

# Funding Bike/Ped Trails Fuel Economic Development



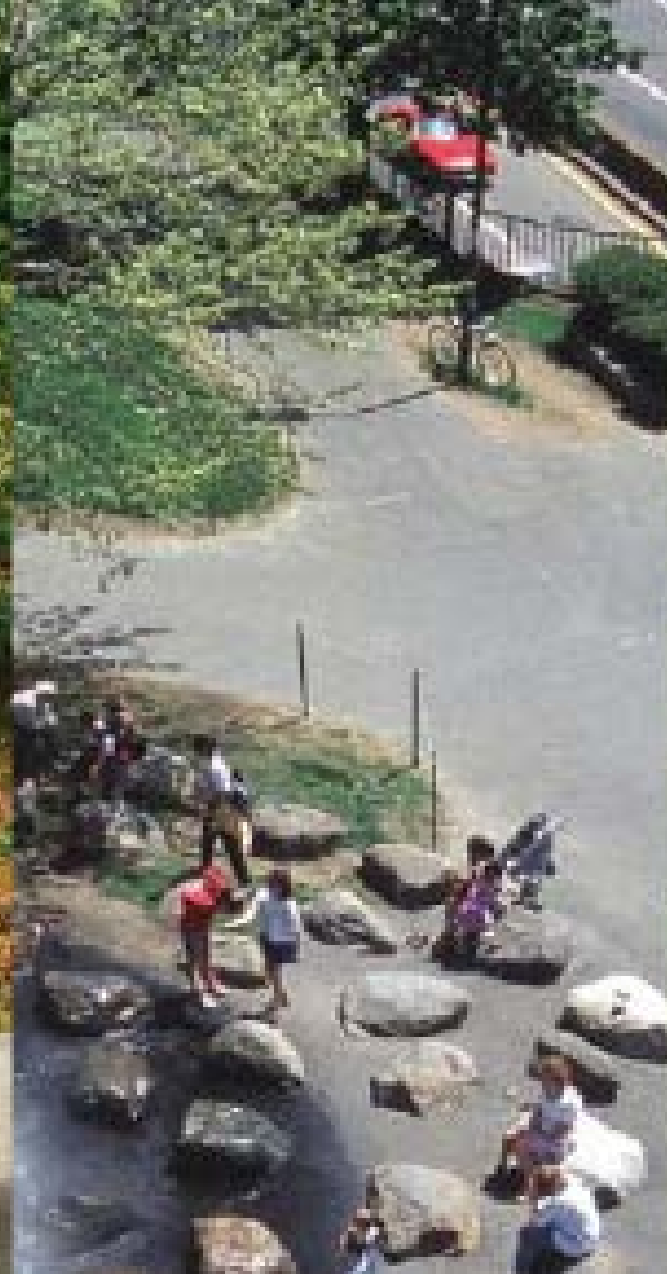
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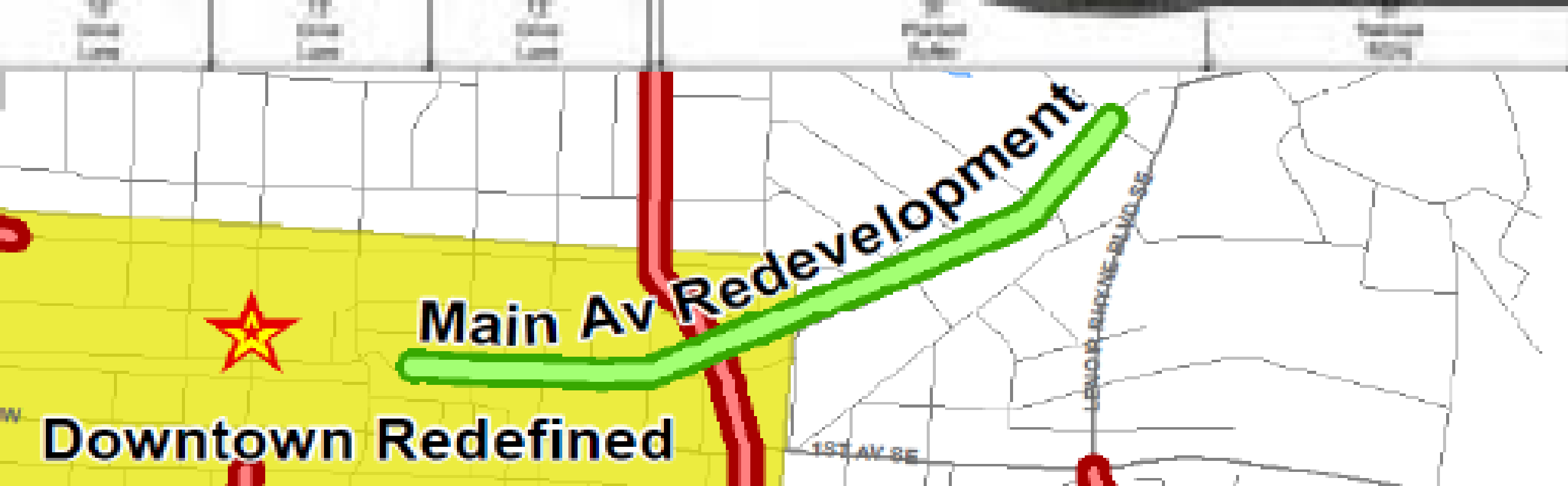


