

## RED LINE CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

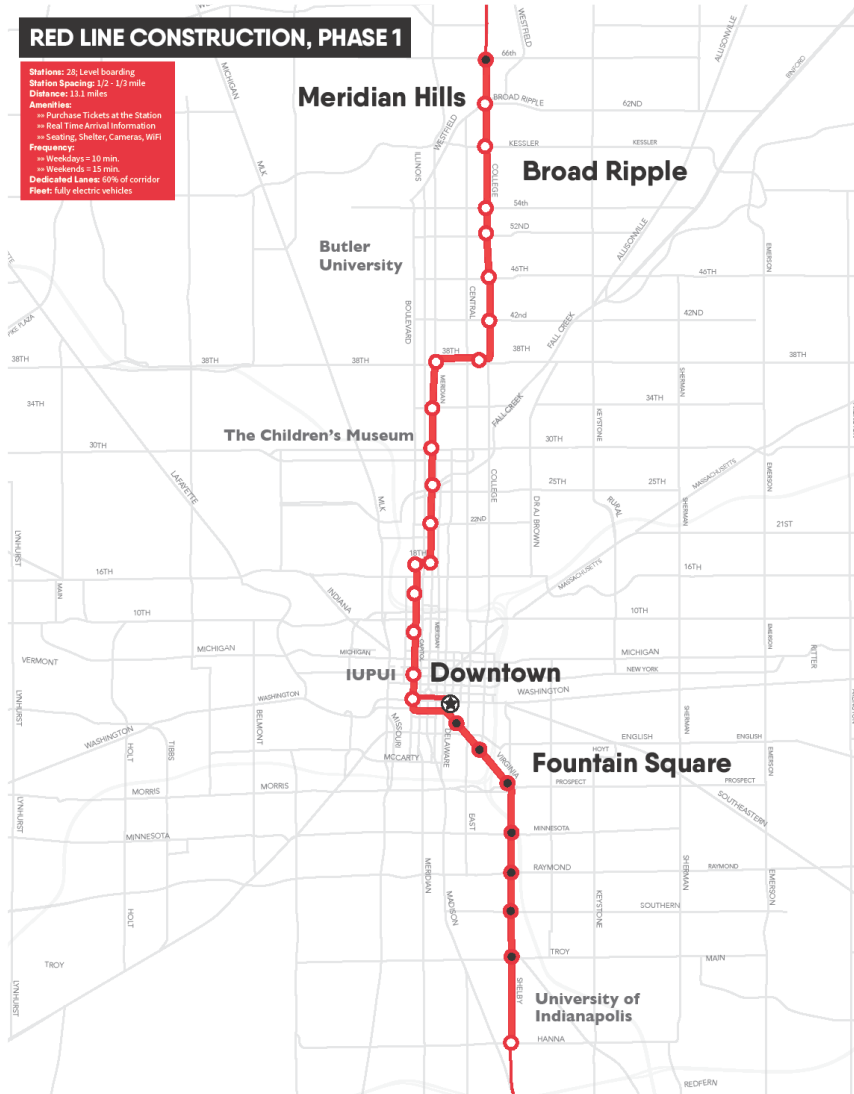


# WHAT'S HAPPENING?

## Overview

- Red Line Rapid Transit is frequent spine of a better transit network
- When opens, 50% local transit service added as well
- Construction began June 2018
- Corridors under construction:
  - Shelby
  - Virginia
  - Capitol
  - Meridian
  - 18<sup>th</sup>
  - 38<sup>th</sup>
  - College

