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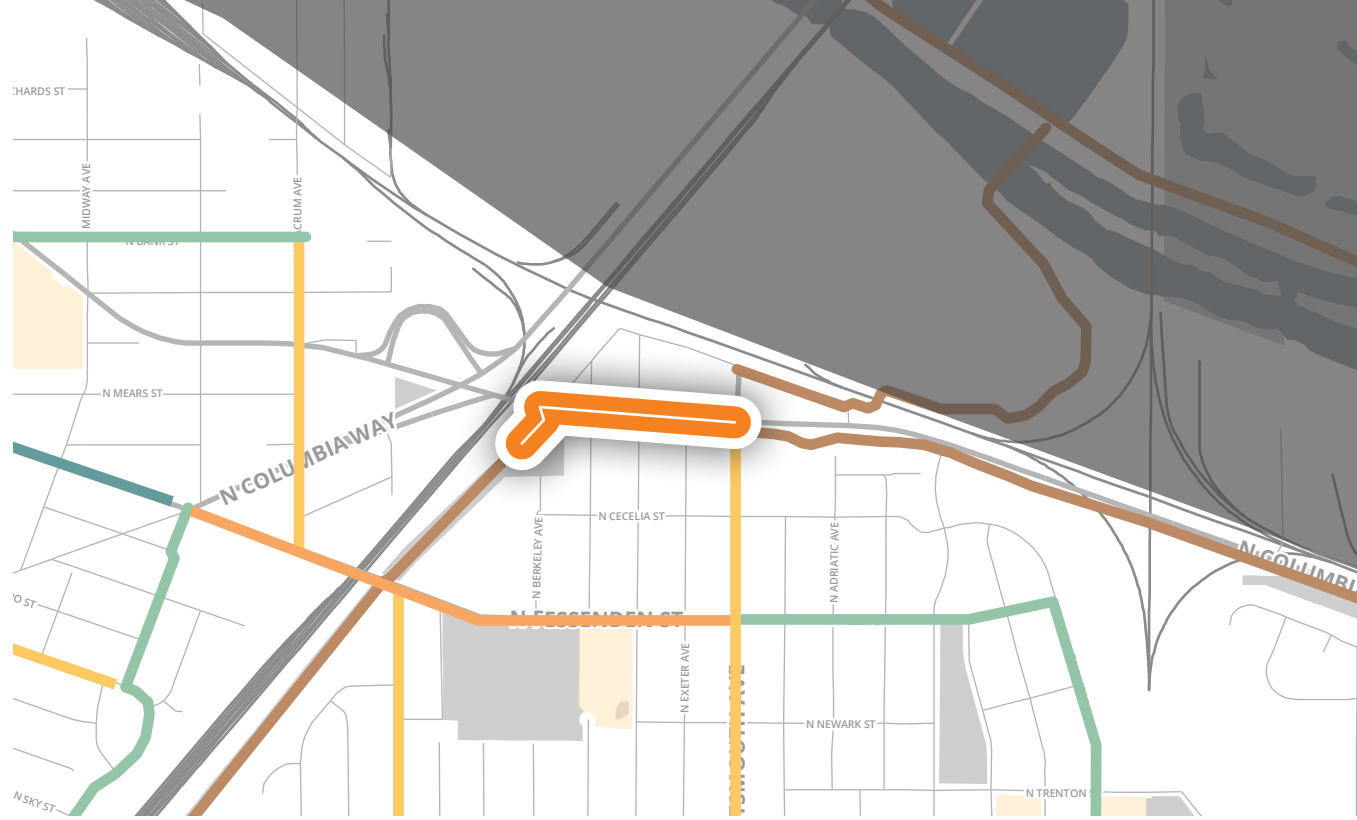
## N Columbia Blvd Critical Connection

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This project would leverage an upcoming planned repaving of N Columbia Blvd build a multi-use path connecting the Peninsula Crossing Trail (owned by Portland Parks and Recreation) and the multi-use path along the south side of N Columbia Blvd from N Portsmouth Ave to N Argyle Way. This short stretch of roadway represents a 1,000ft gap in an otherwise 3 mile system of multi-use paths and off-street trails that connect multiple neighborhoods throughout the North Portland peninsula.

Given the width of the roadway today, we believe this gap can be filled while maintaining two travel lanes in each direction on M Columbia Blvd.

This project would also explore access changes at the intersections of N Clarendon Ave and N Van Houten Ave to reduce cut-through traffic and minimize conflicts with the proposed multi-use path. These circulation changes would require extensive public outreach and approval from the Portland Fire & Rescue to be approved.



*Peninsula Crossing Trail*



*N Columbia Blvd Multi-Use Path*

### ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS:



lower\*

[ can vary greatly depending on scope ]