

CITY OF HACKENSACK

WALKABLE COMMUNITY WORKSHOP

PROSPECT AVE & BEECH ST

July 7, 2020 | 10:00 AM to NOON

VIRTUAL WORKSHOP AGENDA

- 10:00 am** **Welcome and Walkable Community Presentation**
The Complete Streets Technical Assistance project team will lead a presentation for town employees, residents, business owners and employees about what to look for when auditing walking and biking infrastructure.
- 11:00 am** **Virtual Walking Audit**
Participants will virtually walk the corridor using Google Street View, assessing the existing streets and sidewalks and identifying issues to overcome to provide safer conditions for pedestrians and bicyclists.
- 11:45 am** **Debrief and Next Steps**
Participants will share recommendations to improve the safety, convenience, and comfort of the walking environment based upon what they observed during the walking audit.
- 12:00 pm** **Adjourn**



The Complete Streets Technical Assistance Program is a collaboration between Sustainable Jersey, the Voorhees Transportation Center at Rutgers University, and the North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority. Funded by the NJTPA, the program is designed to support municipal government efforts to advance complete streets initiatives.



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Contact	Person Completing: _____
	Email: _____
	Phone: _____

Section 1: Prospect Avenue from Essex Street to Thompson Street

Design	How many lanes are there?	Are there crosswalks?
	What is the speed limit?	Is there a median?

Driver Behavior	Circle all that apply:	
	a. Speeding	e. Loud music
	b. Blocking crosswalk	f. Loud engine
	c. Not stopping for pedestrians	g. Not stopping for traffic control
	d. Double parking	

Sidewalk Condition	Are sidewalks present?
	No One Side (Which?) Both Sides
	Any problems you observed:
	a. Sidewalks or paths started and stopped, where?
	b. Sidewalks were broken or cracked, where?
	c. Sidewalk slope problems, where?
	d. Sidewalks were blocked with parked cars, signs, shrubs, etc., where?
e. Sidewalks not wide enough, where?	
f. Sight obstructions, where?	

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Curb Cuts/Ramps	<p>Circle all that apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Missing b. Non ADA compliant curb cuts/ramps (too steep, not passable, etc.) c. Aligned with crosswalk: yes or no d. Truncated domes present: yes or no e. Truncated domes placed correctly: yes or no f. Curb extensions: yes or no g. Other concerns: 						
Signage	<p>Streets are labeled: Excellent Average Poor None</p> <p>Pedestrian oriented directions: Excellent Average Poor None</p> <p>Car oriented directions: Excellent Average Poor None</p>						
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Section 2: Prospect Avenue from Thompson Street to Beech Street

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Curb	<p>Circle all that apply:</p> <p>a. Missing</p> <p>b. Non ADA compliant curb cuts/ramps (too steep, not passable, etc.)</p> <p>c. Aligned with crosswalk: yes or no</p> <p>d. Truncated domes present: yes or no</p>									

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	e. Truncated domes placed correctly: yes or no
	f. Curb extensions: yes or no
	g. Other concerns:
Signage	Streets are labeled: Excellent Average Poor None
	Pedestrian oriented directions: Excellent Average Poor None
	Car oriented directions: Excellent Average Poor None
Parking	Side 1
	Side 2
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes: Parallel or Angled
	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Amenities	Check all that apply:
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	Is there lighting over the crosswalk?
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Trees	<input type="checkbox"/> Frequent, good shape
	<input type="checkbox"/> Frequent, poor shape
	<input type="checkbox"/> Mostly empty tree wells
	<input type="checkbox"/> Infrequent, good shape
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Amenities	Check all that apply:
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Final Questions

How safe did this area feel?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
How afraid would you be to walk ALONE in the area during <i>daytime</i> ?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
How afraid would you be to walk ALONE in the area during <i>night</i> ?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
How well cared for did this area feel?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Additional Notes: