



# Pedestrian Safety



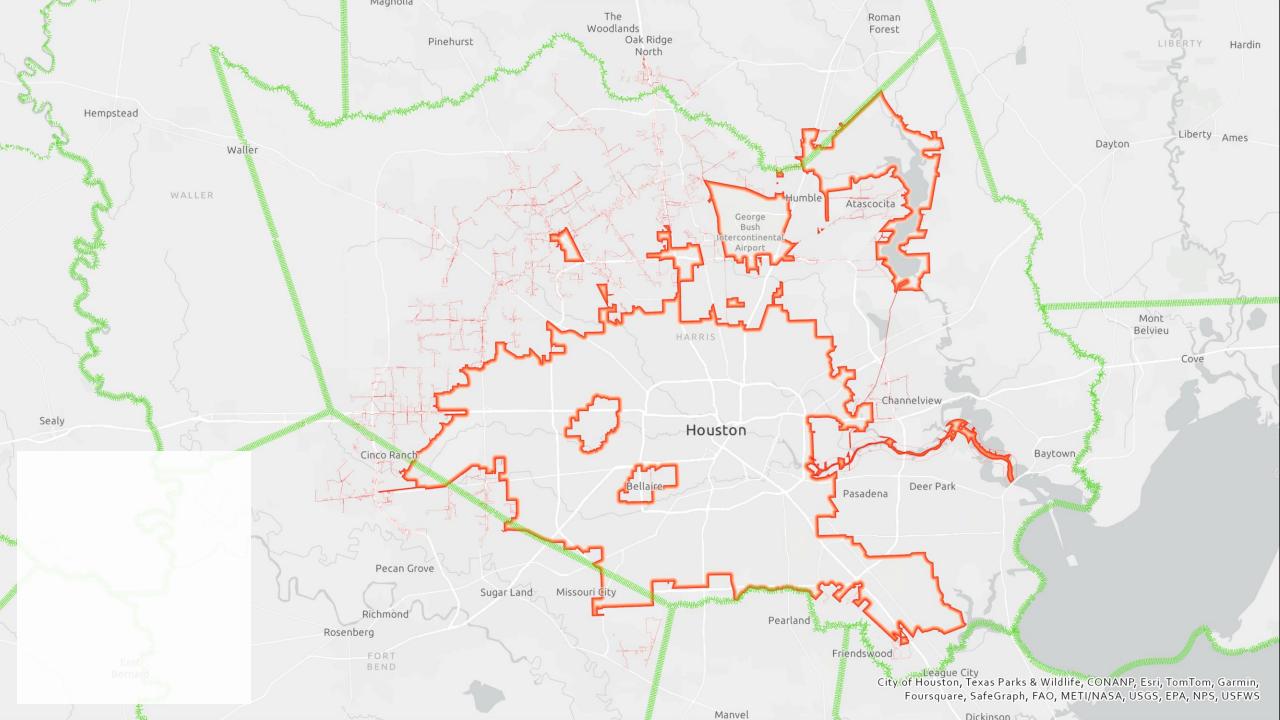
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