



Citi Bike Expansion Draft Plan

Bronx Community Board 5 – Veterans & Municipal Services Committee
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NYC Bike Share Overview

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What is Bike Share?

Shared-Use Mobility

Network of shared bicycles

- Intended for point-to-point transportation

Increased mobility

- Additional transportation option
- Convenient for trips that are too far to walk, but too short for the subway or a taxi
- Connections to transit

Convenience

- System operates 24/7
- No need to worry about bike storage or maintenance

Positive health & environmental impacts



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What is Citi Bike?

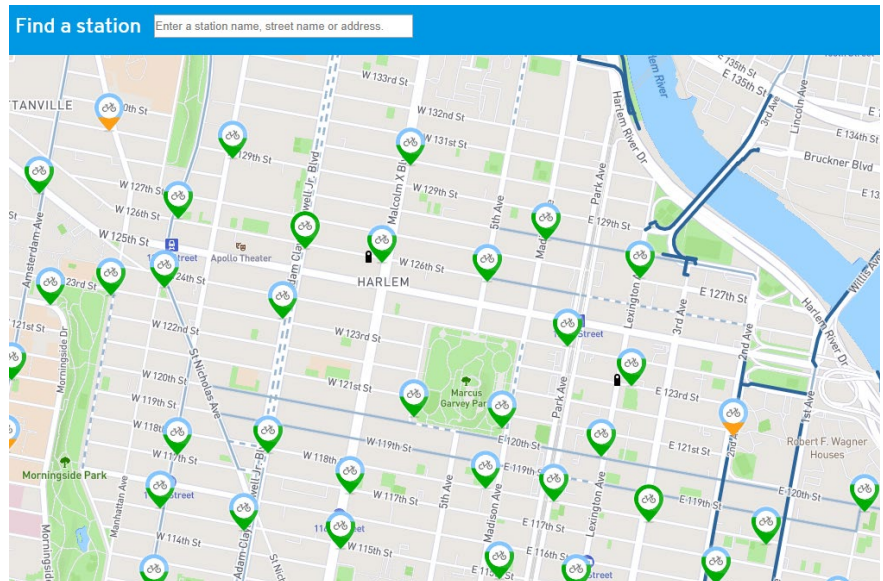
New York City's Bike Share System

Private – Public partnership

- NYC DOT responsible for system planning and outreach
- Lyft responsible for day-to-day operations and equipment
- Funded by sponsorships & memberships

Citi Bike is a station-based bike share system. Stations:

- Can be on the roadbed or sidewalk
- Are not hardwired into the ground
- Are solar powered and wireless