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# Lackey Project

Map  
Traffic



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★ — **Boost Hickory** —

# You said, "Yes!"

Hickory overwhelmingly passes \$40 million bond referendums



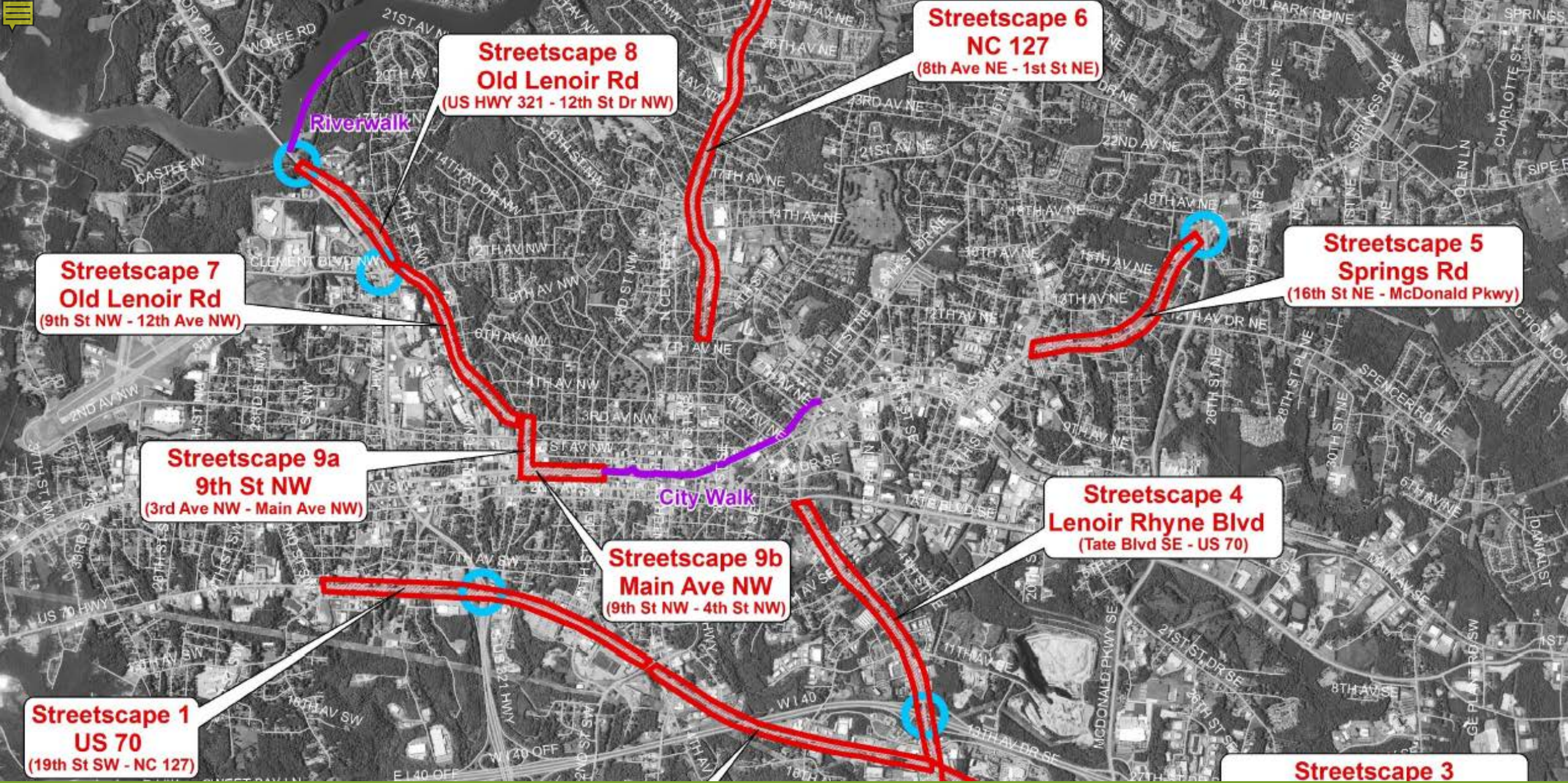
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**Streetscape 8**  
**Old Lenoir Rd**  
(US HWY 321 - 12th St Dr NW)

**Streetscape 6**  
**NC 127**  
(8th Ave NE - 1st St NE)

**Streetscape 5**  
**Springs Rd**  
(16th St NE - McDonald Pkwy)

**Streetscape 7**  
**Old Lenoir Rd**  
(9th St NW - 12th Ave NW)

**Streetscape 4**  
**Lenoir Rhyne Blvd**  
(Tate Blvd SE - US 70)

**Streetscape 9a**  
**9th St NW**  
(3rd Ave NW - Main Ave NW)

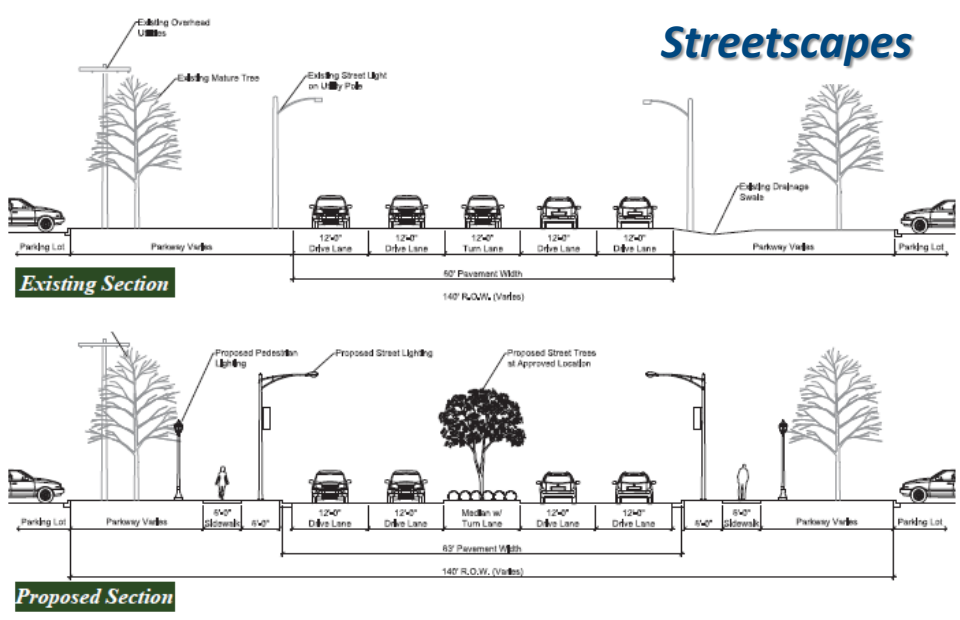
**Streetscape 9b**  
**Main Ave NW**  
(9th St NW - 4th St NW)

**Streetscape 1**  
**US 70**  
(19th St SW - NC 127)

**Streetscape 3**

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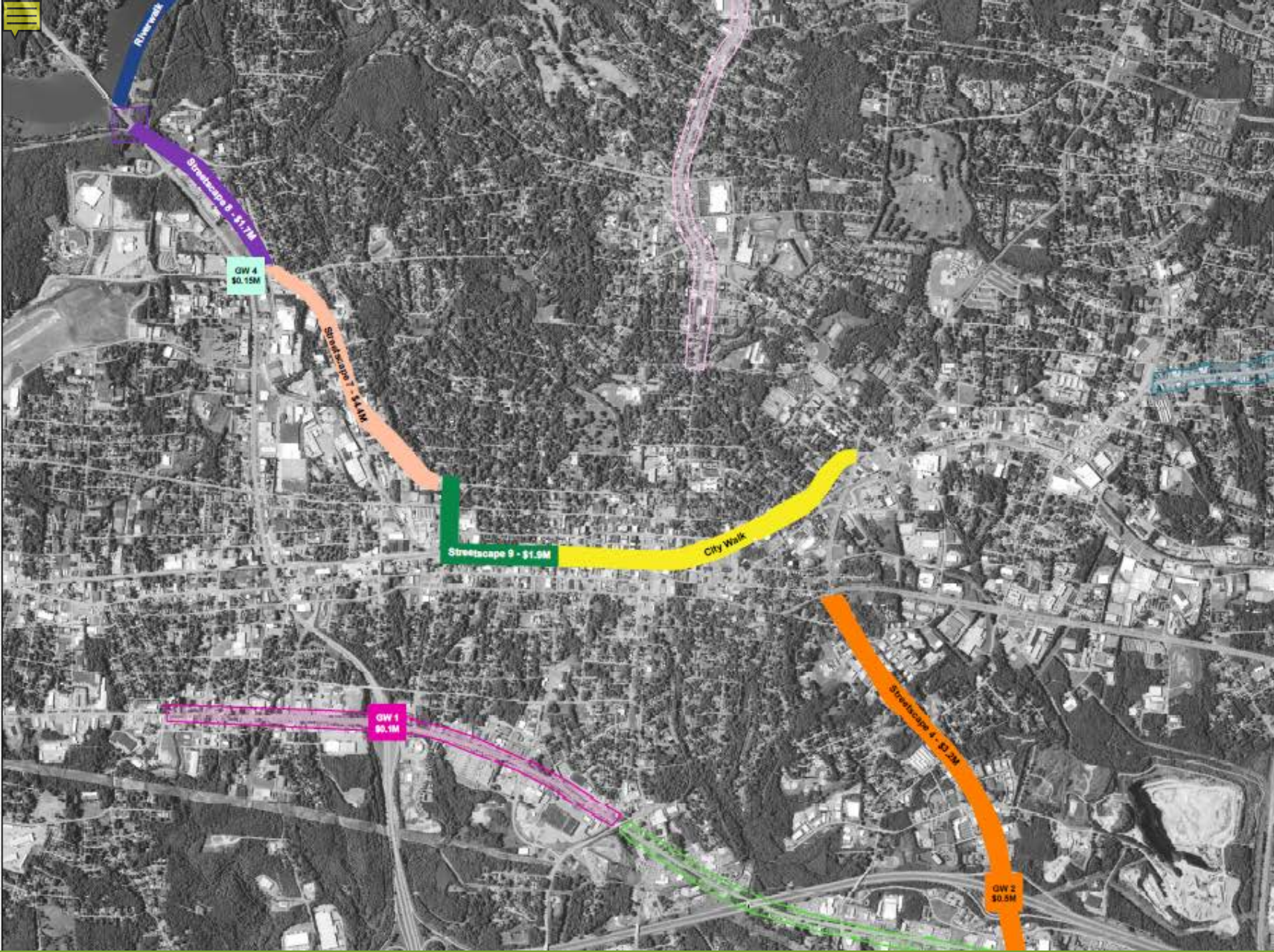




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### Program Costs

Riverwalk	City Walk Greenways
Riverwalk Option 2 \$8.5M	Greenway 1 \$2.7M
	Greenway 2 \$1.3M
	Greenway 3 \$1.4M
	Greenway 4 \$2M
	Greenway 5 \$1.2M
	Greenway 6 \$0.5M
	Greenway 7 \$1.3M
	Greenway 8 \$1M
<b>SUB TOTAL: \$8.5M</b>	<b>SUB TOTAL: \$11.2M</b>
Streetscapes	City Walk Amenities
Streetscape 4 – Lenoir Rhyne Blvd (Take SE – US 70) \$3.2M	Pedestrian Bridge \$3.7M
Streetscape 7 – Old Lenoir (9 <sup>th</sup> St NW – 12 Ave NW) \$4.4M	Union Square \$0.8M
Streetscape 8 – Old Lenoir Rd (Riverwalk – 12 St Dr NW) \$1.7M	Main Ave Improvements (1 <sup>st</sup> Ave to 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) \$0.5M
Streetscape 9 – Southern Riverwalk/City Walk Connection \$1.5M	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave NE Realignment \$0.9M
<b>SUB TOTAL: \$11.2M</b>	
Gateways	
Gateway 1 – US 70 @ US 321 \$0.1M	
Gateway 2 – I-40 @ Lenoir Rhyne Blvd \$0.5M	
Gateway 4 – US 321 @ Clement Blvd \$0.15M	

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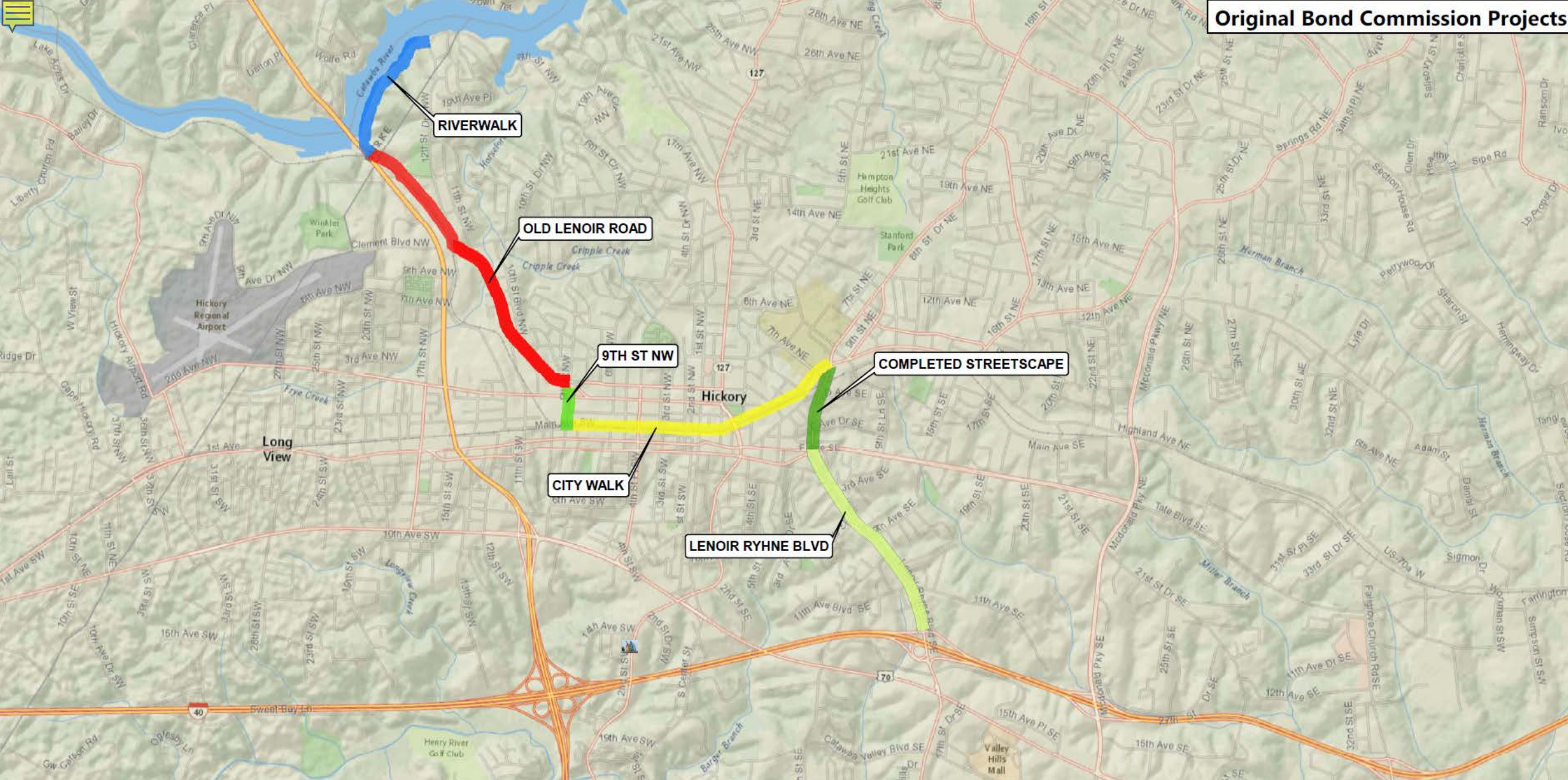




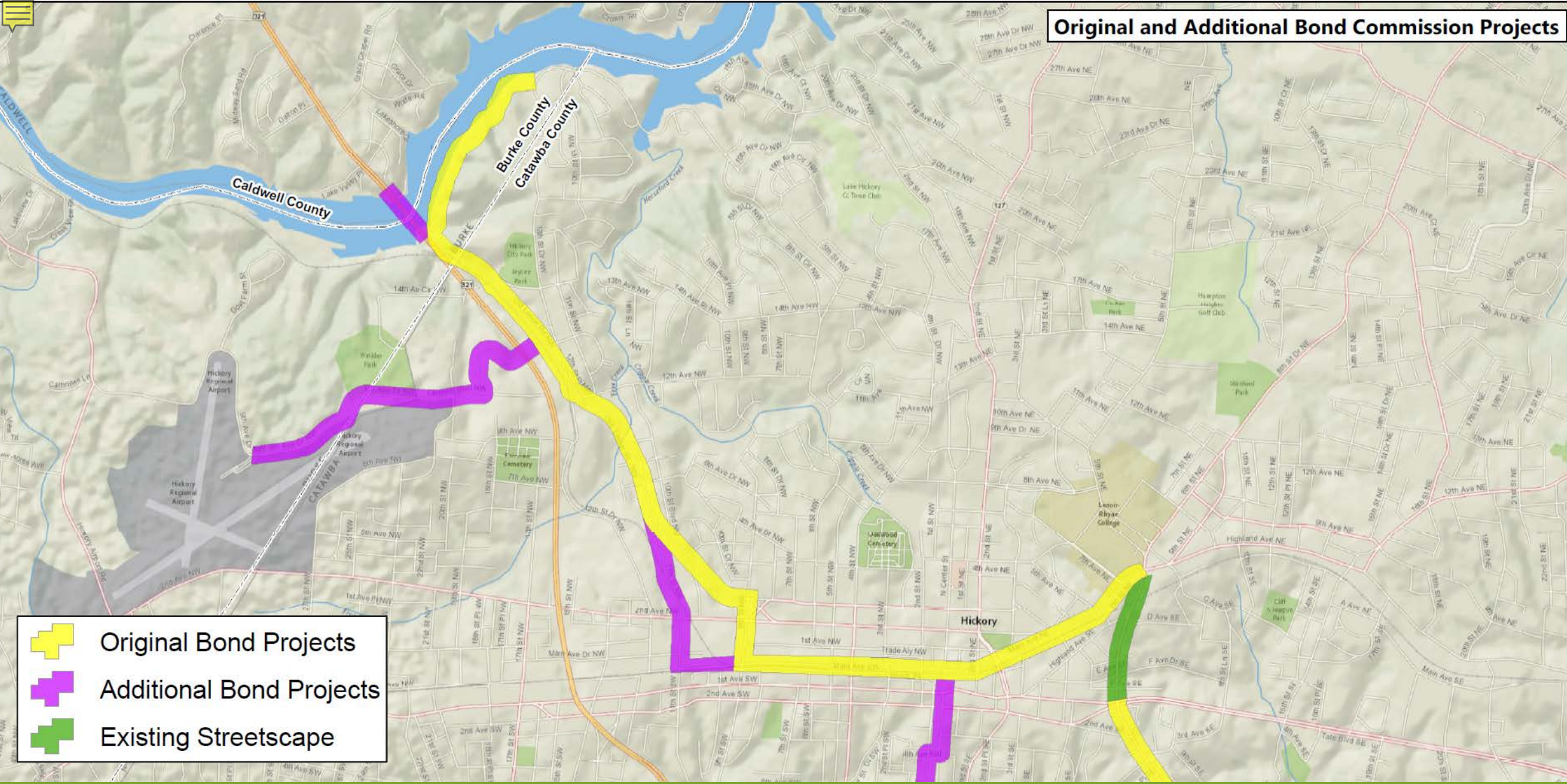
# 66 Meetings




- 23 Bond Commission
- 3 City Council Workshops
- 10+ City Staff Coordination
- 6 Regulatory
- 25+ Miscellaneous Work Development



