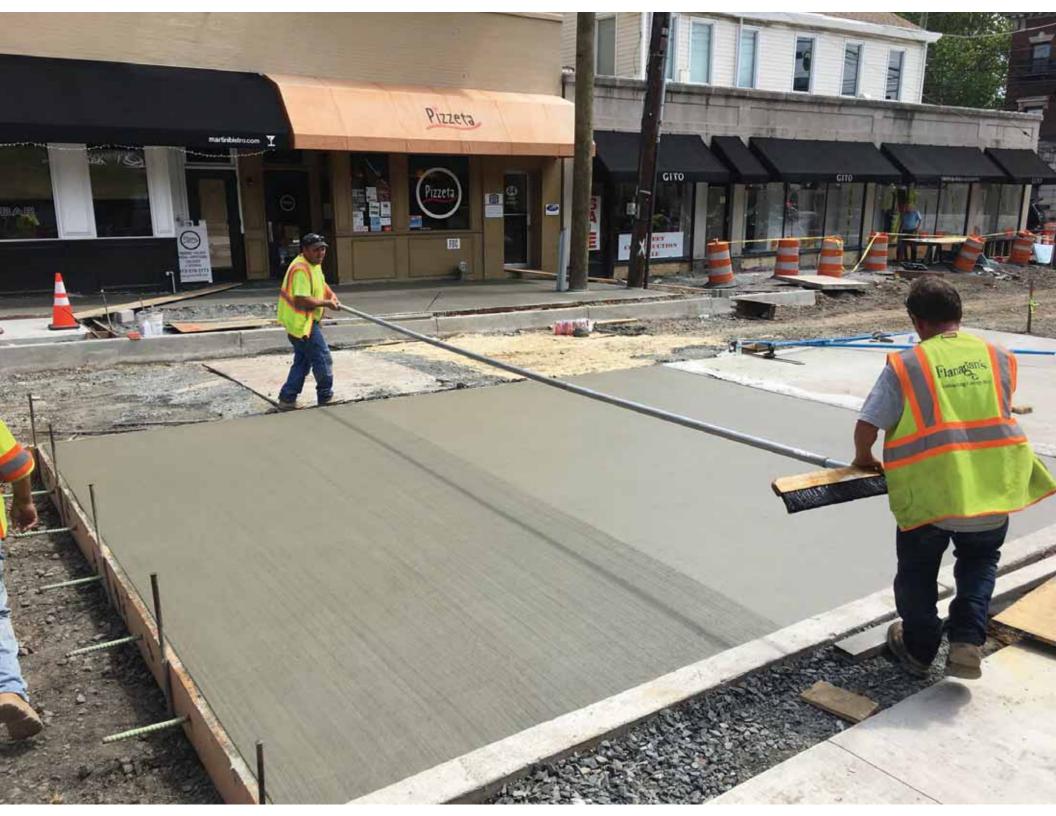






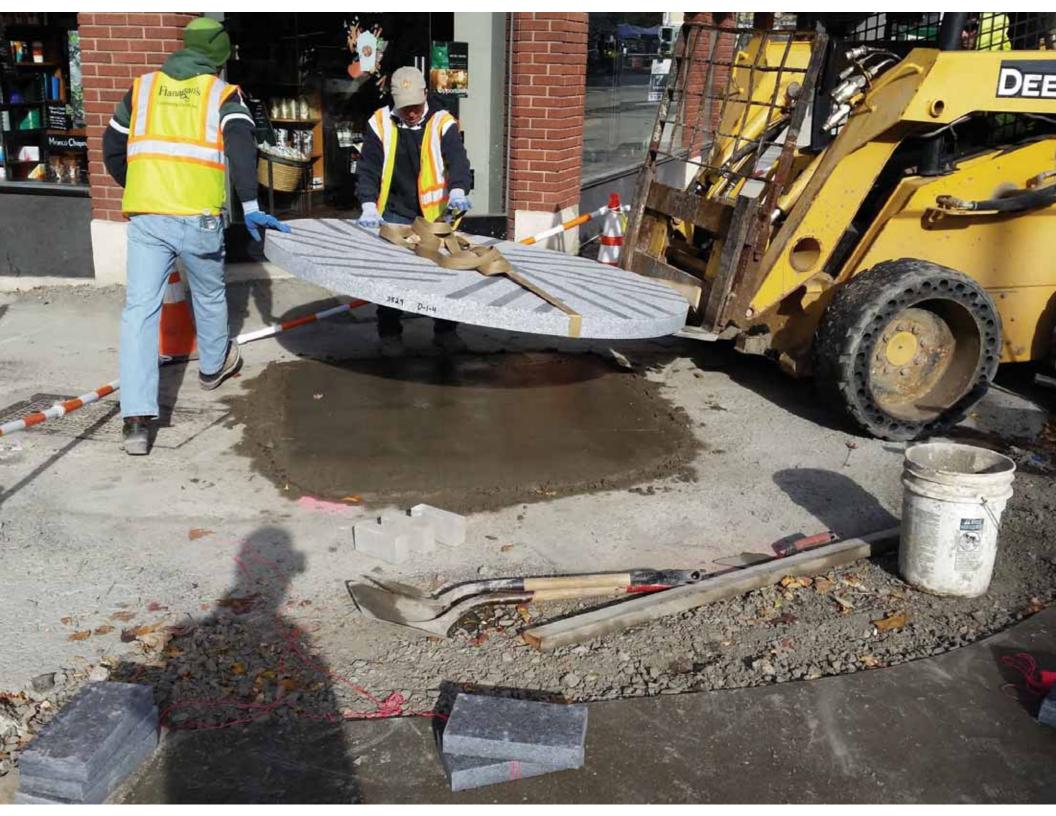
















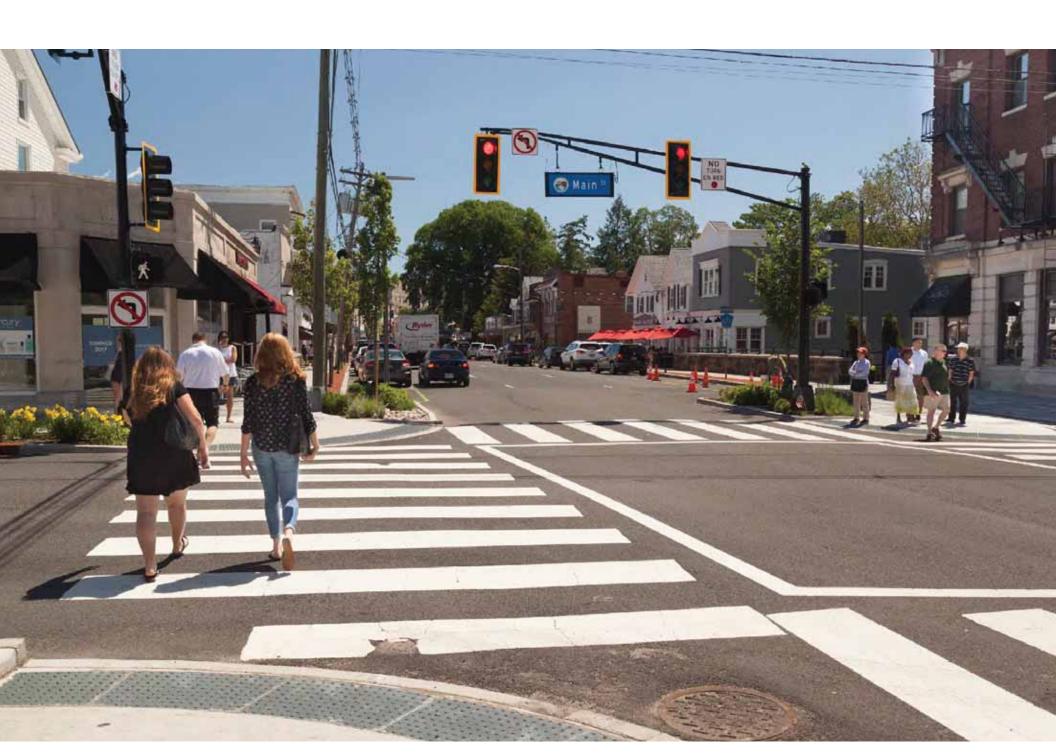




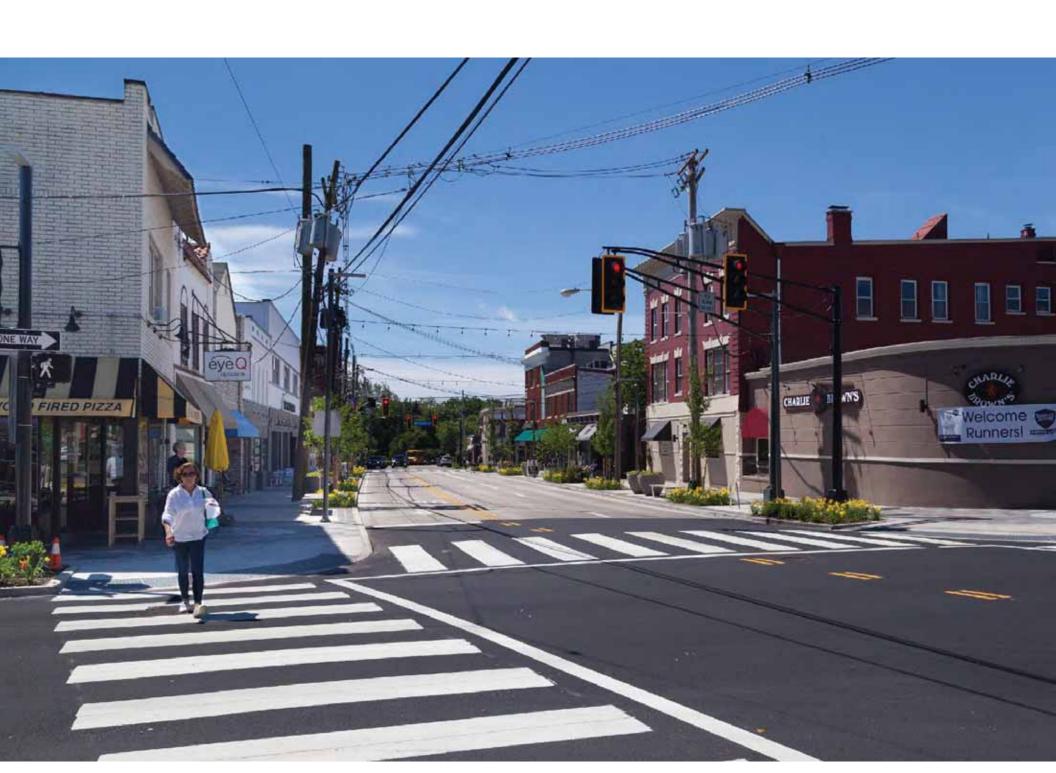
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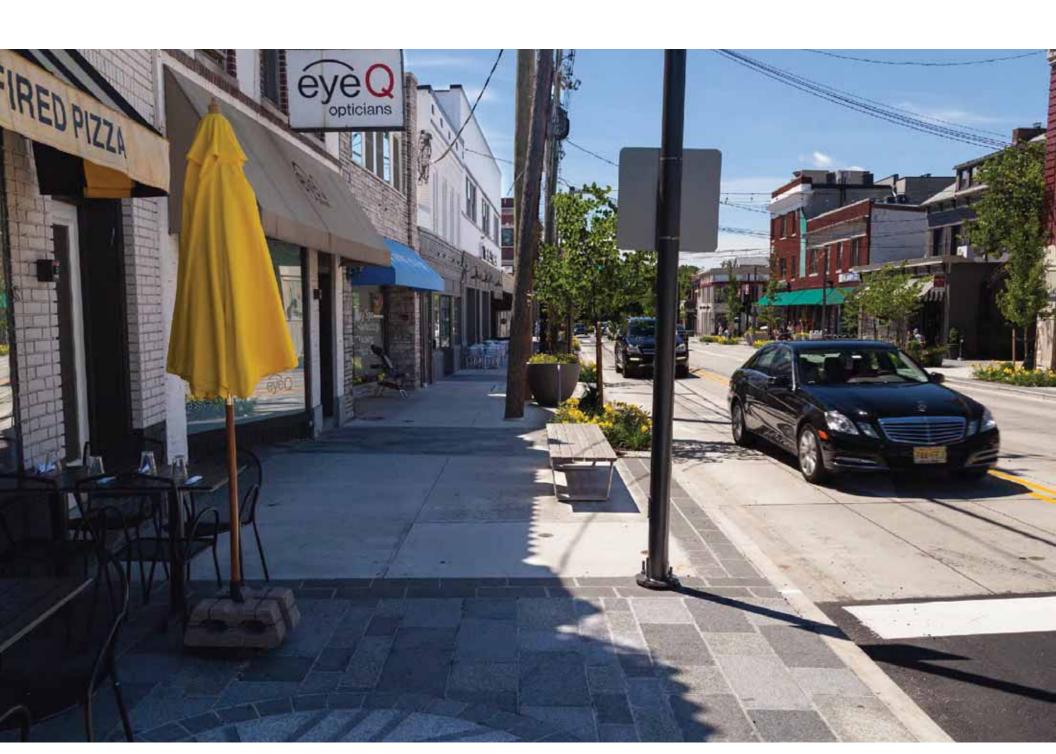