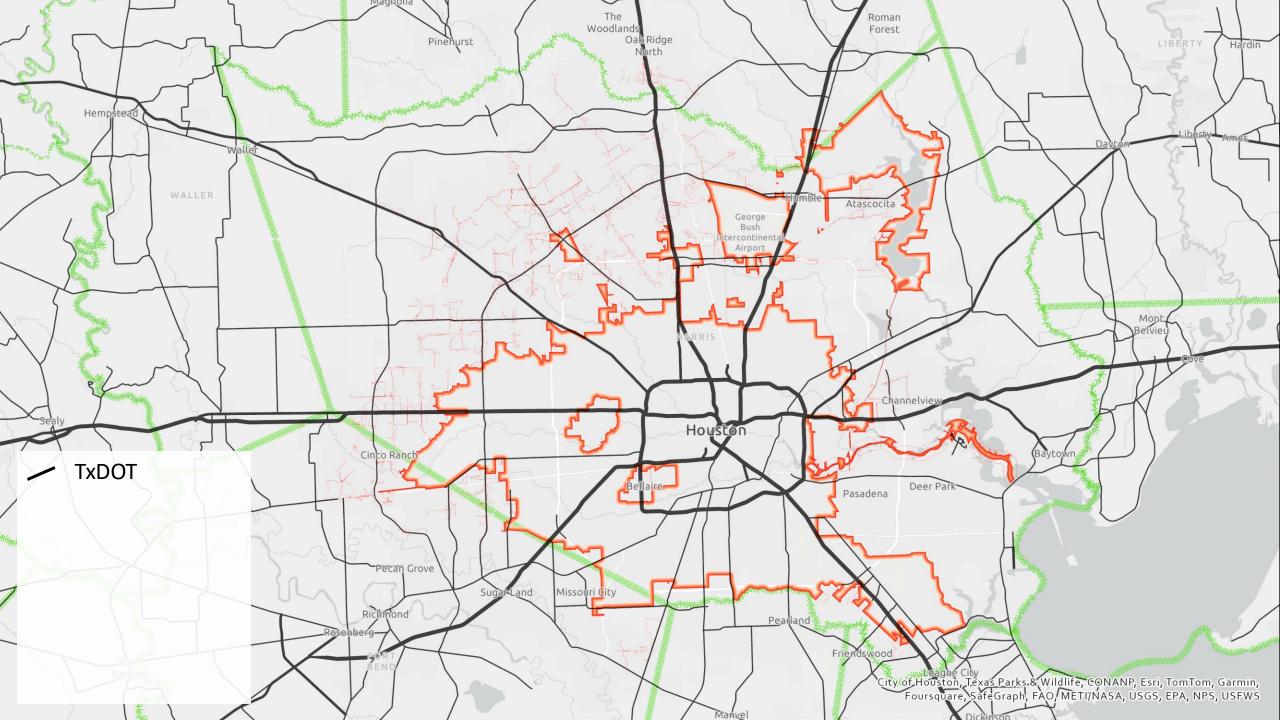
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