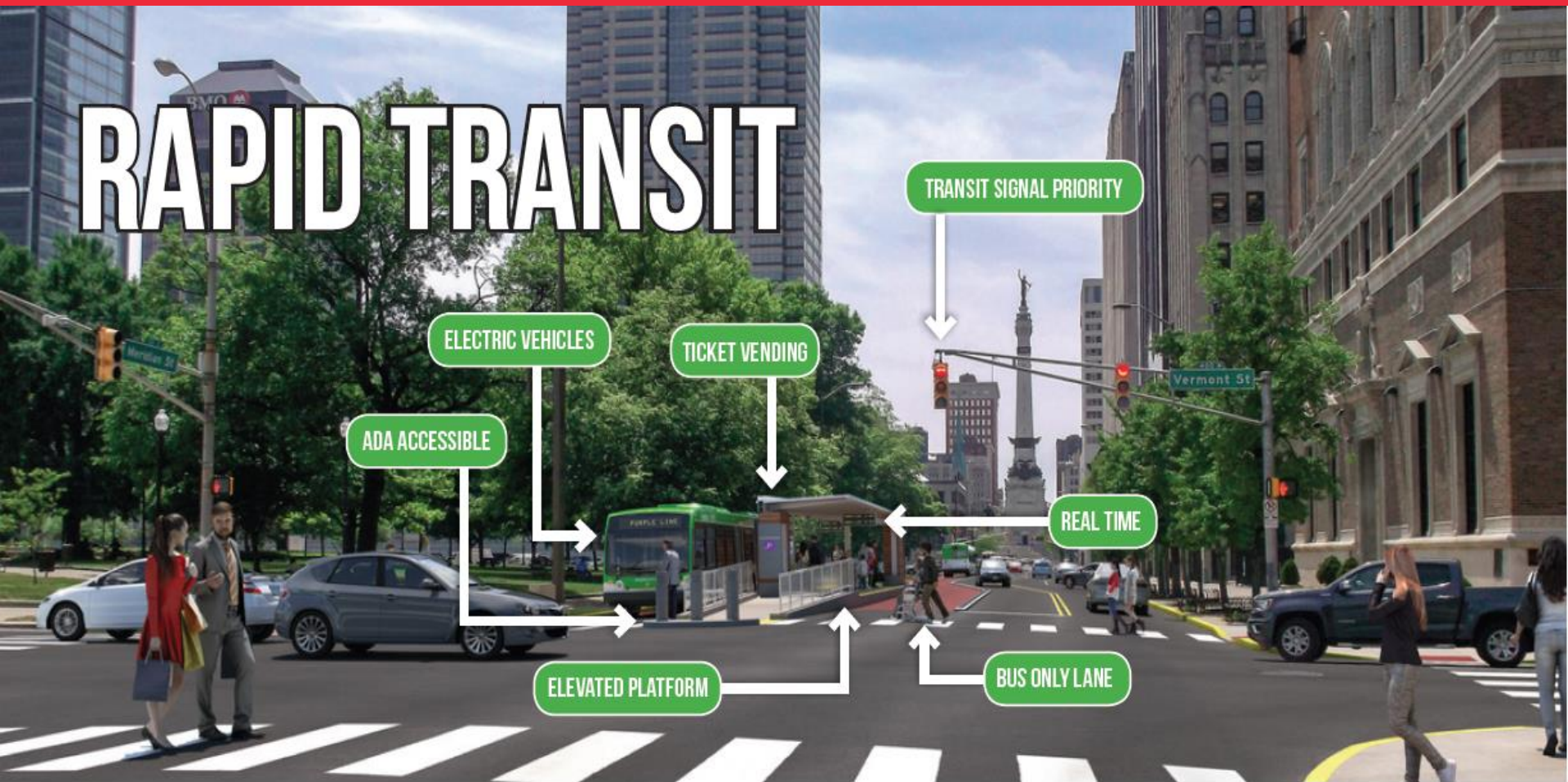
# RED LINE PHASE 1 OVERVIEW



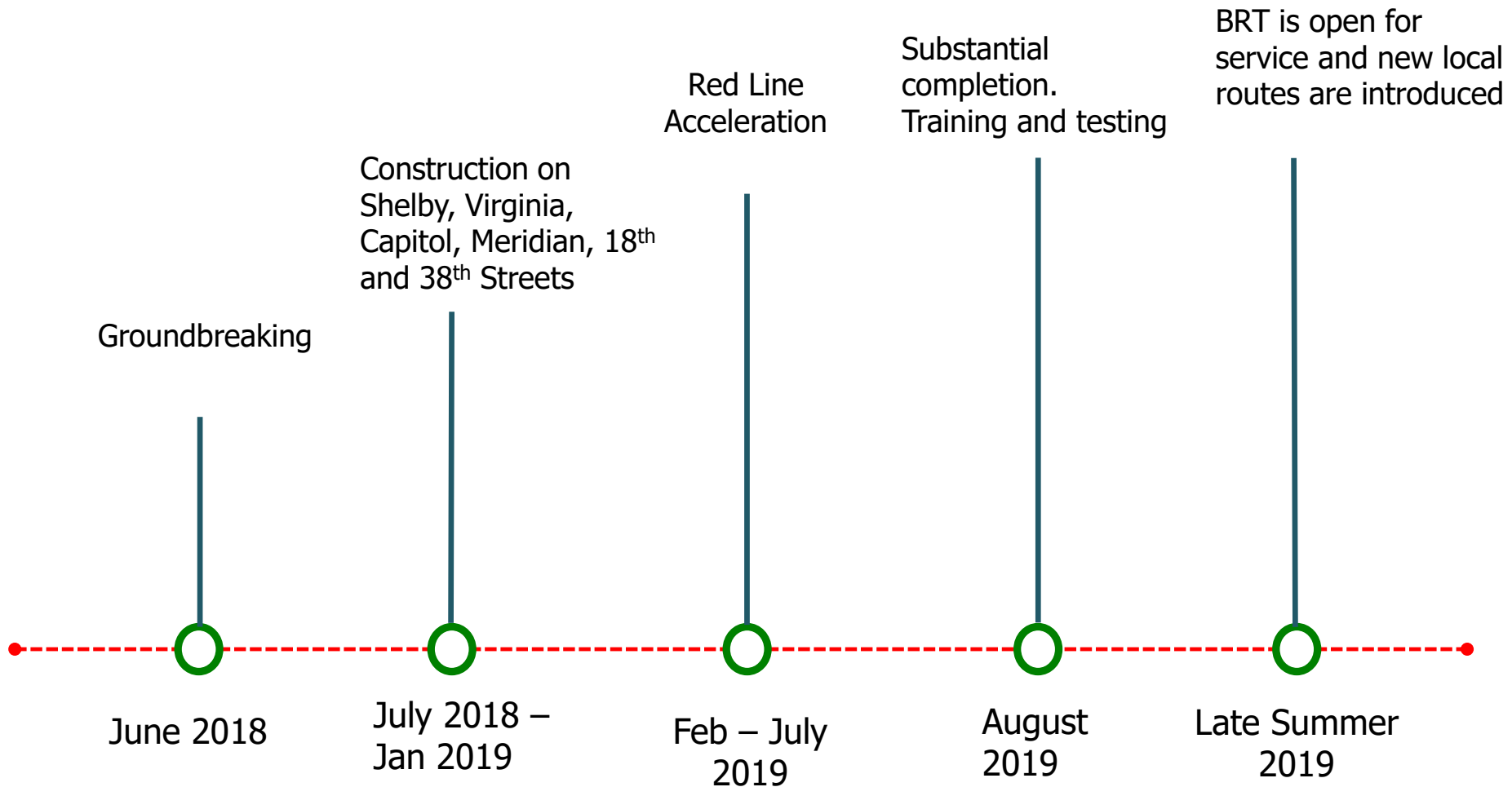
- 13.5 miles from Broad Ripple through Downtown to UIndy
- 28 station locations
- Bus comes every 10 minutes
- 20 hours/day
- 60 ft electric buses
- Projected 11,000 trips/day



# WHAT IS BUS RAPID TRANSIT?



# MILESTONES



## WHAT'S HAPPENING?

### Acceleration shortened construction by 4 months

- Acceleration agreement finalized in late January
- IndyGo Board of Directors approved plan February 5
- IndyGo announced the news February 5
- Acceleration began on February 11
- Red Line to open by late summer

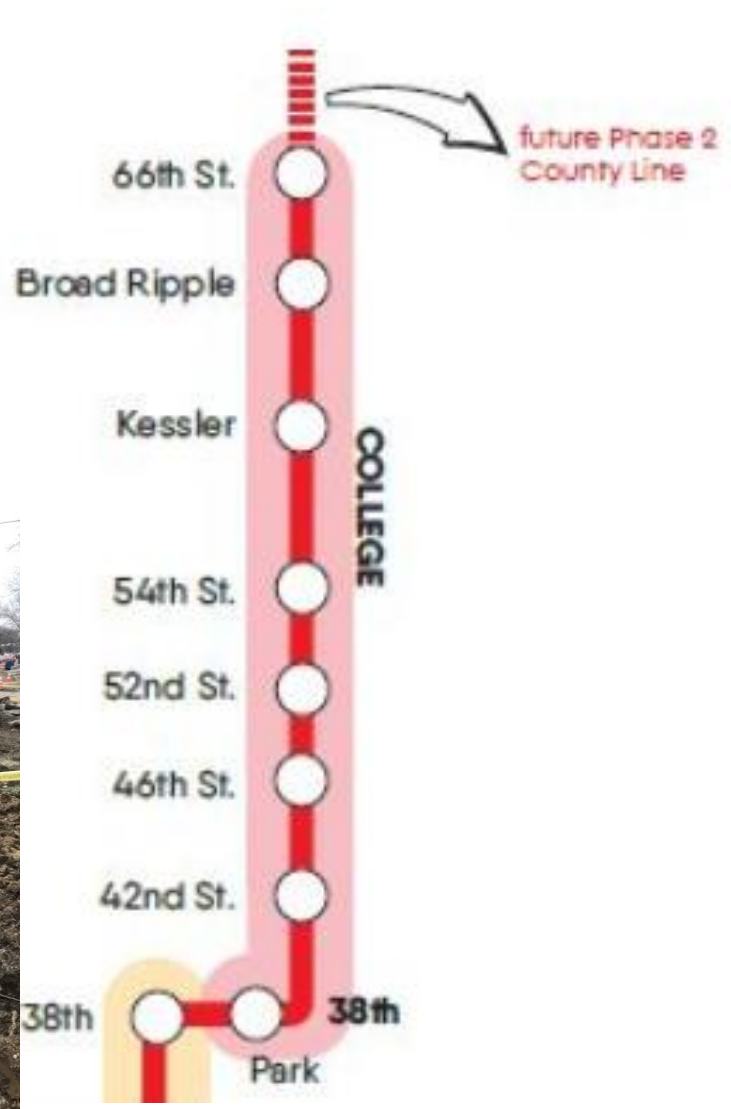
# THIS IS WHAT IS HAPPENING

## Construction on College Ave

- Seven transit stations
- Improvements along the 3-mile stretch include:
  - New Sidewalks
  - Improved Drainage
  - Repaired Curbs
  - New Crosswalks
  - Improved Signals
  - Pavement resurfacing from 38<sup>th</sup> to 66<sup>th</sup> streets









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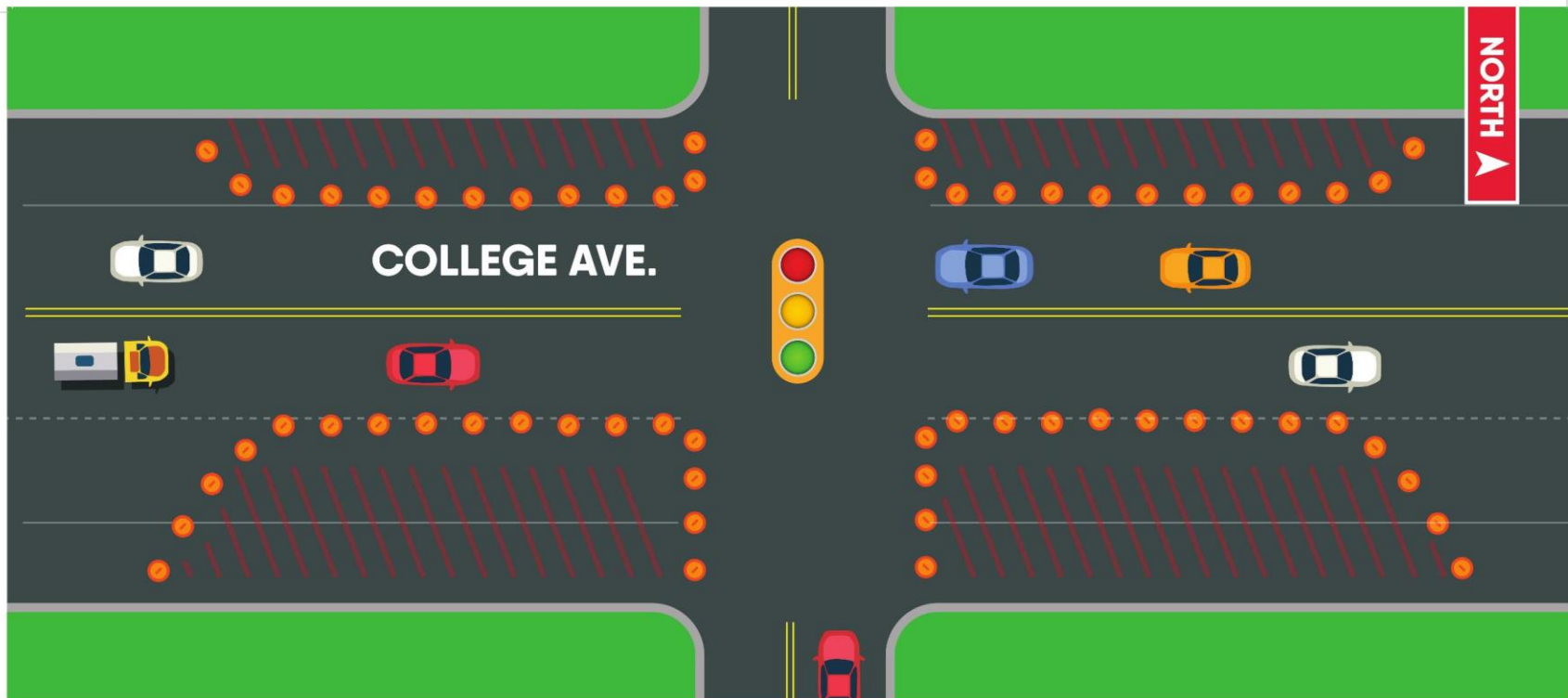
## WHAT YOU WILL EXPERIENCE

### When and Where?

- 50<sup>th</sup> to 66<sup>th</sup> – under construction now
- 38<sup>th</sup> to 50<sup>th</sup> – construction will begin in March
- Work - 6 days a week: Monday - Saturday
- Work may occur on Sundays
- Some nighttime paving operations to minimize traffic disruptions

### Anticipated Duration

- Sidewalks, drainage, utilities, curb modifications through **April**
- Stations work through **June**
- Pavement resurfacing in **June/July**
- Completion **before Labor Day**