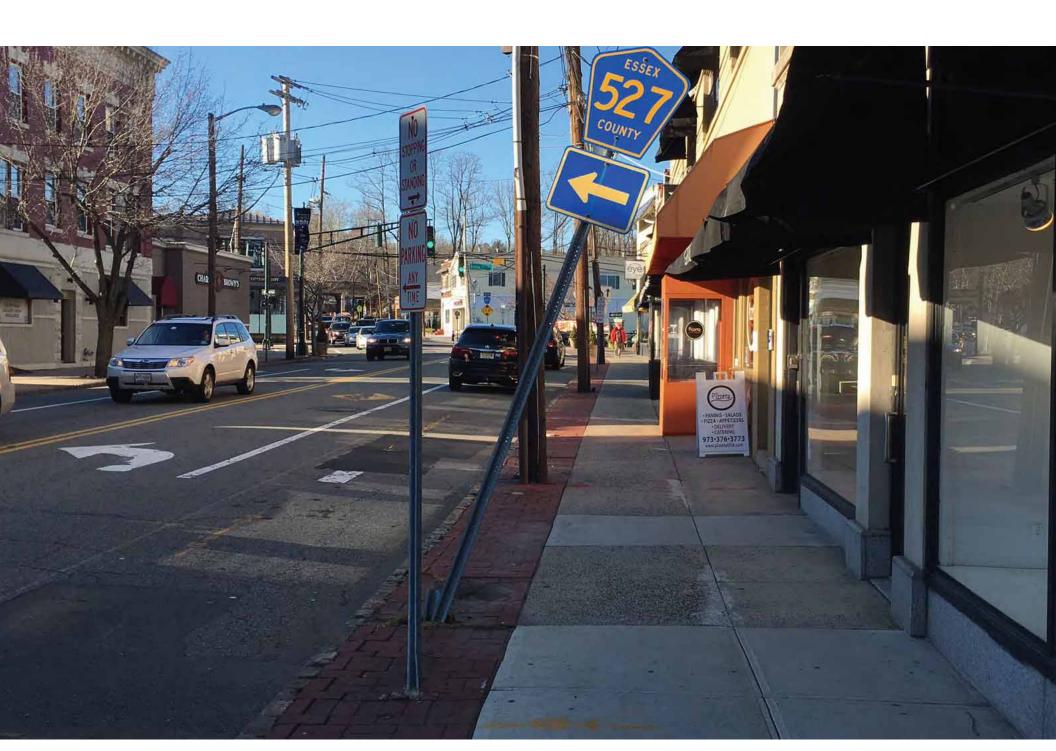


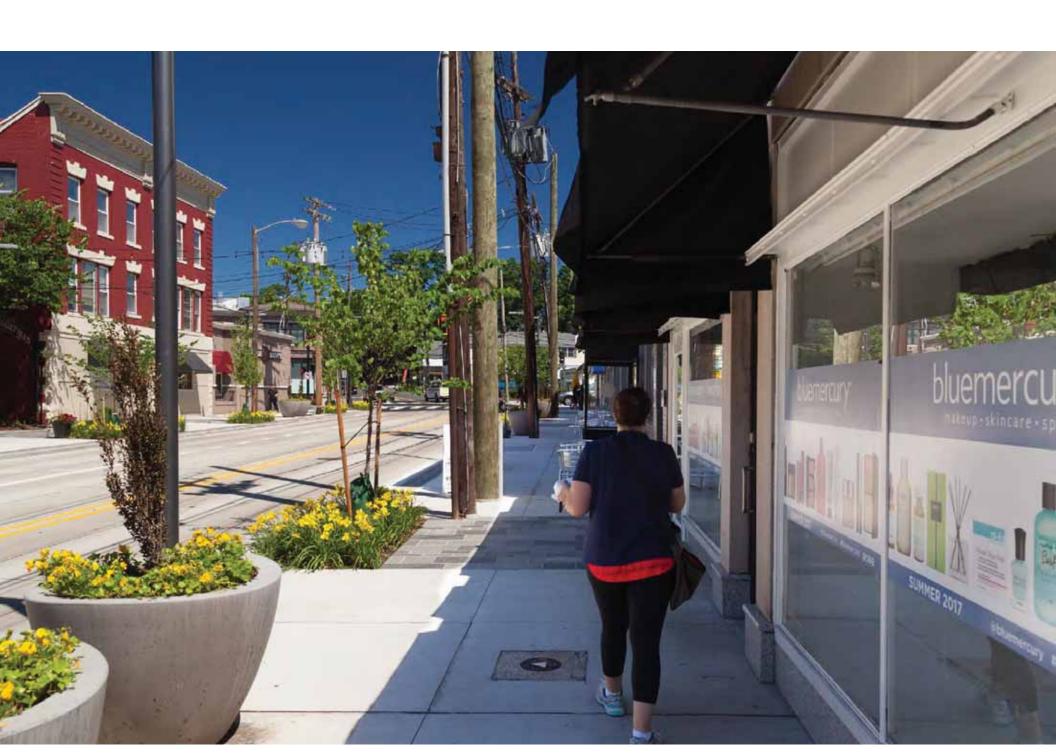


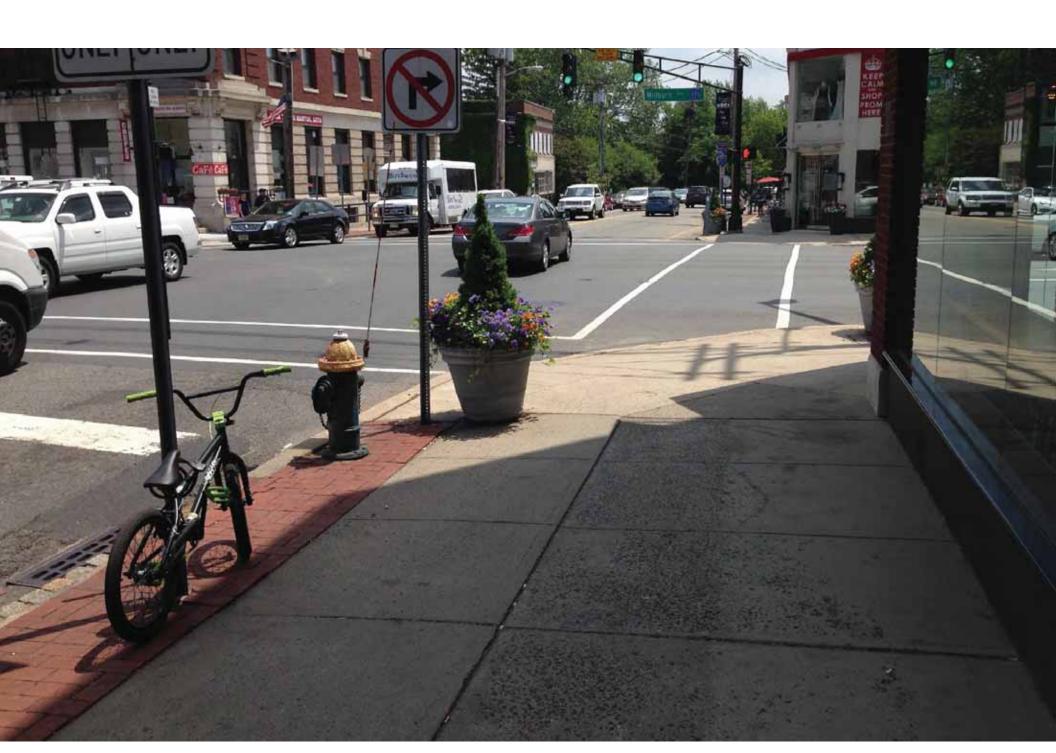


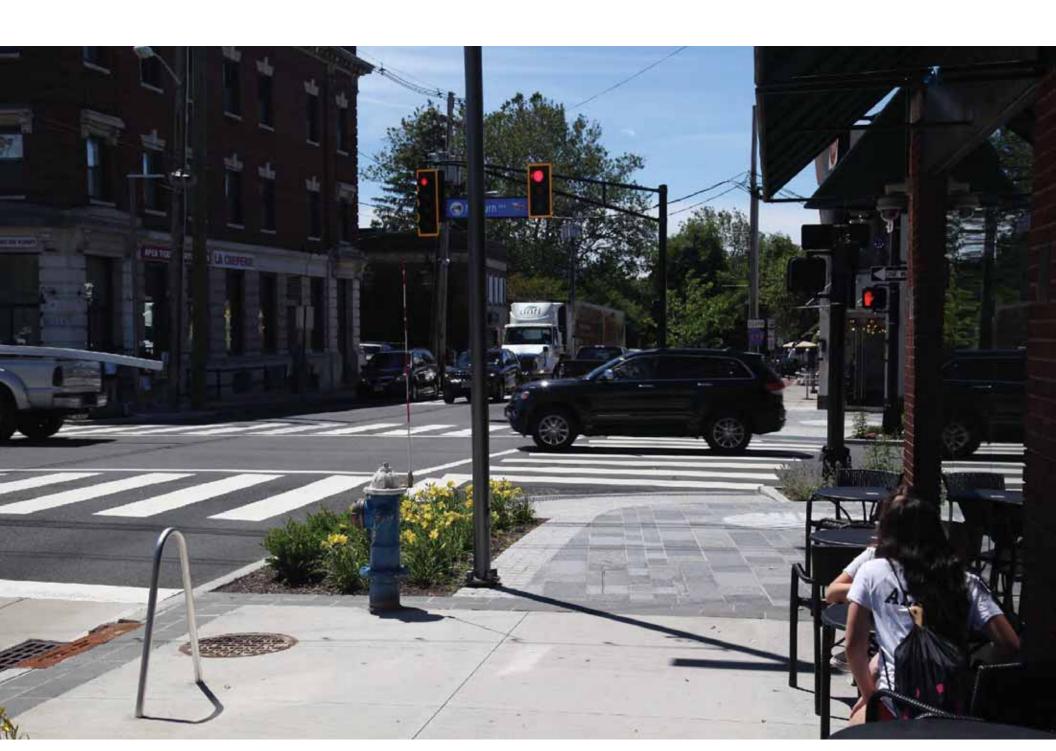


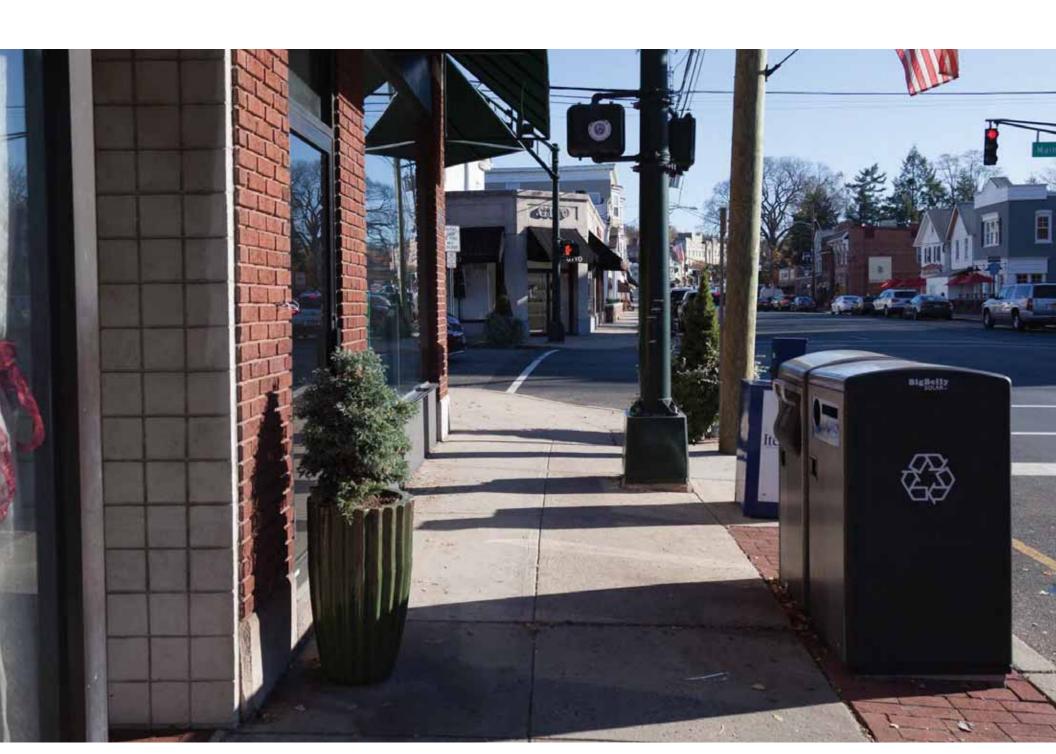


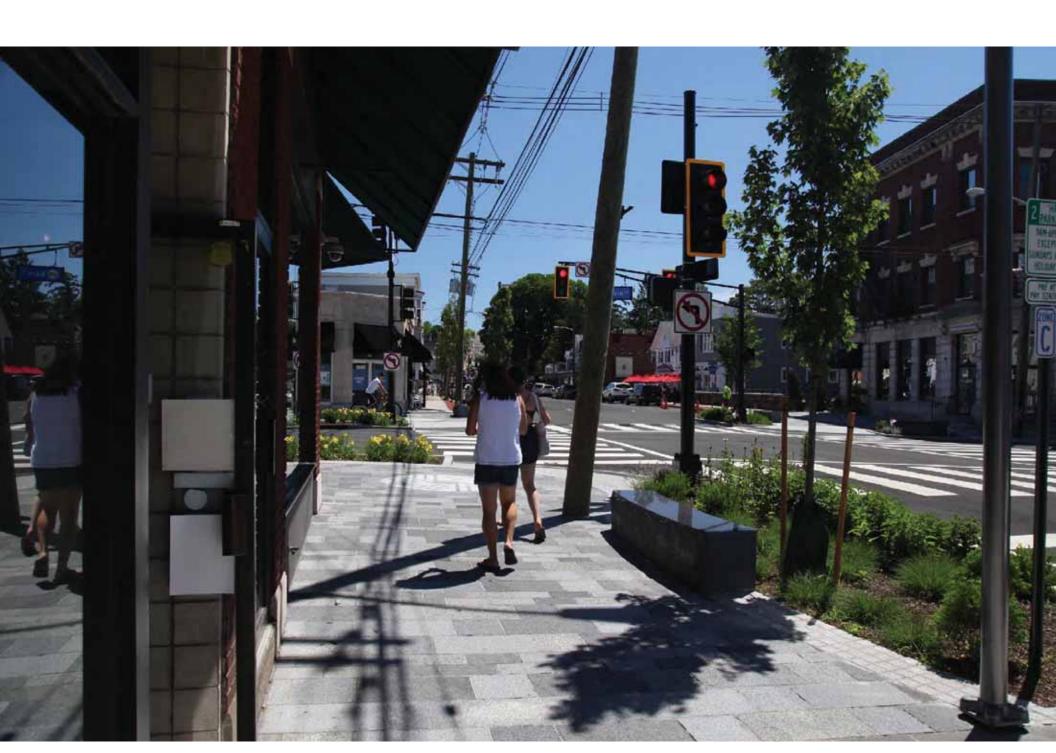




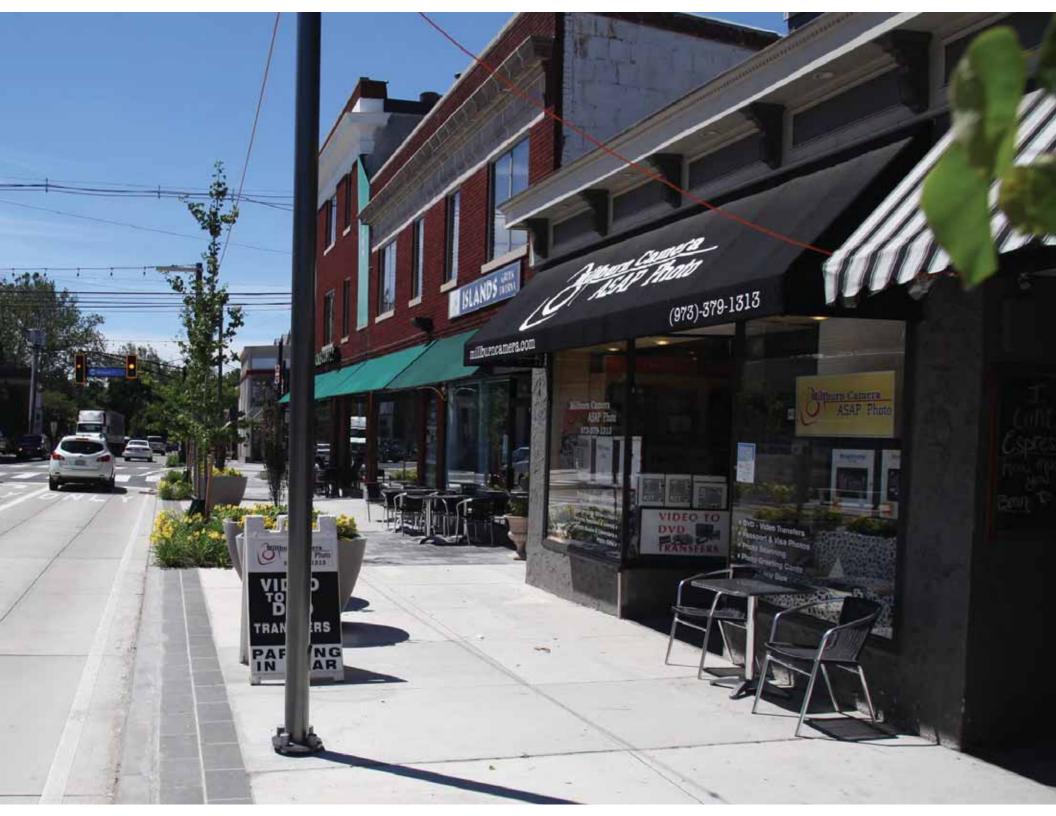