Citi Bike to Date

7+ Years of Citi Bike

Citi Bike Launch: Phase 1

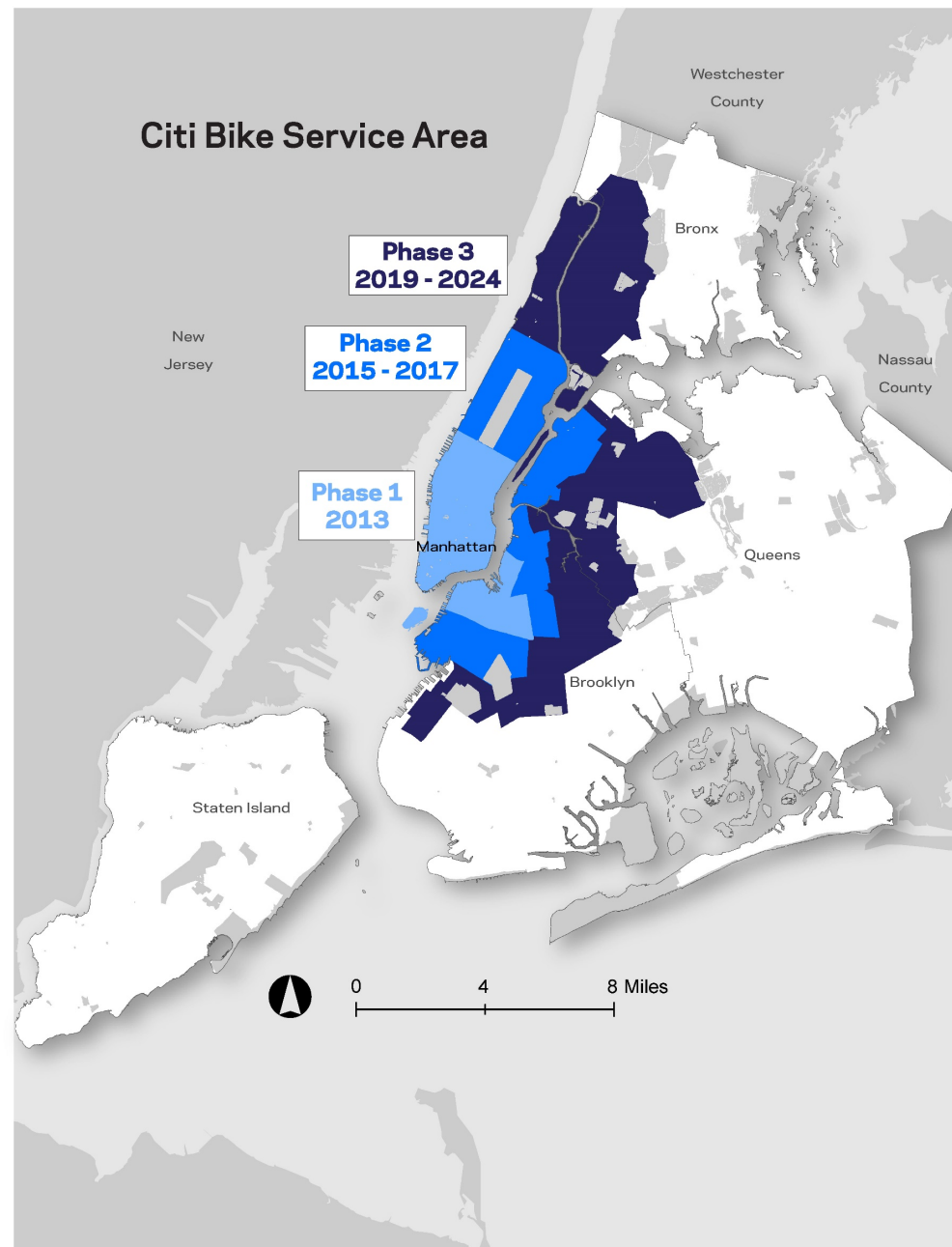
- 2013
- Manhattan & Brooklyn
- 330 stations
- 6,000 bikes

Citi Bike Expansion: Phase 2

- 2015 – 2017
- Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens
- 750 stations
- 12,000 bikes

Citi Bike Expansion: Phase 3

- Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Bronx
- 2019 – 2024
- + 35 square miles
- + 16,000 bikes



