

Government of the District of Columbia

Department of Transportation



September 16, 2025

Commissioner Sophia Tekola, Chairperson
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B
Via email: 4B05@anc.dc.gov

**Re: Safety treatment Eastern Ave NE from Sligo Mill Road to Kansas Ave NE
NOI- 25-213-MSED**

Dear Chairperson Tekola:

Pursuant to the “Administrative Procedure Amendment Act of 2000” D.C. LAW 13-249 (48 DCMR 3491 April 20, 2001), the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) is required to give a written notice of our intent to modify traffic and/or parking requirements. This letter is being forwarded to you for the purpose of notification and solicitation of comments on our intent to implement the following modifications in your jurisdiction.

- **Left turn lane on Eastern Ave NE at Kansas Ave NE intersection**

In response to a fatal crash that occurred in December 2024, DDOT is proposing safety treatments on Eastern Ave NE from Sligo Mill Road to Kansas Ave NE. DDOT is proposing the following changes:

- A safe merging space for northbound Eastern Ave NE traffic after Sligo Mill Road intersection
- Proposed left turn lane on Eastern Ave at Kansas Ave NE to provide a safe turning space and enhance traffic operation
- Delineate bus stop/zone areas to reduce conflicts between bus and vehicular traffic
- Rehabilitate existing damage to pavement on Eastern Ave NE between Kansas and 4th Ave

The proposed safety treatments is intended to reduce crashes by providing a safer merging space for northbound eastern traffic after Sligo Mill Road, new markings will better guide vehicular traffic, and traffic operations should also improve by providing a dedicated left turn lane at Kansas Ave NE intersection.

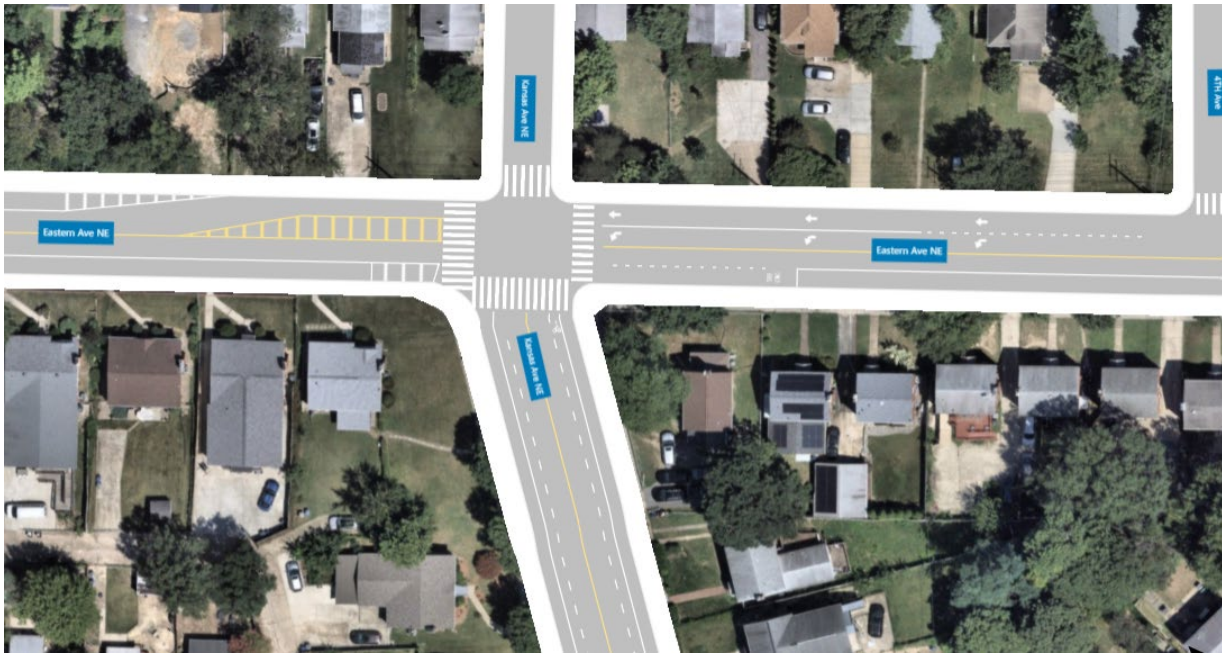


Figure 1: Proposed left turn lane and safety treatment at Kansas Ave and Eastern Ave NE intersection