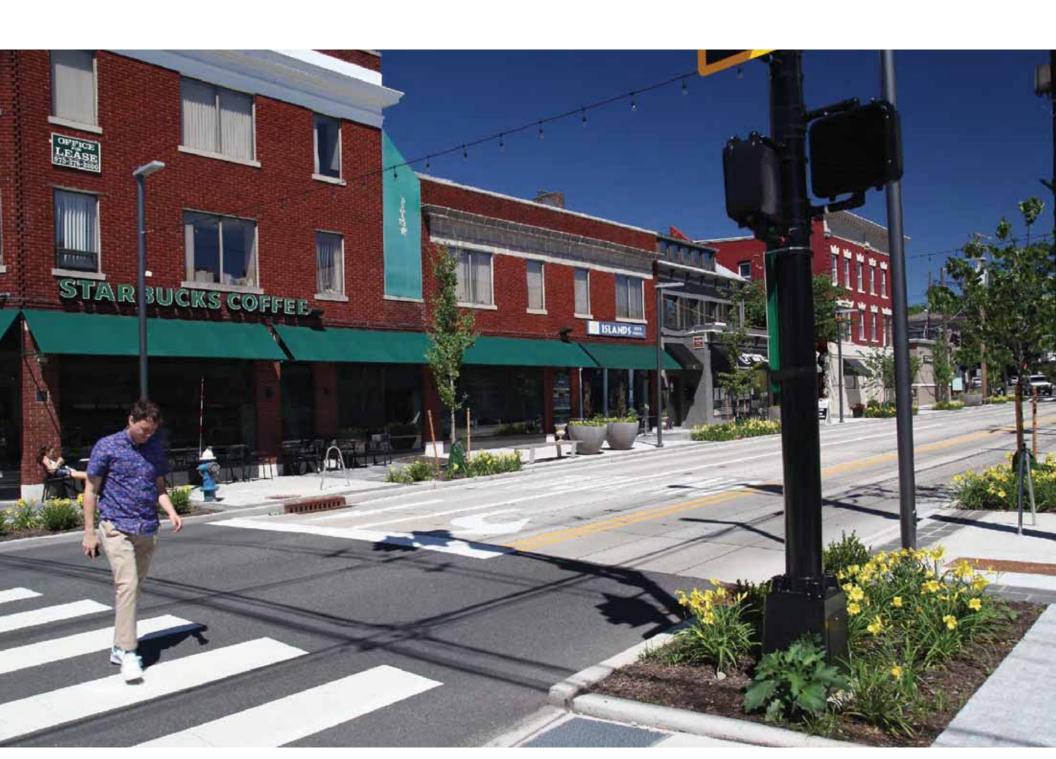




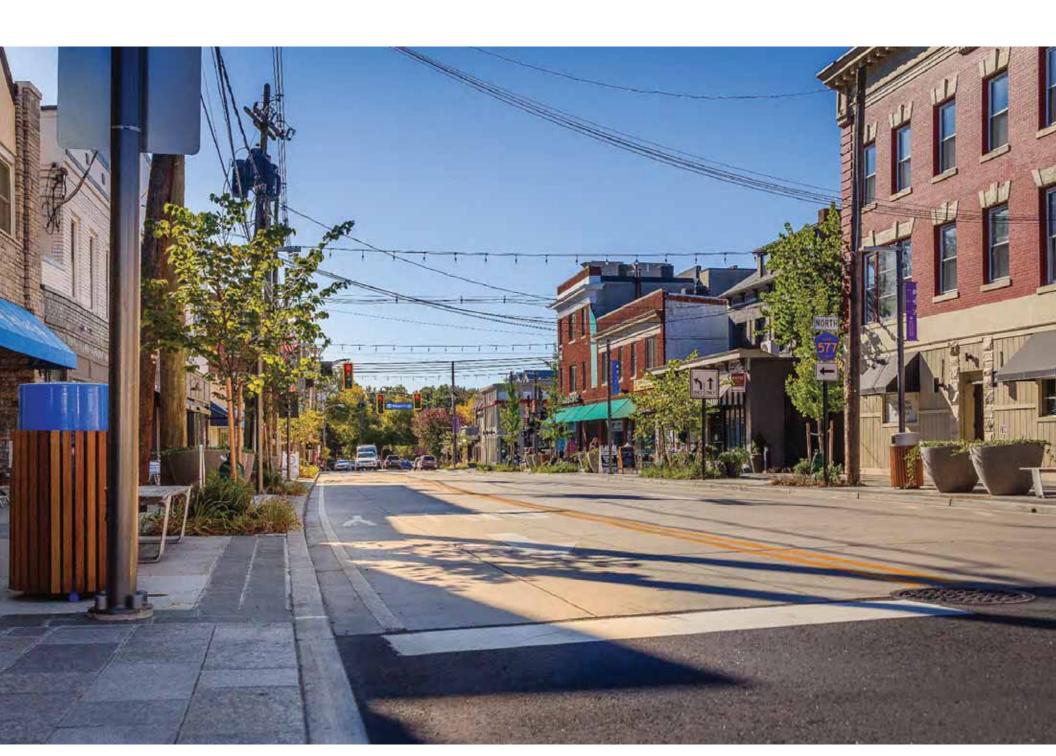


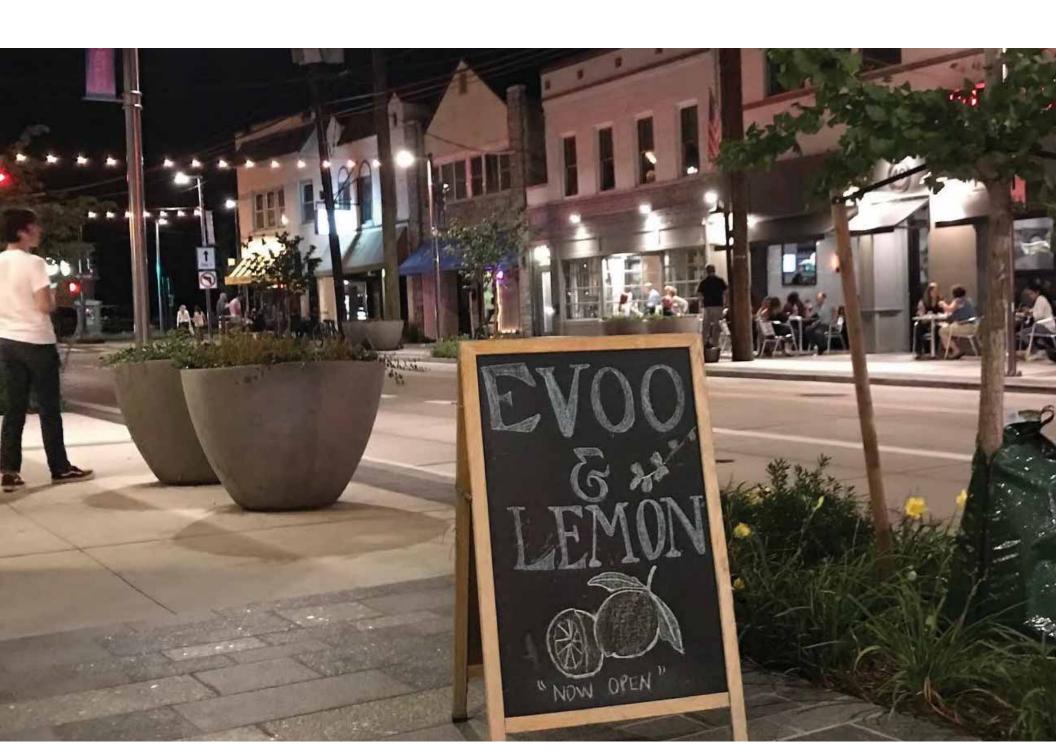


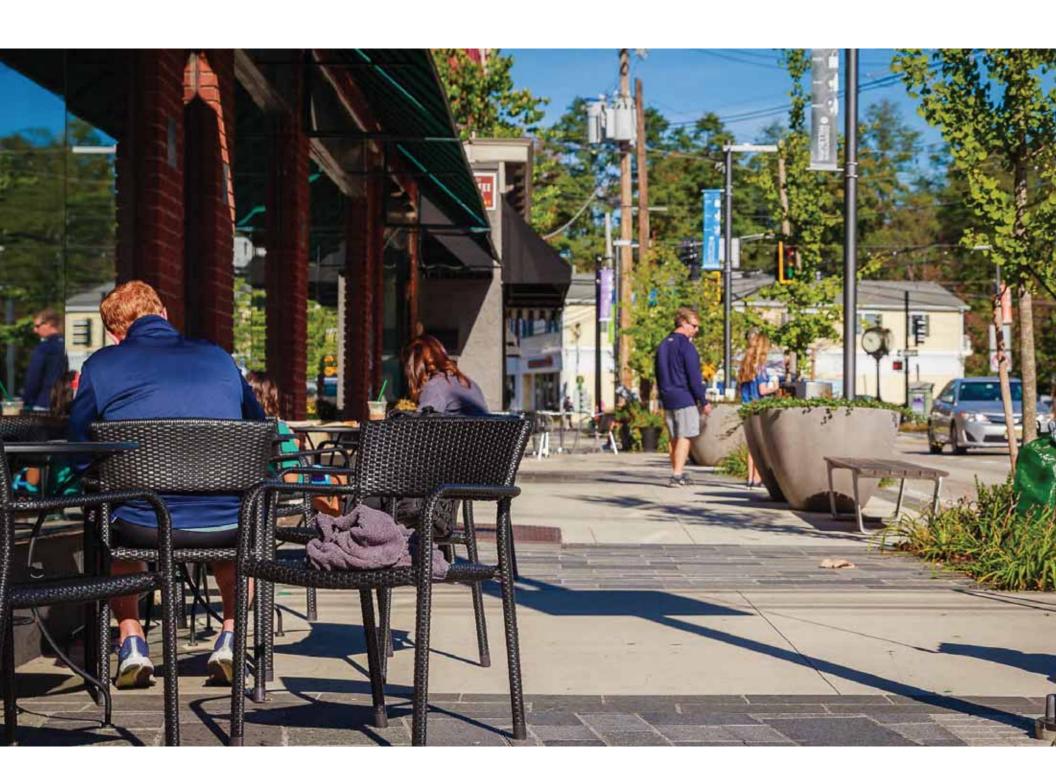


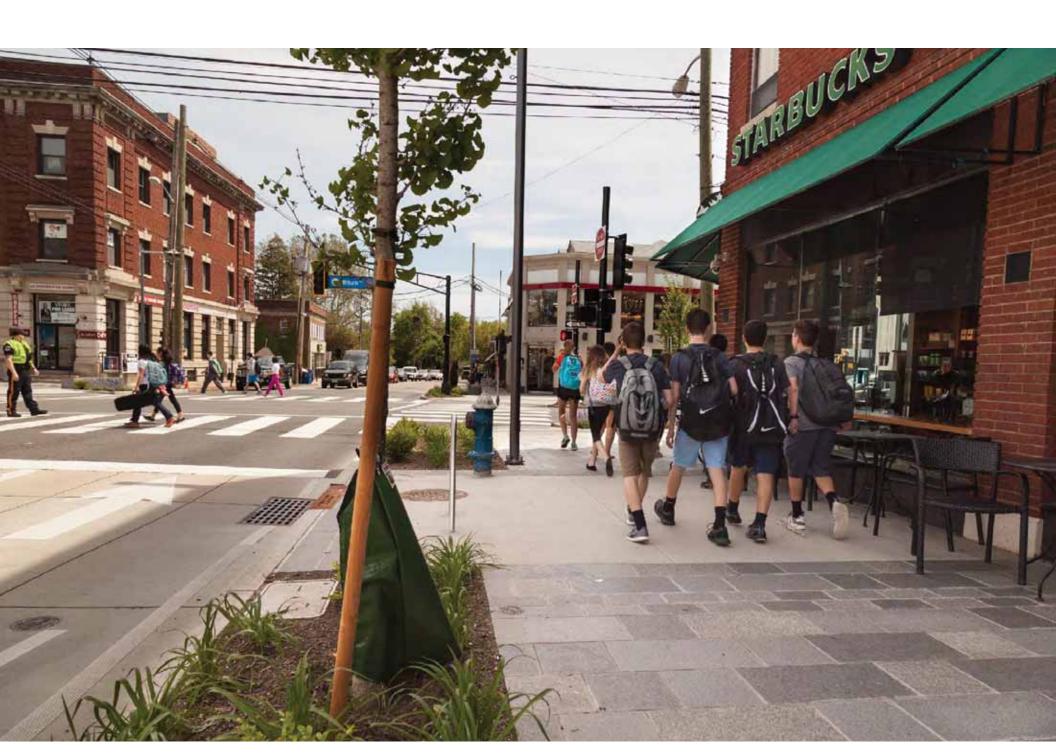


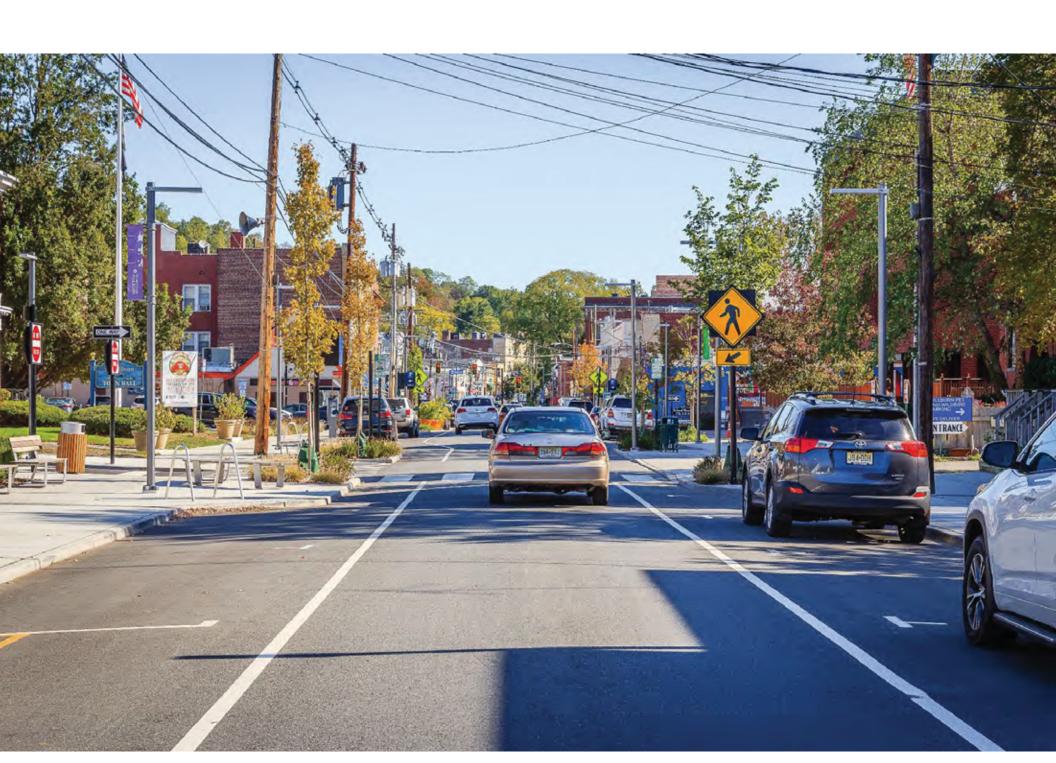