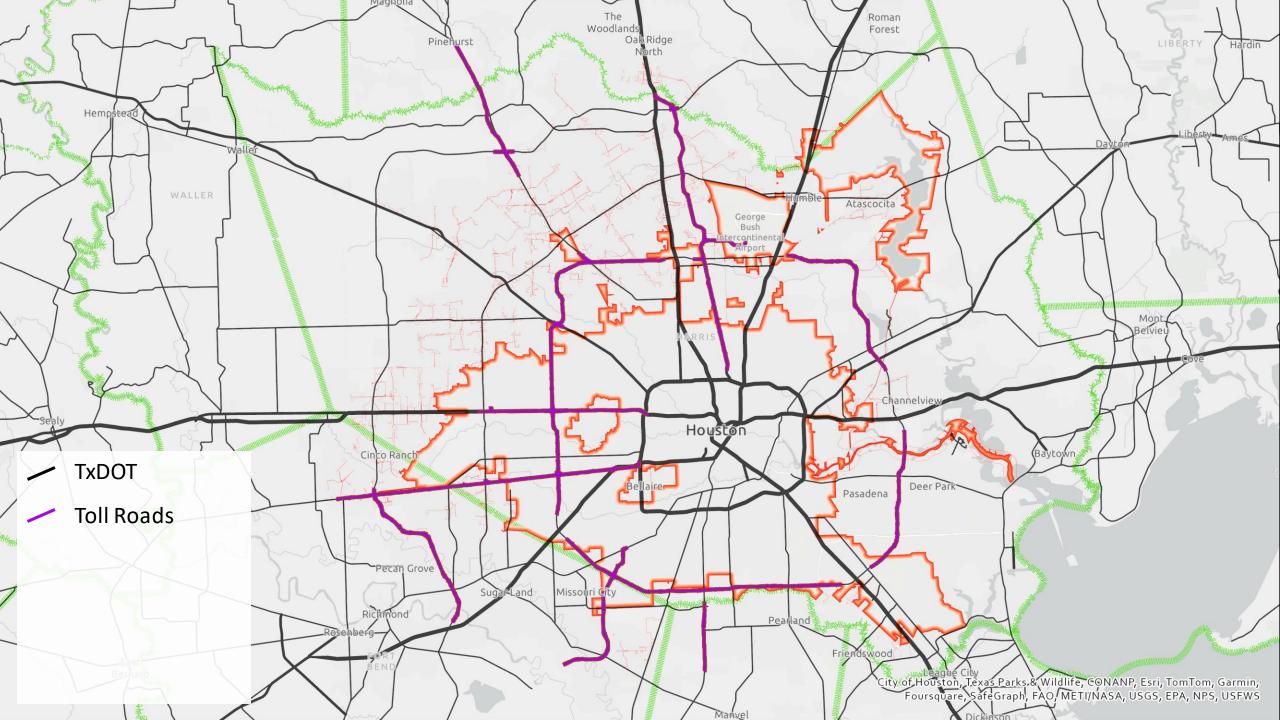
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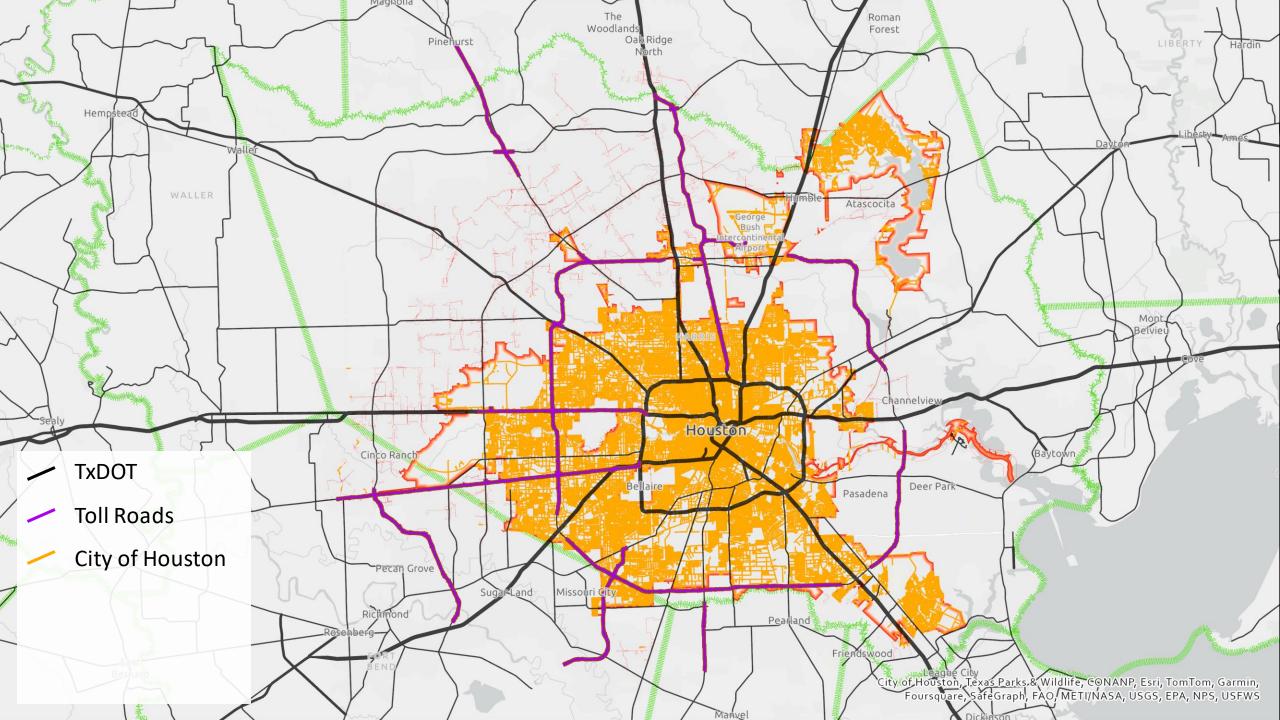


