

**PUBLIC WORKS MEMORANDUM
#22-2024**

DATE: May 6, 2024
TO: Honorable Mayor Meredith Leighty and City Council Members
THROUGH: Heather Geyer, City Manager *hmg*
Jason Loveland, Deputy City Manager *AL*
FROM: Kent Kisselman PE, Director of Public Works *FKK*
SUBJECT: Proposed Pedestrian Crossings on Irma Drive

PURPOSE

To present recommendations for proposed pedestrian crossings at the intersection of Irma Drive and Leroy Drive as well as Irma Drive near the Greenway Trail.

BACKGROUND

Staff is working on the proposed pedestrian crossings at two locations based on Council and community requests.

The first is Irma Drive near the Greenway Trail. This location was scheduled to be completed as part of the Safer Street Project funded by the Colorado Department of Transportation but was removed due to delays and budgetary constraints.

The second location is at Irma Drive and Leroy Drive near the Masjid Ikhlas Metropolitan Denver North Islamic Center. The Islamic Center serves a large and diverse community who attend prayer services. Congregation members park along Leroy Drive and walk across Irma Drive. The intersection does not have curb ramps or a designated pedestrian crossing. To mitigate the risk to pedestrians crossing Irma Drive, the Islamic Center pays for Northglenn Police Officers to manage traffic during Friday services and other events.

Representatives from the Islamic Center reached out to elected officials and met with City Manager Heather Geyer and staff from the Police Department and Public Works to discuss their concerns.

Staff developed plans (see Attachment #1) to install pedestrian crossings at these locations. All concrete work including medians, curb ramps, and striping would be completed by a contractor. Pedestrian crossing sign installation would be done by City staff.

BUDGET/TIME IMPLICATIONS

Funding is available in the Capital Improvement Projects Fund.

Estimated Cost	Amount
Concrete Work	\$62,213.25
Pedestrian Crossing Signs	\$50,000
Project Total	\$112,213.25

Work would start this summer and take about 45 days to complete.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

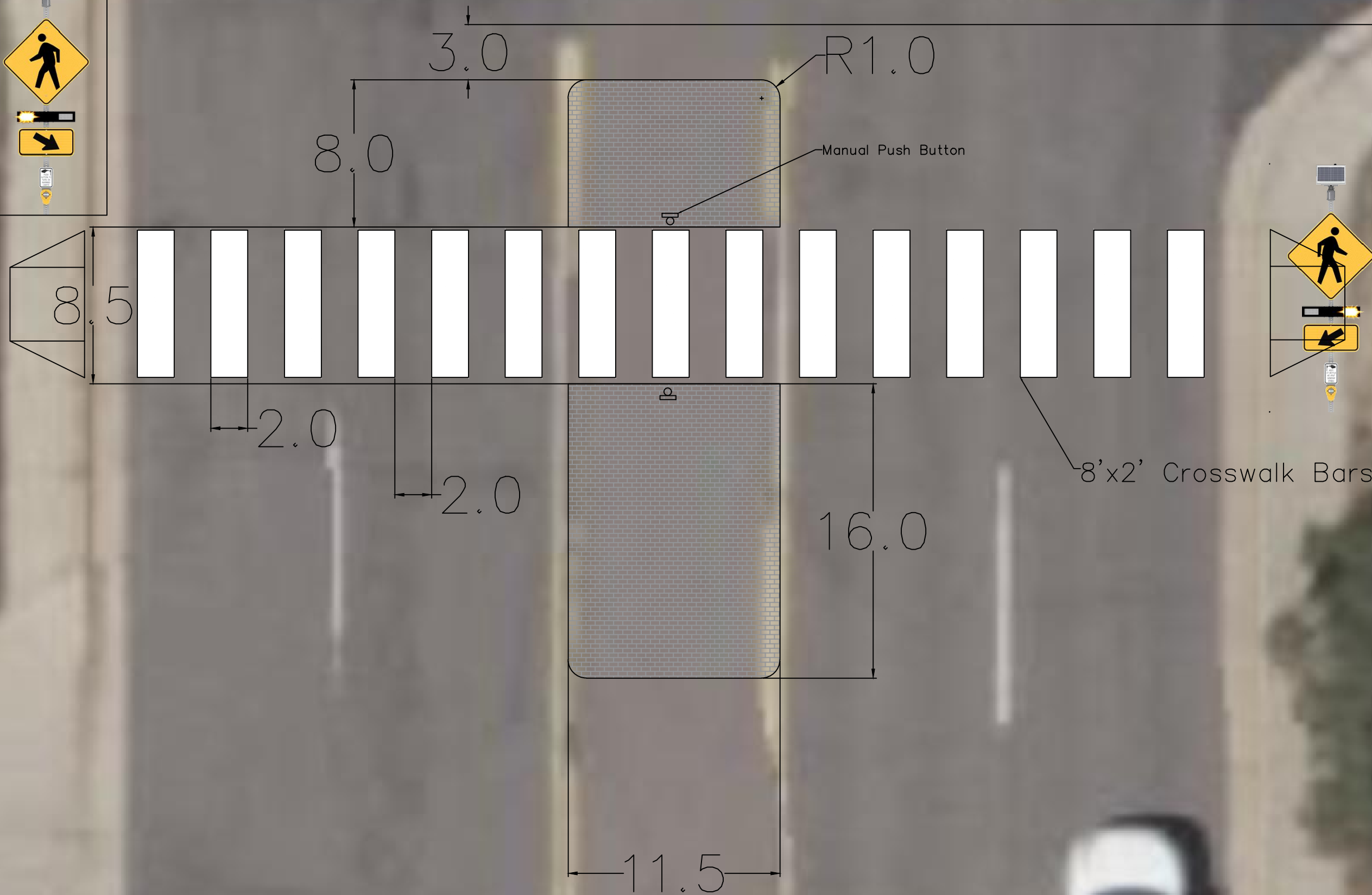
Staff is seeking Council consensus to proceed with the proposed work.

STAFF REFERENCE

If Council Members have any questions, please contact Kent Kisselman, Director of Public Works, at kkisselman@northglenn.org or 303.450.4005.

ATTACHMENT

1. Pedestrian Crossing Plans



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IRMA DRIVE

GREENWAY TRAIL

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