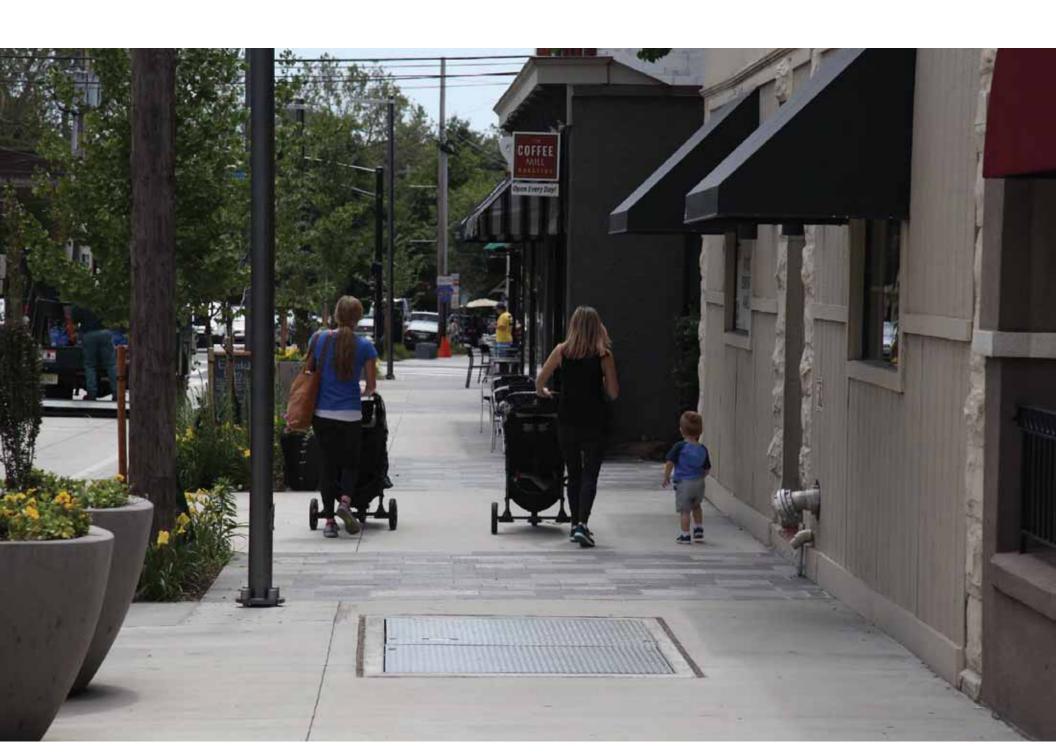


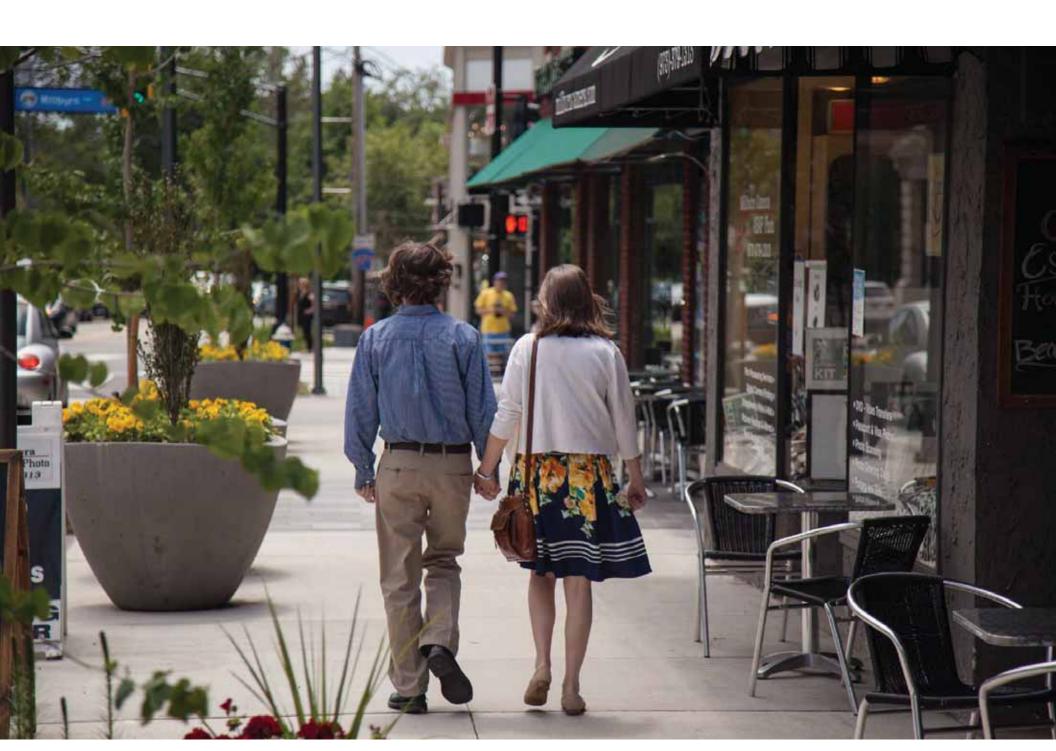


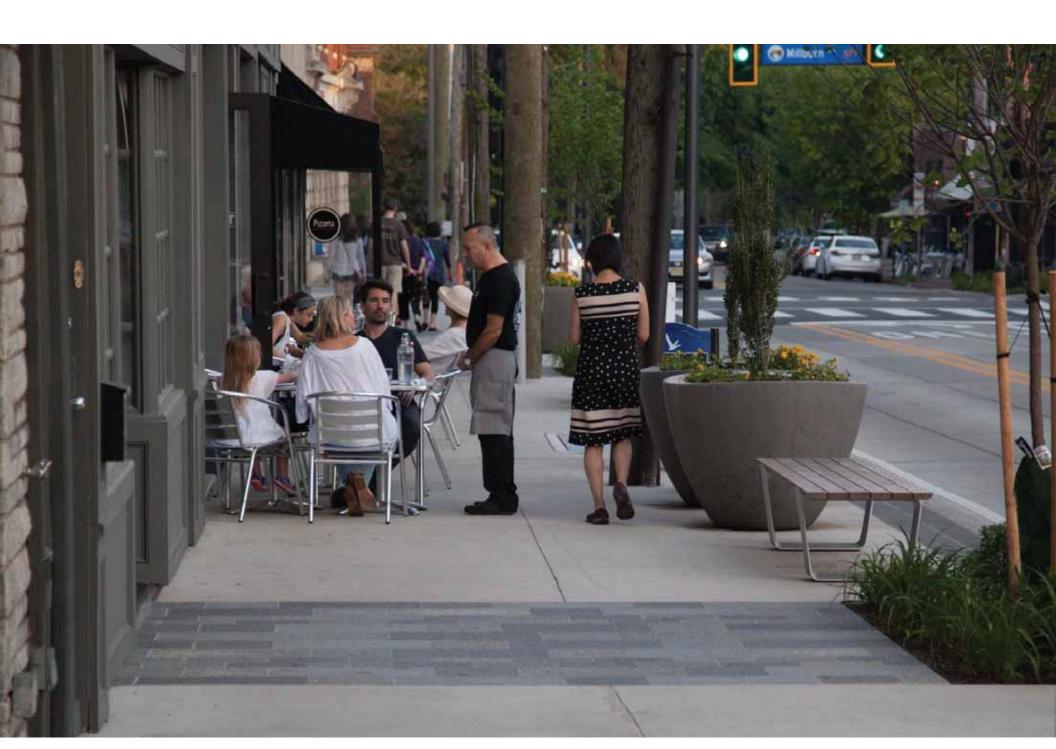








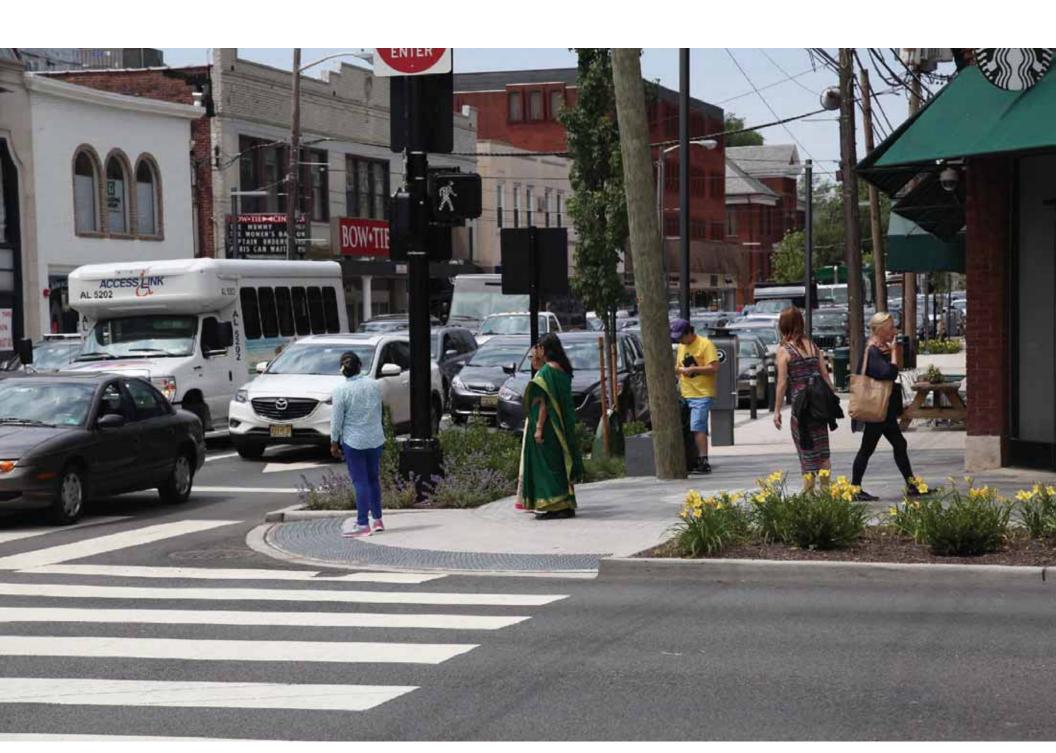


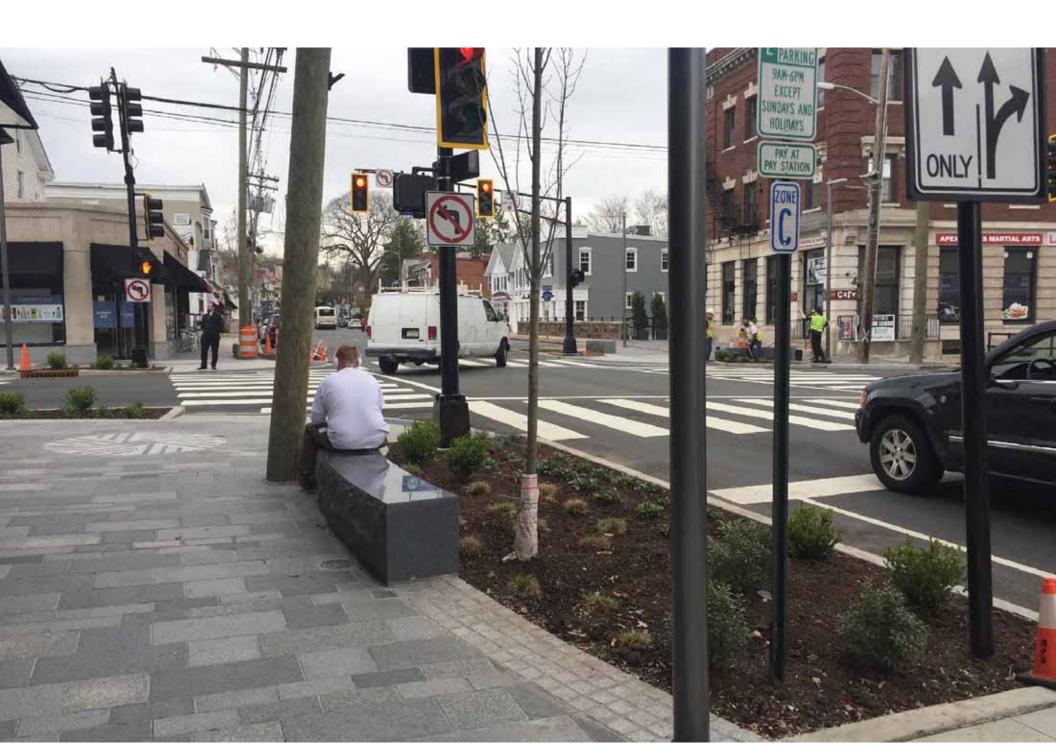


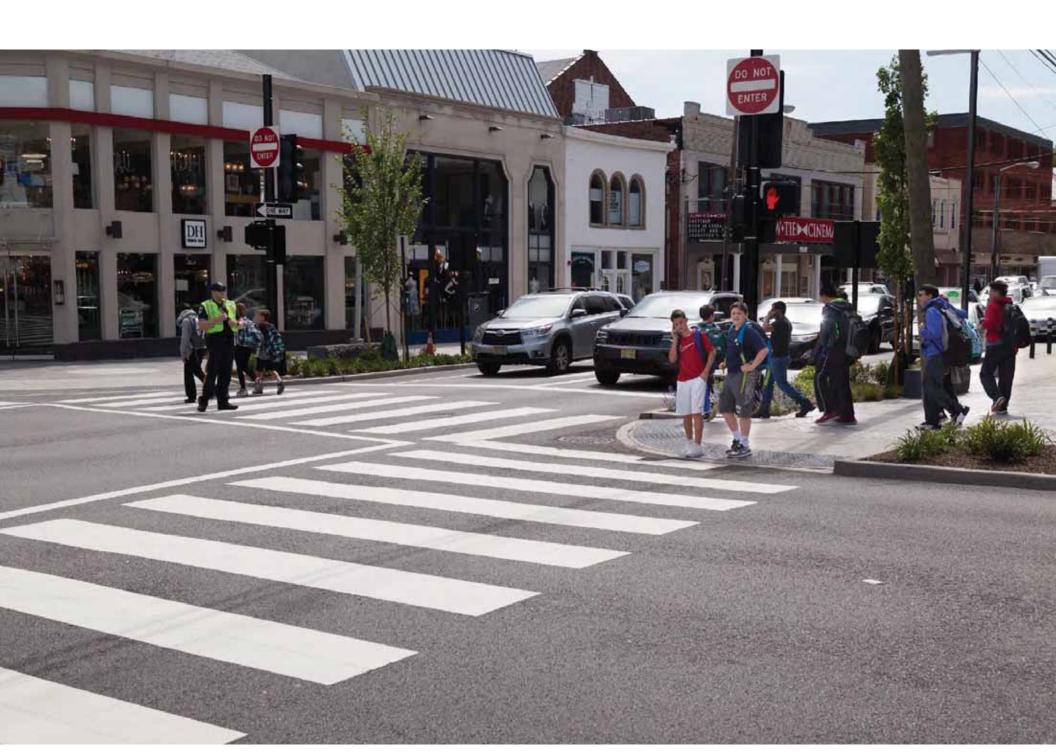




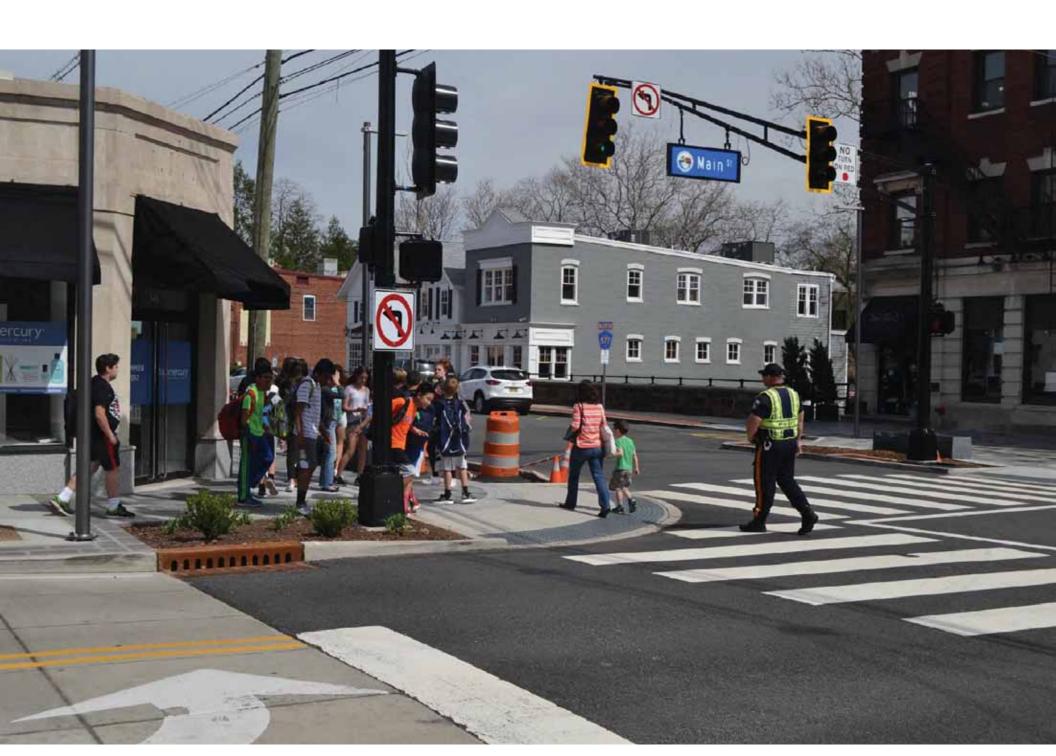