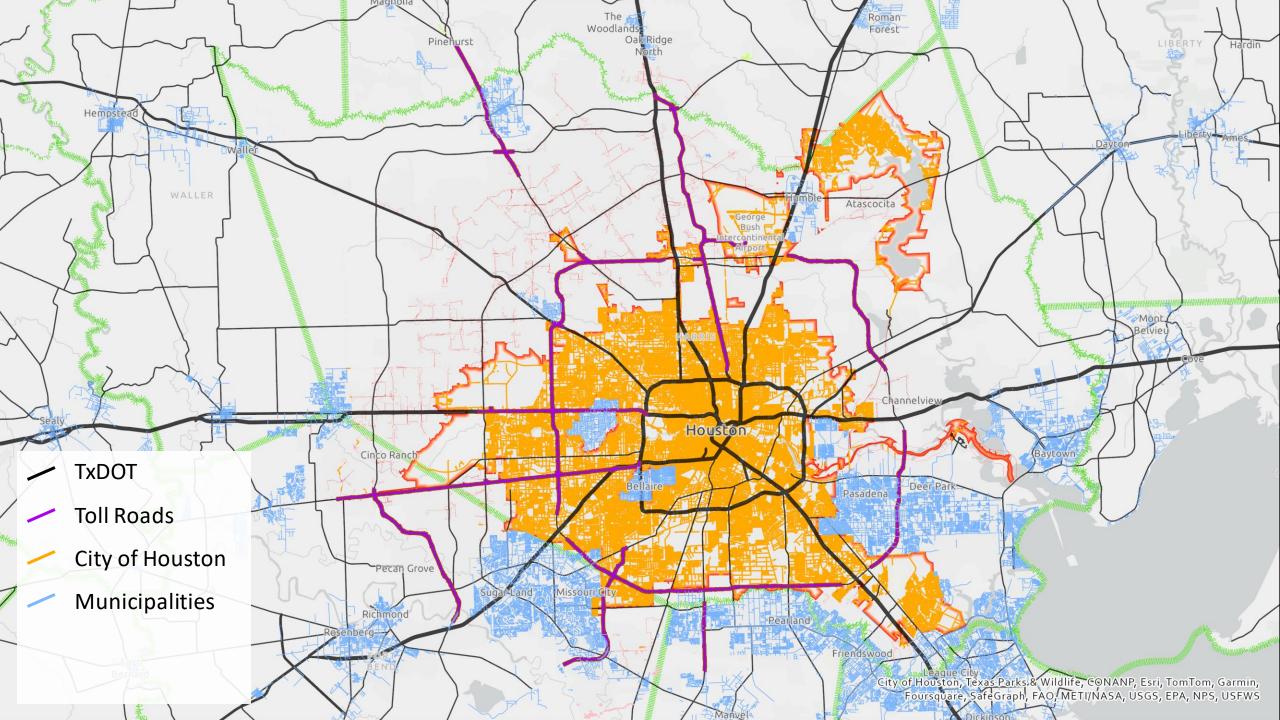
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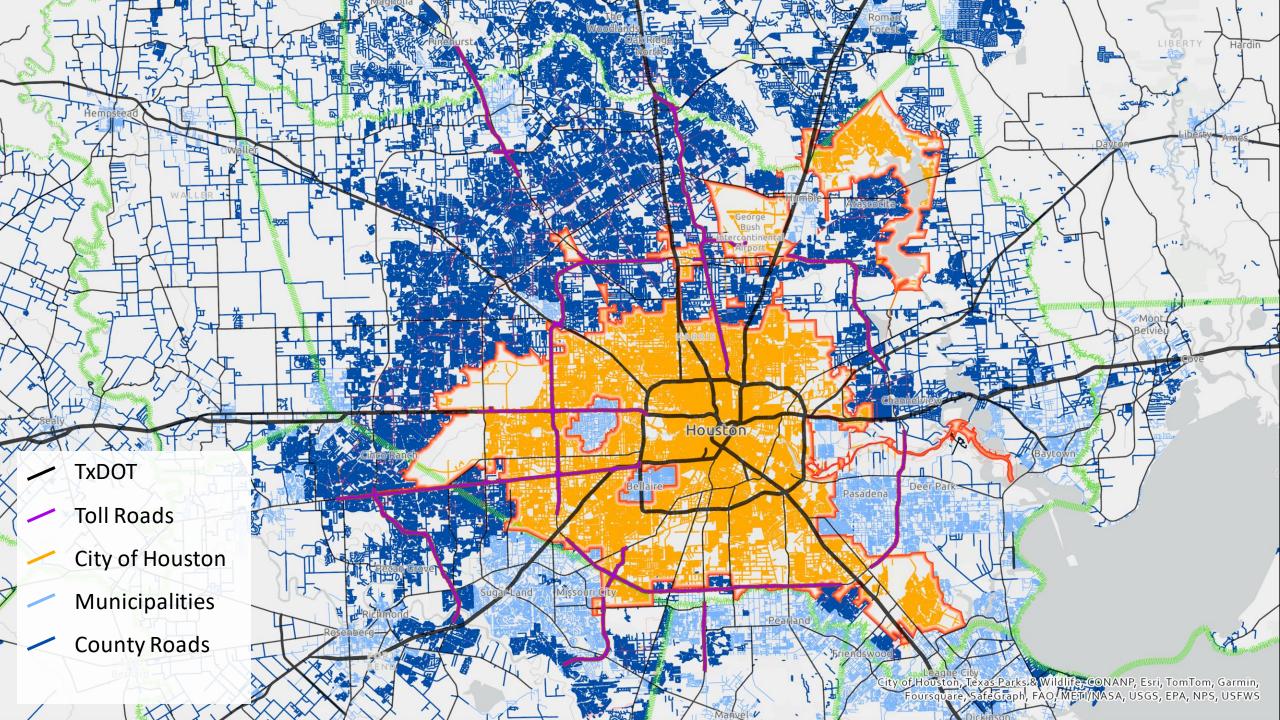


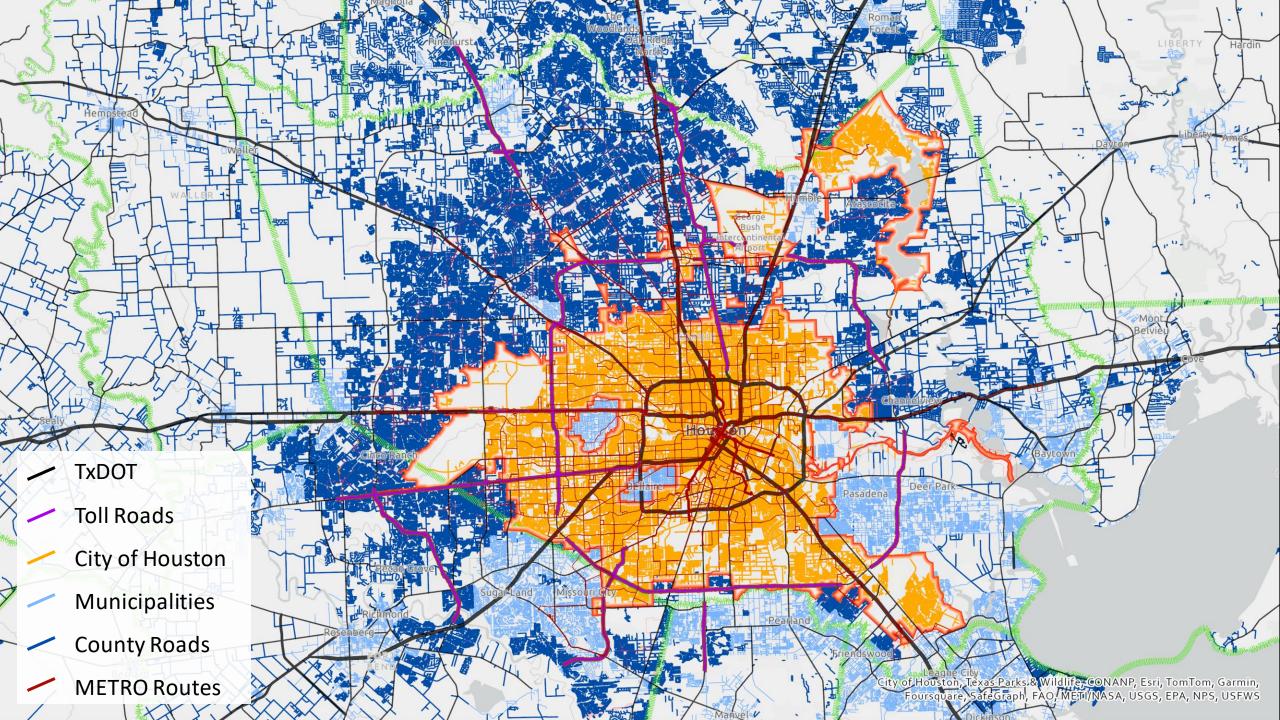












### Other Stakeholders

- Parks Board
- •TIRZ
- Management District
- •METRO
- Private Development
- •HCTRA
- Public-Private Partnerships
- •Local Government Corporations

### **MPO**

Grant

### County

- Capital & Operations Budget
- Grants

### Pedestrian

Safety

Funding

**Sources** 

### State

- Capital & Operations Budget
- Grants

### **Federal**

Grants

### Municipality

- Capital & Operations Budget
- Council District Service Fund (CDSF)

