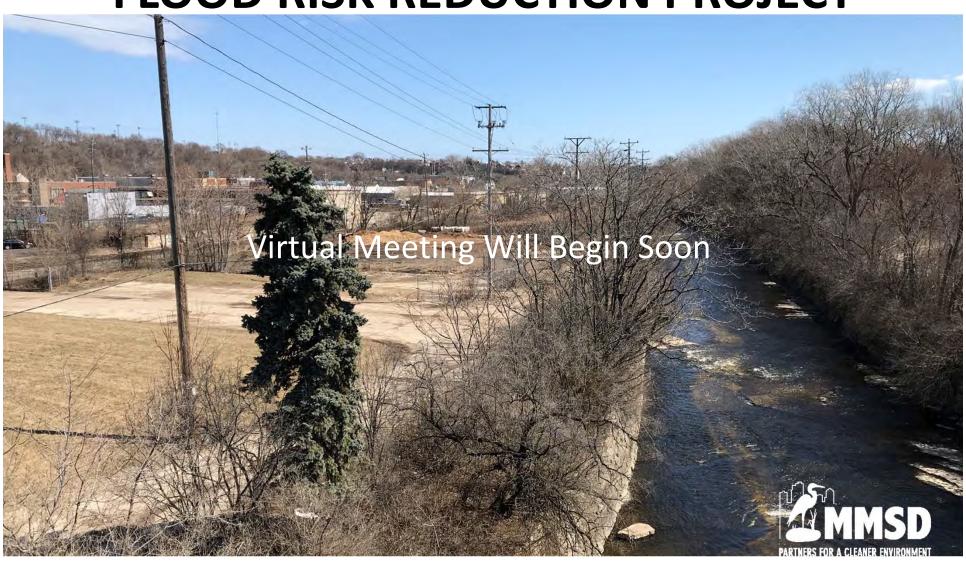
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Virtual Meeting Agenda
Project Team Introductions
Meeting Housekeeping
Western Milwaukee
Presentation
Q&A – Project Team



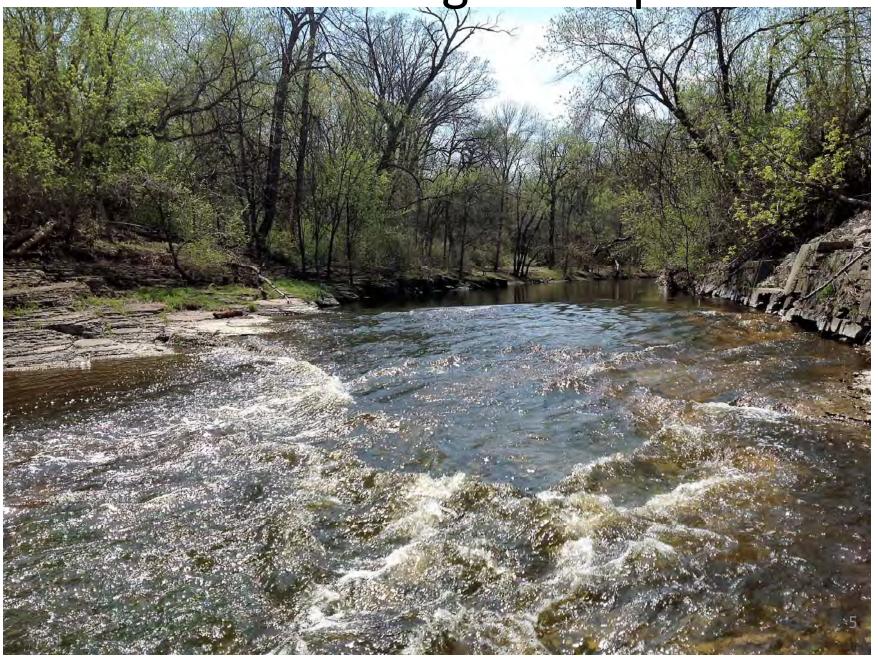
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### Housekeeping – IT Tips: Mute, Chat; Q&A at End