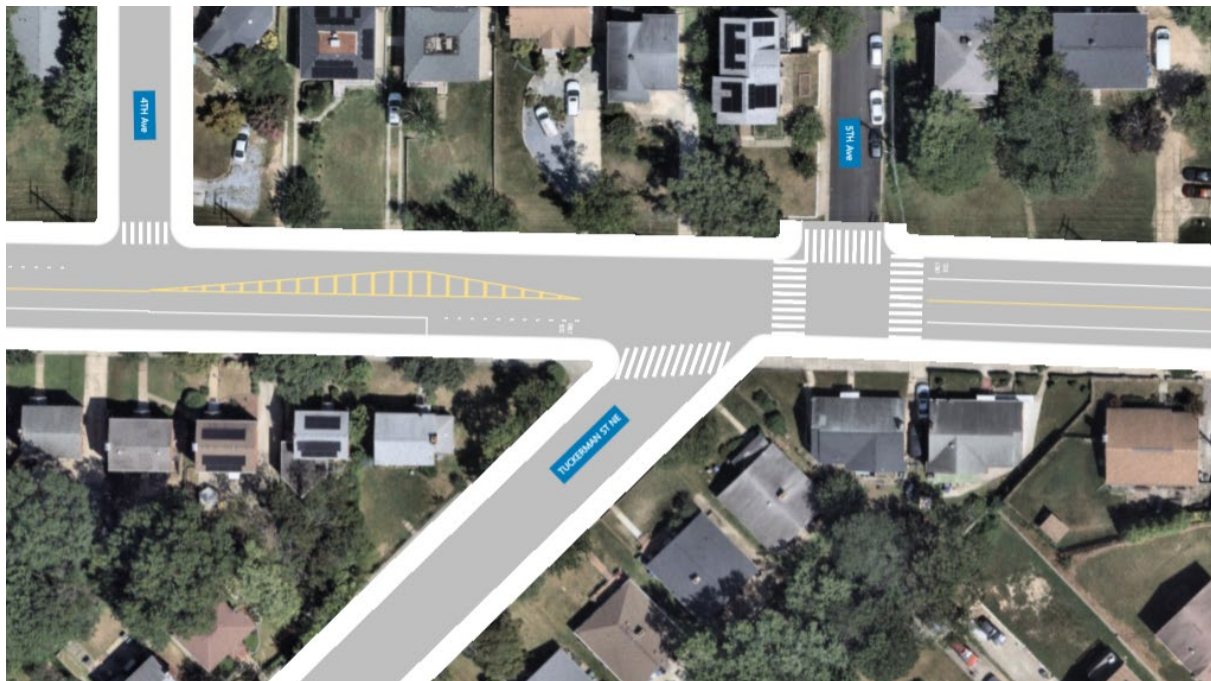


Figure 2: safety treatment on Eastern Ave NE between 4th Ave and Tuckerman St NE



Figure 3: Proposed safety treatment at Sligo Mill Road and Eastern Ave NE intersection

DDOT is issuing this NOI with a **shortened 10-day public notice** to avoid any further delay in implementing these important safety improvements and addressing existing safety concerns.

All comments on this subject must be filed in writing by **Friday, October 3, 2025** (ten business days after the date of this notice), with the District Department of Transportation (DDOT), Traffic Safety Administration at 250 M Street, SE, Washington, D.C. 20003.

If you would like to check the status of the Notice of Intent (NOI) or submit your comments via email, please visit DDOT's website at: <http://ddot.dc.gov/service/ddot-notice-intent>. If you have trouble accessing the NOI site or are unable to do so, please contact the DDOT Customer Service Clearinghouse at 202-671-2800.

Sincerely,

Christine E. Mayeur
Associate Director - Multimodal Safety Engineering Division
Traffic Safety Administration

CC: Jinin Berry, Commissioner, ANC 4B10

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If you need language assistance services (translation or interpretation), please contact Karen Randolph at 202-671-2620 or Karen.Randolph@dc.gov.

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한국어로 언어 지원이 필요하신 경우 202-671-2700로 연락을 주시면 무료로 통역이 제공됩니다.

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重要通知

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