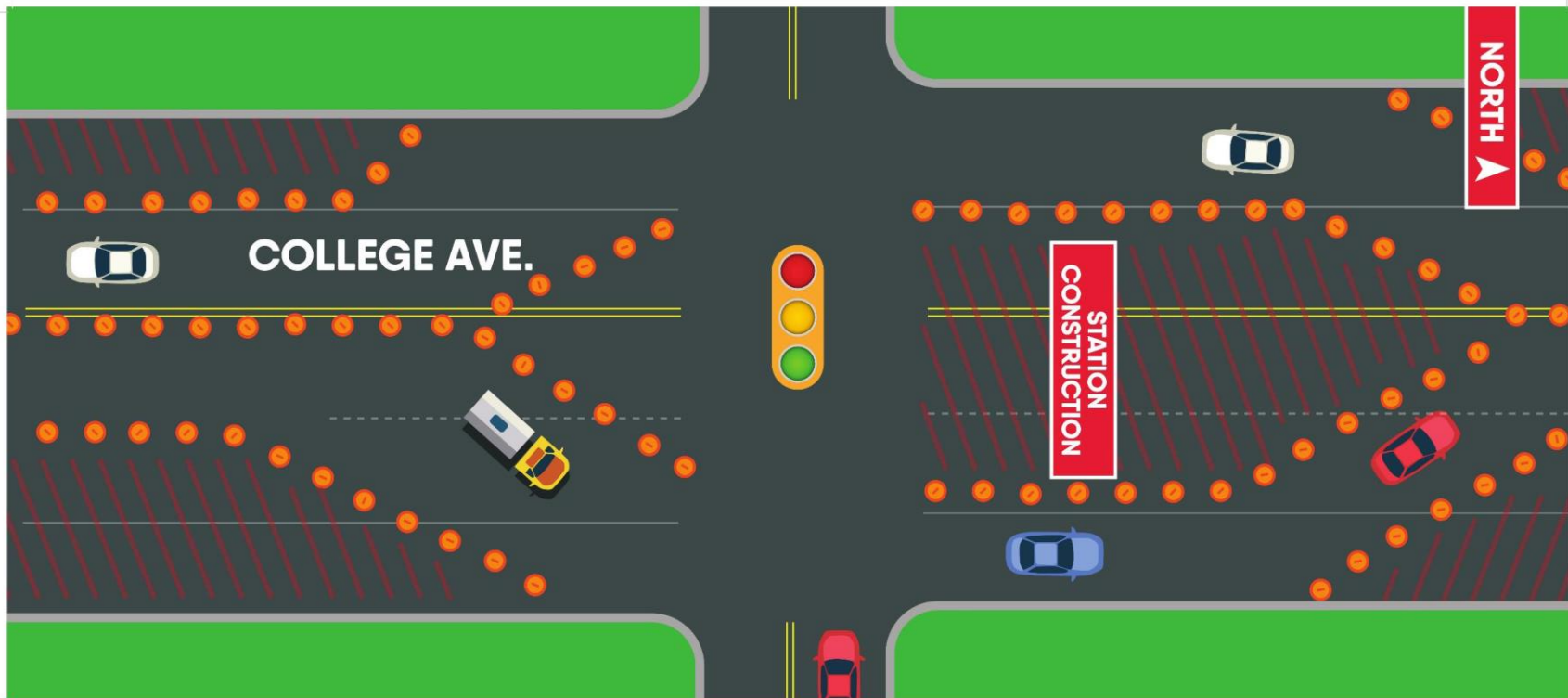


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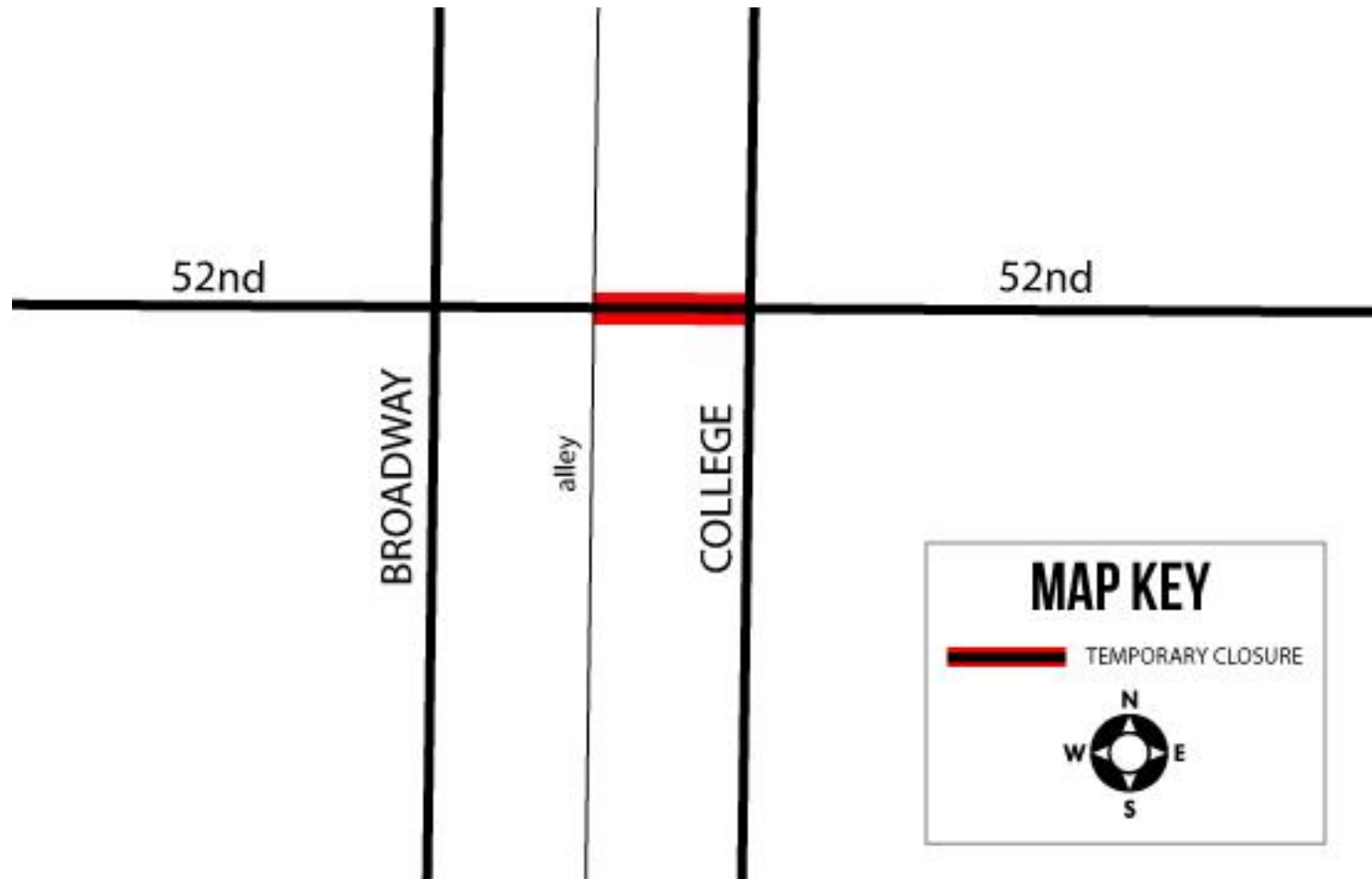
# WHAT YOU WILL EXPERIENCE

## Traffic Impacts

- On-street parking permitted except within construction zones
- Some temporary turn restrictions may become necessary
- One traffic lane will be open in each direction, except for:
  - Setting roofs for stations
  - Pouring concrete
- If a closure on College Ave is needed, it will happen during non-peak times and for 2-4 hours
- Side streets will need to be closed for several days for drainage work

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# 5-7 DAY LANE CLOSURES FOR DRAINAGE



## **We Want You to Know!**

Alerts, Closures, + Updates:  
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Weekly Construction Updates Emailed:  
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# WHAT YOU WILL EXPERIENCE