First Brief Meeting Participant Poll



### Menomonee River -Western Milwaukee Phase 2B Project

Project Phases

Phase 2B

Phase 1

59th and State Pump Station

Downstream Floodplain

Phase 2A (Schoonmaker Creek Daylighting) Proposed Floodwall

Proposed Earthen Levee

Levee Reduced Flood Risk



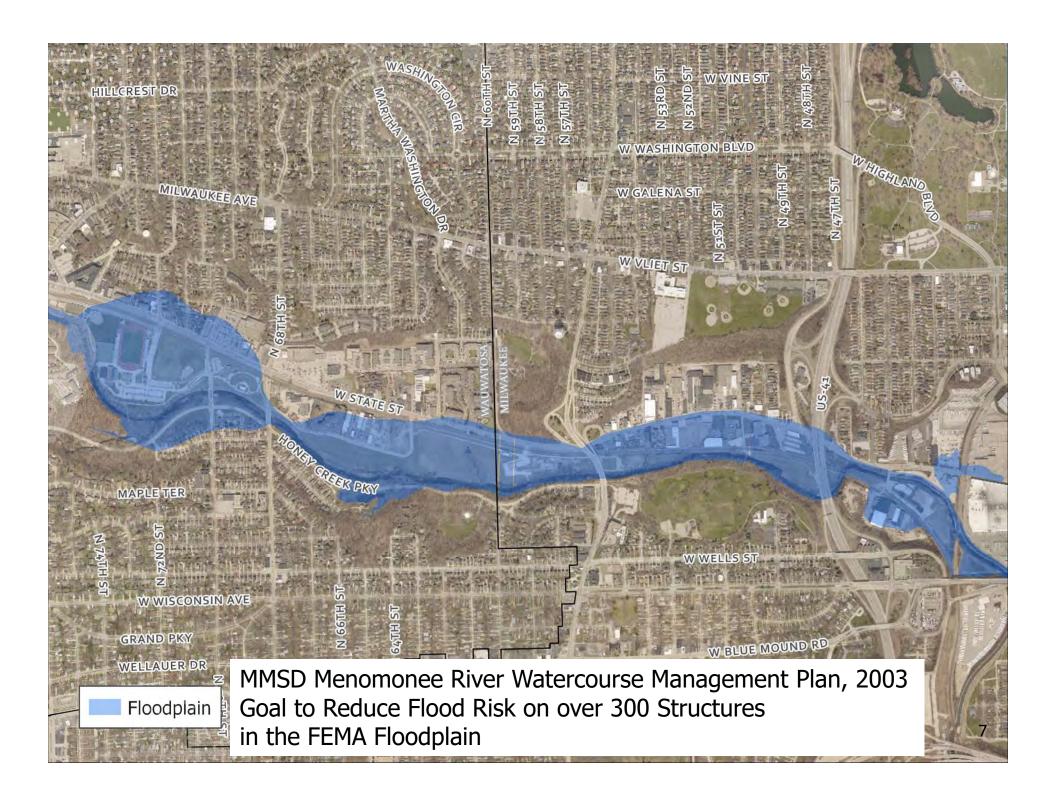
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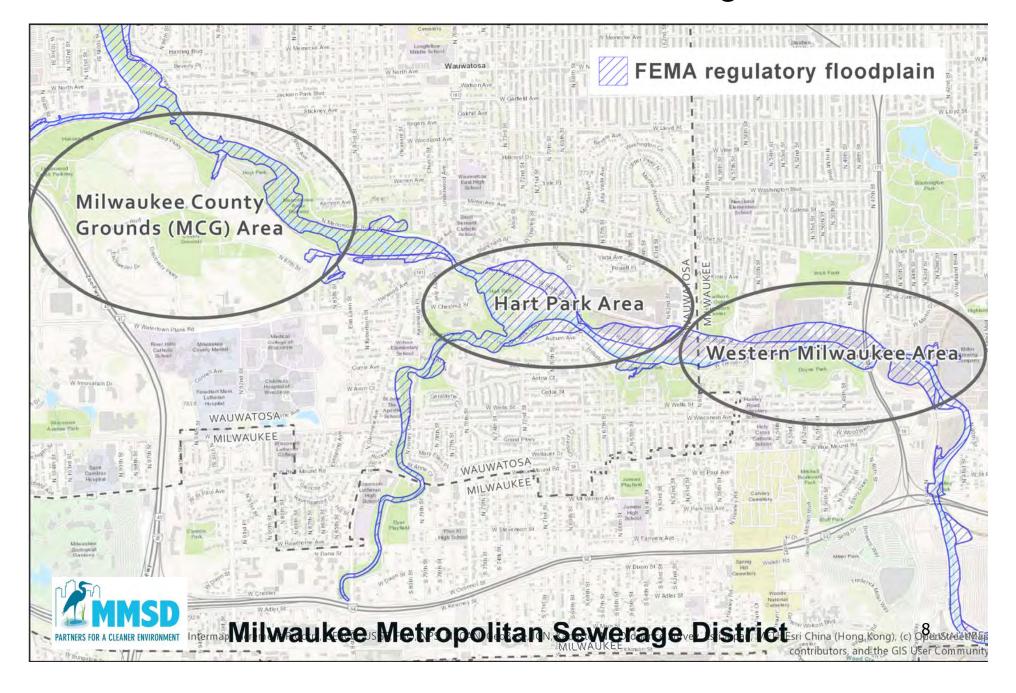
Milwaukee