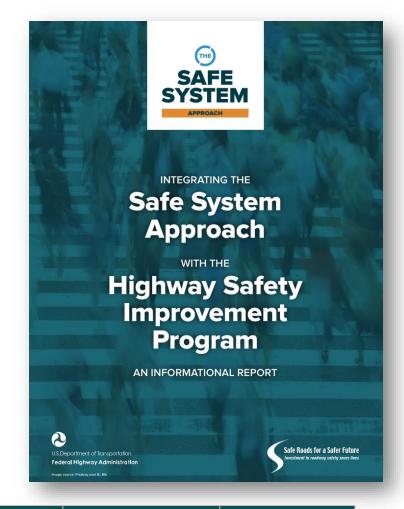




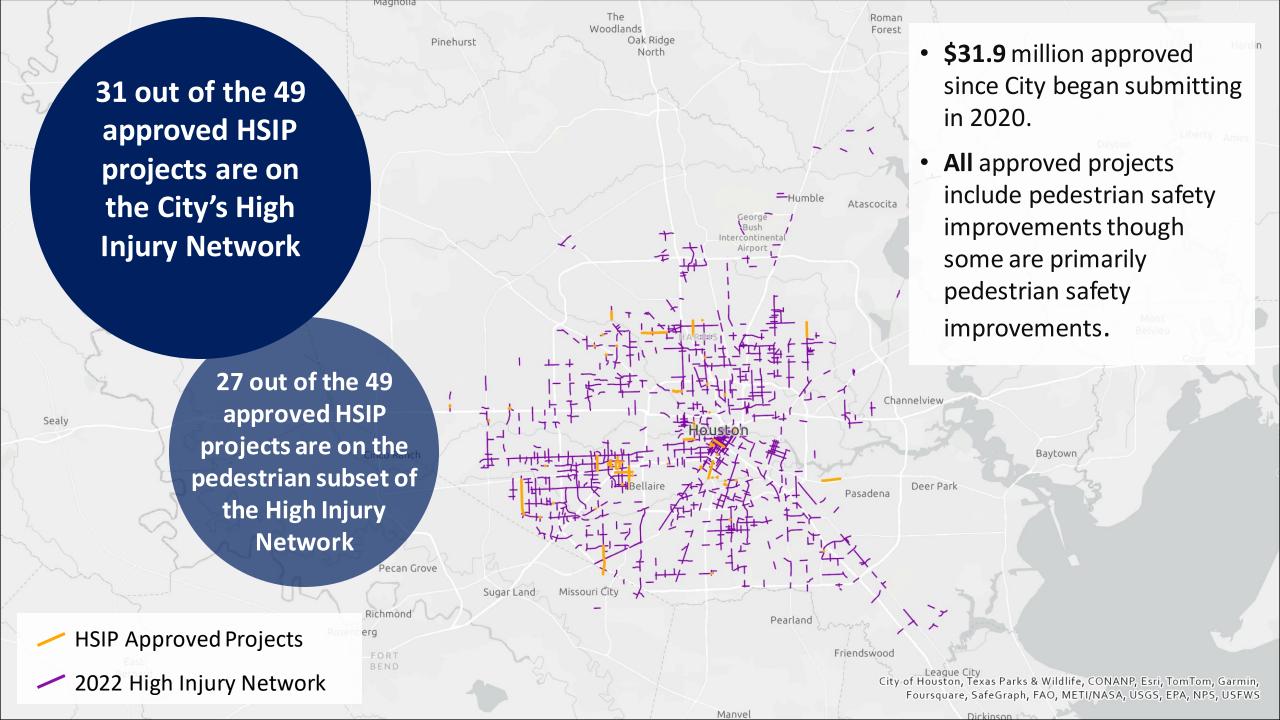


# Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP)

- HSIP is a data-driven federally funded program that is facilitated by TxDOT that is available to roadway owners.
- Funding for this program increased due to the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL).
- Projects should use treatments that are supported by the FHWA Safe Systems Approach.



	FY 23	FY 24	FY 25	FY 26	FY 27	FY 28
Houston District Off- System Funding Available	\$6,313,767	\$6,138,412	\$8,976,565	\$12,338,346	\$11,814,523	?



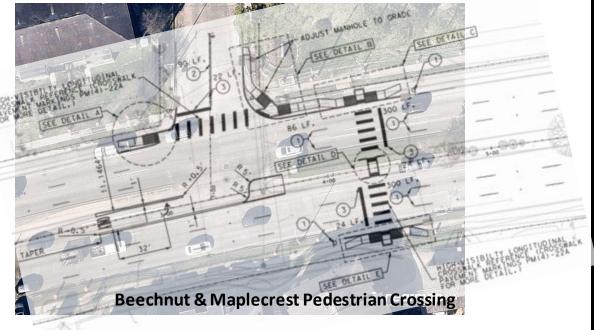


Highway Safety Improvement Program

- There are 8 projects in construction now or beginning construction in the coming months.
- These projects include intersection safety treatments, roundabouts, and new or upgraded traffic signals.