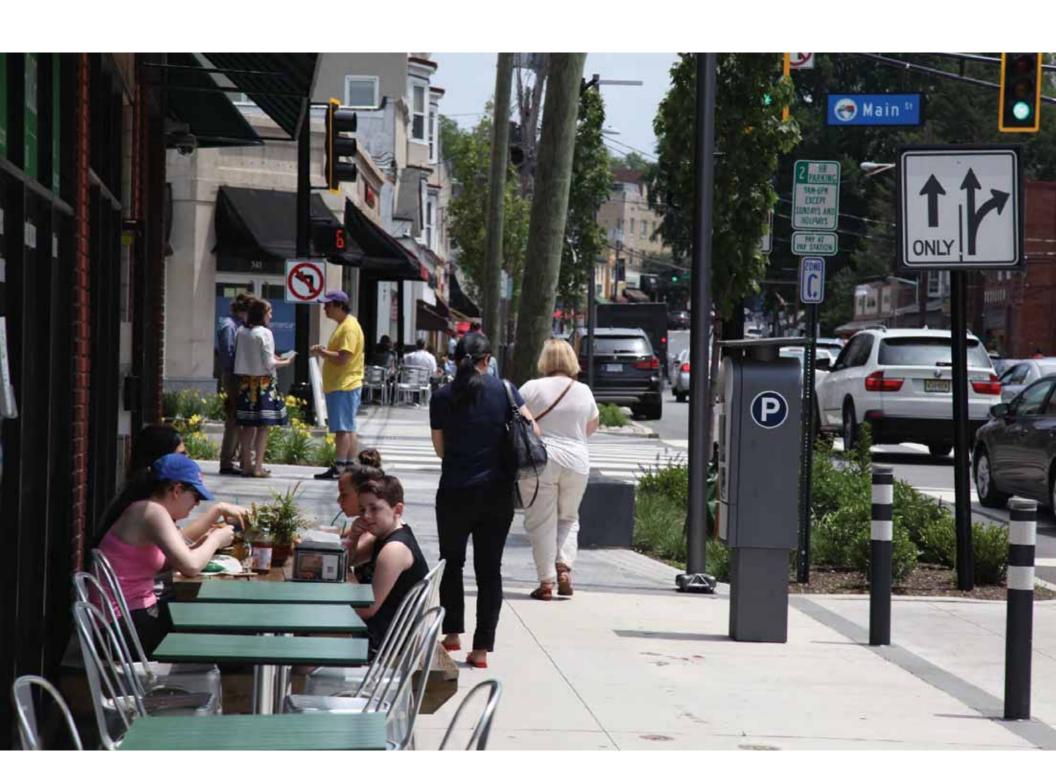
















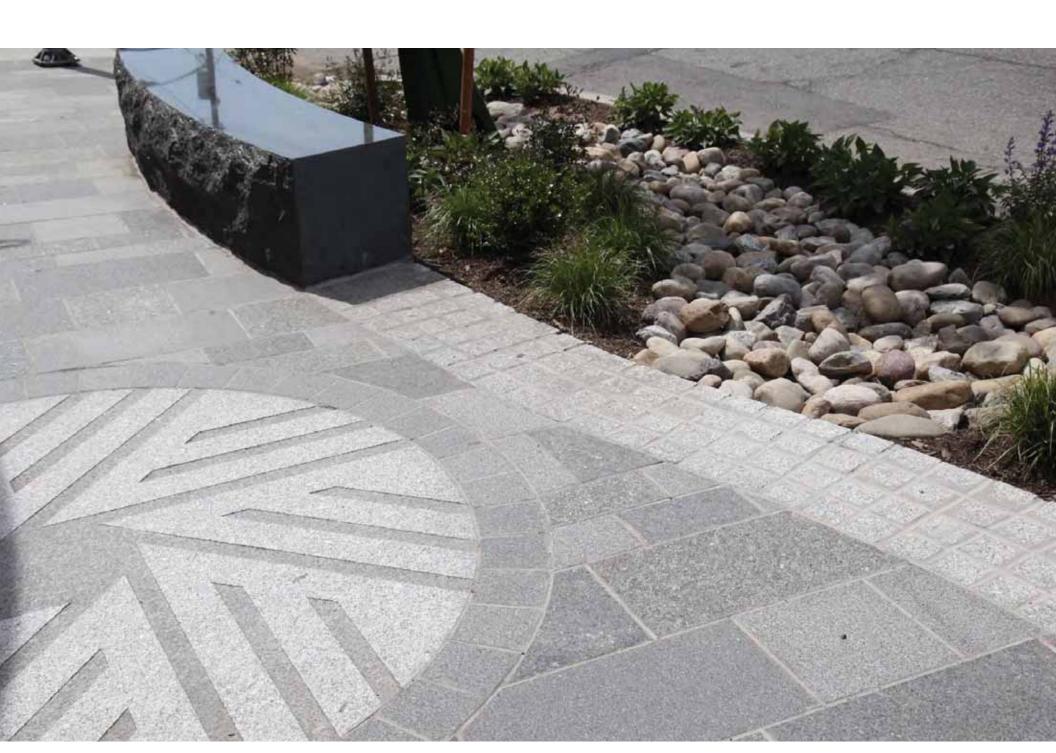




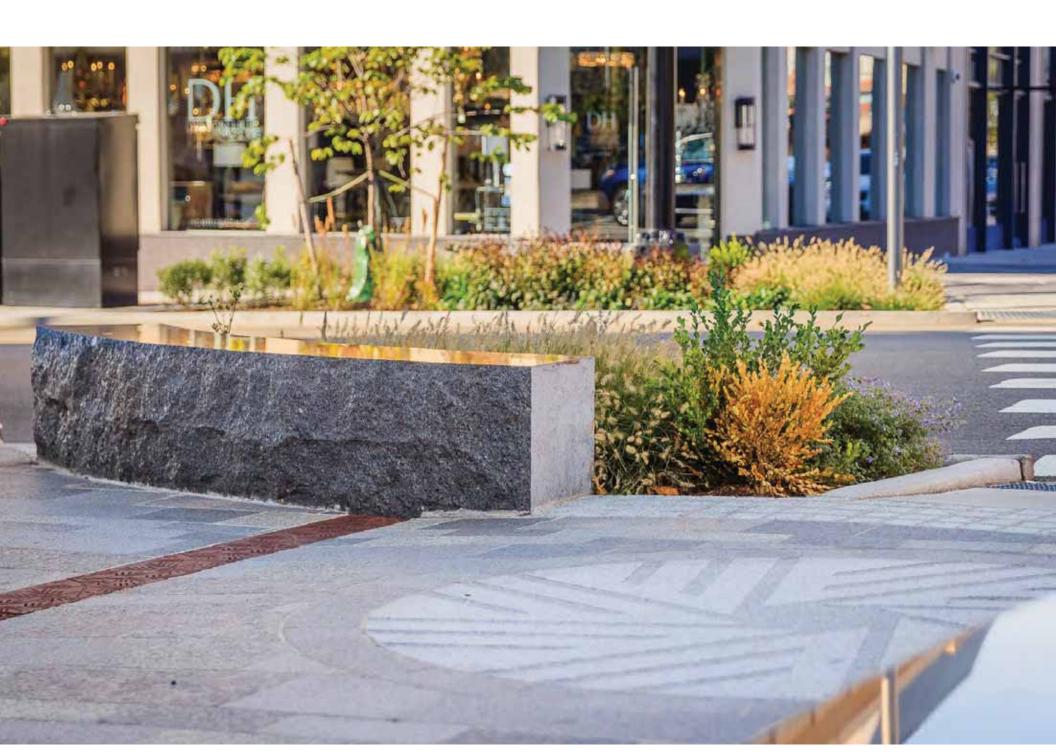












# **Top Concerns Raised\*:**

**Curb Bump-Outs** 

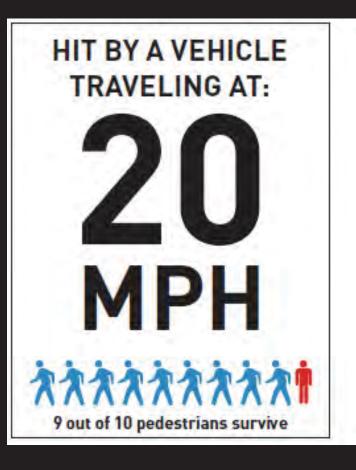
**Emergency Vehicles** 

Flexible Parking