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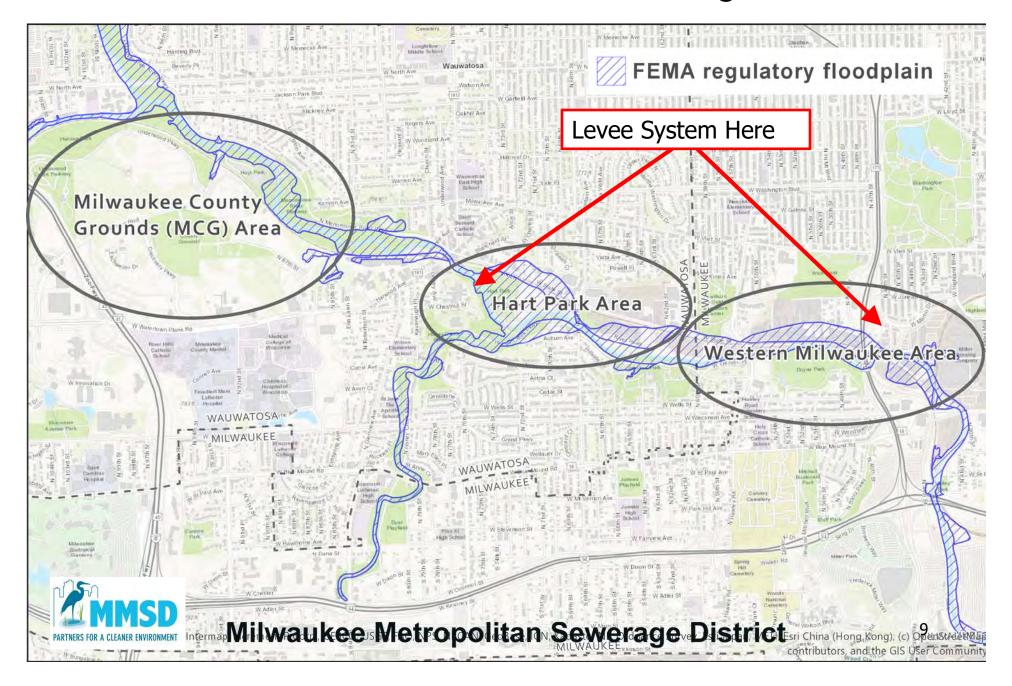
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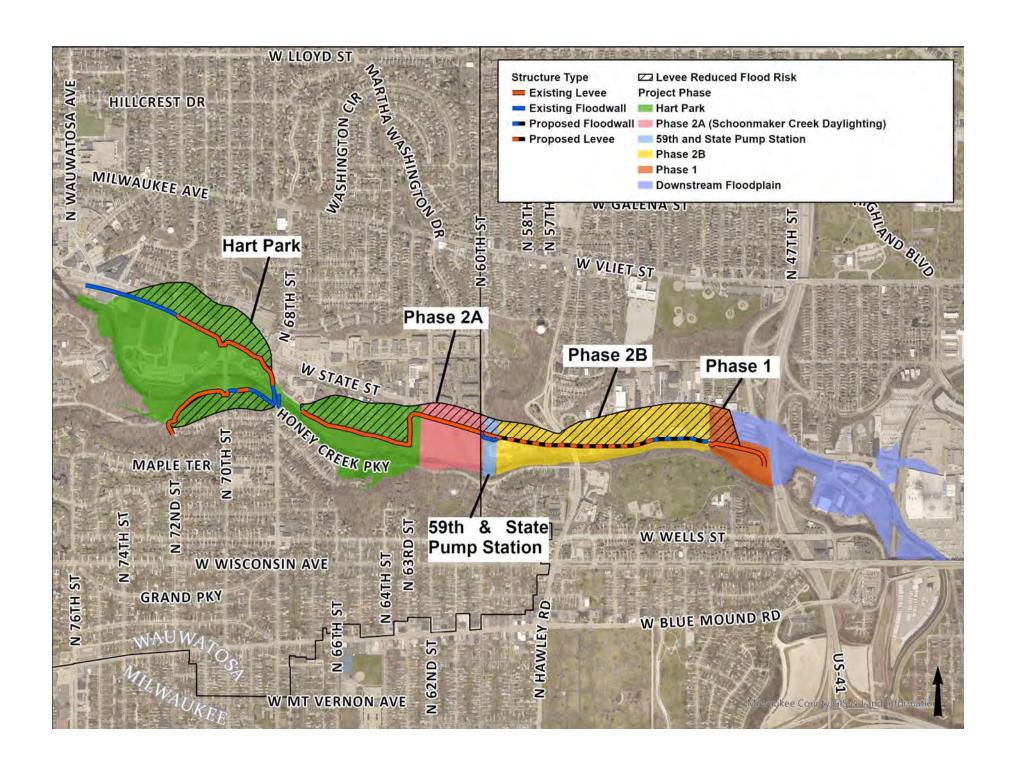