### Quitman St Pedestrian Enhancements













## Studewood Pedestrian Improvements; METRO BOOST 56

 Requests from community for safer pedestrian crossings on Studewood St since mid-2010s.

First step changing the reversible center lane to a

permanent center turn lane.

 Stakeholder engagement determined crossing locations.

 Knowing the community desire, METRO incorporated crossing improvements into the BOOST 56 project on Studewood in 2021, with visibility upgrades made in 2022.





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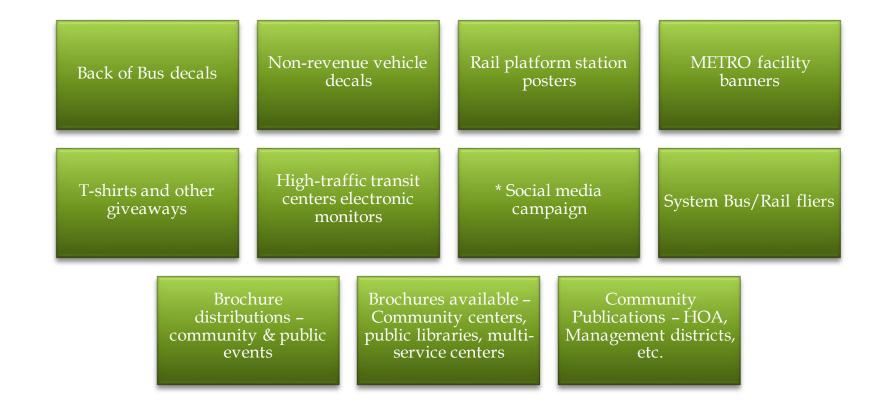
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### Houston METRO "Be Safe, Be Seen" Campaign





### **Touchpoints**

Internal and external audiences throughout the region.
Bilingual material (English and Spanish).