**Traffic Congestion / Restriction** 

**Cut-through Traffic** 

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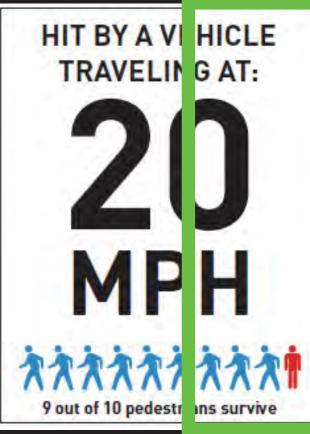
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AVERAGE SPEED

#### TRAFFIC CALMING RESULTS



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POSTED AVERAGE
SPEED SPEED
25MPH 28MPH

## Results\*:

Parking Transaction increased by +/- 7% from prior years

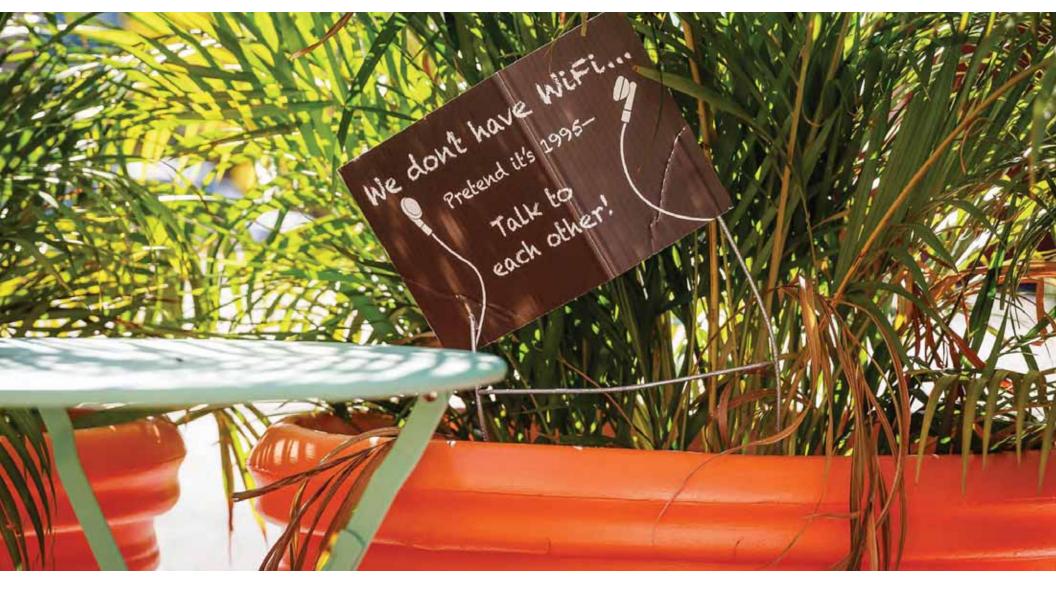
**New retail** has opened including regional retailers Blue Mercury and Playa Bowls.

Average travel speeds in the downtown have been measured at 26mph and 28mph (85th percentile).

Pedestrian related crashes have decreased 58%

Vehicular related crashes have decreased 38%

\*Statistics provided by Millburn Township





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