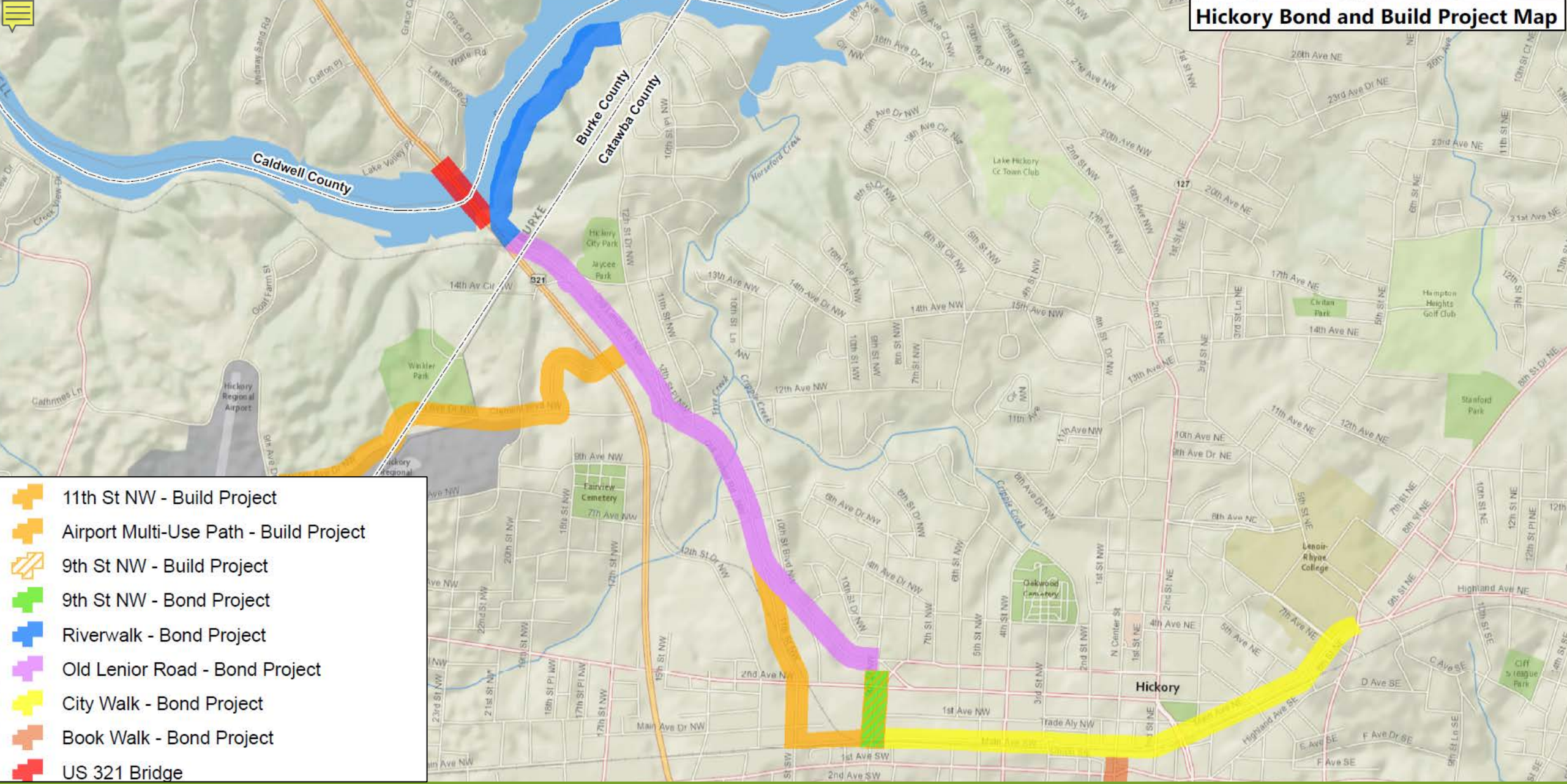


# Original and Additional Bond Commission Projects



-  Original Bond Projects
-  Additional Bond Projects
-  Existing Streetscape

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**HICKORY TRAIL**

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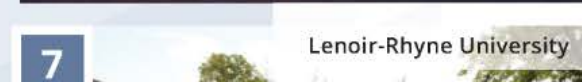
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While the Trail impacts the entire City, and touches neighborhoods representing 26 percent of Hickory's population, the goals listed in this document are for one-quarter mile on either side of the Trail.

The Trail will create connectivity between Lenoir-Rhyne University, The Mill District, Downtown, City parks, and the Catawba River.



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# Hickory Trail Goals: Calculations and Methodology

## (Metrics-By 2035)



**\$500 MILLION**  
PRIVATE  
INVESTMENT



**1,750**  
NEW HOUSING  
UNITS



**8,000**  
NEW JOBS



**3,500**  
INCREASE IN  
POPULATION



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