

# Route 9 Active Transportation Conceptual Design Plan

Summary

Summer 2020



## What is the Route 9 Plan?

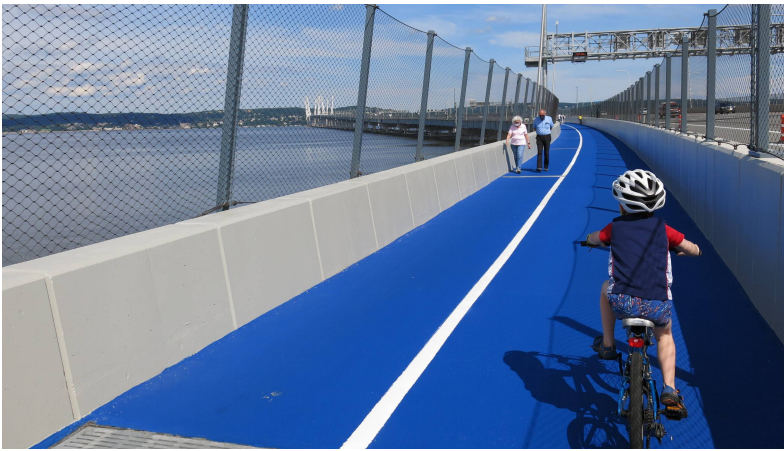
It is a comprehensive plan to improve safety and access along Broadway in Sleepy Hollow, Tarrytown, Irvington, Dobbs Ferry and Hastings. The five villages funded the study with a grant from the New NY Bridge Community Benefits Program. The study's conceptual design was presented at a public open house in November 2018.

## Who is involved?

The coalition is led by a 15-member Steering Committee representing the five villages. Members include volunteers and government officials. Transportation planning firm Nelson\Nygaard was retained to assess conditions and needs for the corridor. The final report incorporates feedback from the community and public officials at several public forums and on line surveys.







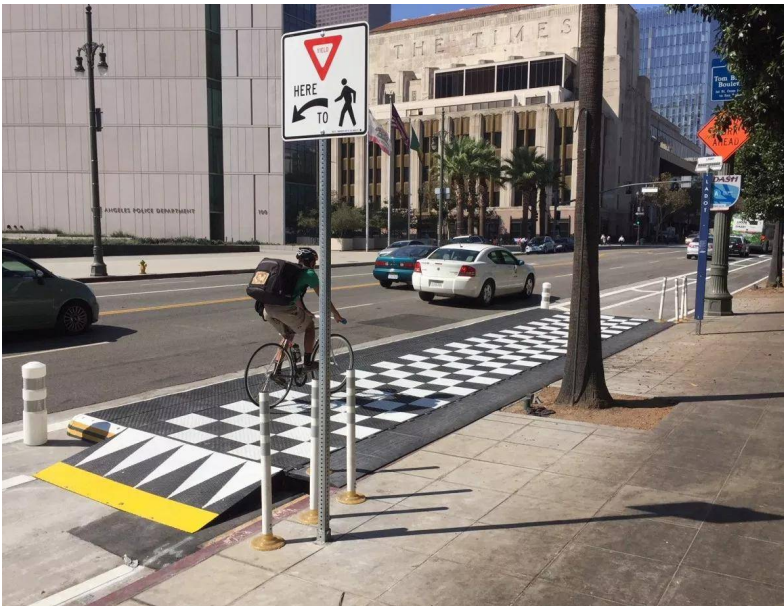
## Goals & Opportunities

- Improve safety
- Invite locals to comfortably walk & bike along & across Route 9
- Enhance transit use
- Cut congestion & pollution
- Attract people from the Mario M Cuomo Bridge to local shops & restaurants
- Enhance the local economy & quality of life

## What improvements are we talking about?

The plan includes a number of best-practice design approaches to improve transportation in the corridor, including:

- Sidewalks & crosswalks
- Curb extensions
- Pedestrian islands
- Protected bike lanes
- Bus shelters & platforms



## Next Steps

The committee is currently working with the villages to engage New York State to partner with us on these improvements for the state-controlled road. Once State support is secured, the next step will be obtaining grants to fund detailed engineering of the improvements.



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