### RESPONSABILIDAD

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- Cruce solo en los pasos de peatones e intersecciones marcadas.
- Espere a la señal de paso para cruzar en las intersecciones.
- Utilice las aceras o camine de cara al tráfico para que los conductores puedan
- Preste atención: no envíe mensajes de texto mientras cruza.
- No se pare de repente delante del tráfico!



LA SEGURIDAD DE LOS PEATONES NO OCURRE POR ACCIDENTE



### BE SAFE

### DE SEEN

### **CROSS RESPONSIBLY**

- Cross only at marked crosswalks and intersections
- Wait for the walk signal to cross at intersections
- Use sidewalks or walk facing traffic so drivers can see you
- Pay attention don't text while crossing
- Don't step suddenly in front of traffic



PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IS NO ACCIDENT

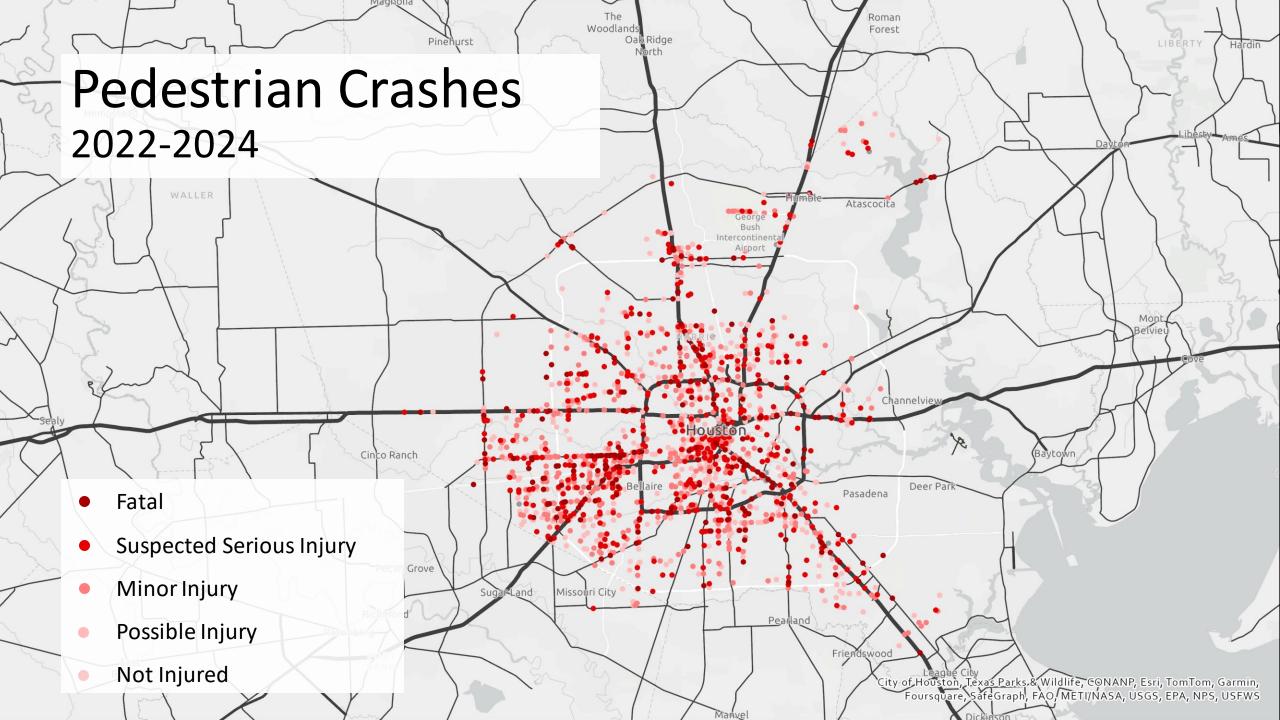
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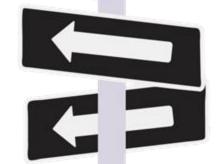
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# Thank you!







