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N Macrum Ave Corridor Improvements

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

N Macrum Ave in St Johns is one of the widest streets in North Portland - in fact, it is the same width as nearby N Columbia Blvd. However, this street only carries less than 1,000 vehicles per day - just a small fraction of the 15,000 - 25,000 on N Columbia Blvd. N Macrum Ave is also the main point of entrance into a small residential area just north of N Columbia Blvd that is isolated from the rest of St Johns.

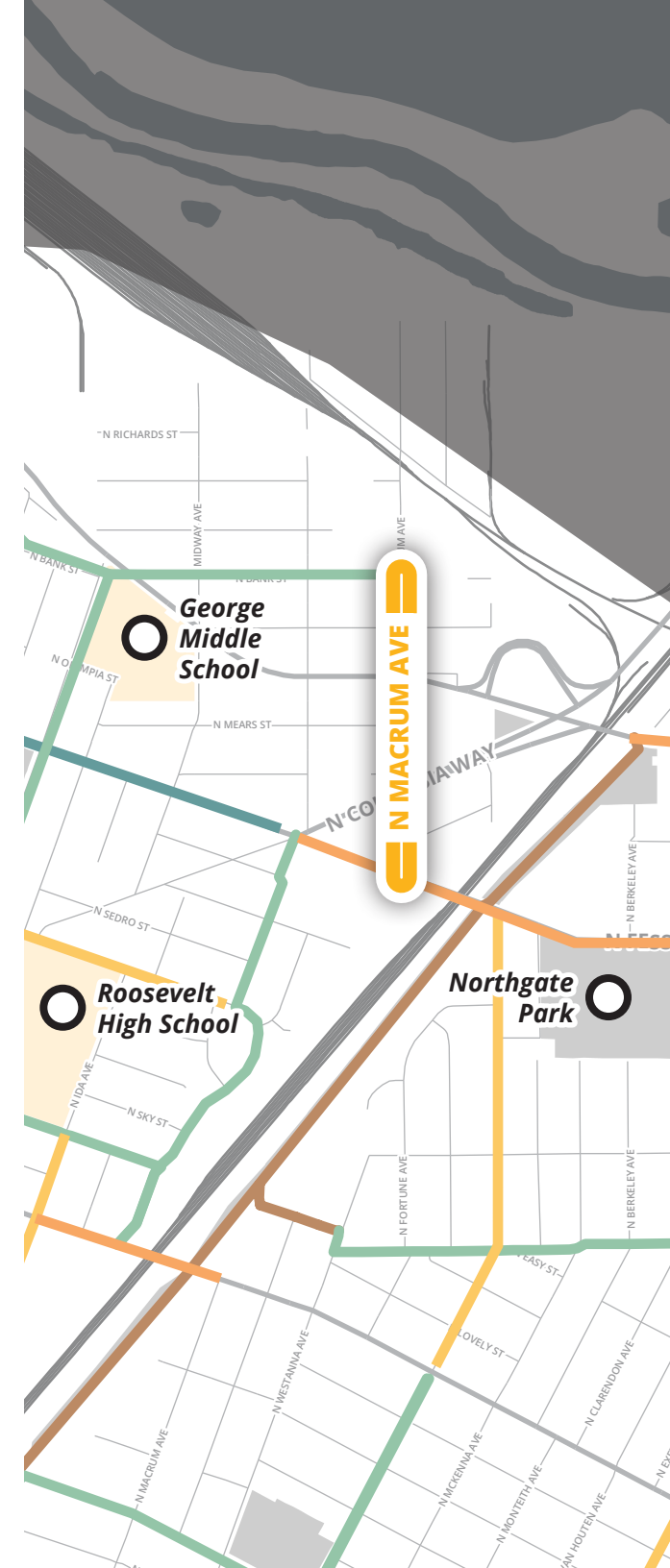
The width of the street, combined with low volumes of traffic presents a rare opportunity to reconfigure the layout of the street to add on-street parking, street trees, and high-quality buffered bike lanes connecting to bike routes on N Fessenden St and N Columbia Way. All of these improvements can be realized while still maintaining a travel lane in each direction and a center-turn lane. Additionally, this project would add a new crossing where N Macrum crossing N Columbia Way and include safety improvements at the intersections at N Columbia Blvd and N Columbia Way.



N Macrum Today



N Macrum and N Columbia Blvd



PROJECT ELEMENTS



BETTER BIKE ROUTES



BETTER CROSSINGS

ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS:

\$ low*
[varies greatly depending on scope]