#### Menomonee River Watercourse Management Plan



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#### MMSD's 2035 Vision

#### Integrated Watershed Management Goals:

Zero sanitary sewer overflows

Zero combined sewer overflows

#### Zero homes in the 100 year floodplain

Acquire an additional 10,000 acres of river buffers through Greenseams®

Use green infrastructure to capture the first 0.5 inch of rainfall

Harvest the first 0.25 gallon per square foot of area of rainfall

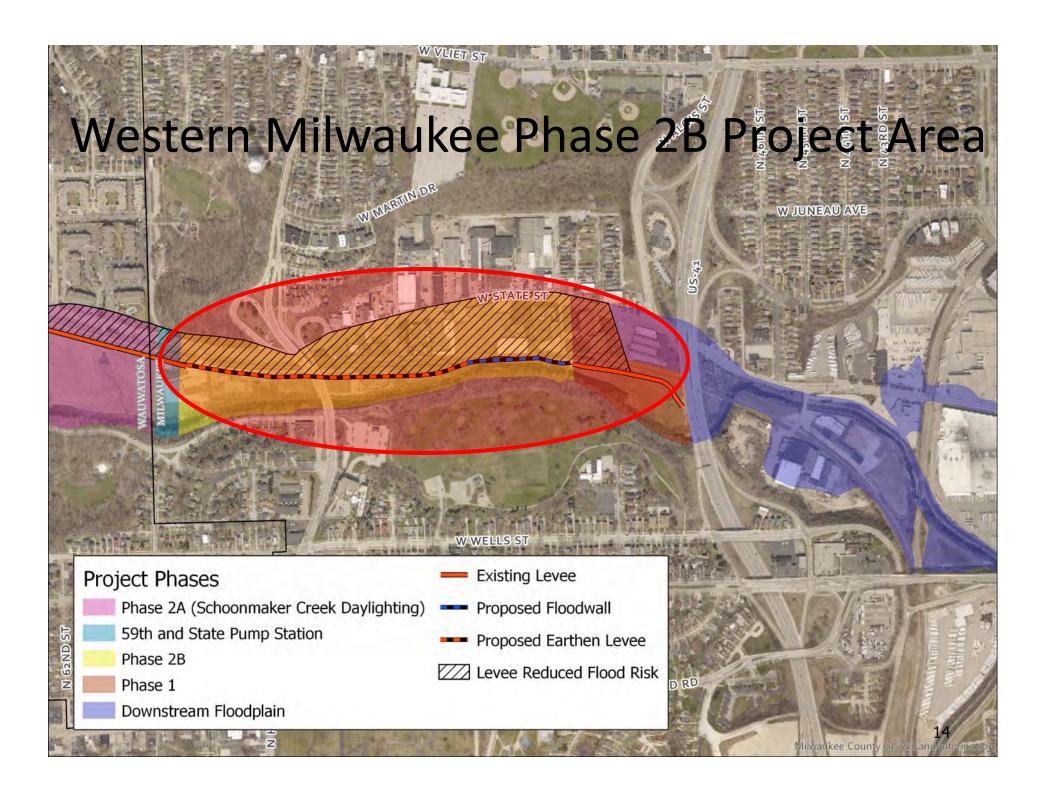
#### Energy Efficiency and Climate Mitigation & Adaptation Goals:

Meet 100% of MMSD's energy needs with renewable energy sources

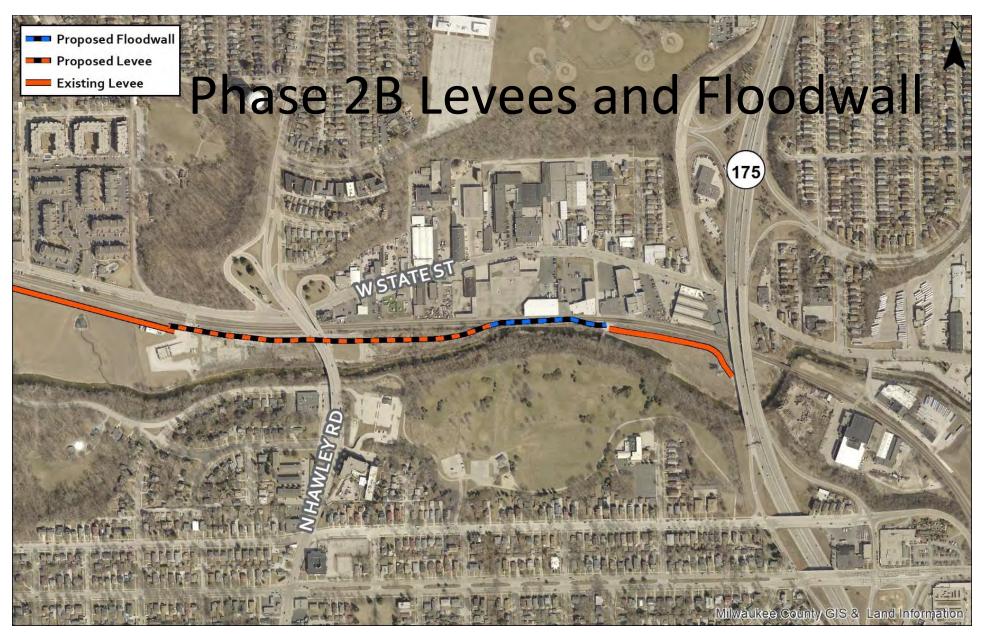
Meet 80% of MMSD's energy needs with internal, renewable sources

Use the Greenseams® Program to provide for 30% sequestration of MMSD's carbon footprint

Reduce MMSD's carbon footprint by 90% from its 2005 baseline

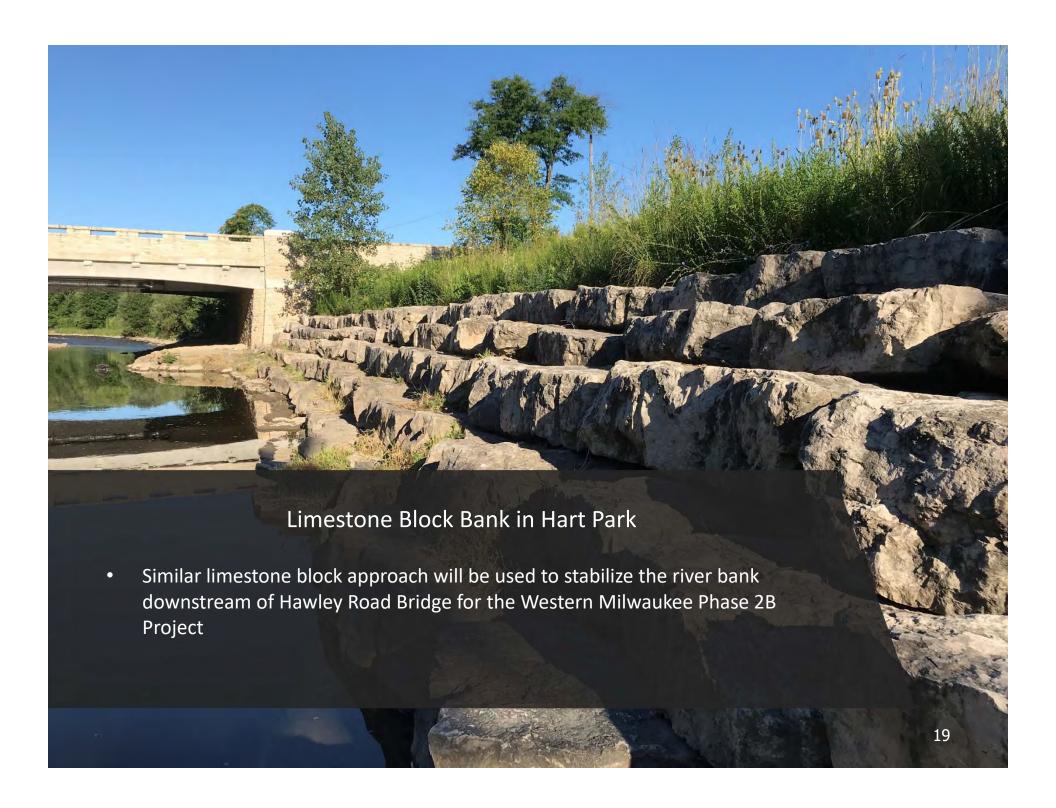














# Phase 2B Floodwall and Channel Widening Area



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#### Approximate Project Schedule

Project Phase	Start	Duration
Phase 2B Levee & Floodwall Construction Contract*	Summer 2022	24 months
FEMA Floodplain Map Change Review	2024	36 months

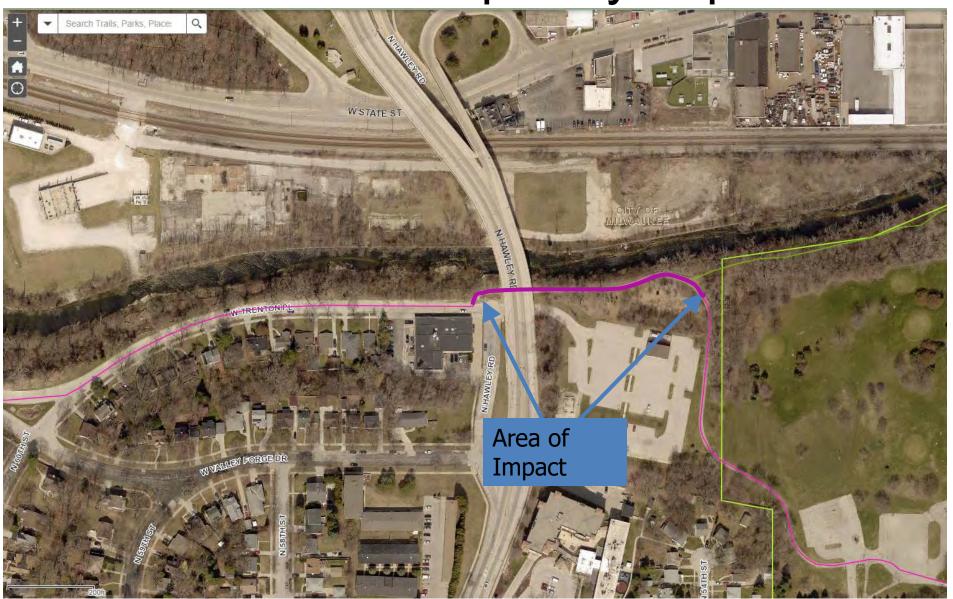
<sup>\*</sup>Requires FEMA review and approval prior to construction; schedule subject to change

### State Street Work Requirements

- Maintain two-way traffic
- Driveways will be accessible
- No parking on street where construction is occurring
- Winter season work restrictions



## Oak Leaf Trail Temporary Impact Area

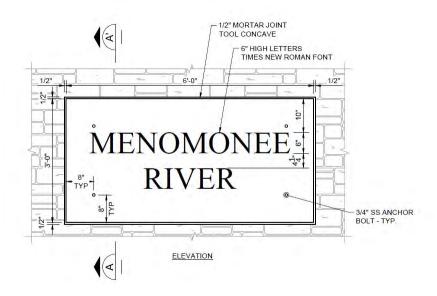


# Public Feedback Incorporated into the Project – Tall Trees and Colorful Flowers



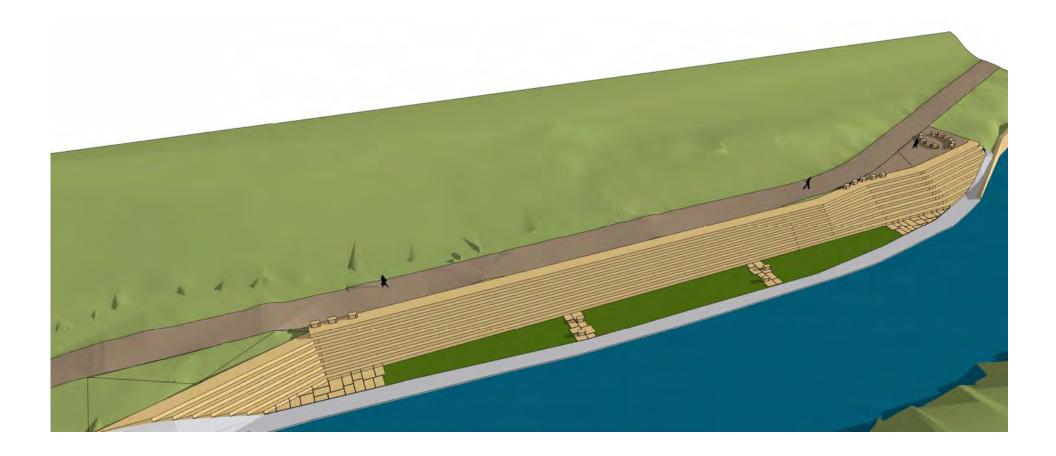
### Floodwall Plaque, Past Flood Heights