## Businesses

- Open for business: Patrons always have access to businesses
- Sidewalks: Pedestrian access will be maintained. Temporary paths will be provided where sidewalks are being replaced
- Deliveries: Side streets, alleys and parking lots may provide easier delivery access during construction

## Residents

- Trash: Place your trash where you usually do as close to the curb as is safe
- Driveways: There are very few locations where driveways will be disrupted. If yours is one, the contractor will notify you in advance of work and make accommodations to ensure your access

# WHAT YOU WILL EXPERIENCE

## PARKING

- On-street parking permitted except within construction zones
- Contractor will install no parking signs during times that you can't park
- Parking is available on cross streets and parallel streets
- Leave your phone number in visible location just in case



# WHAT YOU WILL EXPERIENCE

## Other Potential Impacts



- Most utility relocations are already completed. If additional disruptions are required, affected properties will be notified
- Routes 17 and 18 will continue to operate along College Ave during construction
- Some bus stops will be moved to provide safer locations for waiting passengers



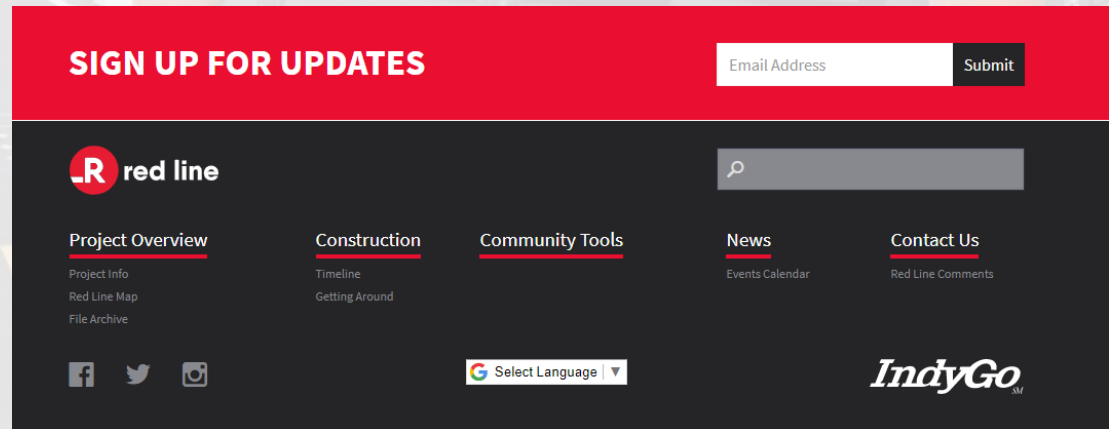
## **Safety is Top Priority!**

We are working with IMPD, IFD, EMS to provide safety at all times.

**Specific safety questions or concerns will be addressed one-on-one**


# QUESTIONS?

- IndyGo Call Center 317-635-3344
- FAQs  
<https://www.indygored.com/acceleration/>
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## Neighborhood Liaisons

- For questions about construction or for help with construction-related concerns

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## Temporary traffic disruptions.

## Permanent upgrade.

### Accelerated Red Line construction is currently underway

Over the next four months, we'll be placing additional construction crews along the entire 13-mile length of the Red Line. As many as 20 crews will be working simultaneously to finish by the end of summer.

This acceleration may cause additional impacts including:

- Lane shifts
- Limited loading zones
- Evening work and weekend work
- Parking restrictions on College Avenue from 38th to 66th
- Overnight work

We know these changes will create difficulties, but once the Red Line opens, IndyGo will focus on improving other local routes by 50 percent, allowing riders to more easily and efficiently move throughout the city.

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## Short-term inconvenience for long-term benefit to the city

Remember that by summer's end, College Ave will have:

- Frequent, fast and dependable transit service
- New pavement
- Repaired sidewalks and curb that are accessible to people of all abilities
- No more construction barrels!





# Thank you for your patience.

We appreciate your support as we work to improve access for Indy residents!