



City of San Marcos

FY 2026

Sidewalk Maintenance Program

City Council

June 3, 2025

Purpose

- Review Sidewalk Maintenance Program
- Review Sidewalk Improvements Planned for FY26
- Questions and Receive Commission input



Before



After

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Sidewalk Maintenance Program Goals



- **Remove ADA Barriers and Improve Pedestrian safety**
- **Identify and improve sidewalk connectivity in underserved and/or high pedestrian traffic areas**
- **Ensure all new sidewalks will connect to existing sidewalks**
- **Avoid tree conflicts or tree removal**



CIP vs. Maintenance Sidewalk Projects

CIP / Master Plan Sidewalk Projects

- Requires Bond Funding
- Requires Multiple Years to Design, Fund & Complete
- Right-of-Way Acquisitions Usually Required
- Significant Engineering Design Required
- Utility Conflicts Common

Sidewalk Maintenance Program

- Utilizes Annual Operating Budget
- Can Be Completed in Months
- No Right-of-Way Acquisitions Required
- No Significant Engineering Design Required
- No Utility Conflicts
- Existing Sidewalks and Small Gaps

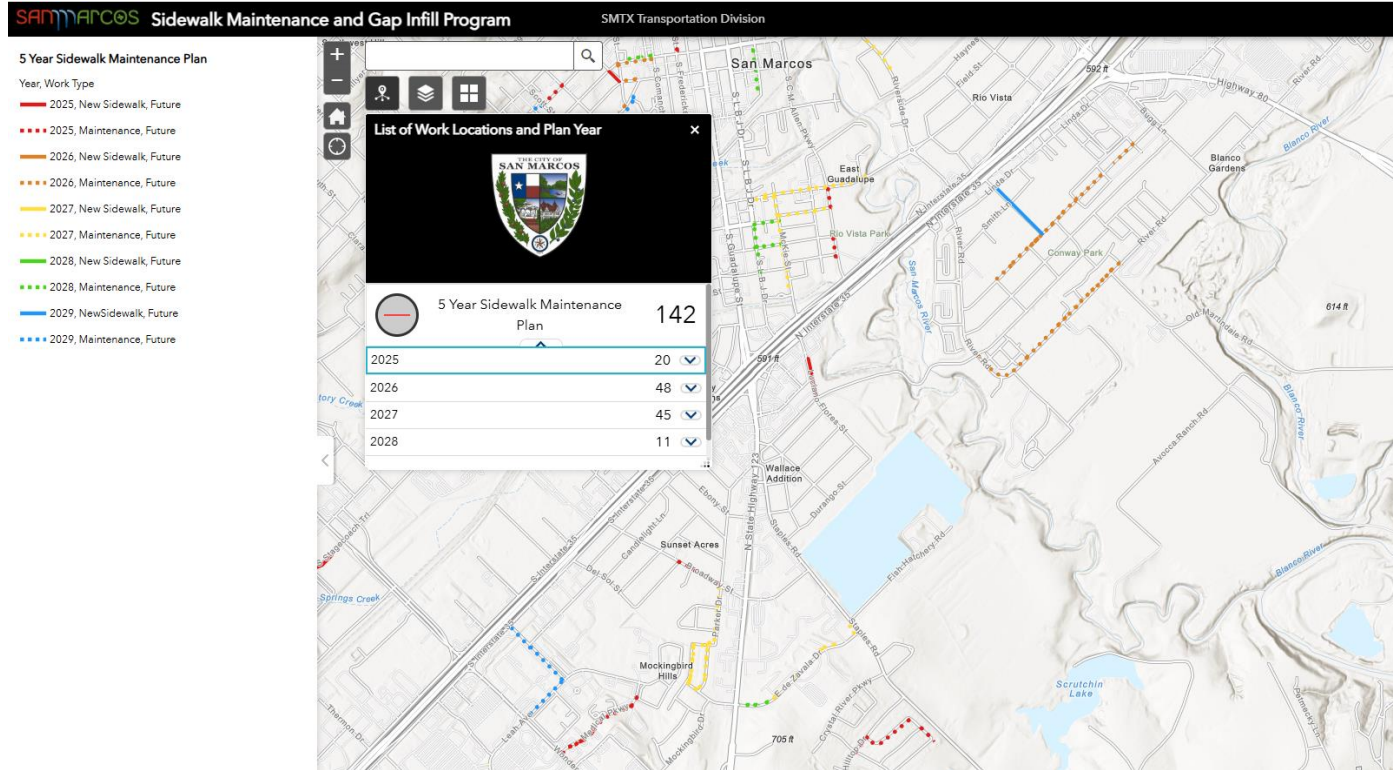


How Projects are Selected

- **Public Meetings**
- **Citizen requests:**
 - Email
 - SMTX Connect
- **Equity Cabinet Recommendations**
- **Prioritize areas:**
 - Pedestrian involved accidents
 - Vulnerability Index Rating
 - Low Vehicle Ownership
 - High Pedestrian areas-
 - Hospitals, Bus Stops, Grocery stores
- **ADA Sidewalk Inspection**



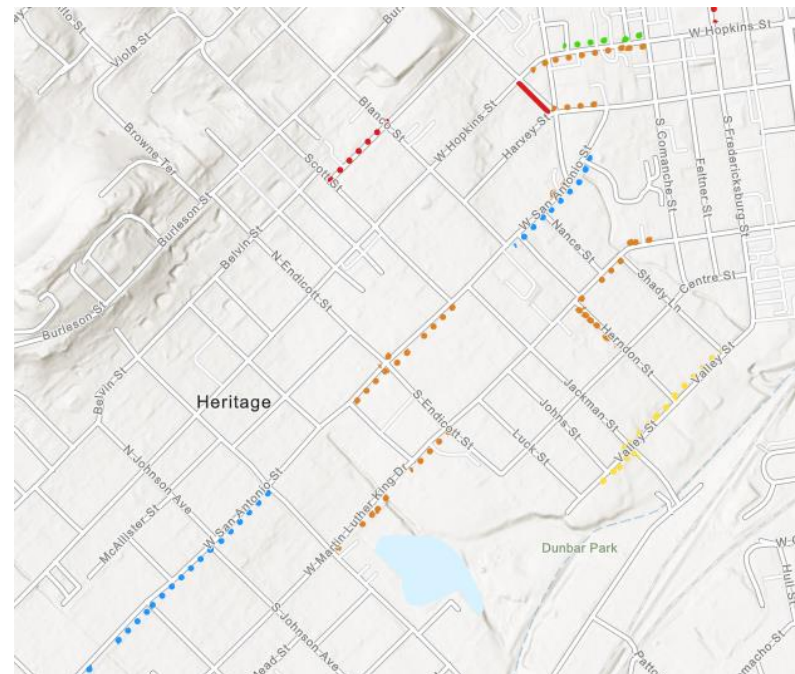
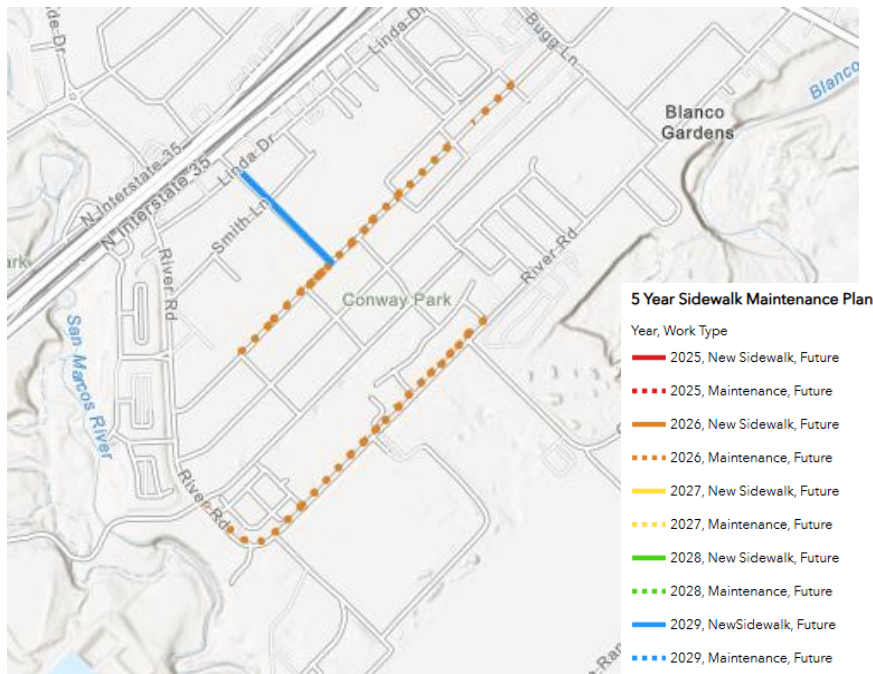
Public Facing Web Map



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FY 26 Sample Project Locations



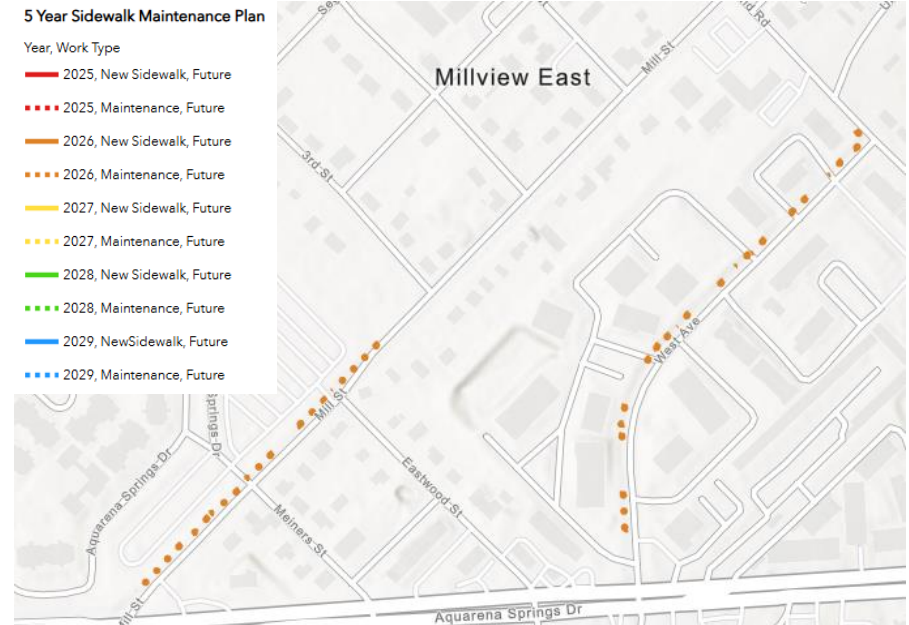
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5 Year Sidewalk Maintenance Plan

Year, Work Type

- 2025, New Sidewalk, Future
- ... 2025, Maintenance, Future
- 2026, New Sidewalk, Future
- ... 2026, Maintenance, Future
- 2027, New Sidewalk, Future
- ... 2027, Maintenance, Future
- 2028, New Sidewalk, Future
- ... 2028, Maintenance, Future
- 2029, New Sidewalk, Future
- ... 2029, Maintenance, Future



Maintenance Locations – FY 2026



Maintenance Locations

Street	To	From
San Antonio	Endicott	Scott
San Antonio	Armstead	Endicott
MLK	Shady	Comanche
MLK	Herndon	Shady
Herndon	Centre	MLK
West	Aquarena Springs	Uhland
Mill	Aquarena Springs	Third
Springtown	Thorpe	IH 35 FR
Barbara	Wendell	Highline
Barbara	Bliss	Wendell

Street	To	From
Barbara	Sherbarb	Bliss
Barbara	Mary	Sherbarb
Barbara	Clair	Mary Max
San Antonio	Nance	North
MLK	Mitchell	Armstead
Hopkins	North	Comamanche
Hopkins	Moore	North
Harvey	North	San Antonio
River	Sturgeon	Old Martindale
Charles Austin	Aquarena Springs	Hopkins

Will NOT Look Like This When Complete



Barbara St.

San Antonio- Between
Jackman and Endicott



Mill St.

MLK near Shady Ln.





Completed Steps

- **Met with Equity Cabinet**
- **Inspected all 202 miles of sidewalk**
- **Bilingual mailers sent to residents prior to Public Meeting**
- **Public Meeting was hosted on 4/16/2025**
- **Build FY26 Sidewalk Maintenance Plan**
- **Bilingual mailers sent to residents prior to Neighborhood Commission Meeting**
- **Presented and Received input from Historic Commission on 5/1/2025**
- **Received input and approval for FY26 Sidewalk Projects from Neighborhood Commission on 5/21/25**



Next Steps

- **Receive Council input and approval FY26 Sidewalk Projects from City Council 6/3/25**
- **Send 90-day mailer to landowners and residents**
- **Hand deliver flyers to adjacent addresses two weeks prior to work beginning**
- **Complete sidewalk projects on behalf of the community**



Questions and Input