High Ridership

By the Numbers

113+ million trips to date

19.6+ million trips in 2020

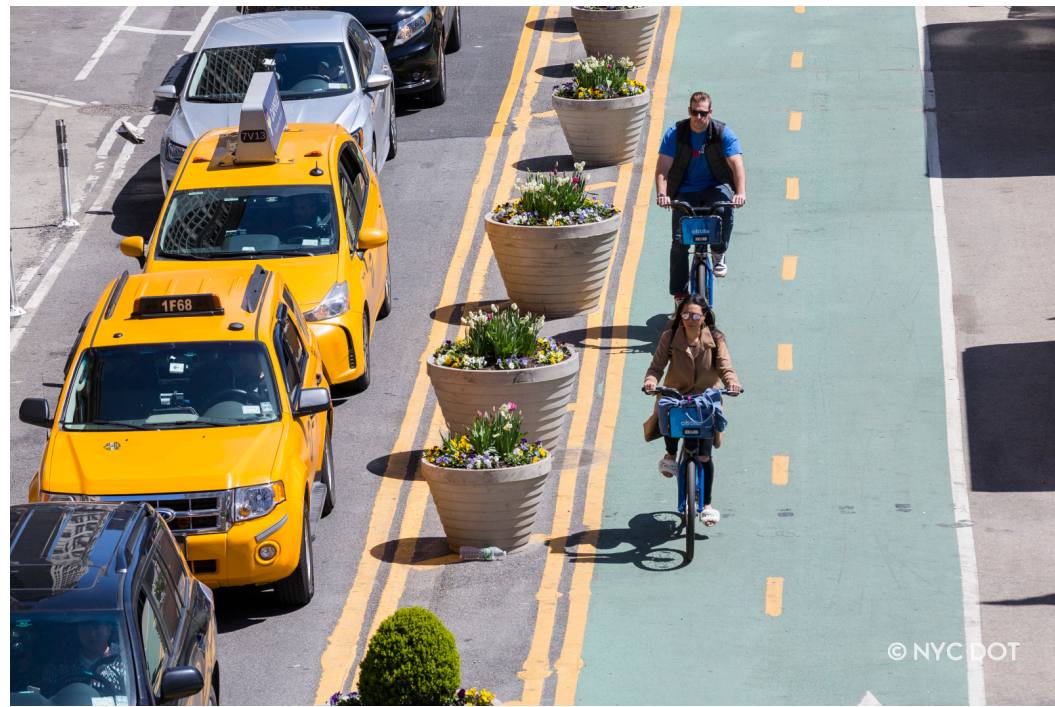
5.5+ trips per day per bike

~70,000 daily trips in peak riding months

90,000+ daily rides during busiest days

~170,000 annual members

600,000+ first time riders in 2020



Pricing

Memberships

Single Ride \$3

One 30 minute ride
Available via the Lyft or
Citi Bike smartphone app

Day Pass \$15

Includes unlimited 30
minute rides within in a 24
hour period

Annual \$179/year

Or \$14.95/month
Includes unlimited 45
minute rides

Reduced Fare Bike Share & Community Development Credit Union Rates

NYCHA Residents & SNAP Recipients

\$5/month
Annual commitment optional

Includes unlimited 45 minute rides

Community Development Credit Union Members

\$5/month
With annual commitment

Includes unlimited 45 minute rides

Equity Efforts

Bike Share for Everyone

LyftUp (Bike Share for Youth)

Partner Keys & Free Ride Codes

Prescribe-a-Bike

Citi Bike Unlocked Classes

Neighborhood Advocates

Equity Advisory Board

Community Grants

REDUCED FARE BIKE SHARE

presented by



Safe Cycling

Safe Cycling Environment

DOT promotes cycling safety with:

- Helmet giveaways
- Light and bell giveaways
- Safety awareness classes

2019 Green Wave plan

- Focuses on improving bicycle infrastructure in bike share expansion area
- Includes expanded education efforts



COVID-19 and Citi Bike

NYC DOT is working with Lyft to ensure the safety of riders during the pandemic by:

- Cleaning high-contact areas when bikes return to the depot
- Disinfecting bikes as they are docked adjacent to high-use medical facilities
- Using social distancing practices in the field and handling bikes

Critical Workforce Membership Program

- Provided annual memberships to essential workers
- 800,000+ rides taken between April and December 2020



Planning Process and Public Outreach

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Planning Process

1. Station Siting
2. Public Outreach
3. Draft Plan Creation
4. Final Steps & Installation

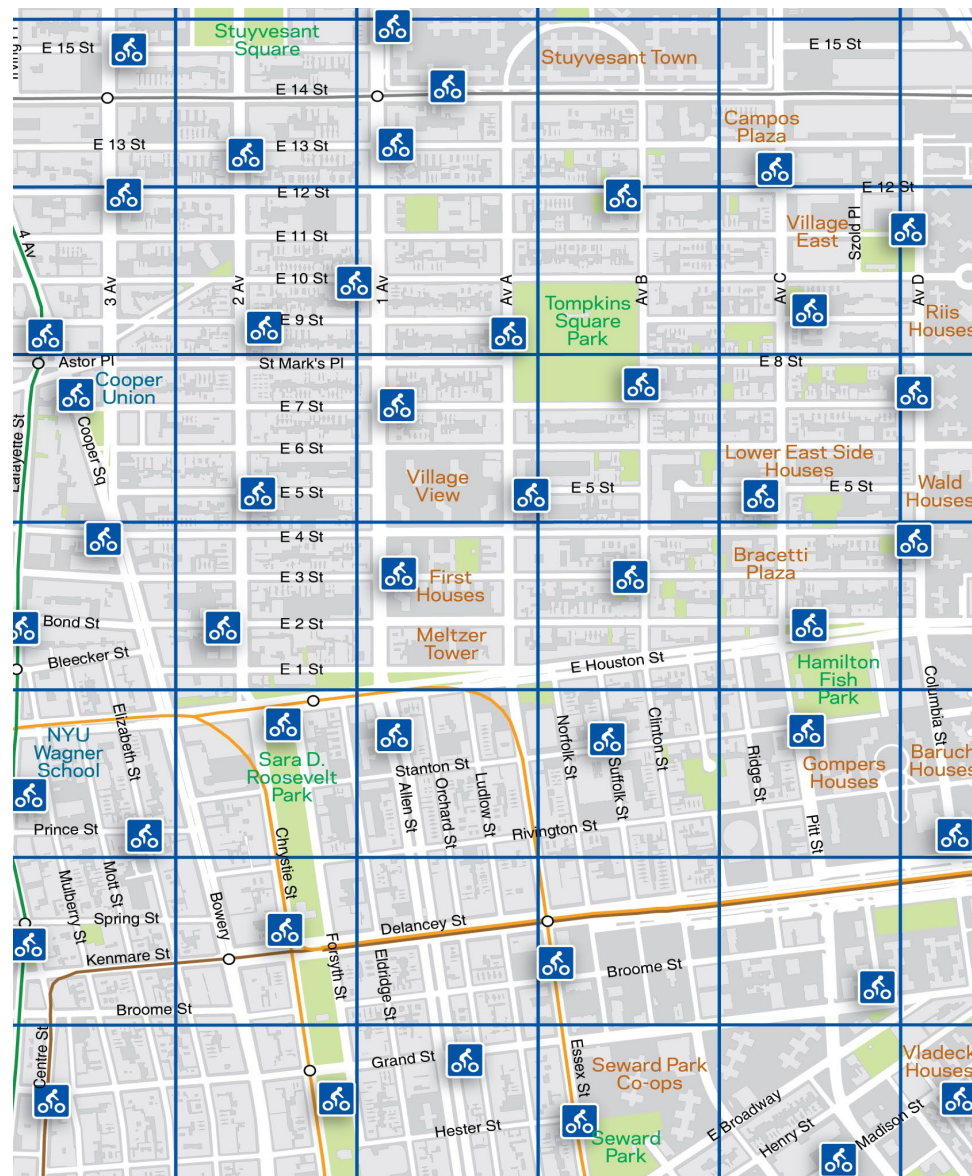


1. Station Siting

Success based on high density of stations and equal access to stations across service area

Stations located every few blocks (approximately 3-5 minute walk)

Considerations for hydrants, utilities, accessibility, among other factors



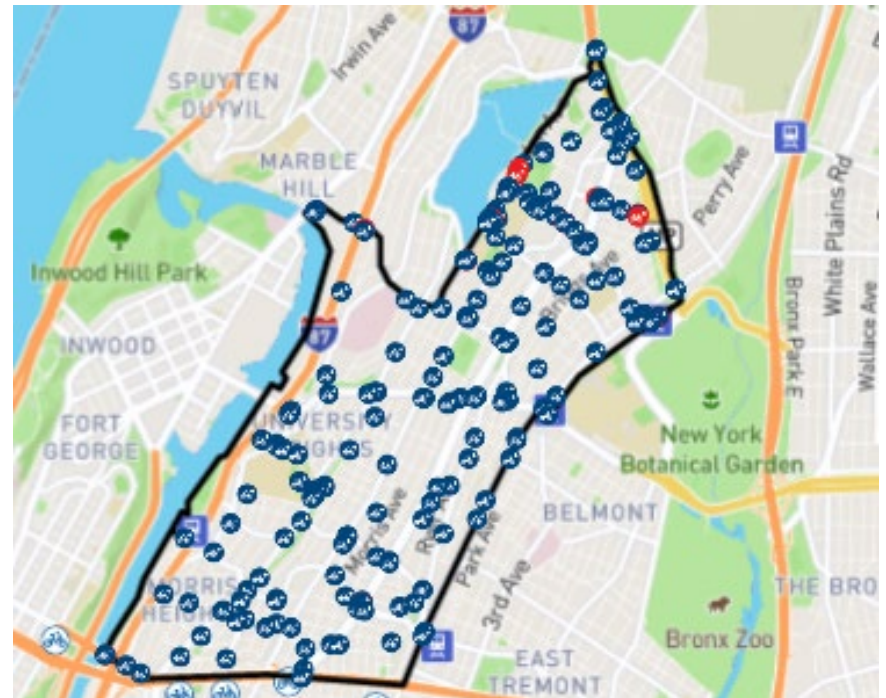
2. Public Outreach

Interactive station planning map & feedback portal

- <https://nycdotprojects.info/CitiBikePhase3>

Virtual stakeholder meetings and public town halls

Outreach modified during COVID-19 pandemic



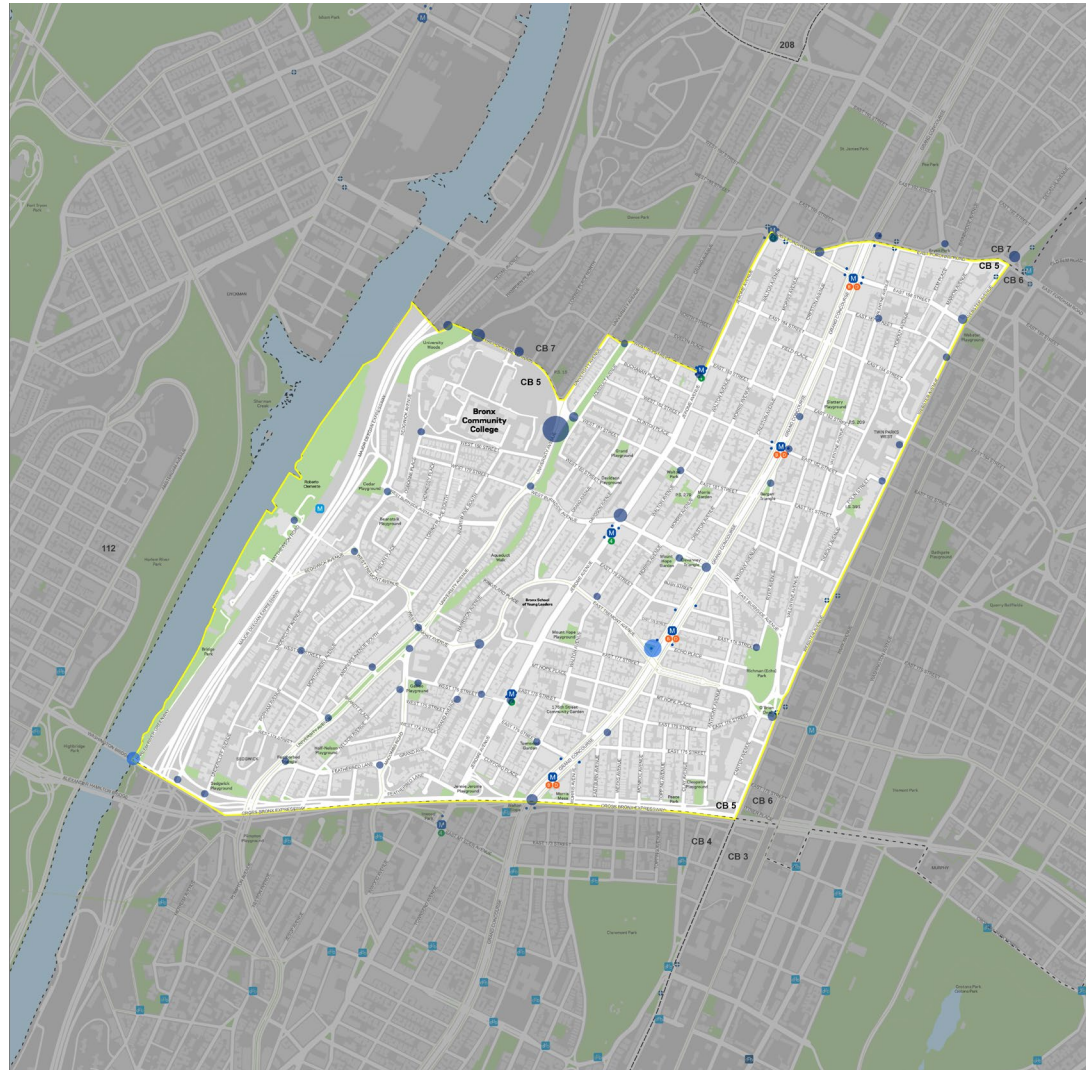
3. Draft Plan Creation

Present draft plan of stations to Community Boards and post online

Station locations determined by:

- Community feedback
- Siting principles & guidelines
- Lyft operational considerations

Gather feedback on draft plan and adjust as needed



4. Final Steps & Installation

Gather feedback on the Draft Plan

Technical screening & coordination

Site specific outreach & notifications

Install stations

Continued outreach, monitoring, & adjustment



Draft Plan Review

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The Draft Plan map is
now available online at:
nyc.gov/bikeshare



Planned Citi Bike station locations (w/ cardinal side of street):

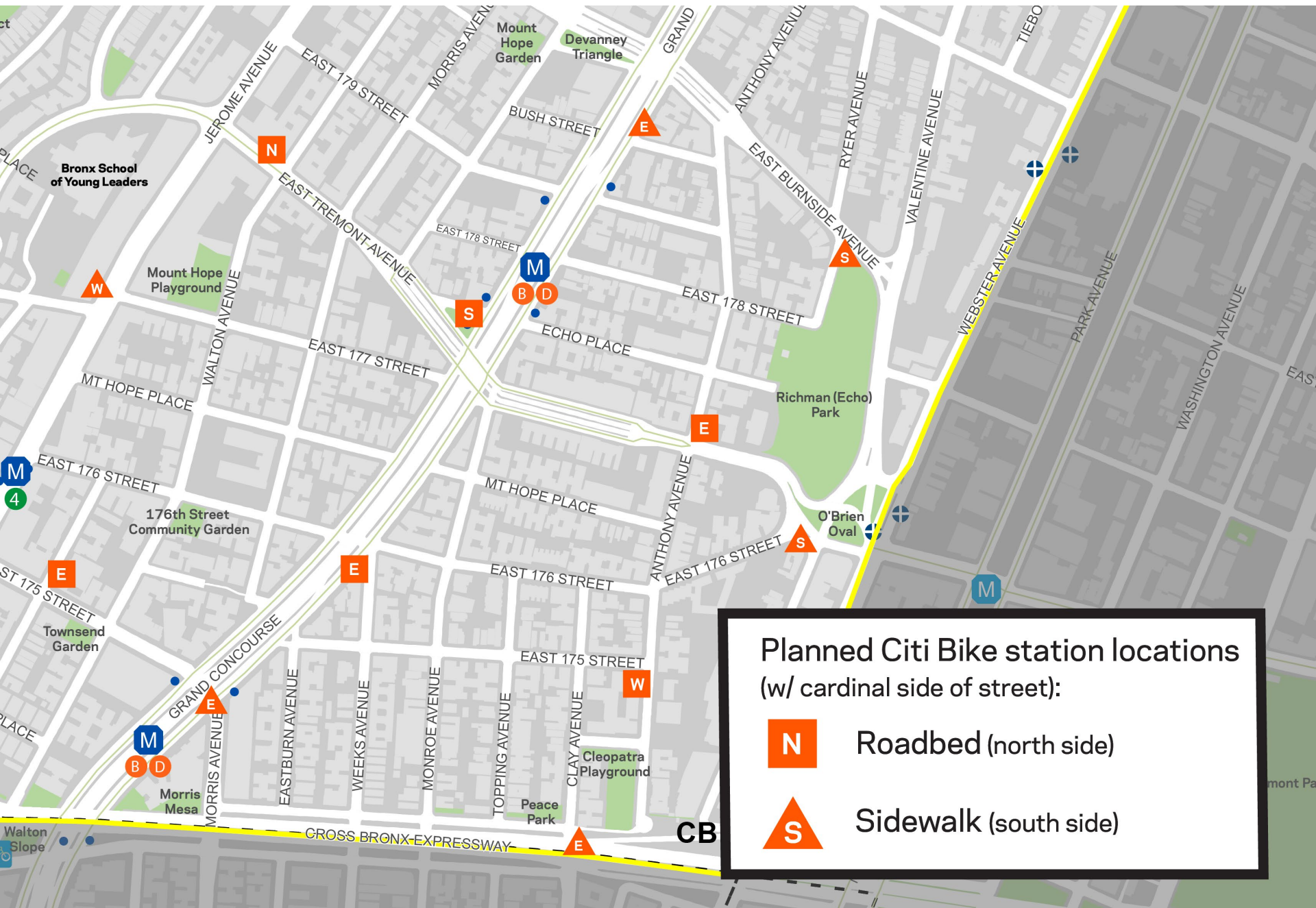


Roadbed (west side)



Sidewalk (south side)





Planned Citi Bike station locations

(w/ cardinal side of street):



Roadbed (west side)



Sidewalk (south side)



Other (east side)



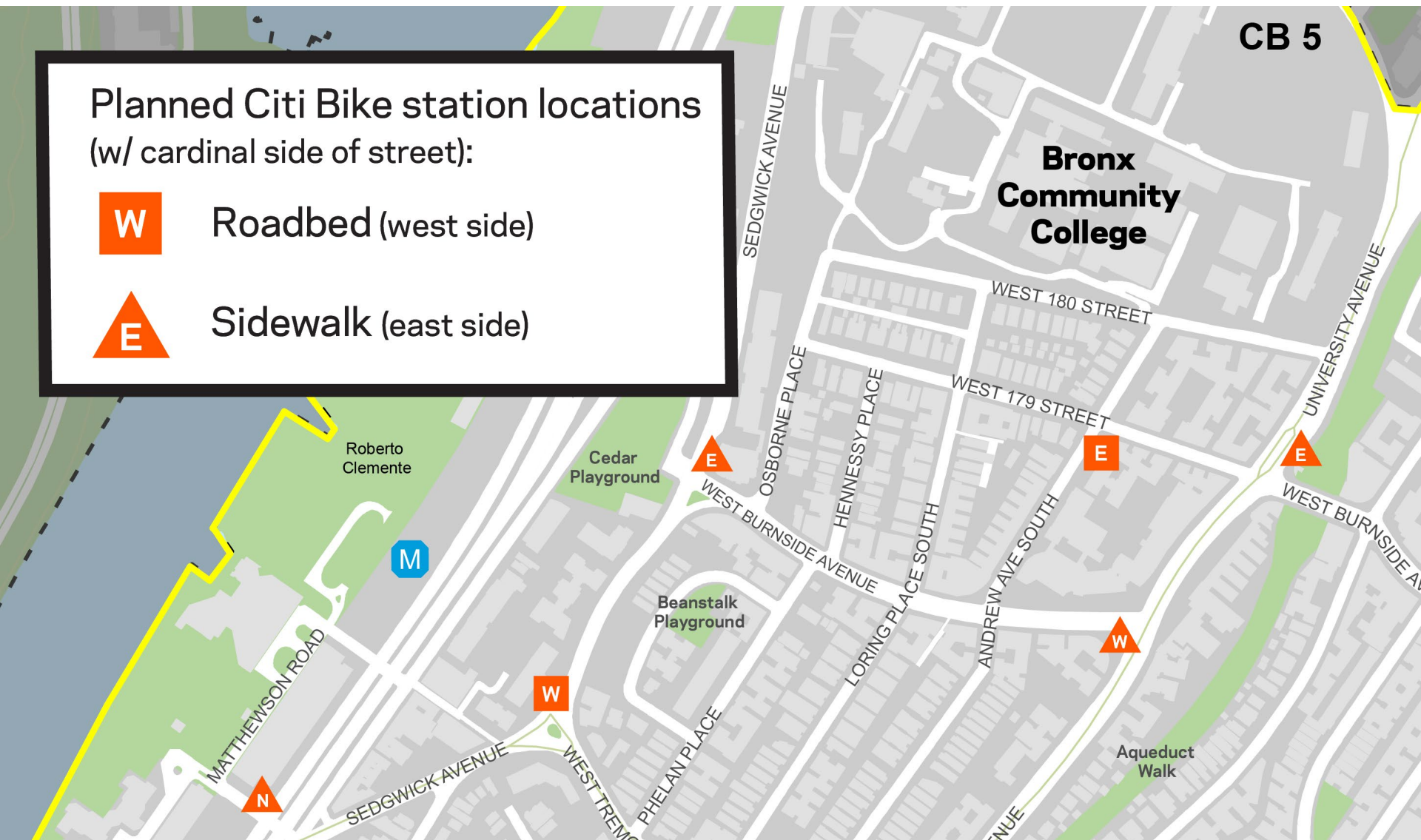
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Sidewalk (east side)



Thank You!