- Name plate at 3 locations
- Working to add historical flood heights independently of the project



### Restoration Along Doyne Park

- Improved trail
- Limestone block resting areas

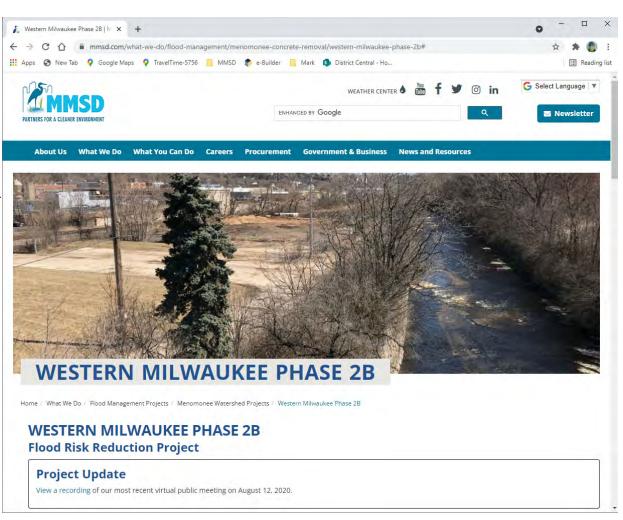


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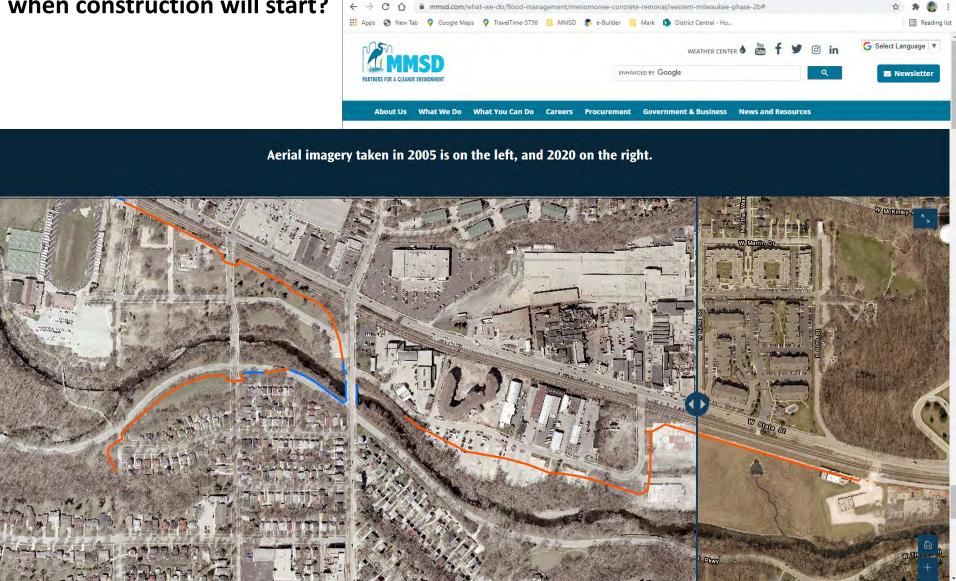
- Project updates
- Project schedule
  - Construction: 2<sup>nd</sup> half of 2022-2024
  - FEMA Post-Construction Review: 2024-2027
- Signup for e-mail updates and other ways to stay involved
- Leave comments





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## What needs to happen before construction can start?

- Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) project approval
  - ~March 2022 estimated timeframe
- Canadian Pacific Railway Agreement
  - ~several months to accomplish
- MMSD public contracting process and contractor preparing to start construction
  - 4 to 5 months
- July 2022 Earliest estimate of construction start

**FAQs** 



## What will happen to the bridge crossing the river at Doyne Park?

- Bridge closed for many years due to safety
- Private bridge near 50<sup>th</sup> Street contributes to flooding and will be removed
- No plans to replace the bridge
- MMSD supportive of collaborating with local government-led recreational improvements to MMSD projects/property
- Working with Wauwatosa to assess potential of a new recreational trail bridge crossing the river near 63<sup>rd</sup> Street and Jacobus Park

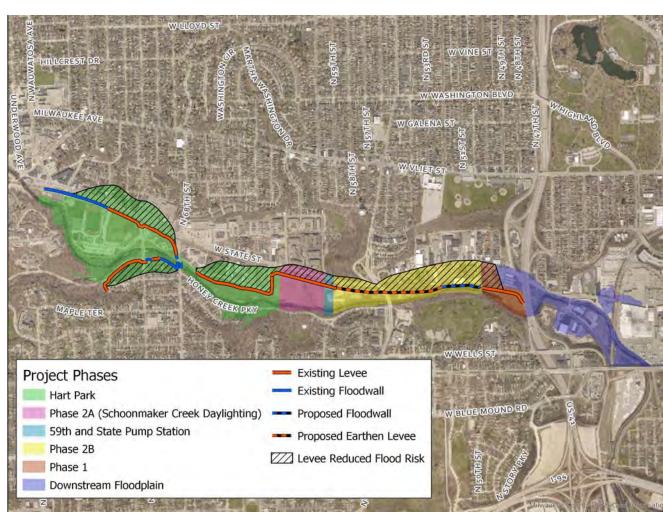
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## When will FEMA recognize the levee flood risk reduction benefits and reduce my flood insurance?

- Estimated Timeline (subject to change)
- 2024 Phase 2B construction estimated completion
- 2024 Other levee improvement projects completed
- 2024 Submit application to FEMA
- 2024-2027 FEMA review
- 2027 anticipated floodplain map updated

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### 3 SIMPLE STEPS FOR FLASH FLOOD SAFETY

During a flood, water levels and the rate at which the water is flowing can quickly change. Remain aware and monitor local radio and television.

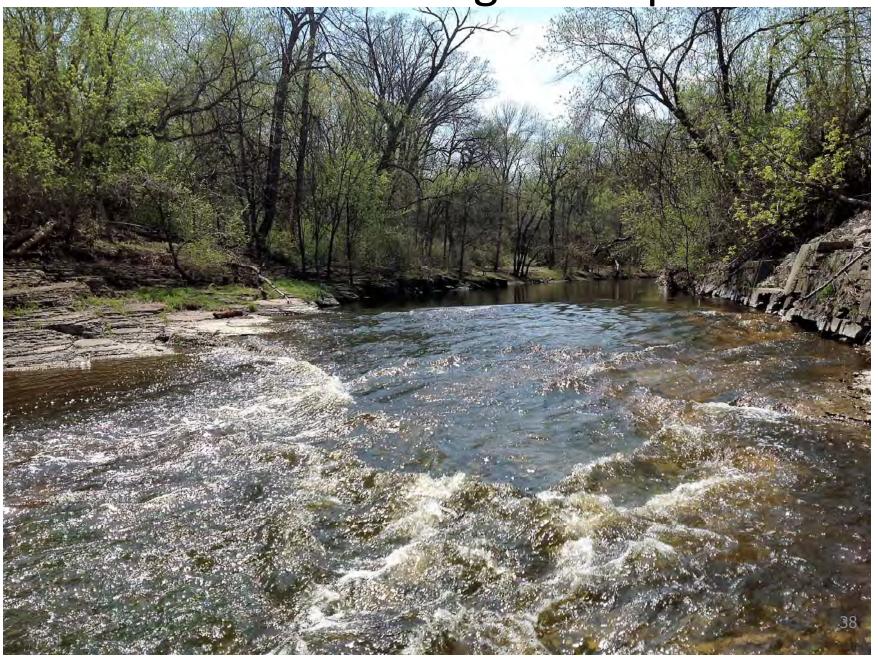




- Get out of the areas subject to Flooding
- 2 DO NOT DRIVE INTO WATER
  Do NOT drive or walk into
  flooded areas. It only takes 6"
  of water to knock you off your
  feet.
- STAY INFORMED

  Monitor local radar, television,
  weather radio, internet or
  social media for updates.

Second Brief Meeting Participant Poll



Provide comments, ask questions, and more available via project website: <a href="https://mmsd.com/phase2b">https://mmsd.com/phase2b</a>

#### **Question and Answer**