Questions?



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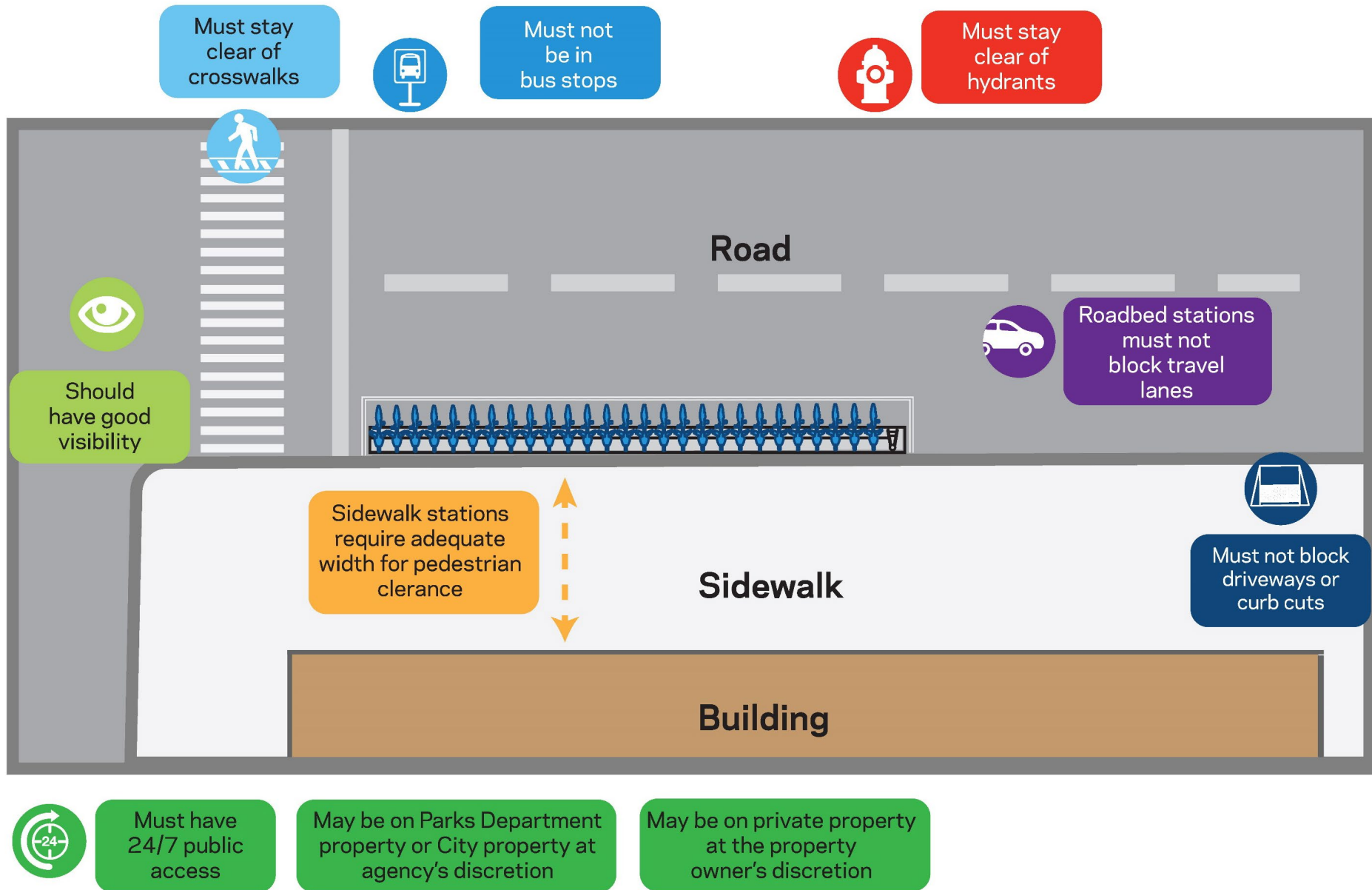
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Station not to scale